

SONORA BRANCH #136 Next Branch Luncheon: Jan 14th

Social Hour starts at 11AM BEC meeting starts at 10AM in the small bar area.

<u>Luncheon Menu</u> Sirloin Tips, Noodles, Carrots, Green Salad, Roll, Chocolate Pudding

> Luncheon prices for 2020 \$15.00 for full lunch \$7.00 for salad only.





MEMBERSHIP MESSAGE LINE

If you are not able to attend the regular monthly meeting, or are bringing a Guest, please call the Membership Message Line at

536 - 6311

No Later Than Noon on the Sunday Before the Luncheon Meeting!

Leave a clear message with your NAME, BADGE #, and GUEST NAME; or the reason you will not be able to attend if applicable.

SONORA SIR BRANCH #136 January 2020 Bulletin

Website: sonorasirs.org



BIG SIR NOTES
Gene Zanoni - 532-1989

I wish to bestow a Happy Holiday Season to everyone. This is the time of year we generally set aside for providing opportunities for sharing time with family and friends for the purpose of spreading festive cheer. Such socialization customarily brings out the best in everyone. In addition, this period oftentimes allows us to pause and to ponder our past, our present as well as our future. Thus, perhaps leading to the self-imposing of resolutions in the hope of producing improvements in our personal lives.

The December Christmas Luncheon was a terrific success as determined by every disposable metric available. You may ask yourself the following question: what elements contributed in promoting this highly successful event? The answer in-part can be attributable to those special individuals that volunteered their time and energy to ensure the event would achieve a favorable outcome. I now wish to honor those individuals by way of their participation relating to their specific involvement: Nicole Hendrix, Nancy Lewis and Linda Toews (table centerpiece decorations); Ginny and Jim Johnson our State Secretary, Jim and Linda Rodrigues, Eddie and Linda Toews (setup committee): Jerry Bellefeuille and Rodger Swartz (check-in front table); Rick Bronner and Dale Decker our Area 5 Governor (entertainment both audio and visual); Stan Enos, Paul Durand, Bill Guenza, Scott Lewis, Chris Methot and Tom Neiderer (raffle activities). Certainly not to be overlooked was Jim Botto, our Big Sir, who made himself readily available to lend his customary support and guidance. In addition to these fine individuals, there were many gifted raffle prizes donated by our valued membership. The Black Oak Casino Resort donated the following gift coupons: 2-\$40 food vouchers and 2-\$25 free slot play. The Chicken Ranch Rancheria donated a beautifully arranged tribal gift basket, valued at \$200, appropriately called "A Taste of Jamestown." Its content included various items from different Jamestown businesses as well as \$75 worth of certificates redeemable at the Chicken Ranch Casino. A special prize consisting of a 50-inch TV, purchased by your SIR Branch #136, was won by Betty Miller as the result of a free drawing. Lastly, Dean "Dino" Papapetrou our caterer and his hard-working kitchen crew did a marvelous job in preparing a scrumptious luncheon. There were several awards that were presented during the Christmas Luncheon: firstly, Jim Botto was given the Big Sir Award for his extraordinary efforts associated with his tenure at this position; secondly, Danny Lauretta, our former Big Sir, was given the Rooster Booster award for his supreme efforts in bringing the greatest number of new members into our organization during 2019; thirdly, Steve Huff, our Bulletin chief, was given the Sir of the Year award for his excellent on-going services. There was even an award presented to Linda Botto, Jim Botto's charming wife, in the form of a dozen longstem roses as a display of our appreciation for her tolerance to Jim's commitments to our branch. The preceding awards were generated at the branch level, however, there was a lone award handed down from Mr. Ed Benson, the State President of the SONS IN RETIREMENT, INC. This coveted plaque was bestowed upon Jim Botto for special recognition and presented by Dale Decker, our Area 5 Governor. Congratulations Jim on this well-deserved prestigious honor.

SIR STATE OFFICERS

WWW.SITINC.org
PRESIDENT: Sir Ed Benson
VICE-PRESIDENT: Sir Jim Johnson
SECRETARY: Sir Stuart Williams
TREASURER: Sir Roy Hodgkinson
REGION 2 DIRECTOR
Sir Rick Kindle - Denair, Ca

AREA 5 GOVERNOR Sir Dale Decker, Sonora, CA

PAST BIG SIRS - BRANCH #136 SONORA

 1997 - Dave Holton
 1999 - Al Limon

 2000 - Bob Gibbs
 2002 - Jim Nuzum

 2003 - Dick Nutting
 2007 - Wil Reich

 2008- Roger Milligan
 2009 - Don Nilan

 2010 - Don Banchero
 2011 - Al Smith

 2015 - Jim Johnson
 2016 - Dale Decker

 2017 - Danny Laureta
 2018 - Paul Squeri

 2019 - Jim Botto

BRANCH #136 HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

Al Limon - Past Big SIR 2000 Frank Taylor - Treasurer 2001-2015 Jim Johnson—Past Big SIR 2015

DIRECTORY of OFFICERS

Big SIR: Gene Zanoni 532-1989 genevzanoni@gmail.com Little SIR: Paul Padavana 532-8051 paulp 57@yahoo.com Sec: Bill Burnes 533-4334 sonorabill401@gmail.com Asst. Sec: Dick Aberle 532-4066 raaberle2@sbcglobal.net Treas: Eddie 'Ed' Toews 532-3970 lcoinlady@aol.com Asst. Treas: Steve Aldridge 770-5287 stevealdr1147@gmail.com RAMP - Steve Aldridge 770-5287 Recruitment –Larry Matteson 408-691-9393 Activities - Bill Lobdell-586-7145 Member Relations - Phil Baylis-(510)552-7596 Publicity - OPEN

DIRECTORS Second Year

Bill Guenza 568-7088 Steve Huff 770-0678 Marty Martin 568-1886 George Cocords 456-9814

First Year

Phil Baylis (510) 552-7596 Chris Methot (408) 218-5221 Tom Neiderer (714) 886-8574

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN & CO-CHAIRMEN

Attendance Membership - George Cocores 456-9814 BEC Advisor - Al Limon 533-4544 Bowling - Steve Huff 770-0678 Branch Photographer - Steve Belochi 533-5315 Bulletin - Steve Huff 770-0678 Car Club - Rich Rinaldi 532-8366 Fishing - Chuck Simons -532-9550 Golf - Paul Padavana 532-8051 Tom Nischwitz 694-8624 Danny Laureta 586-4567 Honorary Life Membership - Al Limon 533-4944 Internet - Jerry Bellefeuille 533-3630 Asst Danny Laureta 586-4083 Kayaking/Hiking - Sol Robin 651-1054 Lunch Tickets - Roger Swartz 533-0376 Luncheon - Vacant Luncheon Drawing - Tom Neiderer 569-9003 Nominating Com. Chair. - Jim Botto 586-0822 Pinochle - Bob Morrison 588-0994 Poker - George Parsons 533-8637 Propane - Marty Martin 586-1886 R.V. Travel Group - Eddie Toews 532-3970 Senior Member Awards - Jim Johnson 536-1595

SIR Item Sales - Fred Kehr 785-4358 Sunshine - Chaplain - Steve Gregory 533-0309

Wine Tasting - Phil VanSwoll 532-1133

Travel - Vacant

SIR Mission Statement

To improve the lives of our members through fun activities and events - while making friends for life.



LITTLE SIR NOTES Paul Padavana 532-8051

Seeing this is my first newsletter article as Sonora SIRs 136 Little SIR I would like to start out by congratulating Gene Zanoni and the Special Events Committee for an outstanding 2019 Christmas Luncheon. It takes the effort of many members to make an event like this be a success and I can only hope this commitment will continue in the future. Again, good job to all who helped. I also hope everyone had a happy and safe holiday.

I would like to take this opportunity to let everyone know what experience I am bringing to this position so hopefully I can gain the confidence of everyone that I am qualified to be a benefit to this organization. Let me start out with a work ethic I have had all my life. "If you think you can be a benefit then get involved to make it happen". Back in the mid 70's I was the Golf Chairman for WESAN Golf Club (Western Electric San Leandro) where I organized and ran monthly golf tournaments from Monterey to Sonoma for eight years. In the mid 80's I was involved with the Castro Valley Independent Baseball League where I coached for four years and was the Junior Division Coordinator (13 teams) for approximately seven years. After taking a break from all the activity for a few years I again became involved with the Tri-Valley Classic Chevy Club where I was the newsletter editor for four years (and no, I have no intentions of assuming that job again). After moving to the Sonora area in 2004 I eventually met Danny Laureta and was asked to play as a guest in one of his golf tournaments. This led me to becoming a member of SIRs 136 and when Danny became Little SIR in 2016 he asked me if I would be Golf Chairman which I still am today.

Apparently some past Big SIRs saw something in me where I was considered to be Little SIR for 2020. Due to recent changes in my life I was reluctant to accept this position but with the support and encouragement from my wife I accepted the position. So now I begin my two year journey of hopefully fulfilling my duties to SIRs 136 and making it an enjoyable journey for all of the members. I urge all our members to give me any suggestions you may have in regards to luncheon speakers, event ideas, or anything to benefit our organization. You can contact me at (209) 532-8051 or e:mail at paulp_57@yahoo.com. Also if you think you can be a benefit, please get involved.

Awards, Achievements and Introductions presented at the Christmas Luncheon



Special Achievement to Jim Botto



2019 Rooster Booster to Danny Laureta



Introduction of 2020 BEC members



2019 SIR of the Year to Steve Huff



January Birthdays

* = 90 or older

Tucker, Keith		01/01
Grimm, Robert	(Bob)	01/02
LeLievre, Bill		01/02
Hamilton, Jame	s (Jim)	01/03
Lobdell, Bill		01/03
Bristow, John E		01/04
*Molinari, Mo		01/05
Boll, Edmund (Ed)	01/06
Payne, Donald	(Don)	01/08
Scialabba,Salva	dore (Steve)	01/08
Jeppson, David	(Dave)	01/10
Botto, James (Ji	im)	01/12
Bulich, Otto	ŕ	01/19
Parsons, George	e	01/20
Wallace, Jim		01/21
Robin, Solomor	n (Sol)	01/25
Dentino, Richar	, ,	01/26
Johnson, Jim	HLM	01/27

Luncheon and Special Event photos submitted by Steve Belochi (except as noted)





MEMBERSHIP REPORT

George Cocores - 456-9814 greekbeek1@aol.com

December Membership

Total Active Members	216
Luncheon Attendance ()	
Excused Absences ()	
Guests	

Note: No attendance info due to Christmas Luncheon

January Membership

November Active Membership	216
Applicants Being Installed	0
Active Members Dropped	0
Active Members Deceased	0
Active Members Transferred	-2
Active Membership Outlook	214

January 2020 Club and Committee Reports

CAR CLUB

CHAIRMAN: Rich Rinaldi - 532-8366 farmrich40@gmail.com

Season's Greetings to all our SIR Branch #136 car club participants! All has been quiet in the car garage save for the hum of the trickle charger keeping the battery of my GTO fully charged.....soon it will be January and time to start up those engines to circulate some oil into those sleepy pistons and valves. Maybe even a short trip around the block with an occasional "pop" on the gas pedal! I'm wishing all of you a great Happy New Year 2020! Rich "GTO" Rinaldi

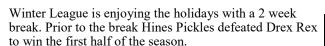
RV CLUB

CHAIRMAN: Eddie Toews 532-3970 lcoinlady@aol.com

The RV Club finished off a great year by having a wonderful Christmas Dinner at the Peppery Bar and Grill. I want to thank Steve & Carolynn Gregory and Jim & Ginny Johnson for all the work putting the outing together. This finished off our 2019 year and everyone is looking forward to getting started with our 2020 season in the spring. Everyone, have a great Christmas and New Year Holidays and drive safe on the roads. See you in the spring.

BOWLING

CHAIRMAN: Steve Huff 770-0678 shuff0531@gmail.com



Season to-date High scores are as follows:

High Scratch Game - Gene Deaver 255 High Scratch Series - Dave Rossi 665 High Hcp Game - Bert Abreo 275 High Hcp Series - Rich Rinaldi 733 Team High Scratch Game - Misfit's 768 Team High Scratch Series - Dennis's Gang 2244 Team High HDCP Game - The Wild Ones 819 Team High HDCP Series - Hines Pickles 2429



Thru 12/30	Win	Loss
HinesPickles	40	20
DrexWrex	38	22
No Excuses	33.5	26.5
Dennis's Gang	28	32
The Wild One's	27.5	32.5
Andy's Dandies	26	34
SS396	26	34
Misfits	25	35
Team 9	24	4

The 2020 season of SIR bowling Tournaments gets underway on Jan 21 & 22 at the Napa Bowl. February events include tournaments in Livermore (12th) and Concord (25th). There is 2 day event in Concord on March 17 & 18. I'm sure several of our members will be making the annual spring pilgrimage to Carson City April 13-16, for the tournament at Gold Dust West. Applications are available on the SIR State Bowling website http://www.sirinc3.org/sirBowling/index.html or at Black Oak Lanes during league play.



SUNSHINE CHAPLAIN Steve Gregory - 533-0309

Our sympathy goes to Stan Elam #200 and family who lost wife Pat Dec.24. May she Rest In Peace.

Wishing all members and their families a happy and blessed New Year.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

Applications for membership in Sonora SIR Branch #136 are to be obtained from the Membership Director at the monthly meetings, online at the Branch website, or by telephoning him at 456-9814. After the application is filled out, it is to be returned to **George Cocores**, along with a check for the amount stated on the application. George's address is 17595 Brentwood Ln, Twain Harte 95383.



INTERNET CHAIRMAN

Jerry Bellefeuille -533-3630 Asst- Danny Laureta—586-4083

Our Branch website is at **sonorasirs.org**. Here you will find our membership roster, bulletins past and present, activity schedules, BEC meeting minutes, a link to the state SIR website, a link to the SIR promotional video and more. Tell prospective members about our website and encourage them to watch the video. If your phone number or address has changed please let me know so I can update the roster on our website.



PINOCHLE

Chairman Bob Morrison - 588-0994 robert.mrrsn@yahoo.com



We need more players, so please join us for the perfect indoor sport: staying warm and playing pinochle. If you don't know how to play, we will teach you. You don't need to come every time but only when you want to. Your first two sessions are free, but thereafter you pay only \$3 at each session. (Where else can you have a fun afternoon so cheaply?) You will win \$10 if you score in the top 50% at the end of one of your free sessions. You will play with members from all three of our SIR branches. The two highest scoring players at the end of a session win cash prizes. We meet each Monday at the Senior Center, Room C, 540 Greenley Rd. We start playing at 1:00 P.M. and finish before 4:30 P.M. Some of us come earlier to have lunch between noon and 1:00 P.M. To have a lunch served by the Senior Center, you must be seated at a table in the lunch room by noon. Or you can bring your own lunch and have it in either the lunch room or Room B. For more information, please call me.

The three adjacent tables show our scores for the pinochle sessions in December. The first one lists for each player the average of the scores for the sessions he played. The second lists the first place winner and his score for each week. The third lists the average score of each SIR branch for the <u>year</u> through December.

December 2019					
Player	Branch	Average			
4 Monday S	Session Pla	yers			
Tom Long 136 436					
Harold Basey	77	267			
Sonny Tome	77	248			
John White	136	244			
Del Rotelli	77	243			
John Salmon	136	219			
Bob Morrison	136	215			
3 Monday S	Session Pla	iyers			
Jerry Kopyn	172	337			
Roland Patton 172 300					
Bill Lewis 172 244		244			
Dave Goldemberg 172 224		224			
Jim Turner	136	199			
2 Monday Session Players					
Art Bartee	172	315			
Jerry Morrow	172	299			
Bill Burnes	136	254			
Henry Beltran	231				

Weekly First Place Winners				
Week Player Score Branch				
1	Art Bartee	416	172	
2	Tom Long	432	136	
3	Tom Long	575	136	
4	Tom Long	372	136	

SIR vs SIR vs SIR				
Branch Average Scores Jan thru Dec				
Branch Average Score				
172	277			
136	238			
77	233			



BULLETIN INPUT NOTICE

Steve Huff Editor - 770-0678 Asst. Jerry Bellefeuille 533-3630

I want to thank the committee chairmen who send in their reports to me on or before the deadline. When you write your report please use Times New Roman 10 font and No Spacing. Please send all bulletin input to Steve Huff at: shuff0531@gmail.com

Deadline to submit reports for the February bulletin is: Weds, Jan 29

Bulletin Mailing Update

In November, Branch 136 members who get their monthly bulletin via mail started to receive it in an envelope instead of folded and stapled. So far there have only been positive reviews to this change. This change reaffirms that the most common sense approach to change usually results in the best and cheapest method for the future.

Please advise Jerry Bellefeuille or Steve Huff if you have not received your bulletin by the monthly luncheon.



January 2020 Club and Committee Reports (cont'd)

Luncheon prices for 2020 will be \$15.00 for the full lunch, or \$7.00 if you are having salad only. A fish option will be available for regular monthly luncheons. See menu for details.

Luncheon Ticket Drawings

Don't forget the luncheon ticket drawings. Proceeds help with making our three special events more successful (Ladies Day, Family Picnic, and Christmas). Just look for Tom Neiderer coming your way during the Social Hour and just prior to the Luncheon meeting starting.

Immediate Job Opening: 8 to 10 hrs per month, free training and software, pay on par with the highest paid BEC members. Work the hours you want with great perks.

Requirements for you: Laptop or PC, internet access, computer skills (email, word processing and spreadsheet). Desire to inform others and be part of a team.

Position could be shared by multiple people.

Contact Jim Botto to learn more.

SIR Happenings

Read the SIR statewide newsletter for informative articles from other SIR branches at the following site: http://sirinc.org/sirhappenings/.

DECLARATIONS: NON RESPONSIBILITY DECLARATION

All travel and other events/activities arranged for or sponsored by SIR, Inc. and its Branches are for the convenience and pleasure of the members of SIR and their guests who desire to participate. SIR, Inc. and its Branches do not assume any responsibility for the well-being or safety of the participants or passengers or their property whatsoever, in any matters pertaining to said events/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 credit cards for travel must be made payable to the travel agency (Rule 429 & 421).

GOLF Joint Br. 136 & Br. 77 Golf Committee

CHAIRMAN: Paul Padavana 532-8051 Asst: Danny Laureta 586-4567



Well, another year has come and gone so it's time to get ready to hit the fairways. I am hoping everyone had a happy and safe holiday season. I will be sending out the 2020 golfing schedule via e:mail very soon. As noted in the December article we will be starting our season in March. I will have hard copies of the schedule available to anyone who does not have access to the files or the ability to print them. Besides our regular games held at Teleli Golf Club there are three tournaments scheduled as away games. They are Greenhorn Creek, Castle Oaks, and Pine Mountain Lake. See you all on the course soon.

FISHING

CHAIRMAN: Chuck Simons - 532-9550 simons4890@yahoo.com

No fishing Report this month.

KAYAKING/EASY HIKING

CHAIRMAN: Sol Robin 651-1054 solhomes@sbcglobal.net

No Kayaking or Easy Hiking Report this month

Editor's Note:

I believe the greatest honor in a man's life is to be loved and appreciated by his family. The next highest honor is to be appreciated by one's peers. It was a complete surprise and humbling experience to be recognized by Branch 136 as "SIR of the Year" for 2019. I sincerely wish to thank those individuals responsible for considering me for the award. But, if you think for a minute, this prestigious award will make me reconsider my move to Florida, you are sorely mistaken. Thanks

2020 DUES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE AS OF JANUARY 2020

DUES ARE \$25.00

DUES WILL BE DELINQUENT AFTER FEBRUARY 11, 2020

To Pay Dues, Contact Eddie Toews at the Luncheon

Sonora SIR Branch 136 Christmas Luncheon





















































	SIR Area 5 - C	ombined Group Ac	tivities for 2019)
Branch 77 a	s of - 6/22/2019 (<u>C)</u> =A	ctivity <u>C</u> hairman or. (<u>L)</u> =B	Branch <u>L</u> iaison)	-
Branch Big Sir	Donald Ronalter 984-9383	Jim Botto 586-0822	Brian Raley 795-2876	Dick Chimenti 677-7070
Branch Activity Director	George Kellerman 533-9083	Bill Lobdell 586-1754		
Available Activities:	Branch 77-Sierra	Branch 136-Sonora	Branch 152-Arnold	Branch 172-Twain Harte
Biking	See Branch 172	See Branch 172	See Branch 172	(L)Steve Happel 532-7240
Bocce Ball	See Branch 136	Jerry Stefan 925-570-5512	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Bowling	(L)Larry Lund 586-2276	(C)Steve Huff 770-0678	See Branch 136 & 77	See Branch 136 & 77
Car Club	See Branch 136	(C)Rich Rinaldi 532-8366	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Fishing	See Branch 136	(C)Chuck Simons 532-9550	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Golf	(L)Kent Kirkland 532-3435	(C)Paul Padavana 532-8051	See Branch 136	(C)Doug Peters 532-3739
Golf 1st Tuesday	See Branch 136	Danny Laureta 586-4567	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Golf Advisor	See Branch 136	Danny Laureta 586-4567	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Golf Handicap	See Branch 136	Tom Nischwitz 694-8624	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Golf Tournaments	See Branch 136	Paul Padavana 532-8051	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Hiking	Hiking (C)Mike Clay 588-1345 See Branch 77 See Branch 77 (C)Pete H		(C)Pete Hadell 586-3187	
Horseshoes	See Branch 172	See Branch 172	See Branch 172	(L)Cas Munoz 536-4044
Kayak	See Branch 136 & 172	(C)Sol Robin 651-1054	See Branch 136 & 172	(C)Dave Kenney davehikes98@sbcglobal.net
Pinochle	See Branch 136	(C)Bob Morrison 588-0995	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Poker	See Branch 136	(C)George Parsons 533-8637	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
RV Travel	See Branch 136	(C)Ed Toews 532-3970	See Branch 136 & 172	Jerry Morrow 586-2979
Theatre	See Branch 172	See Branch 172	See Branch 172	(C)Sprague Edwards 586-281
Wine Tasting	See Branch 136	(C)Phil VanSwoll 532-1133	See Branch 136	See Branch 136
Woodworking			Dick Watson 795-6031	

Last update: 8/29/2019

2020 DUES

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AFTER FEBRUARY 11, 2020

If not paid by February 24, 2020
Your name will appear in the
March Bulletin

Pay dues to Eddie Toews, Treasurer.

Thank You, Eddie Toews, Treasurer.

2020 LUNCHEON MENU

SONORA SIR—BRANCH 136

All Tuesday luncheons include Green Salad, Roll & Butter, and Coffee

Price is \$15.00 for full luncheon or \$7.00 for Salad Only (except as noted*)
January 14 Sirloin Tips, Noodles, Carrots, Chocolate Pudding
February 11 Roast Pork & Applesauce, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Cookies
March 10 Corned Beef & Cabbage, Diced Red Potatoes, Carrots, Cake
April 14 Swiss Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Sherbet
May 12* Lady's Day Luncheon – Special Menu and price
June 9 Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Strawberry Shortcake
<u>July 14</u> Country Pork Ribs, Mashed potatoes, Brown Gravy, Corn, Vanilla Pudding
August 11* Family Day Picnic – Menu, location, and price to be announced
September 8 Chicken Cordon Bleu, Rice Pilaf, Peas, Chocolate Pudding
October 13 Sirloin Steak, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Peach Cobbler
November 10 Roast Turkey, Stuffing & Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Buttered Corn, Candied Yams, Pumpkin Pie
<u>December 8*</u> Christmas Luncheon – Special Menu and price
A fish option is available for each month's luncheon, only if Dean's Catering is notified prior to the luncheon.
If you want the fish option you must notify <u>TBA</u> @ <u>TBA</u> at least <u>TBA</u> days before the luncheon.



Post this page on your refrigerator for year-round easy reference

January 2020 Sonora SIR Branch 136 Activity Calendar Contact Committee Chairman for activity details

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Pinochle-Senior Ctr Bowling - Black Oak	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Pinochle Senior Ctr Bowling - Black Oak	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Pinochle–Senior Ctr Bowling - Black Oak	21 Bowling - Napa	22 Bowling- Napa	23	24	25
26	27 Pinochle-Senior Ctr Bowling - Black Oak	28	29 Bulletin Reports Due	30	31	

Merchandise Sale

Your Board of Directors has decided to sell our Polo Shirts and Sweatshirts on hand at half price to move the inventory. Baseball Caps will be \$12 each.

We have Polo Shirts ranging from medium to 2XL in various colors in stock. Sweatshirts are available in medium and large in select colors.

Stop by the merchandise table to pick up your bargain piece!

Announcement

We will be changing the way we are selling merchandise. Rather than having inventory on hand, we will periodically, every three (3) months, or so, query the membership for orders and place them collectively to avoid the expensive single order option.

In addition, we will have the Merchandise Order Form in the newsletter and you can either bring the Form to the meeting and give it to me, or you can contact me as shown on the Form. You will have to pay for the order before it is placed with the vendor.

If you have any further questions, don't hesitate to contact me either in person at the meeting or by telephone or e-mail.

Your SIR Item Sales Director, Fred Kehr