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August 2011

NEXT MEETING**Wednesday, August 17.****I.F.E.S. Hall, 432 Stierlin Rd., Mtn. View.**

Social Hour 11 a.m. – Lunch 12 p.m.

Please, **IF BRINGING A GUEST OR
NOT ATTENDING!**

**CALL 650-823-0702 or E-MAIL [sir35notify\(at\)gmail.com](mailto:sir35notify(at)gmail.com)
by SUNDAY, August 14 (leave name and badge #)**

Thanks --- we need this information **early!**

PROGRAM

Speaker – Theo Palmer, PhD, Associate Professor, Neurosurgery, Stanford Institute for Stem Cell Biology and Regenerative Medicine.

Topic - Parkinson's Disease in a Petri Dish: Using Stem Cells to Understand and Treat Neurological Disease.

Recent advances in stem cell research now allow scientists to reprogram skin cells to become nerve cells. When isolated from a patient with neurodegenerative disease, these nerve cells faithfully reproduce key features of the disease. Dr. Palmer will describe the emerging technologies that are used to understand and treat Parkinson's disease.



Dr. Palmer's translational research investigates the role of stem cells in the normal and diseased brain. He uses several stem cell models, including embryonic, fetal, and adult brain stem cells. Stem cells in the brain, *i.e.* neural stem cells, produce new nerve cells throughout adult life. However, this process of neurogenesis is limited to specific regions; it does not repair large injuries nor keep pace with serious degenerative diseases, such as Parkinson's or Alzheimer's disease. Dr. Palmer is studying the molecules that control neural stem cell activity to determine if they might be used to improve the brain's intrinsic ability for self repair. He aims to find interventions that would promote the production of replacement nerve cells, so that stem cells can be used to augment or repair an injured or diseased nervous system. The ultimate goal of Dr. Palmer's work is extrapolate findings from the Petri dish into mice, primates, and then humans, resulting in well-validated and safe stem cell therapies that ameliorate the devastating effects of disease or injury.

Dr. Palmer received his PhD from the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center at the University of Washington in Seattle. He did his post-doctoral work at the Salk Institute in La Jolla, CA. He joined the faculty at Stanford in 2000.

\$19 MENU \$19**Baked Ham or Baked Fish,****Au Gratin Potatoes, Rice and Mixed Vegetables,****Salad, Rolls, Dessert, & Coffee.**

Vegetarian by Reservation Only.

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Results of the July Picnic/BBQ: On a perfect day for such an event, 208 members and guests gathered at our meeting site to enjoy an outstanding picnic. Of course this did not happen without significant contributions from a number of members. Those deserving our special thanks include: **Creed Morgan** (speaker arrangements), **Mike McCord** (advance and on-site registrations), **Peter Barba** (name tags), **Howard Nelson** (financial support), **Terry Barnhart** (Caterer and Hall arrangements), **Carl Moyer**, assisted by **Al Lokker**, **Don Holmes** and **Richard James** (audio-visual), **Terry Hayes** (solo introduction to "God Bless America"), **Annette Boyenga** (piano accompaniment) and our Caterer, **Juan Aguilar** and his team.

First-Half-Year Reports: By July 1, we added 33 new active members to our branch. That raises our current total membership to 392, which approaches our historic high of 398 in May, 1991. At the current rate of membership increase, we should exceed our goal of 35 additions for the year. Our guest attendance this year to date has been 40. This has been achieved owing to the diligent efforts of our members and the leadership of our Membership Director, **Arden Anderson**, supported by his Assistant, **Bill Hall**.

On the financial side, careful control of costs and close matching between luncheon revenue and costs each month have enabled the branch to keep its General Account Reserve Fund nearly equal to that at the end of last year. Should you wish more information on our finances, please contact our Treasurer, **Howard Nelson**.

Car Pooling/Park & Ride: Last month in this column I outlined our need for increased car pooling and the benefits of doing it. While we will work with the new tenant of the smaller hall connected to ours (Hall #2) to seek a change in their use time on site so as to avoid the need for additional parking spaces, we still must increase both car pooling and park & ride alternatives in order to accommodate membership growth and convenience. Under the leadership of our Webmaster, **Skip Ross**, good progress has been made toward providing participating members with a Google map of all nearby members to their residences to help in forming car pools. Further, a park & ride concept is in the process of preparation so members can meet at three suggested peninsula locations (north, central and south), park their cars and ride with a driver to and from the meeting. More news on these tools will be provided in the coming months.

Information Request Form: While some members have filled out the form, many more need to do so to help us better plan for our future. There are only 8 questions. It takes just a few minutes to complete. For your convenience, you can access the online form at: http://closereach.com/survey/survey.php?s_id=3

John

ROSTER CHANGES

Active Members: 392

Net Monthly Change: 0

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AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Larry Bjork	Bill Kull	Carl Plescia
Ed Blackwell	John Lehner	Roy Presley
Boo Bue	John Mason	John Rinehart
Fred Cope III	Dan McBrady	Stan Scardino
Larry Dike	Paul McGrew	Bill Scharfen
Jack Dyer	Mike Naughton	Vern Schmidt
Herb Fischgrund	Walt Neal	Dave Squellati
Ed Ford	Chuck Nile	Mark Temme
Wayne Grove	Dave Ogle	Ken Thompson
Victor Jeworski	Jerry Ososkie	Dick Treakle
Ken Jones	Dick Peacock	Pete Valenti
Dick Kopeck	Glen Pedigo	Bill Webster

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES: 10+ YEARS

Jack Brownson	16	Ed Pausa	11
Jim Dinkey	11	Jack Wylie	11
Dennis McFerran	11		

BIKING

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2nd Thursday, August 11, 11:00 a.m. Wives and guests welcome. **RAIN CANCELS. HELMET REQUIRED.**

Ride - Mountain View to Alviso (New Ride). We will begin the ride at the La Avenida Trailhead and follow the Stevens Creek Trail for 1.5 miles to where it connects with the Bay Trail. We will continue the ride 3.5 miles on the levees and old service roads as we cross the waters north of Moffett Field. **(Note: This portion of the Bay Trail has a packed gravel surface and is a little bumpy in places)** We will then head for Sunnyvale Baylands Park. We will follow the trail through the park and then on to downtown Alviso, where we will have lunch at a restaurant. The ride is 9.5 miles one way. We will return on the same route for a round-trip of 19 miles. There are no optional shortcuts.

Directions - Meet at the La Avenida Trailhead at end of La Avenida Ave. To get there from the intersection of Hwy 101 and Shoreline Blvd. then head north on Shoreline Blvd. toward the Computer Museum. La Avenida is the first street on the right but it is a one-way street there so you must go past the Computer Museum to Pear Ave. and then turn right. Turn right again on the next street which is Ingo Way. Then turn left on La Avenida. (It is a two-way street there). Go four blocks to the end of the street and park on the street, next to the curb.

If you plan to ride or have questions, contact Jerry Butler, (650-494-8078) GXB366@aol.com or Karl Reseck, (650-941-8837) karl.reseck@stanfordalumni.org.

THEME TABLES

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During the social hour before every Luncheon, 11:00 a.m.

The August Theme Table topic will be Genealogy. This will be the first meeting of what may become a permanent group. At this meeting we will get acquainted and learn about our combined expertise in searching for our ancestors. If there is interest, we will have a future meeting with a speaker who is an expert at ancestry research. Please RSVP so we can plan table space.

Future Theme Tables – We are looking for topics for September and October. Please send your suggestions, data and reservation request to gikisben@yahoo.com or call 650-948-9523.

TRAIL BIRDS

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Parody Writers: George Fullmer, Duncan MacVicar, Bob Simon

Accompanist: Annette Boyenga

Rehearsals: 2nd Wednesdays, August 10, 10:00 a.m. in the Choir Room, Los Altos Methodist Church

Pre-Meeting Rehearsal – August 17, 11:00 a.m., IFES Hall.

The musical introduction to the August speaker will be written by Bob Simon.

All are welcome to join our singing.

TENNIS

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Every Monday and Thursday starting at 8:00 a.m. at the Rinconada Park Courts – Located on Hopkins Avenue off Newell near Embarcadero Road, Palo Alto.

BOOK SWAP

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During the social hour before every Luncheon, 11:00 a.m.

Bring a few and take a few – FREE! After the meeting, residuals go to “Friends of the Library.”

This Month's Featured Author: Douglas Preston has coauthored many Pendergast novels with Lincoln Child. Their first novel, *Relic*, was made into a movie by Paramount Pictures.

SIR Branch 35 Book Reviews - Many members of SIR Branch 35 are avid readers and enjoy sharing information about favorite books. Part of the SIR35 web site provides a means for such sharing. You may participate in two ways: by contributing reviews of books you have enjoyed and want to recommend, and by reading reviews by others. To participate, go to <http://closereach.com/sir/reviews35.html>.



Well, they promised to run the government like a business!

COMPU SIR

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2nd Wednesdays, August 10, 2011, 12:30 p.m. at the Palo Alto Elks Lodge, 4249 El Camino Real, Palo Alto, CA 94306.

Topic - How, When, Why, Where, Etc., Do I _____ ?

Speaker - CompuSIR's Own Experts—And YOU!

Do you have computer questions about topics not usually addressed during our monthly meetings? This is your chance to have your questions answered by CompuSIR experts who are experienced in many areas. You may even find that you have knowledge or insight to share. This will primarily be an audience-directed event.

Some Caveats:

- This event is intended to be for information-sharing, not to stump the experts.
- This event is intended to be participatory. If you find you have expertise or experience worth sharing please do so—either as part of the event or afterward.
- There are second chances. This event is intended to be the first of two (the next to be in September).

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Contact Skip Ross to join an e-mail group where SIR members in all branches can exchange Mac-related news, get answers to questions and share experiences.

HIKING

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4th Friday, August 26, 2011 at 9:30 a.m. Wives & Guests welcome! RAIN CANCELS

Location - Big Basin State Park, Santa Cruz County. Meet in the main parking lot inside the park.

Driving Directions - Take Highway 9 (Big Basin Way) from the town of Saratoga up to Skyline at Saratoga Gap and then 6 more miles to Highway 236. Take Highway 236 about 12 miles to the Park Headquarters (Caution, this last 12 miles is a narrow and winding road.) Parking is on your right as you reach the Headquarters building, just beyond the kiosk. Driving time will be about 60 minutes from your house.

Hike - We will hike 7.0 miles (round trip) with an elevation gain of 600 feet. The trails are in the redwoods and we will hike along Opal and Blooms Creeks. Also, we will stop at the Sempervirens Falls on our return to Park Headquarters. This should be a cool and shady hike for August. Bathrooms are available at the trailhead.

Lunch - Bring a lunch or snack and water.

Caution - Wear layered clothing appropriate for the weather. Hiking boots are recommended.

Fees - State Park fee of \$9.00 or a State Park Annual Pass is required for each car.

TRAVEL

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Now is the best opportunity to plan for an exciting travel excursion in 2012!

Here are two recently organized and outstanding offerings. The second is so new that it will only be listed for the first time in the August Travel Bulletin.

April 9 to 26, 2012: Yangtze River Cruise and Tibet via the World's Highest Railway. Fly from San Francisco to Hong Kong and visit Hong Kong, Shanghai, Yichang; take a four day Yangtze River Cruise to the Xi'ling Gorge, Three Gorges Dam, Wu Gorge, Lesser Three Gorges of Daning River, Qutang Gorge, Fengdu Snow Jade Cave, and Chongqing. Then fly to Lhasa for three days of touring Tibet and ride the Tibet Express train (around 23 hours) to Xi'ning for a 1½ day visit, continuing on to Beijing for two days including visits to the Great Wall and the Summer Palace, before returning to San Francisco. The trip includes many other sights fully described in the brochure. The cost is \$5191 double occupancy (single occ. \$6291), which includes home pick-up, all transfers, air travel, accommodations for 16 nights, 41 meals, taxes, China visa fees, gratuities and a pre-trip orientation. For more details, contact escorts Neil Jameson at 1-831-336-2476 or Wayne Dawson at 1-408-972-1054.

Sept. 20 to Oct. 3, 2012: Paris, Rhone River Cruise, and Provence. See France at its scenic best. Fly from San Francisco to Marseille and transfer to the River Royale for 8 days of cruising the Rhone River from Arles in Provence and up through the Burgundy Region to Chalon-sur-Saone. The cruise includes stops in Arles, Avignon, Viviers, Tournon, Lyon, and Chalon-sur-Saone. Day trips at each stop are included. From Chalon-sur-Saone, travel to Paris by the TGV (Bullet Train) for a 5-night stay. Guided sightseeing acquaints you with vibrant Paris and includes a guided tour of the Castle and Gardens of Versailles and a full-day guided tour of Paris highlighted by the Louvre, the Cathedral of Notre Dame, the Arc de Triomphe, the Opera, the Madeleine, the Champ Elyses, and the Eiffel Tower. The costs, which range from \$5500 to \$6500, include home pick-up, all transfers, air travel, accommodations, taxes, all cruise meals, all land breakfasts, 1 land cruise dinner, gratuities and a pre-trip orientation. For more details, contact escorts Jim Hohenshelt at 1-408-394-7226 or Roy Jordan at 1-408-733-8765.

For more information on other SIR travel events see our August Travel Bulletin available at the luncheon Travel Table or on our Branch 35 website <http://www.closereach.com/sir/newsletters/travel1108.pdf>



GOLF

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(Golf Committee members are listed on page 7 in the Membership Roster.)

SIGN-UP at the August 17 Luncheon for the following:

Boulder Creek (BCR) (Prize)	Thu Sep 1	10:00	\$32
Naughton/Pittman 408-257-3597			
Summitpointe (SMP) (Cart)	Thu Sep 8	9:30	\$40
4 Man Scramble - Mixer Garten/Squellati 408-253-5860			
Hiddenbrooke (HID) (Cart, Range)	Thu Sep 15	10:00	\$55
Mattson/Larson 650-949-3739			
Pacific Grove (PGR) (Cart, Prize)	Mon Sep 19	10:06	\$70
Jonekait/Bailey 650-965-9786			
Poppy Hills (PPH) (Cart)	Tue Sep 20	10:00	\$60
Wives, etc. included Cooke/Dixon 408-997-0511			
Seascape (SCP) (Cart)	Mon Sep 26	10:00	\$50
Dixon/Garten 408-739-5137			
Dublin Ranch (DRN) (Cart)	Thu Sep 29	9:00	\$43
Taboada/Nakamoto 925-785-4318			

Sunnyvale		June 27						
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	FLT 3	NET	FLT 4	NET	Prize
Lau Ron	71	Sauer Ken	59	Griffin Neville	67	Hughey	69	\$22
Wilson Dick	71	Barkey Stan	64	Feild Dave	69	Gikis Benjamin	70	\$17
Dixon Harvey	71	Firpo Bruce	65	Parra Al	69	Wong John	73	\$11
Petersen Herb	71	Edwards Gary	66	Larson Gary	69	McFerran D	73	\$6

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Masters Bill	6-2	Firpo Bruce	22-9	Dinkey Jim	43-4	Ogle Dave	10-4	2GB
Wilson Dick	25-6	Squellati D	26-0	Holman Jim	44-0			1GB
Petersen Herb	30-1							1GB

Low Gross: Ken Sauer 85

Wente		June 30			
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	PRIZE	
Bailey Larry	64	Hardy Brian	76	\$24	
Jonekait Jay	65	Newton Ken	77	\$19	
Fair Boyd	68	Larson Gary	77	\$14	
Schlatter Jim	71	Varozza Joe	78	\$9	

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Nakamoto Ron	13-2	Barnhart T	25-6	2GB
Wilson Dick	16-10	Walker D	31-3	1GB

Low Gross: Larry Bailey & Jay Jonekait 80

San Jose Muni		July 7							
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	FLT 3	NET	FLT 4	NET	FLT 5	NET Prize
Jonekait J	61	Thomson I	64	Feild D	66	Varozza	58	McFerran	67 \$19
Garten B	65	Mattson D	67	Griffin N	67	Holman	63	Parra Al	68 \$15
Cooke G	67	Jones Ken	69	Pittman	67	Barnhart	66	Ogle Dave	73 \$9
Taboada	70	Dixon H	69	Edwards	68	Denery	68	Gikis Ben	76 \$5

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Cooper J	13-6	Fair Boyd	2-3	Newton K	10-1	Denery D	17-8	Gikis Ben	40-1 2GB
Cooke G	25-9	Wilson D	16-1	Grace R	15-3	Hardy B	33-4	McQuiston	48-8 1GB

Low Gross: Jay Jonekait 75

Poplar Creek		July 11						
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	FLT 3	NET	FLT 4	NET	Prize
Wilson Dick	68	Pittman Robert	67	Simpson	65	Wong John	63	\$20*
Cooke George	71	Newton Ken	68	Feild Dave	66	Parra Al	71	\$23*
Naughton	72	Squellati David	68	Varozza Joe	67	Ogle Dave	71	\$19*
Nakamoto Ron	73	Grace Ron	68	Barnhart Terry	67	Machado Paul	75	\$15*

(* All Prizes in GC's. 1st's also receive \$8 cash.)

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Taboada T	16-6	Sauer Ken	25-1	Parra Al	18-7	2GB
Lau Ron	18-6					1GB
Garten Bob	25-9					1GB
Reis Ron	31-6					1GB

Low Gross: Dick Wilson & George Cooke 85**Lake Chabot****July 14**

FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	PRIZE
Garten Bob	64	Varozza Joe	61	\$22
Cleveland Bill	66	Newton Ken	68	\$16
Wilson Dick	67	McFerran Dennis	68	\$11
Bailey Larry	68	Ogle Dave	68	\$7

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Garten Bob	12-6	2GB
Chapin John	16-6	1GB
Nakamoto Ron	19-9	1GB

Low Gross: Bob Garten 79**Seascape (2 Man Matches)****July 18**

Player 1		Player 2	Match Score	PRIZE
Chapin John	+	Wilson Dick	3-0	\$15 each
Schwalbach F	+	Squellati D	3-0	\$15 each
Hardy Brian	+	Gikis Ben	3-0	\$15 each
Perl John	+	Nakamoto Ron	2-1	\$15 each
MacIntosh Joe	+	McNamara B	2-1	\$15 each
Young Bill	+	Kopeck Dick	2-1	\$15 each

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Garten Bob	10-7	Roellig Chuck	21-9	Dunlap Roger	24-2	2GB
Chapin John	18-9	Wehrman Milt	22-2	Barnhart Terry	25-2	1GB

Low Gross: George Cooke 86**Spring Hills****July 21**

FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	FLT 3	NET	PRIZE
Thomson Ian	75	MacIntosh Joe	72	McFerran D	72	\$20
Mattson Don	75	Nelson Howard	73	Gikis Benjamin	75	\$14
Nakamoto Ron	77	Dinkey Jim	78	Hardy Brian	78	\$9
Jones Ken	77	Barnhart Terry	80	Parra Al	81	\$5

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Thomson Ian	19-0	Barnhart Terry	7-5	2GB
Perl John	22-8	Dinkey Jim	10-5	1GB
Cleveland Bill	22-11	Shigemoto F	41-2	1GB

Low Gross: Ken Jones, Bill Cleveland & George Cooke 96**Mare Island****July 25**

FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	PRIZE
Wilson Dick	70	Spindt Capp	61	\$18
Mattson Don	75	Varozza Joe	67	\$14
Dixon Harvey	76	Gikis Benjamin	67	\$9
Thomson Ian	77	Hardy Brian	71	\$5

Closest-to-Pin Contest:

Mattson Don	13-9	Hardy Brian	8-4	2GB
Thomson Ian	16-10	Varozza Joe	13-7	1GB

Low Gross: Dick Wilson 89**BOWLING**

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Prizes: Roy Robinson

Every Tuesday - Homestead Lanes, Homestead & Stelling, Sunnyvale.
Play starts at 1:00 p.m. Practice lanes are available at 12:50 p.m.**Join us for the Spring/Summer Tournament.** We bowl on a handicap system, so all bowlers have an equal chance of winning the team and individual prizes. Each season, teams are revised and always have a cross section of bowlers by ability. If you're new, it is easier if you call Art in advance so we will be prepared.**Tournament High Scores through July 12****Highest "3 Game Series"**Tim Eastham: 602
Chuck Huff: 547
Dennis McFerran: 502**Highest Game**John Snyder: 263
Fred Schwalbach: 203
Earl Pampeyan: 192**Highest Handicap "3 Game Series"**Roy Robinson: 709
Jerry Ososkie: 661
Jerry Coe: 653**Highest Handicap Game**Arnie Satterlee: 269
Bob Taggart: 269
Bill Nye: 236

Each bowler is listed only once above, and only in the category where he has the highest ranking.

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SIR Branch 35 Activities - August 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Laguna Seca 10:00 a.m.	2 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	3	4 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	5	6
7	8 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Willow park 10:00 a.m.	9 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	10 Trail Birds 10:00 a.m. CompuSIR 12:30 p.m.	11 Biking 11:00 a.m. Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Palo Alto 9:36 a.m.	12	13
14	15 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	16 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	17 Social Hour 11:00 a.m. Trail Birds Rehearsal Theme Tables Book Swap Luncheon 12:00 p.m.	18 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Santa Teresa 11:00 a.m.	19	20
21	22 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Metropolitan 9:30 a.m.	23 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	24 Trail Tips Deadline	25 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Ridgemark 9:57 a.m.	26 Hiking 9:30 a.m.	27
28	29 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf - Rancho Canada 10:00 a.m.	30 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	31			



Trail Tips

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Next Meeting
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