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TIPS

Sons in Retirement, Inc.

Mission Trail Branch 35

Los Altos, California

Branch 35 web site: www.sir35.org

May 2015

– NEXT MEETING –

3rd Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Elks Lodge, 4249 El Camino Real, Palo Alto

Social Hour 11 a.m. – Lunch 11:55 a.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 SATURDAY, May 16th (Leave name and badge #)

PROGRAM

Speaker: The Star Geezers

Topic: Music Like You May Have Never Heard Before



The Star Geezers is a musical quartet, playing their own instruments and singing in varied harmony. The group evolved from an "imitation" Soggy Bottom Boys formed originally to promote a church activity at the Los Altos United Methodist Church. (The original Soggy Bottom Boys was a musical group featured in the movie, *O Brother, Where Art Thou?*)

The name is a homage to the Foggy Mountain Boys, a famous bluegrass band.) The Star Geezers have become famous in their own right and continue to play for many church activities and other functions.

Most of the songs that The Star Geezers sing will be familiar. The others will just be fun! We will even get to sing along, if we want.

The members:

Jim Reynolds: Co-Leader, guitar and singer. Jim is a Silicon Valley Specialist/Consultant in Integrated Circuit fabrication. He became interested in Blue Grass music while in college and taught himself to play the guitar and sing this type of music. He has played with many California blue grass bands.

Ballard French: bass (named "Bessy"). Ballard worked at various companies in Silicon Valley before retiring from Xerox Corp. in 1994. He built "Bessy" in 1959 to play in a noontime group while employed at Ampex Corp. It replaced a single rope string "tub", and cost \$16.35 (including strings) to construct from scrap lumber.

Stan Kullborn: singer. Stan worked as an optical engineer for Perkin Elmer before he started his own financial consulting company. He has sung in several country and gospel bands as well as church choirs.

Mike Beamer: Co-Leader, guitar, mandolin and singer. Mike formerly owned a music store, *The Music Shoppe*, in Menlo Park CA. He is an outstanding jazz guitarist and also plays the mandolin.

Don't miss The Star Geezers!

The Big Sir Says . . .

It is hard to believe how fast the year is moving as we now roll into May. This month we are already having our fourth meeting in our new location. I thought that our April meeting went extremely well. We are getting accustomed to our new digs.



If things aren't moving fast enough just think, we are only a couple of months from our annual SIR picnic. I would like to ask all of you to keep the date of July 15th open. That is the date of the **SIR picnic at Saratoga Springs**. For all of you who have attended the picnic in the past you know it is a fun day at a beautiful place. We will be getting more information to you very soon in order to make this year's picnic the best ever. The more of you who attend, the more fun it will be.

We hope you are enjoying our speakers this year. We keep trying to get speakers who will provide interesting information over a wide variety of topics. All of you have, I am sure, ideas of topics for future presentations. Let us know what interests you. You may also know presenters you have heard in the past and found to be interesting. We want to know about those speakers as well. Again, let us know. Instead of a speaker at our May meeting, we will have something a little different when we hear the singing group, **the Star Geezers**, perform. Anyone who has heard them gives rave reviews.

I encourage all of you who have not paid your 2015 dues to please do so at your earliest convenience. Anyone not having their dues paid by June 17th will no longer be considered a member of SIR and will be removed from the membership roster. Please do not let that happen to you. Your Branch Executive Committee has attempted to contact by phone and/or email all members who have not paid as of yet. We want everyone to be informed as to their dues status.

Lastly, our **Book Swap needs more books**. Since our move to the Elks Lodge, the amount of books has fallen off. Please, with Spring cleaning underway, check for all of those books you would like to share with others and bring them to the Book Swap at our May meeting.

See you all on May 20th.

Dan

If you have not yet paid your \$25 dues, please do so as soon as possible to remain an active member of the Branch. You can pay at the May luncheon meeting or mail to Don Cameron, 1868 Fordham Way, Mtn View 94040. Not sure if you've paid yet? Just call Don at (650-968-9103) or e-mail [dbdon\(at\)sonic.net](mailto:dbdon(at)sonic.net). THANKS!!

\$23 MAY HOT-PLATE MENU \$23**Caesar Salad****Fried Chicken w Mashed Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables****Assorted Cookies**

To reserve a vegetarian meal, contact Terry Barnhart at
408-960-6674 or terry.b2007@sbcglobal.net

\$23 MAY COLD-PLATE MENU \$23**Salad of the month****Turkey, Ham, Roast Beef, or Vegetarian Sandwich****Assorted Chips, Dessert**

To reserve this meal, you must call 650-823-0702
or e-mail sir35notify@gmail.com by **SUNDAY, MAY 17!**
You can also make a permanent reservation for cold plates.

ROSTER CHANGES

Active Members: 360 Net Monthly Change: +2

NEW MEMBERS

Jim Press (Carol)	650-224-5859
1345 Montclair Way	james_press2002@yahoo.com
Los Altos, CA 94024	Magnum Semiconductor
	Golf, Bicycling, Running, Swimming
Roland Rempel (June)	408-245-7212
879 Cascade Drive	sirroempel@hotmail.com
Sunnyvale, CA 94087	ESL/TRW, GTE Sylvania/General Dynamics
	Music, Photography, Singing, Genealogy
Paul Rutter (Lupe)	408-446-1872
12646 Kane Drive	paudrutter11@yahoo.com
Saratoga, CA 95070	Sun Microsystems
	Travel, Building Kit Cars
Bob Sarut (Mary Ellen)	408-690-3517
612 Waterbury Lane	bobsarut@comcast.net
Foster City, CA 94404	Aramark Sports & Entertainment
	Golf, Music

Red Dots & New Members Table

Look for those red-dotted newcomers and show them real SIR hospitality by making an introduction. Invite a new member to sit at your table.

EMAIL ADDITION

Stan Louis sjkalae@aol.com

MAY ANNIVERSARIES: 10+ YEARS

Don Thomas	16	Jack Joos	11
Ballard French	14	Bill Hall	10
Dick Hughey	13	Ed Truitt	10
John Richardson	13	Bill Webster	10
Bill Young	12		

MACINTOSH GROUP

SKIP ROSS 541-857-6224
waross@closerreach.com

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.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Jim Balanesi	Jacques Fossourier	Bill Masters
Mark Barchas	Bob Garten	Art McGill
Larry Baugher	Don Gfroerer	Mac McKim
Bob Brenner	John Goldsborough	Bob Paine
Perry Brown	Bill Hall	Bill Palmer
Dallas Denery	Klaus Jaeger	Roger Potash
Rich DeVaul	Joe Killian	Ron Ruggles
Melvin Ebeling	Ron Lau	Larry Wright
Fred Emmenegger	Adrian Maarleveld	Mike Wytyshyn
Paat Fisher	Rich Marconi	Dan Zemanek
Paul Foerster		

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. **May is History month.** Share some great books that you don't think you will read again.

TRAIL BIRDS

DON BOECKLING 650-965-2659
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Rehearsal: 2nd Wednesday, May 13, 10:00 a.m. in the Choir Room, Los Altos Methodist Church.

Pre-Meeting Rehearsal: May 20, 11:00 a.m., Elks Lodge.

Parody Writers: Bob Simon, David Skurnick

Accompanist: Don Cameron

David Skurnick will write the parody for the May meeting. All are welcome to join our singing.

TENNIS

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

**Wanna be a Trail Bum?**

Interested in group singing and playing instruments just for fun? Email me at dbdon@sonic.net and I'll send you information about a new activity group – "Trail Bums." Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. Don Cameron, 650-968-9103 (voice/Fax), 650-269-8618 (mobile).

Bridge Club Update

We have good news. We have been in contact with the Palo Alto Bridge Center (adjacent to the IFES Hall) and have several possible times for playing Bridge there:

1. Saturday at noon
2. Wednesday at 11:00 am
3. Thursday at noon

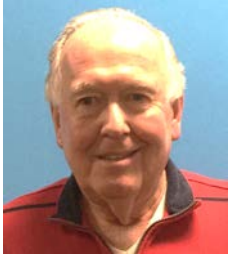
Each bridge session includes bridge and lunch for about \$10. A deal you can't pass up. Please let Jerry Ososkie know if you are interested in playing at any of these times. Jerry can be contacted at jcososkie@sbcglobal.net.

Member Profile

RON NAKAMOTO, EDITOR
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This monthly article highlights one of our branch members. We hope that you enjoy knowing a little more about your fellow members and the interesting life they have had. If you have someone you would like to nominate or if you would like to help author an article, please email ron.nakamoto(at)yahoo.com.

Bob Taggart –Area 16 Bowling Co-Chair



On June 1, 1971, Ed Sullivan taped his final TV show on CBS.

On June 6, 1971, Willie Mays hits his record 22nd and last extra innings home run.

And, on July 1, 1971, Britain and Argentina signed the accord to end hostilities over the Falkland Islands.

On that same day Elvis' prized custom Stutz Blackhawk car was involved in an accident and the front was heavily damaged. Elvis had sent Sir Gerald, his L.A. chauffeur, out to have the car washed and it ended up in an accident. After that, Elvis put it in storage not to be seen until the court ordered "...that it be exhumed from its grave and entombment at Graceland to be examined for mechanical failure." Bob Taggart was counsel to defendant, London Town Livery (chauffeur employer) in a civil lawsuit wherein the plaintiff filed suit for damages caused by the car accident that severed the plaintiff's ear. Bob took Elvis' deposition in Los Angeles and recalls "...Elvis was a kind and very gentle man who arrived in a chauffeur driven limousine surrounded by three gorgeous girls who looked like Playboy Bunnies. Elvis wore rings on every finger." No mechanical problem was found with the vehicle and the suit was later settled without trial. *(Editor's note: The Stutz Blackhawk was a "custom build to" luxury car built on a Pontiac Grand Prix chassis, chosen for the GP's engine placement far back on the frame. It was shipped to Italy to be converted with a new body and coachwork added - by hand, to transform the car into a Stutz Blackhawk. The interior of the Stutz was very luxurious. The floor coverings were made of Australian lambs wool. Twenty four karat gold, plates the bezels and moldings. Only the finest European leather covered the seats, and was used on the dash. The dash also consisted of beautiful English burl.*

Jules Meyers, the first Stutz-dealer showed up at Elvis' home at Hillcrest with the Blackhawk. Elvis was interested, and Mr. Meyers told him that he could sign a contract, and that the Stutz-Company will build him his Blackhawk during the following months. Elvis wasn't interested in signing a contract he was interested in buying the car, the car standing next to him. Jules Meyers tried to explain that this car was the very first Stutz, that he needed the car to show to potential buyers, to drive around, showing the beauty of the car. Elvis answered with a question: 'How do you think you will sell more cars, when you drive it, or when the people see me driving it around? Well, Jules saw the point ... Elvis got the car.')

As you can surmise, Bob is a lawyer and has handled many cases as a Public Defender, Prosecutor and Civil Defense attorney.

Born in 1937 in Amsterdam, New York, Bob grew up in Maplewood, New Jersey *(Editor's note: Boyhood home of Dr. Bobby Brown, NY Yankee third baseman in the 1950's and one of Bob's boyhood idols.)* Growing up Bob was active in scouting and became an Eagle Scout. His biggest boyhood thrill was being in the bleachers at the Polo Grounds in New York, watching Willie Mays make the famous game-saving catch of the Vic Wertz hit in the first game of the 1954 World

Series aka "The Catch". He attended Gettysburg College graduating in 1959 with a BA in Political Science. Bob recalls attending church services on numerous occasions along with President and Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower, who often spent weekends in Gettysburg at their farm near the Civil War battlefield. After graduating, Bob joined the U.S. Army and was commissioned as a second lieutenant and assigned to Fort Ord, CA. Upon completion of his military service, Bob enrolled at the University of California, Hastings Law College and received his JD degree in 1966.

He spent the next ten years in the Public Defenders and District Attorney's offices in Riverside, Santa Barbara and Palm Springs, CA. He recalls winning acquittal for several U.C. Santa Barbara students charged with felony arson in the burning of the Bank of America, Isla Vista during the Vietnam War era. The trial of the seventeen defendants lasted six months with over 100 witnesses testifying, including the President and CEO of the Bank of America who testified behind a bulletproof enclosure. It was one of the longest and costliest criminal trials in California history. *(Editor's note: On the afternoon of Feb. 25, 1970 William Kunstler, a defense attorney who represented well-known defendants in the Chicago Seven trial following the anti-war protests at the 1968 Democratic National Convention, spoke at the stadium on campus. The Vietnam War was raging and the draft was the law of the land. Authorities anticipated an inflammatory reaction and showed up in full force to control the crowd. As a group of students walked back toward Isla Vista after the speech, police beat 22-year-old student Rich Underwood into submission and arrested him for carrying a bottle of wine they assumed was a Molotov cocktail. Crowd rage resulted in a burning trash bin pushed through the doors of the Bank of America Isla Vista branch. Once the smoke cleared on Feb. 26 — with the Bank of America building in ruins — Gov. Reagan declared a state of emergency. On April 18, a rally was scheduled against the bank. Police arrived in armored trucks, dressed in riot gear and armed with tear gas. Amid the confusion, 22-year-old UCSB student Kevin Moran was shot and killed. Although the police claimed the bullet originated from a sniper in the crowd, a ballistics test determined that it came from a policeman's rifle. The incident was deemed an accident, and the officer was later exonerated. The Bank of America closed its Isla Vista branch in 1981, opting to open an ATM on Embarcadero del Norte instead. Embarcadero Hall stands in place of the bank today. A plaque in front commemorates Kevin Moran. It reads, "For Social Change, Fair Play and Peace")*

Bob met Carol Jean Wallmark at a dance party in Palo Alto in January 1977. After a reasonable courtship they were married in August 1981. She is a third grade teacher in the Menlo Park schools. Bob enjoys bowling, bird watching with his wife and learning to play golf "...without looking foolish". His favorite bird is the Painted Bunting and he periodically travels to his favorite bird spots in Costa Rica, Florida Everglades, Corkscrew Swamp and the Naples area. Bob is Co-Chair of the SIR Area 16 bowling league along with Doug Anderson. The bowling league meets at Homestead Lanes in Cupertino every Tuesday at 1pm. There are eight teams and twenty-eight players. Bowlers range from very good to "I hope my ball stays on the lane". All bowlers share in the prize money distributed at the end of each sixteen-week season. Each meeting lasts about two hours and the bowling alley even supplies the coffee for free (they are hoping the old guys stay awake).

Bob's fervent wish is for everyone to enjoy themselves in their retirement and to come and check out the bowling league. There is some exercise, skill and luck involved so everyone should be competitive.

TRAVEL

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Branch 35's Travel Contest to be continued. A year ago we elected to initiate a branch travel contest as a step to revitalize our branch travel program to better support the mission of SIR to promote the independence, dignity and enjoyment of retirement. Although the participation in that first travel contest was somewhat disappointing with only 18 participants (of which only 11 provided sufficiently completed Travel Competition Trip Summaries to be scored for the contest), the Branch Executive Committee (BEC) has agreed to renew the contest for a second year.

The 2015 travel contest will continue with both a point score (Intrepid SIR Traveler) award and a random drawing (participant) award and will cover any and all travel completed between November 2014 and October 2015. To encourage participation based upon all travel completed, the scoring for the Intrepid SIR Traveler award will be the same for SIR and for independent trips. The only preference made to encourage travel on SIR trips will be to provide a second random drawing entry for each participation on a SIR trip.

All members are encouraged to enter the Travel Contest with entries for all of their travel trips regardless of duration, destination, mode, activity and/or sponsor. All you need do is complete a "SIR Branch 35 Travel Competition Trip Summary" for each trip. The blank summary forms can be found on our branch web site or picked up at the Travel Table at our luncheon meetings. Forward your completed summaries to Walter Weber or myself. We should be able to publish a running summary of the number of entries received (possibly with some cumulative statistics) in future issues of Trail Tips.

Lets see if Branch 35 can exceed last year's SIR statewide average of 15% travelers!

See our Travel Bulletin at the Travel Table or on Branch 35 website: <http://www.closereach.com/sir/newsletters/travel1504.pdf>.

HIKING

DELL SMITH 650-968-5006
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Two Hikes are scheduled in May:

A leisurely costal hike in San Francisco on Wednesday, May 13.

Meet in San Francisco at 10:30 at the parking lot to hike along part of the Coast Trail in the Golden Gate National Recreation Area. We will be at points of interest such as Lands End, Sutro Baths and Eagle Point Overlook. Whale viewing possible - but not guaranteed. Distance will be from 3 to 6 miles round trip with little elevation change. Adjustments can be made for those that do want to hike the complete trail itinerary. Bring a trail lunch or snack and water.

Driving Directions - Get directions to specific parking area for trail access when you contact us to indicate that you want to participate in this hike.

A hike at Almaden Quicksilver County Park, Friday, May 29.

Meet at 10:00 AM at the Hacienda entrance parking lot. The hike will be about 6 miles with an elevation gain of 900ft. We start uphill into an area near the old mines, then hike along a ridge with a wide view of local hills and south San Jose. We return through the heart of the old mining area. Toilets are available at the parking lot. Bring a trail lunch or snack and water. We will return to the parking lot by 2:30 PM.

Driving Directions - Take Highway 85 south to Almaden Expressway. Go southeast on the expressway about 4.5 miles to Almaden Road. Turn right on Almaden Road and travel 3 miles through the town of New Almaden to the Hacienda entrance parking lot on the right side of the road. Allow about 40 minutes for driving time from the vicinity of the Elks Lodge.

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Wives and guests are welcome on all hikes. We are trying to accommodate SIR members and wives that want to hike shorter distances with less elevation change. So, we are scheduling two hikes each month, with one being less strenuous than the other.

Contact me by phone or email if you plan to attend either of these hikes. I send out an email reminder about a week before each scheduled hike. If you are not receiving the email and would like to be included, let me know and I will add you to the list.

BIKING

JIM LUNT 408-252-6804
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2nd Thursday, May 14, 11:00 a.m.

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

Location: Bay Trail - Brisbane/Oyster Point

The Ride: We will ride the flat Bay Trail along San Francisco Bay for about 7.5 miles going south starting from the parking lot next to the empty former Walmart Tower building in Brisbane, and ending at South Airport Blvd. (next to SFO) where we will have lunch at a McDonalds or Costco (no other choices), then ride back for a total of about 15 miles.

Driving Directions: Take 101 north past SFO to Sierra Pt. Parkway (2nd exit past the Oyster Point Blvd.exit). At the first intersection, stop, and turn right, then, immediately stop at the next intersection and turn left, which is Marina Blvd., going left. Follow Marina Blvd. around a big curve and just past the former Walmart Tower building (looks like a big ship) on the left side, turn left into a large public parking lot with a short boulevard entrance. We will meet there.

If you plan to ride or have questions, contact Jim Lunt as per above, or Karl Reseck at 650-941-8837, [karl.reseck\(at\)stanfordalumni.org](mailto:karl.reseck(at)stanfordalumni.org).

BOWLING

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Prizes: Roy Robinson

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

John Fawcett had a 'professional-level' series last week when he bowled a 622! Checking our available records of 3+ years, this is the first 600 series ever bowled in our branch. Congratulations, John!! We have immediate openings for bowlers of any level. We bowl every Tuesday at the Homestead Lanes - Homestead and Stelling Roads - in Cupertino. The cost is \$15 per week.

Call Bob or Doug with any questions.

THROUGH WEEK #12	
1 ST PLACE - Erv Erickson, Carl Moyer, Ron Nakamoto, Doug Ericsson	
2 ND PLACE - Ptah Bennett, Ed White, Darryl Walker, Al Runge	
3 RD PLACE - Ken Jones, Jerry Ososkie, Jay Jonekait, Joe Enos	
4 TH PLACE - Ranney Thayer, John Hannigan, Chuck Huff, Phil Vanderwerf	
5 TH PLACE - Fred Schwalbach, Harold Kaye, Alan Gaudie, Tim Eastham	
6 TH PLACE - Les Fisher, Roy Robinson, Doug Anderson, Bob Taggart	
7 TH PLACE - Fred Emmenegger, Robert Dunn, Arnie Satterlee, John Faucett	
8 TH PLACE - Bill Webster, Jeff Grundy, Perry Brown	
HERE ARE THE WINNERS THROUGH WEEK #12	
HIGH SERIES - SCRATCH	HIGH GAME - SCRATCH
1st - John Fawcett: 622	1st - Jay Jonekait: 214
2nd - Joe Enos: 498	2nd - Doug Ericsson: 202
3rd - Tim Eastham: 453	3rd - Chuck Huff: 175
HIGH HANDICAP SERIES	HIGH HANDICAP GAME
1st - Alan Gaudie: 689	1st - Fred Emmenegger: 239
2nd - Ed White: 675	2nd - Erv Erickson: 238
3rd - Arnie Satterlee: 618	3rd (tie) - Jeff Grundy: 213
	3rd (tie) - Bill Webster: 213



SIR BRANCH 35 2015 TOMATO CONTEST

This is your invitation to enter the 2015 Tomato Challenge to take place during July/August time period. Awards will be given for the best tasting beefsteak, classic and cherry tomatoes, and the largest and most unique tomatoes. It's not too late to select your tomatoes and get those plants in the ground or pot. Experts say that one of the best times to plant your tomatoes is near Mother's Day. So that gives you a couple of weeks to prepare your gardens and get those plants into Mother earth.

BOCCE BALL

NORM PASS – SCHEDULE/

CANCELLATIONS 408-737-7639;

normpass(at)sbcglobal.net

FRED SCHWALBACH – PLAYER
DEVELOPMENT 408-257-9713;

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JOHN RICHARDSON - SUPPORT

650-996-7787; jlr(at)rcgc.com

Every Friday, 10:00a.m. at the Bocce Ball Courts (between second and last wing), Los Altos Senior Center, 97 Hillview Ave., Los Altos (just off San Antonio Rd.) Parking near baseball fields.

Bocce Ball is a relaxed but strategic game with an ancient lineage. It is a calming, competitive way to spend time outdoors in the company of friends who play each Friday, 10 a.m. to about 11:45 a.m. with refreshments and conversation after. No cost or obligation.

Our rules are simple, guests and wives are invited, and we don't play if it has rained within the preceding three days.

GOLF

BOB GARTEN, GOLF CHAIRMAN

408-253-5860, xonon1(at)comcast.net

SIGN-UP with John Gerich by May 14th at 650-969-6679 or jgerich(at)juno.com for the following:

Santa Clara (SCL)	Mon Jun 1	9:00	\$42
Shuffle the Deck	Lau 408-730-9115 rwjlau(at)sbcglobal.net /Taboada		
Presidio (PRS) (Cart,Range)	Thu Jun 4	11:00	\$74
	Dixon 408-306-6860 harvbev50(at)att.net /Newton		
Crystal Springs (CSP) (Cart)	Mon Jun 8	9:30	\$53
	Cioni 650-393-5711 jacioni(at)yahoo.com /Jones		
Willow Park (WLP) (Cart)	Thu Jun 11	9:28	\$42
	Gikis 650-948-9523 gikisben(at)yahoo.com /Jones		
Tilden (TLD) (Cart)	Mon Jun 15	10:00	\$35
	Ososkie 408-238-4342 JCOsoskie(at)sbcglobal.net /Nix		
Eagle Ridge (ERG) (Cart,Prize)	Thu Jun 18	9:30	\$55
2 Man 1 Best Ball	Nakamoto 408-440-2330 Ronandelaire(at)comcast.net /Squellati		
DeLaveaga (DLV)	Tue Jun 23	10:30	\$40
	Taboada 925-785-4318 tjtaboada(at)earthlink.net		
Monterey Pines (MPN) (Cart,Range)	Thu Jun 25	10:04	\$52
	Jonekait 650-965-9786 jay(at)jonekait.com /Vanderwerf		
San Jose Muni (SJM)	Mon Jun 29	9:00	\$43
	Barkey 408-996-3133 stanbarkey1(at)gmail.com /Wilson		

GOLF RESULTS

Poppy Ridge 4MM2BB			March 26					
1 st Place Team	NET	\$\$	2 nd Place Team	NET	\$\$	3 rd Place	NET	\$\$
Danver A	115	\$18	Hall B	116	\$13	Ogle D	122	\$9
Fair B	115	\$18	Thomson I	116	\$13	Karney B	122	\$9
Lau Peter	115	\$18	Larson G	116	\$13	Holman J	122	\$9
Enos J	115	\$18	Lau Ron	116	\$13	Wehrman M	122	\$9
Closest to Pin								
Boyd F	2-1		Nakamoto R	14-8		Taggart B	22-4	\$2
Jonekait J	11-11		Enos J	24-8		Squellati D	32-1	\$1
Low Gross	Alex Bush 83							

Rancho Canada West					
			March 30		
Palmer FLT	NET	\$\$	Nicklaus FLT	NET	GC/\$\$
Bush A	66	26GC	Spindt C	67	25GC
Schoengold R	66	22GC	Danver A	69	20GC
Davis J	67	17GC	Nakamoto R	69	15GC
Wilson D	70	\$10	Squellati D	70	\$9
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
Bush A	6-10		Hall B	35-5	\$2
Petersen H	24-1		Gerich J	24-5	\$1
Low Gross:	Alex Bush 76!!!				

Moffett Field			April 2				
Palmer FLT	NET	\$\$	Nicklaus FLT1	NET	Nicklaus FLT2	NET	\$\$
Garten B	69	\$18	Schwalbach F	67	Karney B	62	\$18
Parra A	73	\$12	Mattson D	71	Spindt C	73	\$14
Schlatter J	73	\$7	Squellati D	73	Larson G	73	\$10
			Rinaldi J	75	Walker D	80	\$5
Closest-to-Pin Contest:							
Schlatter J	4-9		Thomson I	5-10	Larson G	20-1	\$2
Parra A	32-9		Shigemoto F	32-9	Wehrman M	38-2	\$1
Low Gross: Jim Schlatter 88							

Laguna Seca 4MM2BB-Shamble				April 6					
1 st Place Team	NET	GCs	2 nd Place Team	NET	GC	3 rd Place	NET	\$\$	
Ogle D	117	21	Schlatter J	119	12	Thomson I	124	\$7	
Spindt C	117	21	Jonekait J	119	12	Mattson D	124	\$7	
Barnhart T	117	21	Vanderwerf P	119	12	Larson G	124	\$7	
Ososkie J	117	21	Lau Ron	119	12	Grundy J	122	\$7	
Closest to Pin									
Garten B	17-2		Ogle D	8-0				\$2	
Taboada T	31-10		Shigemoto F	30-10				\$1	
Low Gross	n/a								

Dublin Ranch					
April 9					
Palmer FLT	NET	\$\$	Nicklaus FLT	NET	\$\$
Davis J	61	\$24	Enos J	62	\$24
Garten B	61	\$18	Danver A	62	\$19
Wilson D	62	\$12	Thomson I	65	\$14
Lau R	63	\$8	Barkey S	66	\$10
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
Taboada T	9-7		Walker D	7-9	\$2
Wilson D	10-8		Enos J	41-6	\$1
Low Gross:	Joe Cioni 72				

Las Positas-Palmer		April 13		
Palmer FLT1	NET	Palmer FLT2	NET	\$\$
Taboada T	65	Grace R	62	\$18
Wilson D	70	Davis J	64	\$14
Bush A	71	Porteus E	66	\$10
Jonekait J	72	Jones K	70	\$5
Closest-to-Pin Contest:				
No Hits				
Low Gross: Alex Bush 81				

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Las Positas-Nicklaus			April 13		
Nicklaus FLT1	NET		Nicklaus FLT2	NET	\$\$
Shigemoto F	60		Walker D	67	\$18
Larson G	69		Holman J	68	\$14
Mattson D	70		Karney B	69	\$10
Squellati D	72		Ogle D	71	\$5
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
No Hits					
Low Gross: n/a					

Canyon Lakes			April 16		
Palmer FLT	NET	\$\$	Nicklaus FLT	NET	\$\$
Wilson D	71	\$24	Nakamoto R	70	\$24
Gerich J	73	\$18	Larson G	77	\$18
Newton K	75	\$12	Gikis B	77	\$12
Jonekait J	76	\$8	Mattson D	79	\$8
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
Bush A	6-8		Ogle D	36-4	\$2
Wilson D	13-5		Nakamoto R	43-5	\$1
Low Gross: Joe Cioni 84					

Half Moon Bay Old			April 20		
Palmer FLT	NET	\$\$	Nicklaus FLT	NET	\$\$
Jonekait J	65	\$24	Miles L	70	\$25
Newton K	69	\$19	Falconer D	71	\$20
Fair B	72	\$13	Spindt C	73	\$14
Bush A	72	\$7	Enos J	73	\$9
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
Garten B	22-4		Falconer D	38-4	\$2
Cioni J	38-4		Jonekait J	53-1	\$1
Low Gross: Alex Bush 82					

Lincoln Park			April 23		
Palmer FLT	NET	\$\$	Nicklaus FLT	NET	\$\$
Taboada T	70	\$21	Falconer D	65	\$25
Jonekait J	71	\$16	Ogle D	66	\$19
Davis J	71	\$10	Nakamoto R	69	\$14
Jones K	73	\$5	Holman J	71	\$9
Closest-to-Pin Contest:					
Petersen H	18-10		Karney B	71	\$5
Low Gross: Joe Cioni 81					

Round of 16- Match Play				
Winners Advance		Vanquished	Score	Winner
Cioni J	Def	Vanderwerf P	5&4	\$10
Davis J	Def	Nipper E	Default	\$0
Nakamoto R	Def	Anderson D	6&4	\$10
Gerich J	Def	Ericsson D	Default	\$0
Jonekait J	Def	Lau Ron	1up	10GC
Hall B	Def	Garten B	1up	10GC
Grace R	Def	Taggart B	Default	\$10



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Bocce Ball 10:00 a.m.	2
3	4 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	5 Bowling 1:00 p.m. Golf- Shoreline 9:00 a.m. Shuffle the Deck	6	7 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- San Juan Oaks 10:00 a.m. Skins	8 Bocce Ball 10:00 a.m.	9
10	11 Tennis 8:00 a.m.	12 Bowling 1:00 p.m. Golf- Nicklaus Club Mont 10:30 a.m. Wives, etc. Welcome	13 Trail Birds 10:00 a.m. Hiking 10:30 a.m. Golden Gate Coast Trail Golf- Crazy Horse Ranch 9:30 a.m. Wives, etc. Welcome	14 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Biking 11:00 a.m. Brisbane/Oyster Point	15 Bocce Ball 10:00 a.m.	16
17	18 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Monarch Bay 9:30 a.m.	19 Bowling 1:00 p.m.	20 Social Hour 11:00 a.m. Trail Bird Rehearsal Book Swap Luncheon 11:55 a.m.	21 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Oakhurst 12:00 p.m.	22 Bocce Ball 10:00 a.m.	23
24	25 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Trail Tips Deadline	26 Bowling 1:00 p.m. Golf- Rancho Canada E 10:00 a.m.	27	28 Tennis 8:00 a.m. Golf- Sunol - Cypress 9:30 a.m.	29 Bocce Ball 10:00 a.m. Hiking 10:00 a.m. Russian Ridge OSP	30
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