



FRUITRIDGE BRANCH 93 January 2021 Vol. 43/ 01 –

Promoting the Independence and Dignity of Retirement

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NOTICE!

If you will be unable to attend this month's meeting

please notify Attendance Committee men Vince

Damyanovich @ (916) 453-0979 or Mike Combs @

(916) 362-4598

BIG SIR Letter for January 2021

To the most loyal and dedicated members of SIR 93:

Well, here we are! No further along than we were back in March of 2020.

Sorry to say that there is no bowling, hiking, card games, travel, or membership luncheons in the near horizon of time.

Per the guidance and direction of the Area 4 Governor (Dave Gonzales), we cannot have any large gathering (in-person) for picnics, luncheons, golf, bowling, hiking, etc. for SIR Members until we get the approval from the State SIR Board and the State & Local Health Department of our Branch 93 Restart Plan. This action has been taken due to the ongoing pandemic. See Page 9 for further information from Dave Gonzales.

So far, the Elks Lodge is still not having inside events till further notice.

In 2021, the new State SIR President is Stu Williams in the place of deceased Jimmy R. Johnson. SIR Branch 93 has already made a donation payment to the Memorial Tree Foundation in National Forest in the memory and honor of Jimmy R. Johnson.

The new 2021 Area 4 Governor is Hugh Thompson from Branch 95.

In 2021, Dave Gonzales is replacing Mark Stuart (resigning as of 01/01/2021) to be the new Region 1 Director.

Please note that starting on October 1st, SIR Branch 93 will need to start collecting the 2021 Membership Dues (\$20.00) in order to pay for the operational costs of SIR Branch 93. You can mail your check made out to SIR Branch 93 to:

David Saxby (Treasurer) PO BOX 6944 Auburn Ca 95604

There is a hyperlink in Stu Williams' January e-mail about the recording of his January Fireside Chat. Several SIR 93 members attend his January Zoom Meeting about the status of SIR, the settlement of the civil lawsuit against SIR, renewal of the Liability Insurance Policy, and the on-going efforts to restart the SIR activities (luncheons and golf as an example) as soon as possible in 2021.

For the February 15th SIR BEC / Membership Zoom meeting, we will be going the lessons and issues learned from the January State SIR Leadership Sessions.

Remember to take your flu shots and COVID-19 vaccines to safeguard yourself from any sickness or illness problems.

Stay strong, safe, and healthy to you and your family

Don't hesitate to call or email me.

Jack Reefer Big SIR - Jreefer@sbcglobal.net

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Listing of Officers / Chairman for 2021

Big SIR: Jack Reefer

Co-Little SIR's: Craig Chalmers & Dale Cummings

Branch Secretary: Dave Pevny

Branch Treasurer: Dave Saxby

Assistant Treasurer: Warren Weber

Membership/ Member Relations Co-chairs: John Dailly and Don Quesenberry

Nominating: Craig Chalmers

RAMP: Calvin Wong

Activities: Dale Cummings

Publicity: Jack Reefer

Travel: Bob Perez

Web Master: Brent Williams

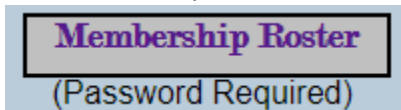
Golf Club Chairman: John Senna

Golf Club Handicapper & Newsletter Editor: Connor Chin

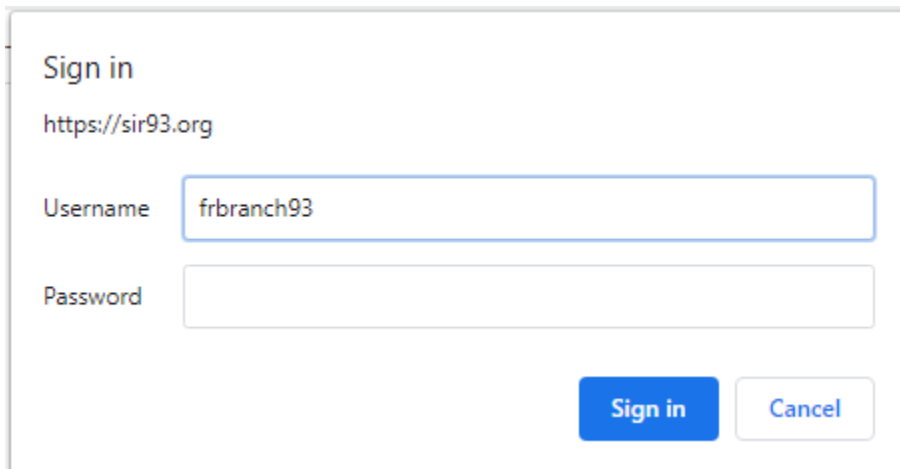
SIR 93 2020 Roster Book – Go to the SIR 93 Officers / Committees Web Page

Accessing SIR 93 Member Roster

1. Form a web browser, go to the SIR 93 website Officers/Committees page at https://sir93.org/sir93_003.htm
2. Click on the Membership Roster button



3. Type in **frbranch93** in the Username field

A screenshot of a web form titled "Sign in" for the URL "https://sir93.org". It features two input fields: "Username" with the text "frbranch93" and "Password" which is empty. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: a blue "Sign in" button and a white "Cancel" button with a blue border.

4. Type **ElksLodgeRiverside** in the password field and click the Sign in button (make sure the E in Elks the L in Lodge and the R in Riverside are capitalized)

A pdf copy of the current Membership Roster will be opened on your computer. You can then save or print the roster from the opened copy

From Jack Reefer – 2021 Big SIR:

Land Park Seniors Golf is comprised of members SIR 69 and SIR 93 and others are inviting you to join us every Tuesday at Land Park 9 AM for 9 holes of golf. Currently running 20-24 players each week - room for more. \$5 buy in playing for lowest number of putts for 9 holes, gross score on three selected holes plus closest to the pin for sleeve of golf balls. Group divided into two groups based on index 0-24 and 24 plus no index.

This is considered as a non-SIR Event or Activity for other people outside of SIR play at the Tuesday Land Park Seniors Golf. Remember, you play at your own risk and judgement of health conditions.

Email sent out every Sunday morning asking who is playing. To join email list contact mratz246@sbcglobal.net. Questions - Phone Mike Ratzlaff 916-768-6348.

You must check in with the pro shop and let them know if you are walking or riding for your tee time payment.

SIR 93 Clothing and Hats

Jack Reefer can order golf shirts and hats. There are many colors available.

Just email me: jreefer@sbcglobal.net. Since the weather goes up and down, I will be ordering jackets also.

January Birthdays

Jim Drago, Badge #018;	68
Stan Kisbey, Badge # 025;	90
Michael McKenna, Badge # 046; Transfer Member 09-17.....	78
Bernard Ditter. Badge # 050; Transfer Member 10-17.....	74
Sergay Ivasian, Badge # 061.....	85
Oscar Hughes, Badge 146	76

**FORM 28, SONS IN RETIREMENT MONTHLY CASH REPORT****93**Branch 93 Area 4 Region 1
Month December Year 2020

		Month	YTD
BEGINNING CASH BALANCE (Total Cash)	Line 1	\$3,952.45	\$4,160.55

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Receipts

101 Contributions		\$250.00	\$1,490.00
102 Interest		\$1.63	\$42.25
103 Other		\$0.00	\$154.09
Subtotal General Receipts	Line 2	\$251.63	\$1,686.34

Disbursements

201 Printing, Supplies etc			\$211.11
202 Postage			\$135.00
203 Officers' Expense		\$200.97	\$319.90
204 Guest Expense		\$0.00	\$0.00
205 State Board Pro Rata Assessment		\$0.00	\$773.50
206 Other		\$0.00	\$217.34
207 Other		\$0.00	\$16.00
Subtotal General Disbursements	Line 3	\$200.97	\$1,672.85
NET GENERAL gain/(loss)	Line 4 (2-3)	\$50.66	\$13.49

CUSTODIAL ACCOUNTS

Receipts

301 Monthly Luncheon		\$0.00	\$3,539.00
302 Special Activities		\$0.00	\$0.00
303 Travel		\$0.00	\$0.00
304 Bowling		\$0.00	\$0.00
305 Golf		\$0.00	\$0.00
306 Rooster Items		\$0.00	\$0.00
307 Other		\$0.00	\$302.00
308 Other		\$0.00	\$650.00
Subtotal Custodial Receipts	Line 5	\$0.00	\$4,491.00

Disbursements

401 Monthly Luncheon		\$0.00	\$3,470.00
402 Special Activities		\$0.00	\$0.00
403 Travel		\$0.00	\$0.00
404 Bowling		\$0.00	\$0.00
405 Golf		\$0.00	\$0.00
406 Rooster Purchase		\$0.00	\$0.00
407 Other		\$0.00	\$1,191.93
Subtotal Custodial Disbursements	Line 6	\$0.00	\$4,661.93
NET CUSTODIAL gain/(loss)	Line 7 (5-6)	\$0.00	-\$170.93

ENDING CASH BALANCE (Total Cash)	Line 8 (1+4+7)	\$4,003.11	\$4,003.11
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CASH ELEMENTS	
Checkbook	\$1,685.50
Savings	\$2,067.61
Other	\$250.00
Total	4,003.11

MEMBERSHIP	
Members	103
Include HLM's	

1/10/2021

David Saxby

Report Date

Treasurer

Dist: SIRFORM28@YAHOO.COM, Regional Director, Area Governor, Big Sir, Branch Secretary
FORM 28, Rev 10/01/2019

FORM 27 - MONTHLY BRANCH MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Blue cells are calculated fields:
passworded and locked.

Year 2020 Report Month DEC Region 1 Area 4 Branch 93

MEMBERSHIP		Previous Years												Year Total	Year %	Min Goal	Branch Goal	
		2017	2018	2019	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep					Oct
1	NUMBER OF MEMBERS LAST MONTH (= Line 4 last month)	149	147	117	117	117	107	104	103	103	103	103	103	107	103	—	—	—
2	NUMBER OF MEMBERS IN	0	9	0	0									4		4	3.4%	1
3	NUMBER OF MEMBERS OUT (ATTRITION)	2	27	0	0	10	3	1						4		18	16.4%	—
4	NUMBER OF MEMBERS (Lines 1+2-3)	147	129	117	117	107	104	103	103	103	103	103	107	103	103	—	—	118
5	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVITIES - including couples	49	49	49	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	NUMBER OF COUPLES ACTIVITIES	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	MEDIAN BRANCH AGE				—	—	78.0	—	—	78.0	—	—	78.0	—	—	—	—	—

Line 2 Minimum Goal- Process: review Line 3 Attrition for the past 3 years. Estimate attrition by current year-end. Add +1 gain (or other desired gain) to this estimate= Line 2 Goal. **THIS IS A KEY GOAL FOR YOUR BRANCH**

Membership change this year	-14
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Line 4 Goal- Process: Add +1 gain (or other desired gain) to Line 4's prior year-end actual= Line 4 Goal.

LUNCHEON ATTENDANCE

Enter "LDL" here for Ladies Day months =>

Line	Description	2017	2018	2019	CV												Year Total	Year %	Min Goal	Branch Goal
					Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec				
8	NUMBER OF BRANCH MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE	—	—	—	77	83											—	—	—	
9	PERCENT OF NUMBER OF MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE				66%	78%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	—	72%	70%	
10	GUESTS (Guests are potential members only)															0	0%	0		

Line 9 Total: To exclude Ladies Days Luncheons from the Year % data enter "LDL" above the appropriate months.

Line 10 Minimum Goal- Process: Divide previous year 'Guests' total by previous year 'Members In' total. Result is No. of Guests needed per New Member (In blue box). Then multiply Line 2 'Min Goal for Members In' by this ratio and this = Min Goal for Guests. It is calculated for you automatically.

Previous Year Guest conversion ratio =	0.0 guests to add 1 new member
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LAST MONTH'S FORM 27 REVIEWED BY BEC?	YES
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NOTE: All of the data in this report are to be determined after the monthly BEC and luncheon meetings. New inductions and resignations that occur after the monthly meetings shall be reported after the next BEC and luncheon meetings.

MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION	sirstateform27@gmail.com, BEC, Area Governor, Region Director, Branch RAMP Committee Chairs (Recruitment, Activities, Member Relations, Publicity), Form 27 for the month should be distributed to the list above by the 10th of the following month (Rule 167)
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Form 27 Revised 12/16/2018

SUBMITTED BY:	David Saxby	
Title	Treasurer	Phone #
MEETING DATE:	CV	918-470-2978

Words of Wisdom and Hello from SIR 93 Golf – January 2020 Newsletter

2021 SIR 93 Golf Tournament Schedule is shown below.

Tentatively, the first tournament is being planned for a March 24th Date at Bartley Cavanaugh.

Right now, it appears we have about 59 Golfers that have signed up with 2021 NCGA / SIR 93 Golf Membership.

We are still waiting for the State SIR Board / Region 1 Director / Health Department of a go-ahead approval of any SIR Group Activities like Golf, Luncheons, Bowling, etc. that can take place in 2021.

From Dale Cummings – The Carson City Golf Tournament

To all of our golfing members. Carson City Golf Tournament for 2021 is cancelled due to the Covid 19. The general consensus is that we will not be able to have any type of golf by June, 2021. This is a sad decision for me to have to make but it is for our own good. Stay healthy and maybe have a Carson City 2022.

Dale Cummings

Frederick Stewart 1935 - 2020

Fred was a past member of Branch SIR 93 and was the SIR 93 Golf Club Chairman before John Senna came on-board to be the new chairman.

Fred graduated from CSU, Sacramento in 1970. He worked for Caltrans with the California Department of Aeronautics for over 30 years including an appointed position under then-Governor Ronald Reagan.

During this time, he got two beehives to understand their flight patterns as he was learning to fly a plane. When he retired from the state, he "volunteered" at the store that he and his wife (Nancy) had opened in 1985, named Sacramento Beekeeping Supplies. He continued to work there until the spring of 2020.

Fred enjoyed coaching youth baseball with Willow Rancho LL & District 7 all-stars. Many of his former players held him in very high regard and would sometimes stop in to visit him at the store.

Fred was an avid golfer and was a former president of Haggin Oaks Men's Club. He also held various board positions with the Caltrans GC & SIR 93 Golf Club.

Fred lost his battle with pancreatic cancer. He is survived by his loving wife of 63 years: Nancy Stewart. Appreciation of Life ceremony will be held at a future date due to COVID restrictions.

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SIR BRANCH 93 GOLF CLUB

1-11-21 hd

2021 Schedule

DATE	DAY	COURSE	TIME	PLAY	FEE / Cart	Walk	COMMENT
24-Mar	Wed	Bartley Cavanaugh	8:03	t.t.	\$49	\$33	
31-Mar	Wed	Cherry Island	8:30	S.G.	\$47		#tent. S.G.
8-Apr	Thurs	Wildhawk	8:28	t.t.	\$51		
14-Apr	Wed	Teal Bend	7:30	t.t. (10)	\$51		incl.range balls
21-Apr	Wed	The Reserve	9:00	t.t.	\$50		
28-Apr	Wed	Bing Maloney	8:03	t.t.	\$48	\$32	
5-May	Wed	Turkey Creek	9:00	t.t.	\$52		
12-May	Wed	Lincoln Hills	8:00	s.g.	\$48		
19-May	Wed	Woodcreek	9:00	t.t.	\$49		
26-May	Wed	Bing Maloney	8:03	t.t.	\$48	\$32	
2-Jun	Wed	Ancil Hoffman	8:32	t.t. (8)	\$51		4 Man Team Scramble
6-9 Jun	Sun-Wed	Carson City	Cancel for 2021 - COVID-19				
16-Jun	Wed	Empire Ranch	8:00	s/gun	\$50		
23-Jun	Wed	Diamond Oaks	9:00	t.t.	\$49		
30-Jun	Wed	MacKinsey (Haggin)	10:00	t.t.	\$53	\$38	
7-Jul	Wed	Teal Bend	7:30	t.t. (10)	\$51	incl.r.balls	Club Champion 1A
14-Jul	Wed	Mather	8:06	t.t.	\$50	\$32	
21-Jul	Wed	Morgan Creek	8:27	t.t.	\$50	\$42	
28-Jul	Wed	MacKinsey (Haggin)	9:06	t.t.	\$53	\$38	Club Champion 2A
5-Aug	Thurs	Wildhawk	8:28	t.t.	\$51		
11-Aug	Wed	Bing Maloney	8:03	t.t.	\$48	\$32	
18-Aug	Wed	Wildhorse	8:00	t.t.	\$46		4 Man Team Scramble
25-Aug	Wed	Empire Ranch	8:30	s/gun	\$50		Club Champion 3A
1-Sep	Wed	Bartley Cavanaugh	8:03	t.t.	\$49	\$32	
8-Sep	Wed	Teal Bend	9:30	t.t. (10)	\$51	incl.r.balls	Club Champion 2A
15-Sep	Wed	Lincoln Hills	8:00	t.t.	\$48		
22-Sep	Wed	Mather	10:06	t.t.	\$48	\$32	4 Man Team Scramble
29-Sep	Wed	The Reserve	9:00	t.t.	\$50		
6-Oct	Wed	Ancil Hoffman	8:32	t.t. (8)	\$51		
13-Oct	Wed	MacKinsey (Haggin)	7:45	t.t.	\$53	\$38	Club Champion 2B
20-Oct	Wed	Empire Ranch	8:00	s/gun	\$50		Club Champion 2C
27-Oct	Wed	Bartley Cavanaugh	8:03	t.t.	\$49	\$33	
		green contract pend					
		blue contract sure					

S.G. = Shotgun T.T.= Tee Times *-Range Balls Incl.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND

Reminder - You as a player are responsible for checking with the course if there is inclement weather. Do not call any committee members regarding play for these situations. If we receive information in advance, we will attempt to inform you by email or phone.

Our club will pay by check at the end of the round to the course we are playing at so no need to pay at the counter before playing.

SIR Activities from Dave Gonzales – 2021 Region 1 Director

From: dave gonzales <yogonzo@yahoo.com>

Sent: Wednesday, November 11, 2020 4:51 PM

To: Joe Artim <gratefulbread@sbcglobal.net>; Jimmy Buckley <lamann95131@yahoo.com>; Paul Sickert <paulsickert3787@comcast.net>; Jack Reefer <jreefer@sbcglobal.net>; Kevin King <kmking00@gmail.com>; Bob Carlson <bobcarlson@hotmail.com>; Michael Hughes <mikeroyh@sbcglobal.net>; John Cox <kandjcox@wavecable.com>; Bill Sheean <pbil4164@att.net>; Paul Carrillo <ibpope566@gmail.com>

Subject: Ed Benson Shut Down Directive

Gentlemen:

By now you will have received Ed's directive "that there will be no in-person SIR-sponsored meetings, luncheons and events of any kind".

You are probably shocked. And you may wonder if this directive shuts everything down or whether we still have some activities such as golf, bowling, fishing, hiking and such.

I am very sorry to say that this directive applies to all our in-person activities including the ones I just mentioned.

The plain truth is that the State of California did in fact ban our activities on October 9. The SIR State Board consulted two lawyers, health officials and our insurance carrier to confirm the meaning of the state health order.

So please contact all your activity chairs and your members and advise them to cancel branch activities immediately.

My phone and my email are open to your need to talk or consult with me.

Dave