

LAKE WILDWOOD - SONS IN RETIREMENT - BRANCH 11 - AREA 33

A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION FOR RETIRED MEN DEVOTED TO THE PROMOTION OF INDEPENDENCE AND DIGNITY OF RETIREMENT
MEETING THE FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH AT LAKE WILDWOOD CLUB HOUSE. ADJUSTMENT HOUR: 11AM. MEETING BEGINS 12:00 NOON.

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NEXT MEETING: May 6

Big SIR – Glenn Orren

We are off to a great start this year for speakers. How can you go wrong with Earth, Wind and Fire? In March, we had our local supervisor grounding us on what is new in the county. In April we had Dean 'Wilbur' Wright talking about the wind and jet aircraft. This month we have the local fire chief talking about the local needs of the fire department. The board continues to seek membership input on future speakers. Please contact Little Sir Bob Kline or leave a message on our Web site with your ideas for future speakers. Mothers Day occurs this month. It is time to invite your wife or significant other to join us for the May meeting. See you at our next meeting on **May 6** at the clubhouse.

Little SIR – Bob Kline



Our May speaker is **Gene Vanderplaats, Fire Chief**, Penn Valley Fire Protection District. Gene is well known and respected by all of us in Lake Wildwood. Gene will talk about the funding crisis facing the PV Fire Protection District. We are faced with either a special tax or reduced emergency services. Expenses have been minimized as much as possible. Come hear what Gene has to say and then **Vote On the Special Mail Ballot to Maintain Emergency Services** that we need and deserve.

Travel – Charley Stein

Please go to our web-site and provide input for any travel adventures you would like to have our SIR group investigate.

Free Lunch Winner: Bob Welti

(Who woulda thunk!)

Golf – Ed Quintal

Remaining SIR Golf schedule for 2010:

Tuesday, May 25	Alta Sierra	1:00	40.00
Monday, June 28	L.O.P.	1:00	40.00
Monday, July 26	Turkey Creek	8:00	44.00
Tuesday, Aug 24	Beale	8:00	43.00
Tuesday, Sept 28	The Ridge	9:00	47.00
Tuesday, Oct 19	Plumas Lake	8:30	42.00
Monday, Nov 15	Darkhorse	9:30	40.00

Treasurer – Bob Riopel

Donations are in lieu of dues. Most members have made donations. 38 Members have not made a donation yet. Please support our organization. Your donations are used to pay SIR State assessments, web site expenses, entertainment, and lunches for guest speakers. Any excess is used to defray the cost of the December meeting. Donations can be brought to a meeting or mailed to Bob Riopel at 18239 Lake Forest Dr., PV 95946. I hope to hear from those 38 Members soon, thanks.

Membership/Attendance – Robby Robinette

Branch 11 received a number of membership applications and are looking forward to their inductions at the May meeting. The new SIR applicants: are Dennis Cole, Raymond Cook, Jim Frank, Frank Luporini, Mike Perbetsky, and Joe Stein. These additions will make our total membership 120. Please go to the Branch website sir.branch11@yahoo.com and let us know of any changes to your information, especially your e-mail address. If we don't have your latest, correct e-mail address, you may not receive important notices and information.

Biography Editor – Bob Welti

Our Biography Project is about 75% complete. Thanks for your support. Here's an example Biography:

	Bob Welti <i>Joined 2004</i> Military Merchant Marine
	Organizations 9 & 18 Hole Golf, Elks
	Interests Golf, Art, Woodworking, Photography, Computer
	Occupations Consultant, Director, Program Mgr, Engineer
	Industries Aerospace, IT, Software Development
Colleges Hofstra U. Columbia U., USC, UCLA	

If you haven't, please give me your information.

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May BIRTHDAYS

Gunnard Beckstrom	George Case	Lloyd Dohrman
Brian Gillings	Bill Haushalter	Steve Holeman
Raymond Leech	Donald Ricketts	Edwin Robinson
George Woodle		

Congratulations to All!!

<p>SIR LUNCHEON LADIES INVITED-DRAWING PRIZES THURSDAY, MAY 6, 2010 Cost: \$15.00 (Includes tax, tip, transporter service, Linen table clothes and napkins) Russian Mushroom Soup Choice of: Beef Stroganoff Over Noodles Seasonal Vegetables Or California Shrimp Salad Choice of Dressing Rolls and Butter Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Sauce Coffee, Ice Tea</p>
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<p>Sons In Retirement is a nonprofit public benefit corporation for retired men, devoted to the promotion of independence and dignity of retirement.</p> <p>SIR's purpose is to assist men in renewing former friendships and provide opportunities to make new friends through association with other retirees.</p> <p>The only requirement for membership is that a man be retired and sponsored by an active member.</p> <p>Membership shall be open to men retired from fulltime gainful occupation, regardless of age, race, color or religion.</p>
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<p>Declarations</p> <p>Important: When a member is unable to attend a meeting, he should notify the Attendance Chairman A.S.A.P.</p> <p>Attendance Rule: Regular members missing (3) consecutive meetings without notifying the Attendance Chairman, giving a valid reason, or attending less than six (6) consecutive meetings within the past twelve (12) months, shall be notified of pending termination. Certification of attendance at another Branch Meeting is considered a credit.</p> <p>Prospective Members: Must attend a Luncheon and be introduced by a sponsor to the general membership prior to being accepted as a new member of the Branch.</p> <p>Non-Responsibility Clause: All travel activities arranged for or by Sons In Retirement, Inc. and its Branches are for the convenience and pleasure of the members and their guests who desire to participate. Sons In Retirement, Inc. and its Branches do not assume responsibility for the well being or safety of the participants or passengers, or their property, in any matters pertaining to said travel and other activities.</p> <p>Checks For Travel Activities: Checks for travel activities of three (3) nights or less shall be made payable to the Branch, or if arranged through a travel agency, checks may be made to the travel agency, at the Branch's option. Checks for events of four (4) or more nights shall be payable to the travel agency involved.</p>
