

TRAIL TIPS

Sons in Retirement, Inc.

Mission Trail Branch 35

Los Altos, California

Branch 35 web site: www.sir35.org

November/December 2013

– NEXT MEETING –

3rd Wednesday, November 20
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@gmail.com

by SUNDAY, November 17 (Leave name and badge #)

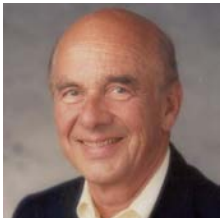
PROGRAM

Speaker: William A. Sadler, Ph.D

Topic: Principals of Positive Aging

We will live an average of thirty years longer than our forebears of 1900. This is our “30-year life bonus” called the Third Age – a new period of life not possible for previous generations.

What will you do in your third age?



Since receiving his doctorate from Harvard University, Bill has been a professor, senior administrator, author, consultant, and community leader. Author of six books, his *The Third Age: Six Principles of Growth and Renewal after Forty* led to the formation of The Center for Third Age Leadership. Based on a major study of the unfolding lives of a select group of men and

women (from mid-forties to eighties), *The Third Age* shares their collective wisdom and illustrates how we can creatively redesign our lives in anticipation of and through our added years. His follow-up book with co-author James Krefft, Ph.D. is based on twenty-five years of research: *Changing Course: Navigating Life after Fifty*. In addition to his writing he has been a principal speaker at regional, national, and international conferences on positive aging.

Bill has been Professor of Sociology and Business at Holy Names University in Oakland for over twenty years, where he still teaches MBA leadership courses. He and his wife, Sallie, reside half the year in Oakland, the other half on the Maine coast.

“Aging is not what it used to be.”

“Old is much younger than we thought it would be”.

\$19 NOVEMBER HOT-PLATE MENU \$19

Sirloin Tips and Rosemary Chicken
 Noodles, Rice, Medley Vegetables
 Cake and Coffee

To reserve a vegetarian meal, contact Terry Barnhart at
 408-738-0891 or terry.b2007@sbcglobal.net

RESERVE YOUR PLACE AT THE HOLIDAY PARTY

Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2013

Details are on the reservation form enclosed and attached.
 Submit a reservation for up to eight companions at your table
 before Thursday, December 5th.

The Big Sir Says . . .

Fall is upon us with its colors and faint feelings of nostalgia for the recent and past summers. November brings Thanksgiving – perhaps the best and least stressful holiday of them all in that what we do is gather together to say “thank you” for all the gifts and blessings that have come our way – without a wagon load of presents.

December will conclude my time as Big Sir so I give thanks to all of the members of the Branch Executive Committee. Working with them has been a pleasure and a revelation of the myriad of mostly small, but important, issues they deal with so efficiently. And also thanks to the new BEC members for stepping up for next year – we’re in good hands.

No expression of thanks within Branch 35 could be complete without recognizing all the activity chairmen and doers of the various activities that most of us participate in. There are dozens of them that plan, organize, conduct and report on these activities without asking for, nor getting, recognition. When participating we should all take a moment to say “thanks” to whoever made it happen.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the November luncheon and the December Holiday party. And I look forward to a grand and happy New Year.

Joe

HELP WANTED!! See Page 4

\$19 NOVEMBER COLD-PLATE-PLUS MENU \$19

Chicken Salad on Croissant
 Beef Barley Soup, Mixed Green Salad
 Mixed Fruit, Cookies and Juice

To reserve this meal, you must call 650-823-0702
 or e-mail sir35notify@gmail.com by **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17.**

ROSTER CHANGES

Active Members: 386
Net Monthly Change: 0

NEW MEMBERS

Leonard Chan (Mabel)	650-949-1340
348 Toyon Avenue	lchan880@sbcglobal.net
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Golf, Travel	
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PHONE CHANGE

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NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Ian Band	Alan Gaudie	Jim Reed
Stan Barkey	Rod Hall	Karl Reseck
Don Boeckling	John Hannigan Jr.	Don Rhodes
Bill Bryson	Bob Hansen	Jim Sandstrom
Bob Burton	Brian Hardy	Tom Slappendel
Doug Carothers	Howard Harton	Ron Stefani
Wayne Christenson	Mike Hurley	Steve Stone
Bill Cleveland	Cliff Kancier	Larry Templeton
Jim Commendatore	Bruce Karney	Walter Weber
John Cooper	Buck Kendrick	Don Willoughby
Andy Danver	Dick Knock	Whitey Wright
Del Fillmore	John Kolb	Jack Wylie
Les Fisher	Mike McCord	Bill Young

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Perry Adams	Ballard French	Larry Reed
Ed Aguilar	Ben Gikis	Ernie Robertson
Dwight Brede	Hal Knowlton	Ray Salazar
Don Cameron	Del Krause	Ken Sauer
Jack Crossman	Peter Lau	Bill Schick
Wayne Dexter	Wendell Lehr	Sam Sparck
Les Earnest	John Lemes	Gary Swanson
Lou Ercoli	Al Lokker	Bob Taggart
Hal Eubanks	Jim Marshall	Bob Tarr
Fred Evans	Bob Moss	Darryl Walker
Boyd Fair	Bill Nugteren	Allan Wilson
David Falconer	John O'Rourke	Brad Youngman
Bruce Firpo	Steve Pomeroy	

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES: 10+ YEARS*

Mark Temme	19	Mike Naughton	13
Don Bays	18	Ken Sauer	13
Frank Bonzell	18	Bob Shaw	13
Hutch Hutchinson	18	Bill Young	13
Bill Palmer	17	Charles Boyenga	12
Freddie Schwalbach	17	Bob Dawson	12
Carl Moyer	15	Larry Templeton	12
Bob Garten	13	Ian Thomson	11
Wayne Grove	13	Bill Scharfen	10
Donald Mattson	13	Vern Schmidt	10

* Anniversary of membership in SIR Branch 35 for ten years or more.

TRAIL BIRDS

 DON BOECKLING 650-965-2659
donboeckling405@gmail.com

Parody Writers: Duncan MacVicar, Bob Simon, David Skurnick

Accompanist: Annette Boyenga

Rehearsal: 2nd Wednesday, November 13, 10:00 a.m. in the Choir Room, Los Altos Methodist Church.
Pre-Meeting Rehearsal: November 20, 11:00 a.m., I.F.E.S. Hall.

Duncan MacVicar will write the parody for the November meeting. All are welcome to join our singing.

CompuSir

JIM DINKEY 650-493-9307

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2nd Wednesday, November 13, 11:30 a.m. in the Lodge Room at the Palo Alto Elks Lodge, 4249 El Camino Real, Palo Alto.

 CompuSIR is a PC users group that gets together at the 11:30 a.m. lunch offered by the Lodge where you can always find others discussing computer problems and solutions. You are invited to join and attend meetings of SPAUG (Stanford-Palo Alto Users Group for PC) held at the Lodge. You can find information about its programs at www.pa-spaug.org.

PC users looking for computer help may also be interested in the Computer Class and Computer Help Drop-In Programs offered by the Sunnyvale Senior Center, 550 Remington Drive, in Sunnyvale.

MACINTOSH GROUP

 SKIP ROSS 541-857-6224
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Contact Skip Ross to join this e-mail group where SIR members in all branches can exchange Mac-related news, get answers to questions, and share experiences.

BOOK SWAP

 JOHN GERICH 650-969-6679
jgerich@juno.com
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 of Los Altos. **November is Mystery month.** It is time to share some great books that you don't think you will read again.

TENNIS

 BILL SCHICK 650-948-8768
billschick@att.net
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. We play a relaxed doubles spin in open format. Sirs and non-Sirs alike are welcome.

We will be forming an **Emergency Response Team (ERT)** in 2014 so that we can respond rapidly and effectively to medical emergencies that might occur at our meetings. We are looking for Sirs interested in participating whether you are trained or not. If there is a doctor in the branch with emergency medicine training, we would love to have you. I envision that the ERT team would sit at one table and be ready to respond when needed. Once we see what level of training is needed, we would provide the training to get everyone up to a basic level (first aid/CPR). There will be a signup sheet by the check-in table at the November meeting or you can contact Ben Gikis by e-mail (gikisben@yahoo.com).

BOWLING

BOB TAGGART 650-321-2654
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DOUG ANDERSON 415-407-4000
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Prizes: Roy Robinson

Every Tuesday, 1:00 p.m., at Homestead Lanes, Homestead & Stelling, in Cupertino.



After 6 weeks into our Fall/Winter session, the 'cream' is rising to the top. The first place team has a 3-game lead over their closest challenger. There are immediate openings for new bowlers of any level, so simply show up any Tuesday. A mere \$13 covers 3 games of bowling, shoes, bowling ball and all the coffee you can drink.

Call Bob or Doug with any questions.

STANDINGS THROUGH WEEK #6

1st PLACE Bill Webster, Roy Robinson, Jerry Ososkie	2nd PLACE Ptah Bennett, Al Runge, Chuck Huff
3rd PLACE Alan Gaudie, Ron Nakamoto, Harold Kaye	4th PLACE Arnie Satterlee, Bruce Karney, Hal Knowlton, Fred Schwalbach
5th PLACE Jerry Coe, Earl Pampeyan, Doug Anderson, Tim Eastham	6th PLACE Bill Finkemeier, Jeff Grundy, Bob Taggart
HIGH SERIES - SCRATCH 1st – Al Runge: 471 2nd – Chuck Huff: 433 3rd – Doug Anderson: 432	HIGH GAME - SCRATCH 1st – Ron Nakamoto: 182 2nd – Alan Gaudie: 164 3rd – Jerry Ososkie: 161
HIGH HANDICAP SERIES 1st – Harold Kaye: 601 2nd – Hal Knowlton: 592 3rd – Tim Eastham: 564	HIGH HANDICAP GAME 1st – Arnie Satterlee: 228 2nd – Bill Finkemeier: 214 3rd – Fred Schwalbach: 205

BIKING

JERRY BUTLER 650-494-8078
GXB366@aol.com

2nd Thursday, November 14, 11:00 a.m.

Wives and guests are welcome. Rain cancels; Helmet required.

Location: Foster City Bay Trail

Ride: We will ride the flat Foster City Bay Trail for about 10 miles from Oracle to the Poplar Creek Golf Club at Coyote Point for lunch, and then return (approximately 20 miles round trip). It might be windy, so bring a jacket or windbreaker.

Directions: Get off Highway 101 at the Marine Parkway/Ralston exit. Turn right on Marine Parkway, then an immediate left onto Oracle Parkway. The meeting point is a tree-shaded parking lot with restrooms to the left of this intersection. If the parking lot there is full, backtrack over the creek to 401-501 Island Parkway and park in the Oracle lot. Ride your bike across the pedestrian bridge to the meeting point. If you plan to ride or have questions, contact Jerry Butler as per above, or Karl Reseck at 650-941-8837, karl.reseck@stanfordalumni.org.

NOTE: This is a combined November/December issue of Trail Tips. There will be no separate December issue. The next issue will be published in January, 2014.

TRAVEL

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Celebrate the holidays with one of the SIR local excursions.

November 20-21, 2013 - Christmas Ice Fantasy at The Eldorado, Reno. SIR's annual Christmas show at the Eldorado will be *Cirque Meets Ice* combining the excitement of figure skating with the thrill and wonder of Cirque acts on ice. The trip includes our private cocktail party, buffet dinner and breakfast, casino time with \$5 cash and \$5 food bonus at the Nugget, plus no-host rest stops at the Black Oak and Nut Tree Center. The price is \$199/p dbl. occ. (\$16 sgl. suppl). For reservations contact SIR escorts Allen Daily 408-265-8140 or Don House 408-268-1703.

December 4, 2013 - Beach Blanket Babylon

Beach Blanket Babylon, the longest running musical revue in theater history, is a zany spoof of pop culture and politics highlighted by extravagant costumes and outrageously huge hats. After the show (where Sirs have center and side box seats), dinner with wine is hosted at nearby **Capp's Restaurant**—great food and service. SIR arrives early enough in San Francisco for Christmas sightseeing and shopping. The price of \$178 per person includes deluxe motor coach transportation and dinner and driver gratuities. For reservations contact SIR escorts Brian Serpa 408-227-7658 or Rollo Parsons 408-268-5245. This trip sells out so make your reservations early.

December 7 or 15, 2013 - Santa Cruz Holiday Lights Train Tour.

SIR offers a choice of two trips. Dec. 7 starts off with a late hosted lunch in a private room setting at the **Shadowbrook Restaurant** in Capitola, an enchanting Old World setting overlooking Soquel Creek with fern-lined paths and the famous "cable car" elevator. Dec. 15 starts off with a late hosted lunch at **Ristorante Italiano**. After our lunch we will be reboard our Royal Motor Coach for the Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk to board the **Roaring Camp Holiday Lights Train**. Roaring Camp trains are known for their vintage excursion cars that will be adorned with thousands of colorful lights. Travel through old Santa Cruz while singing seasonal carols, listen to musical entertainment and even enjoy a visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus returning to Santa Cruz Boardwalk with time to explore the holiday decorations and other seasonal excitement. All-inclusive price is \$158 per person. For reservations contact SIR escorts for Dec 7: Ron Berube 408-829-5588 or Dick Kohl 408-268-0428; or for Dec. 15: Dan Miller 650-591-3314.

For more information on other trips, see our Travel Bulletin on the website at www.closereach.com/sir/newsletters/travel1311.pdf.

HIKING

THANK YOU, IAN

After more than 10 years and over 650 miles, Ian Thomson is resigning as Activity Chair of the SIR Branch 35 Hiking Group due to health reasons.

There are no hikes scheduled until a Sir steps up to fill Ian's shoes (no small task). Be sure to thank Ian for his leadership.





BOB GARTEN, GOLF CHAIRMAN
408-253-5860, xonon1@comcast.net

**SIGN-UP with John Gerich by November 14 at 650-969-6679 or
jgerich@juno.com for the following:**

Sunnyvale (SVL)	Mon Dec 2	8:30 a.m.	\$40
Christmas Ball	Garten 408-253-5860 xonon1@comcast.net/Squellati		
San Jose Muni (SJM)	Thu Dec 5	9:05 a.m.	\$42
	Griffin 408-736-5710 nev. griffin@sbcglobal.net/Lintz		
Deep Cliff (DCL1)(Meal)	Mon Dec 9	10:00 a.m.	\$30
Electric 1	MacIntosh 408-253-0746 joesuemac@sbcglobal.net/Squellati/Cooke		
Deep Cliff (DCL2)(Meal)	Mon Dec 16	10:00 a.m.	\$30
Electric 2	MacIntosh 408-253-0746 joesuemac@sbcglobal.net/Squellati/Cooke		
Deep Cliff (DCL3)(Meal)	Mon Jan 6	10:00 a.m.	\$30
Electric 3	MacIntosh 408-253-0746 joesuemac@sbcglobal.net/Squellati/Cooke		
Sunnyvale (SVL)	Thu Jan 9	8:30 a.m.	\$30
	Squellati 408-245-3787 dsqueaky@pacbell.net/Garten		
Los Lagos (LLS1)(Cart, Prize)	Thu Jan 16	9:00 a.m.	\$45
Eclectic 1	Garten 408-253-5860 xonon1@comcast.net/Grace/Cooke		
Santa Clara (SCL)	Tue Jan 21	9:00 a.m.	\$42
	Lintz 408-245-3322 donlintz@comcast.net/Hall		
Coyote Creek – T(CCT)(Cart, Range)	Mon Jan 27	9:00 a.m.	\$63
	Taboada 925-785-4318 tjtaboada@earthlink.net/Ososkie		

GOLF RESULTS

Dublin Ranch September 26				
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	Prize
Cooke G	57	Gerich J	54	\$18
Jones K	61	Gikis B	61	\$14
Barkey S	62	Ogle D	65	\$9
Thomson I	63	Spindt C	67	\$5
Closest-to-Pin Contest:				
Nakamoto	28-8	Gerich J	4-7	2GB
Garten B	36-1	Grundy J	66-7	1GB
Low Gross: George Cooke 70				

Sunol – Palm October 3				
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	Prize
Garten B	73	Feild D	77	25GC+\$7
Barkey S	75	Grundy J	77	\$28GC
Mattson D	76	Simpson D	78	\$21GC
Nakamoto R	76	Hall B	78	\$16GC
Closest-to-Pin Contest:				
Grace R	20-1	Barnhart T	23-9	2GB
		Hall B	47-7	1GB
Low Gross: Bob Garten 91				

Spring Valley October 7						
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	FLT 3	NET	Prize
Cioni J	65	Gerich J	64	Killian J	63	\$22
Petersen H	67	Grace R	67	Simpson D	65	\$17
Cooke G	68	Newton K	68	Schwalbach F	66	\$11
Mattson D	68	Shigemoto F	70	Larson G	67	\$6
Closest-to-Pin Contest:						
Jones K	18-8	Newton K	21-1	Schwalbach F	32-0	2GB
Vanderwerf P	22-7	Hall B	23-1			1GB
Cioni J	29-3					1GB
Low Gross: Joe Cioni 74						

Los Lagos SIR Invitational October 14					
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	GC	Cash
Mattson/Larson	58	Gerich/Simpson	61	\$15GC	\$24ea
Vanderwerf/Jonekait	59	Ogle/Nix	62	\$15GC	\$16ea
Wilson/Garten	61	Barnhart/McNamara	62	\$15GC	\$12ea
Cooke/Davis	62	Caratozzoic/Price	63	\$15GC	\$10ea
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
Cooke G (5 th hole)	6-1	Para (5 th hole)	1-10		\$5
Sowers (5 th hole)	9-4	Barnhart (5 th hole)	19-0		\$3
Jones (5 th hole)	11-11	Squellati (5 th hole)	20-10		\$2
Cooper (16 th hole)	8-11	MacIntosh (16 th hole)	42-1		\$5
Davis (16 th hole)	9-6	Para (16 th hole)	44-3		\$3
Vanderwerf (16 th hole)	13-7	Ericsson (16 th hole)	44-8		\$2
Low Gross: Phil Vanderwerf 75					

Half Moon Bay Ol October 17				
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	Prize
Garten B	72	Barkey S	71	\$23
Cooke G	72	Larson G	72	\$17
Thomson I	72	Hall B	74	\$11
Mattson D	73	Gerich J	75	\$6
Closest-to-Pin Contest:				
Vanderwerf P	30-7	Enos J	15-4	2GB
Jonekait J	33-8			1GB
Taboada T	34-10			1GB
Low Gross: George Cooke 86				

Eagle Ridge October 21				
FLT 1	NET	FLT 2	NET	Prize
Taboada T	78	Newton K	73	27GC
Squellati D	80	Holman J	75	23GC
Cioni J	80	Varozza J	81	18GC
Thomson I	80	Gikis B	82	\$9
Closest-to-Pin Contest:				
Garten B	18-2	Barnhart T	37-7	2GB
Thomson I	39-10	Feild D	68-7	1GB
Low Gross: Joe Cioni 91				

Match Play 5/5.5 Round Results					
Winner	To Sidelines	Score	Winner Rd.1	To Rd. 2 Finals	Score
Nakamoto	Taboada	3&2	Cioni	Barkey7	4&2

One more match between Stan Barkey & Joe Cioni will determine
The 2013 Match Play Champion!

HELP WANTED !!

As we move into a new year, we need help in the **following areas:**

- 1. Audio/Visual Equipment** – back up for Carl Moyer and his staff if they are not available.
- 2. Computer Expertise** – assistance and back up for Bill Young with Attendance computers and files.
- 3. Yahoo Groups Management** – maintenance of contact and mailing lists.
- 4. Hiking Leader** – replacement for Ian Thomson as Activity Chair.
- 5. Staffing for Emergency Response Team** – anyone with training or interest to handle emergencies. (See page 2)

Please contact Ben Gikis or Dan Zemanek if you are willing to volunteer.

STATE OFFICERS

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WELL & COMFORT WISHERS: Death or illness of a fellow SIR should be reported to **Howard Nelson, at 408-264-0798, howardgnelson(at)comcast.net**. He will express the concerns of our Branch and communicate memorial announcements to members via e-mail.

GROUP E-MAIL TO ALL BRANCH 35 MEMBERS: [SIR35\(at\)yahooogroups.com](mailto:SIR35(at)yahooogroups.com)
(Caution: Use this address only if you intend to send a message to all members of Branch 35.)

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SIR Branch 35 Activities - December 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Sunnyvale Christmas Ball 9:00 a.m.	3 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	4	5 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- San Jose Muni 9:00 a.m.	6	7
8	9 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Deep Cliff Eclectic 1 10:00 a.m.	10 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	11 HOLIDAY PARTY Social Hour 11:00 a.m. Luncheon at noon Music by Madrigals of Mountain View High	12 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	13	14
15	16 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Deep Cliff Eclectic 2 10:00 a.m.	17 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	18	19 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	20	21
22	23 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	24 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	25 	26 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Trail Tips Deadline	27	28
29	30 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	31				



Trail Tips

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FIRST CLASS MAIL

**Next Meeting –
Wednesday, November 20, 2013
I.F.E.S. Hall, 432 Stierlin Road
Mountain View**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Sunnyvale 8:30 a.m. Turkey Shoot	5 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	6	7 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Biking 11:00 a.m. Golf - Blackhorse 10:00 a.m.	8	9
10	11 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Callippe Preserve 9:00 a.m.	12 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	13 Trail Birds 10:00 a.m.	14 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Wente Vineyards 9:30 a.m.	15	16
17	18 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Coyote Creek - T 9:00 a.m.	19 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	20 Social Hour 11:00 a.m. Trail Bird Rehearsal Book Swap Luncheon 12:00 p.m.	21 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	22	23
24	25 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- San Juan Oaks 10:00 a.m.	26 Bowling 12:50 p.m.	27			30



SONS IN RETIREMENT – BRANCH 35

2013 HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

I.F.E.S. Hall, 432 Stierlin Rd., Mountain View

Wednesday, December 11 – Social Hour 11:00 a.m., Luncheon at 12:00

FEATURING: Luncheon served at your table
Holiday Music by *Mountain View High School Madrigals*

TABLE SEATING: Captain* your table of 8 – or be seated with others.
Seating of smaller groups, couples, and individuals will be arranged.

COST: \$30 per person **Checks only - payable to SIR Branch 35.**

BEVERAGE OPTIONS:

- Bring your favorite wine. Openers and glasses will be provided.
- Beverages can also be purchased at the bar including wine by the bottle for \$13, or by the glass.

**Reserve via mail, phone, email or
bring form & check(s) to November luncheon.
RETURN FORM & CHECK(S) BEFORE THUR. DEC. 5TH
(NOTE: Checks only, no cash!)**

**Reply to: Stan Barkey, 21905 Meadow View Lane, Cupertino, CA 95014
stanbarkey1@gmail.com 408-996-3133**

B	C	S	V
King Arthur	Stuffed Chicken	Poached Salmon	Vegetarian
Beef Prime Rib	Florentine	with SIR Glaze	
	Yukon Gold Potatoes, Italian Beans, Button Mushrooms		
	Caesar Salad, Rolls & Coffee		
	Walnut Cake with Strawberry Glaze		

Name (print)

Menu Choice
B,C,S or V

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Enclosed is my (our) check(s) for \$ _____
for _____ luncheon(s).

Names of those for whom I am reserving are listed
above.

Captain's* or Individual's Signature Phone#

**Table Captain reserves table and ensures payment
and confirmation for his guests.*

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