



BULLETIN

July 2021

Website: sonorasirs.org

SONORA BRANCH #136

Next Monthly Luncheon at the
Elks Lodge

Tuesday, July 13th

Happy Hour at 11:00am

Lunch at 12:00pm

Reservation only!

Call (209) 532-6725

Extension No. 6311#

Password is 668800#

Press 1 to leave message.

Leave Your Name, Badge No,

Full Meal \$16.00 or Salad

\$8.00, & Number of guests.

When finished press #

**Menu: Country Pork Ribs
Baked Beans, Corn, Salad, &
Dessert**

Branch Executive Committee
will meet at

the Elks Lodge on

Tuesday, July 13th

Starts at 10:00 am

Ends at 11:00 am



BULLETIN INPUT NOTICE!

Jim Botto Editor - 559-0931

Asst. Jerry Bellefeuille 533-3630

I want to take this opportunity to thank the committee chairmen who sent in their reports to me on or before the deadline. If I do not receive your report by the deadline it will not be published in the current month. Please send all bulletin input to Jim Botto at

giacamo42@gmail.com

The deadline for the next bulletin is

July 31, 2021



BIG SIR MESSAGE

Gene Zanoni (209) 532-1989

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On June 8, 2021, Branch 136 held its first monthly luncheon after an absence of sixteen grueling months as a result of the Coronavirus. Although the attendance was somewhat down from the pre-pandemic luncheons, with sixty-five enthusiastic members present, the attendees left little doubt there was a tremendous desire to return to their normal lifestyle routine. Particularly, as it relates to their SIR engagements.

The attendees were provided with a much-needed relief, whereby, the opportunity to associate with their fellow members was very similar to a tonic administered without a prescription. There was strong evidence of this for many attendees remained at their respective tables once the luncheon was adjourned in order to extend their personal reconnections. In a profound way, the event resembled a homecoming of sort.

WE NEED YOU – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Advance notice has been received regarding the 2021 Annual Home & Garden Show (the "Show"), with October 16th and 17th being the scheduled dates for the event. The Show is extremely popular in our community for it regularly attracts several thousand visitors during the two-day event. As a result, this event must be regarded as a major recruitment opportunity for our organization and will require many Branches 136 member volunteers to staff our booth.

Show contracts and/or booth assignments are anticipated to be mailed out no later than the current month. After which, signup sheets for member participation/commitment will be available at our monthly luncheons leading up to the Show.

I wish to announce that plans for having our [Annual Summer Family BBQ Picnic, scheduled for September 14, 2021](#), are vigorously under way. **DICKEY'S BARBECUE PIT** will be the sole featured caterer for this special event and tickets shall be available at both the July and August luncheons. Indigency Reserve has been selected as the site for the special event, so seating is limited. Thus, it is highly recommended that all interested members purchase their tickets as soon

possible. In order to promote an exciting and festive atmosphere, it is recommended that everyone capable of donating to the raffle event do so. Thus, everyone becomes a winner and cheer is shared by all. Reference the flyer in this Bulletin for additional information.

The SIR Covid-19 Protocols that currently exists for its member-monthly luncheons shall remain in effort for the Annual Summer Family BBQ Picnic as well. Thus, members and guests alike are to provide proof of vaccinations or appropriate testing results, plus, sign the SIR Covid-19 waiver of liability document. Copies of this document will be available at the event and must be completed in order to gain entry to the activity. Of course, members in good standing that have previously complied with these stipulations are free from having to comply a second time. Please remember that all SIR functions require participation from its members. Therefore, do your fair share and volunteer to lighten the burden of those members that do.

For those members wishing to participate in upcoming bowling tournaments, there are two such announcements provided in this edition of our Bulletin. Should any questions surface regarding these activities, you are encouraged to contact the State SIR Bowling Chairman. Namely, this would be Sir Ray DiBasilio and his contact information is as follows: telephone (530-558-9727) and email (rdibasilio@gmail.com).

In the meantime, let us all avoid basking in the summer inferno.





GOLF CHAIRMAN

Danny Laureta (209) 586-4567
dr Laureta@gmail.com

June Sir's golf results

Format: 2 Man Best Ball with Orange Ball
Four teams lost the orange golf ball & was DQ.

Place

1st - Allan Bell & Bob Bader net 59

2nd - Rod Salvi & Felix Espino net 61

Hole # 5 par 3 closest to the hole:

Place

1st - Jeff Juhl 11' - 1"

2nd - Mike Baumgartner 23' - 2"

3rd - Gene Deaver 32' - 11"

Hole # 12 par 3 closest to the hole:

Place

1st - Jeff Juhl 9' - 1"

2nd - Allan Bell 23' - 5"

3rd - Felix Espino 36' - 8"

Next Sir's golf tournament: July 20, 2021

I have posted everyone's score.

Thank you all for signing the Sir's COVID-19 waiver.

Danny Laureta



PINOCHLE

Bob Morrison—588-0994
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No scheduled activities for July



CAR CLUB

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No scheduled activities for July



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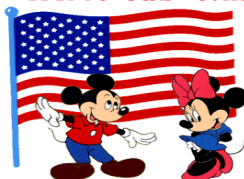
No scheduled activities for July



JULY BIRTHDAYS

Swartz, Rodger	07/03
Hildinger, Jim	07/03
Randall, Earl	07/04
Guzman, Larry	07/05
Hurst, Frank J.	07/08
Mockabee, Jon	07/08
Vieira, John	07/09
VanSwoll, Phil	07/12
Methot, Chris	07/12
Mueller, James	07/14
Villa, Danny	07/16
Bader, Bob	07/16
Hodgson, Greg	07/17
Gibbs, Bob	07/18
Krum, Mike	07/18
Cox, Dave	07/19
Ringler, Craig	07/21
Waters, Dennis L.	07/23
Davis, Gary	07/25
Slemmons, Paul	07/26
Matteson, Larry	07/30
Biedinger, Dennis	07/30
Orteiza, Mike	07/31

Happy July 4th!



INTERNET CHAIRMAN

Jerry Bellefeuille -533-3630
sirjerry4@gmail.com

Our Branch website is at sonorasirs.org. I have just added the 2021 Bowling Schedule, <https://sonorasirs.org/Bowling%20Schedule.pdf>. Things are rolling again!). I was also looking at the State SIR Website and saw that things in golf are swinging again, check this out, <https://www.sirinc2.org/golf2018/>.

I hope to see you all at the July meeting.



MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Previous Months Membership (May)

Total Active Members	176
Luncheon Attendance (40%)	0
Excused Absences (6%)	0

Current Month Membership

Active Membership May	176
Applicants Being Installed	+1
Active Members Lost	-1
June Active Membership	176



RV CLUB NEWS

Eddie Toews (209) 5323970
lcoinlady@aol.com

The RV Group has no report for July



Looking for a new Bowling Chairman, contact Gene

Zanoni (209) 532-1989

genezanoni@gmail.com



FISHING CHAIRMAN

Chuck Simons - (209) 532-9550
simons4890@yahoo.com

No scheduled activities for July





Sonora SIR Branch #136

Summer Family BBQ Picnic

September 14, 2021

Indigeny Reserve
14679 Summers Lane
Sonora, CA



Directions to Indigeny (please try to carpool)

- ◆ Drive north on Greenley Road and **TURN RIGHT** onto Lyons Bald Mountain Road
- ◆ Drive ~4 miles, **GO PAST** the Apple Valley Estates sign
- ◆ You will see and pass the sign **NARROW BRIDGE**
- ◆ Reach Apple Valley Ranches,
- ◆ **TURN RIGHT** at **Apple Hill Drive**
- ◆ Veer **LEFT** at **Summers Lane**
- ◆ Continue on Summers Lane (~1 mile) drive thru the covered bridge

Social @ 10:00 am
Lunch @ 12:00 noon

*Featuring Dickey's
Famous Specialties*

Menu:

Beef Brisket -or- Chicken Breast
BBQ Beans, Potato Salad
Caesar Salad & Cobbler

Two Free Any Beverage Tickets
With Each Ticket Purchased.
Subject To Beverages On Hand.

Beer, Wine, Soda
& Bottled Water

\$20 Per Person

Tickets will be on sale at the
July & August Luncheons
Deadline: Sept 6th - Firm

Children 12 & Under FREE
Hot Dogs with fixings



36th ANNUAL
SIR BRANCH 113
BOWLING TOURNAMENT
POLLOCK PINES, CA
JULY 9-11, 2021



Certification
09090

Location: Knotty Pine Lanes 2667 Sanders Road, Pollock Pines, CA 95726
Singles at 9:30am each day Doubles at 1:00pm each day
Optional All Events (Handicapped and/or Scratch)
\$25 per Person per Event + \$5.00 All Events
(\$10.00 Lineage + \$4.00 Expenses + \$11.00 Prize Fund)

1. Eligibility:

Active SIR Members, those with SIR membership applications pending, guest of a SIR member (man or woman 50 years or older), wives of SIR members regardless of age. All entrants must be USBC sanctioned bowlers for the current season. Persons not eligible shall forfeit all bowling and prize money.

2. Participation:

- a) Singles: A bowler may bowl only one time
- b) Doubles: A bowler may bowl and cash two times. At least one bowler in the lineup must be different.
ONE BOWLER MUST BE A SIR MEMBER
- c) First score bowled in each event will count for All Events prize.

3. Handicap:

100% of 230 singles; 460 doubles

4. Average:

- a) 2019-2020 USBC Standard Composite Average.
- b) If none use USBC 2018-2019 Standard Composite Average.
- c) If none, current league average of 21 games or more, must supply secretary-signed current league sheet at check-in. If not any of these, bowler must use a 230 average (NO HANDICAP).
- d) USBC Rule 319a. 1-4 will apply. (If any current league average of 21 games or more is 10 or more pins higher than submitted, you must declare).

5. Verification:

If averages (per this Tournament Rule 4) are on the USBC League Average site (Bowl.com), no further verification is required. Averages and USBC membership will be checked prior to start of tournament.

6. Divisions:

There will be two divisions: Divisions 1 and 2 will be divided by average after mail-in close of entries.

7. Prize Fund:

Will be returned 100% on a ratio of at least 1 prize for each 4 entries.

8. Deadlines and Entry Requirements:

Entries mailed must be received by July 7, 2021. Tournament Director may accept entries at the Bowling Center until start of each event (subject to space available).

9. Sanctioned Tournament and Applicable Rules:

This Tournament shall be conducted under USBC Rules, except for changes noted on this form.
Any substitutes shall bowl full game.
Rules 314, 319a.5, will not apply.

10. STATE SIR COVID REQUIREMENTS:

- a) If not already on file, all entrants and guests entering the building must show proof of COVID 19 vaccination or a negative COVID 19 test administered within 72 hours prior to the tournament.
- b) All attendees shall sign a waiver releasing SIR, Inc., its branches and officers, of any liability related to any COVID 19-related illness
- c) All attendees shall comply with any state and local requirements related to COVID 19 protection, such as wearing masks and social distancing.

For more information contact SIR Ray DiBasilio 530-558-9727 rdibasilio@gmail.com



S.I.R. Bowling Tournament Rules
National Bowling Stadium,
Reno, Nevada
August 9 -11, 2021



Certification
04060

Singles/Doubles/Team/ (All Events – Handicapped and/or Scratch)
\$22 per Person per Event + \$5.00 Optional All Events (each hdcp. and/or scratch)
(\$9.00 Lineage + \$2.25 Expenses + \$10.75 Prize Fund)

1. Eligibility:

Active SIR Members, those with SIR membership applications pending, guest of a SIR member (man or woman 50 years or older), wives of SIR members regardless of age. All entrants must be USBC sanctioned bowlers for the current season. Persons not eligible shall forfeit all bowling and prize money.

2. Participation:

- a) Singles: A bowler may bowl only one time.
- b) Doubles: A bowler may bowl and cash twice. At least one bowler in the lineup must be different.
ONE BOWLER MUST BE A SIR MEMBER
- c) Team: A bowler may bowl and cash two times. At least two bowlers in the lineup must be different.
TWO BOWLERS MUST BE SIR MEMBERS
- d) First score bowled in each event will count for **All Events** prize.

3. Handicap:

100% of 230 singles; 460 doubles; 920 team

4. Average:

- 1) 2020-2021 USBC Standard Composite Average of 21 games or more.
- 2) If none use USBC 2019-2020 Standard Composite Average of 21 games or more.
- 3) If none, current league average of 21 games or more, must supply secretary signed current league sheet at check in.
- 4) If none of these, bowler must use a 230 average (NO HANDICAP).
- 5) **USBC Rule 319a. 1-4 will apply.** (If any current league average of 21 games or more is 10 or more pins higher than submitted, you must declare).

5. Verification:

If averages (per this Tournament Rule 4) are on the USBC League Average site (Bowl.com), no further verification is required. Averages and USBC membership will be checked prior to start of tournament.

6. Divisions:

There will be three divisions: Divisions 1 and 2 will be divided by average after mail-in close of entries. Division 3 will be a Women's Division in SINGLES and ALL-EVENTS. No divisions in scratch All-Events.

7. Prize Fund:

Will be returned 100% on a ratio of at least 1 prize for each 4 entries.

8. Deadlines and Entry Requirements:

Reserve entries must be received by **August 4, 2021.**

Tournament Director may accept entries at the Bowling Center until start of each event (subject to space available).

9. Sanctioned Tournament and Applicable Rules:

This Tournament shall be conducted under USBC Rules, except for changes noted on this form.

Any substitutes shall bowl full game.

Rules 314, 319a.5, will not apply.

10. STATE SIR COVID REQUIREMENTS:

- a) **If not already on file, all entrants and guests entering the building must show proof of COVID 19 vaccination or a negative COVID 19 test administered within 72 hours prior to the tournament.**
- b) **All attendees shall sign a waiver releasing SIR, Inc., its branches and officers, of any liability related to any COVID 19 related illness.**
- c) **All attendees shall comply with any state and local requirements related to COVID 19 protection, such as wearing masks and social distancing.**

Lane assignments will be posted prior to squad time.

It will be the duty of bowlers to be on their assigned lanes, ready to bowl, at squad time.

Sands Regency reservations 866-386-7829 group code SIR5821

The rates below would be valid Sunday thru Thursday August 8th, 2021 thru August 12th, 2021:

Standard Room in Regency Tower \$32 -with all fees and taxes \$56.35

Dynasty Tower-\$42-with all fees and taxes-with all fees and taxes \$67.70

City/ Mountain View in Dynasty Tower \$47-with all fees and taxes \$73.38



S.I.R. Bowling Tournament Registration
National Bowling Stadium, Reno, Nevada
August 9 -11, 2021

#1 Name _____ Sex M F Branch# _____ Guest
 USBC# _____ USBC Composite Average _____ All Events: Hdcp Scratch

#2 Name _____ Sex M F Branch# _____ Guest
 USBC# _____ USBC Composite Average _____ All Events: Hdcp Scratch

#3 Name _____ Sex M F Branch# _____ Guest
 USBC# _____ USBC Composite Average _____ All Events: Hdcp Scratch

#4 Name _____ Sex M F Branch# _____ Guest
 USBC# _____ USBC Composite Average _____ All Events: Hdcp Scratch

Coordinator: _____ Email: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone# _____ Team Name (optional) _____

DAY AND ORDER OF PARTICIPATION: (Enter bowlers' number from above for lineup and check day selection.)

SINGLES					DOUBLES					TEAM				
		10:00 am		9:30 am			12:30 pm		9:30 am			3:00 pm		9:30 am
Bowler Lineup	#	Mon	Tue	Wed	Bowler Lineup	#	Mon	Tue	Wed	Bowler Lineup	#	Mon	Tue	Wed
1st		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1st		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1st				
2nd		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2nd		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2nd		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3rd		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3rd		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3rd				
4th		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	4th					4th				

(Three events @\$22 each plus one optional All Events @\$5 = \$71 per bowler)

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SIR BRANCH 113 BOWLING TOURNAMENT
MAIL ENTRY TO: SIR Ray DiBasilio, 5741 Gold Hill Road, Placerville, Ca. 95667
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2015 - Jim Johnson 2016 - Dale Decker
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2019 - Jim Botto 2020 - Gene Zanoni

BRANCH #136 HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

Frank Taylor - Treasurer 2001-2015

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

Applications for membership in Sonora SIR Branch #136 are to be obtained from the Membership Director at the monthly meetings, by telephoning him at 456-9814 and ask for an application form that will be mailed to you, or by downloading the form from our branch website.

www.sonorasirs.org. After the application is filled out, it is to be returned to George Cocores with a check for the amount stated on the application. George's address is 17595 Brentwood Ln. Twain Harte, CA 95383

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Chaplain - **Open at present**

Looking for a volunteer

DECLARATIONS

NON RESPONSIBILITY DECLARATION

All activities arranged for or by, Sons In Retirement, Incorporated, and its Branches, are for the convenience and pleasure of the members and their guests who desire to participate, Sons In Retirement, Incorporated, and its Branches do not assume any responsibility for the well being or safety of the participants or their property, in any matters pertaining to said activities (Rule 345).

Checks, money orders or credit cards for Travel for one day or less (no overnight), where a bus/busses is/are used as the primary means of transportation, may be made payable to the Branch sponsoring the event. All other checks, money orders or

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