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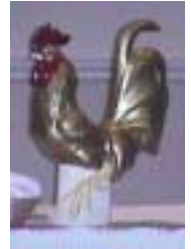
Big Sir's Commentary :

Branch 146 is one of 179 organizations in northern California. As an organization we represent 28,000 retired men. We do not do road cleanups, sponsor pancake breakfasts or adopt Boy Scout troops. We are a social group whose sole purpose is to provide interesting activities for our members. Yet, our members, through their volunteer efforts, have a major impact on our community. Individually we are involved with schools, churches, scouts and committees aimed at the improvement of life in our area. We do not solicit funds for any other group, no matter how worthy, nor recruit members for them. We are a social group. Yet many of our members sit on boards that spend hours focusing on fund raising and recruiting. We are a social group. Yet the individual contributions of our members, thousands of hours each year, translates to a force that impacts the lives of everyone in our community. It is just one more thing that, as a SIR, we can crow about.

Editorial Note

The Sir Call computer went down this month and won't be repaired until late March or early April. Thanks go to all Sir Call contributors who hustled to get their columns in early and to Sirs Don Nunn and Chris Satterthwaite whose homes and computers saved the day. Jokes and editorial finesse will have to wait until April.

Advance Notice: Luncheon on Thursday, May 10, 2001 is Ladies Day at Boundary Oak.



A reservation coupon is included in this issue. Complete it and get your seats reserved early.

Birthdays in April

Bill Becker	Bruce Smiley
Glen Furlow	Bob Wedin
Stan Jackson	John Lively
Earl Jones	Bob Coney
Bill Martini	Larry Zugnoni
Frank Mathos	Doug Harris
William Moresi	Dick Johnson
Doug Pederson	Ray Kan
Chris Satterthwaite	

Bocce Ball



Al Milano 933-3492
2nd and 4th Mondays at 9 am. Apr- Nov
Concord Bocce Cts. In Newell Park Concord
near the corner of Turtle Creek and Ayers Rds.

2001 Schedule

April 23, May 14, June 11 & 25, July 9 & 23,
August 13 & 27, September 10 & 24, October 8 &
22 and November 12 & 26



Al Zeppa 685-8920

If you are interested in joining a team or forming your own team for this league, contact Sir **Al Zeppa**, league secretary.

Bowling

The 10th annual SIR's tournament was a huge success. We had 168 singles, 86 doubles, 16 women competitors and 159 entries in the all-events. All-events is a combination of a bowler's singles score and doubles score. That event had over \$800.00 purse.

Branch 146 had 8 winners. **Ed Almeida** tied for 3rd in singles scratch, 3rd in singles hdcp, 5th in doubles hdcp and 3rd in all-events.

Dick Joyce was the one who tied Ed in the singles scratch, followed by **Cal Jones**, 5th in singles hdcp, 12th in the all events, **Mitch Mitchell**, 11th singles hdcp, 5th in doubles hdcp. **Charlie Sheets**, 8th singles hdcp., **Wes Van Beveran**, 3rd doubles hdcp. **Bob Butterfield**, 7th doubles hdcp. **John Miller** 7th all-events.

Thanks to **John Miller, Wes Van Beveran, Dick Joyce, Norrie Zeppa and Stan Strange** for putting it all together.

Sirs Bowling Tournaments ahead:

April 10—11 Tues and Wed. Clayton Valley Bowling Lanes, Clayton.

April 16—18 Mon. Tue. Wed. Reno/Hilton, Reno. (Nat'l ABC at Stadium Bowl.

May 1—2. Tue Wed. Knotty Pine Lanes, Pollock Pines.

Bowler of the Month.. **Ray Weisz** is carrying a 185 average. 16 200, 7 225, 5 550 and 3 600 series. He recently bowled a 234 game and a 666 series. His team, the "Daves Dudes" are tied for 2nd place in the league. Congratulations Ray.



Computers

Chris Satterthwaite 939-7826

3rd Thursday at 1 pm at WC ELK'S Club
1475 Creekside Dr. (off S. Main)

Our Sir Area 2 Computers User's Group will meet on April 19 as outlined above. We will examine the use of CD-R (compact disk-read only) and CD-RW (compact disk read/write) drives and how to write multiple sessions. We will also discuss any computer problems and questions you may have. In addition we will have some interesting websites for you to visit. Join us for hot coffee and a dog nut.



Cooking

Don Nunn 934-5214 Don-nunn@tpi.net fax 934-5559

1st Monday 9:30 am at various members' homes

On Monday, March 5, nine of our cooking Members were treated to a spectacular demonstration of gourmet pizza at the home of Sir **Al Milano**. **Bob Milano**, former owner of a pizza establishment, made homemade dough, sauce and about 20 toppings for a wonderful pizza feed. Bob's beautiful and talented wife, **Antoinette**, sang various lovely tunes for our enjoyment. Fantastic job Sir **Al and Rosalie Milano**.

On April 2, we will meet at the home of Sir **David Johnson** for another educational episode of fine cooking.. Please remember to call ahead if you wish to join our group or participate in the activity. Call Sir Don Nunn at 934-5214 or Sir **Dave Johnson** at 945-8636. Mangia Bene and Bon Apetit !



Al Tufo
798-4129

Cri bbage

2nd Wednesday at 12:30 hosted by different members

Duplicate Bridge



Bob Donahue 376-4527 Rcdonahue@Att.Net

Monday following the monthly SIRS luncheon at 10 am hosted by different members. Bring lunch.

Sir **Fred Bolton** hosted three tables of duplicate bridge in March with **Bob Yolland** coming in first with 31 points. **Dick Johnson** was second with 29 points and **Stu Somerville** was thid with 26 points.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 16. Contact **Bob Donahue** at 376-4527 for information.



Pablo Chavez
256-8516

Coco's Restaurant 3200 Buskirk Ave. 4th
Thursday of every month at 8:30 AM, or you
can call Sir **Al Brunner** (687-0594, **Sir Bob**

Walton (930-0113), or Sir **Pablo Chavez** (256-8516)
for a 2001 Fishing Calendar and how to get involved!

March - April 2001

Two free fishing seminars are coming soon. On March 31, the Fisherman's Friend in Lodi will have a Kokanee Salmon fishing seminar including discussions by fishing guides, and displays of fishing tackle. Car pools will be formed at the next fishing meeting on March 22. A two-day fishing seminar is scheduled for April 28 and 29 by Glory Hole Sports in Angels Camp. No one showed interest in attending at the last fishing meeting but the seminar is open to the public.

Trout fishing May 4-6 at McSwain Reservoir is the first scheduled fishing trip. Campsites have been reserved and most are already taken. If you are interested in going, you should notify SIR Fishmaster **Bob Walton**, at 925-930-0113 soon in order to have a site reserved for you. Reservations have also been made for two Kokanee salmon fishing trips to New Melones this coming summer. Two RV sites and one four-person cabin have been reserved at Angles Camp for both May 21-25 and July 16-20. Reservations are on a first come basis so if you are interested in going, call the appropriate SIR Fishmaster. We have also reserved a guide for two days each trip. The guide will only take three fishermen per day, so reserve your place today. If more people are interested than covered by these reservations, we will try to reserve additional living spaces and days with the guide but we need to know as early as possible. Call Fishmaster **Al Brunner** at 925-687-0594 for the May trip, or Fishmaster **Richard Fish** at 925-672-8468 for the July trip. Come join us.

The June McCloud fly fishing trip has been canceled, but replaced with fly-fishing on the lower Sacramento River. Lodging, meals, and a guide will cost only \$365 per person for the trip. This June 6-8 trip will be lead by Fishmaster **Pablo Chavez** and reservations can be made by calling him at 925-256-8516. Mike Bias is the guide and he will discuss fly-fishing at the March meeting. Another new fly fishing trip is scheduled for June 18-22 to the Soda Springs area. Tom Hensley will let us stay in his cabin and we can fish several streams and lakes in the area. Total cost will only include food and drinks. To reserve a place, call Fishmaster **Tom Hensley** at 925-937-0605. The next meetings will be on March 22 and April 26, 2001. Come to the March meeting and hear about fly fishing from fishing guide **Mike Bias**. For further meeting information, contact **Al Brunner**, Area 2 Fishing Activity Coordinator, or **Richard Fish**, Associate Coordinator. All SIR members and guests are welcome to partake in the fishing trips, as well as attend the monthly meetings.

Fishing

Garden Club



Chuck Bobinecz 939-8740 bobinecz@flash.net
4th Wednesday at 2:00 pm at Alamo Safeway
unless otherwise announced.

We are going to have a peach of a meeting.

Ron Schuler, president and COE of the California Canning Peach Assoc. will present a talk on (guess what?) peaches.

His talk on April 25th will cover planting, pruning, fertilizing, etc.

He has an extensive background in this area and travels a lot representing the assoc. and the Dept. of Agriculture..

We are planning a trip in April to the Ruth Bancroft Gardens in Walnut Creek.

Wives and guests are welcome.



Golf **Joe Jansen** 935-6691
jjansnx@juno.com
Every Tuesday at 9 am at

Boundary Oak for all, and once a month
away for those who sign up.

Feb. 20 1st Flight: **Bill Hansen, Bob White, and Ernie Dickson**. 2nd Flight: **Doug Cook, Pablo Chavez and Larry Zugnoni**. Closest to the pin: **Jim Baldrige**.

Feb 27 1st Flight: **Jack Calloway, Russ Bliese and Ken Richter**. 2nd Flight: **Bob Butterfield, Pablo Chavez and Bob Frankland**. Closest to the pin **Ray Weisz**.

March 6, 1st Flight: **Lew Thompson, John Demos and Jim Baldrige**. 2nd Flight: **Mitch Mitchell, Fred Bolton and Bill Knapp**. Closest to the pin: **Lew Thompson**.

Mar 13 1st Flight: **Jack Calloway, Ken Kratz and Gene Diana**. 2nd Flight: **Fred Kovar, Ernie Dickson and Bill Knapp**. Closest to the pin: **Jim Baldrige**.

April 19, Away Golf. 11:00am
The new Golf Club at Roddy Ranch just outside Antioch
\$40.00 includes cart.
10 start times or 40 golfers
First come, first served.
Reservations confirmed 5 days before the 19th so be flexible.
Call **Dick Richmond** at 947-1167
or **Jim Baldrige** at 689-9232 ASAP

Health Matters Physical and Mental



More Accurate than Cholesterol

Discuss it with your doctor & lab

There's a new blood test that researchers say is the most accurate way yet of forecasting the risk of

heart disease. It may one day replace the standard cholesterol readings. It's called hs-CRP (which stands for high-sensitivity C reactive protein).

It measures the inflammation of blood vessels. A high CRP indicates inflammation in the vessels which can prompt hardened plaque on vessel walls to break off, leading to a heart attack or stroke.

In studies of 28,000+ women over a three year period, the *New England Journal of Medicine* (March 23, 2000) reports that the test can help avoid problems that would otherwise go undetected.

SIRs Check your zip

Check your address on the front of this newsletter. If the zip code is only 5 digits, please send me the additional 4 digits as soon as possible either by e-mail to SIRCALL@Att.Net or via snail mail to: Sir Call, c/o **Jeff Baily** 590 Pine Creek Rd., Walnut Creek CA 94598-5136. Your full 9 digit zip code can be found on your PGE bill, water bill, or bank statement.



Phil Leigh
685-8090

Investments

Pleigh@Hotcoco.Infi.net
4th Wednesday at 7:45 am at Coco's Restaurant at 3202 Buskirk Ave. Pleasant Hill.

Wednesday, April 25:

REITs (Real Estate Investment Trusts) to be presented by **Kelly Crane** of Quality Wealth Management. With the uncertainty of investing in corporate securities so vivid in our recent experience, a shift of our attention to more tangible investments seems very timely.

No reservation is required for breakfast or for the meeting. All Area 2 SIRs and SIR visitors are welcome. As a courtesy to Coco's we are each requested to purchase a breakfast. Please contact **Phil Leigh** with comments or for further information.

Know Your SIR!

Jim Adams

My twin brother and I were born in Long Beach, California in 1933. We were navy brats and the family moved many times during our childhood. During my junior year in high school the family lived in Plymouth, England.

I graduated from the University of California at Berkeley in 1955. While at Cal, I participated in naval ROTC, obtaining my commission as an ensign in the navy upon graduating. In the navy, I attended flight training in Pensacola and was the communications officer on the destroyer. I met my wife Ruth, while the ship was stationed in Long Beach and we were married in 1957.

In 1958 I left the service and started teaching at the rural high school in Laton California where I had graduated. After seven years teaching at Laton, I moved with my wife and children to Concord in search of a larger school. Laton High School was small and I was the entire math and science departments. At High School I was able to teach only math classes. While teaching, I took courses to enhance my teaching skills and to earn my teaching credential. In the process I attended San Diego State College, Fresno State College and Cal State Hayward as well as Diablo Valley College.



I retired from teaching in 1993. Ruth, who had taught elementary school, retired in 1994. Every day of our retirement is a joy. We enjoy bowling, golfing with friends and spending time at our cabin in the Sierras. Our son Jim lives in Concord. It is a joy sharing time with his sons, ages two and six. Our daughter, Kathryn, is living in Papua, New Guinea with her husband and children. They are Wycliffe Bible translators in a remote rain forest village. WE have enjoyed our two trips to visit them. Ruth and I have also enjoyed traveling together. WE have traveled by train through Europe, cruised down the Nile River in Egypt, rafted down the Colorado River through the Grand Canyon, gone on a picture taking safari in Kenya, cruised in Alaska, Hawaii, the Mediterranean Sea and up the New England coast.

Life is good. Adding to the enjoyment is meeting the great members of SIR Branch 146. I am currently enjoying learning my job as your assistant treasurer. Selling tickets at the luncheons, I have come to appreciate your patience. Thank you for showing your name tags so that we are accurate in recording your attendance. I look forward to greeting you as you purchase your meal tickets.

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Luncheon Menu

Stan Jackson 939-3314
msjdorado@Earthlink.net

April Luncheon Menu

Salad

- House salad
- Freshly baked rolls and butter

Entrees

- Filet of sole with butter and lemon, basmati rice and vegetable
- Beef stew over buttered noodles with vegetable

Dessert

- Daily dessert special
- Regular or decaffeinated coffee or tea

Note The price of the luncheon meal is \$17.00.

Luncheon Attendance

Dale Haukland 820-0189 The second Thursday of every month at 11 am at Boundary Oak.

SIR Members must call **Dale Haukland** by Friday noon before the Thursday Luncheon if you are not going to attend.

Waiting List men must call **Dale Haukland** by Friday noon before the Thursday Luncheon if you are going to attend .

Featured speaker for April is Jose Olivarez, head of the astronomy department at Chabot Space and science center, who will talk about the latest happenings in astronomy.

March Luncheon Score provided by Lang Erickson
Excused 27 Unexcused 5



Note

Unexcused absentees will be asked to pay for the lunch



Lang Erickson
682-1337
flangley@flash.net

Membership

Inducted on March 8, 2001

Tony Oster
Russell Chaney
Richard D'Arezzo

Resigned: **Gary Jones**

March attendance:		Branch 146 statistics:	
Members	176	Members	209
Honorary Life Members	5	Honorary Life	5
Waiting List	9	Waiting List	28
Guests	1		



Fred Bolton
932-1580
1st Monday
at 10 am at various members' homes.
Bring a lunch.

Party Bridge

The Party Bridge group played four tables of bridge hosted by **Stu Somerville** on March 5. First place went to **Dick Johnson** with 6370 points, second to **Jim Brown** with 5700, third to **Chuck Thompson** and fourth by way of a tie, to **John Lewis** and **Jim Jackson**. Our next game will be our Ladies Day bridge starting at 10 am on April 2 at Marie Callender's in Concord. Call **Fred Bolton** for reservations

RV ing

State RV Rally

SIRs statewide will hold their first RV Rally on April 23-26 at the Napa Valley Town and Country Fairgrounds (Napa

Expo) with a great program for participants. The rally will be limited to 100 rigs on a first come first serve basis. To apply call SIR **Lou Hughes**, State RV Chair at (707) 252-2624 or e-mail him at SIRSTATERV@Juno.com



Owen Sullivan 943-7998.

Practices are held after the SIRS monthly

luncheon plus once per month at **Dave**

Obera's place at 3 pm. Singers welcome.
Sullivansojanko@Aol.Com

Song Sirs

The SongSirs presented an Irish medley at the March luncheon. After weeks of preparation and perspiration, we were pleased to receive welcome applause and sing a longs from the membership. Our SongSirs are currently enjoying a short respite while conductor, **Don Nunn** and **Owen Sullivan** organize a new offering.

Rollie Nordeen 284-1199
RNordeen3@Home.com

Sunshine



If you know of any members or spouses who are ill or have passed away please notify the **Sunshine** Committee so that we can keep in touch with them or their families and offer assistance where it might be needed.

Died: **Helen Rees**, Wife of **Bill Rees**
Kay Berriman, Wife of **Henry Berriman**

Table Pool

Bill Weinberg 682-0962

2nd Monday at 11:30 am (this is hard to remember-mark the calendar now!) at Masse's , 2721 N. Main in Walnut Creek.



Travel

Charlie Kiser 274-1575
Charlieki@Webtv.net

Oct 20-Nov 3, 2001 China and the Yangtze River. China the land of mystique, the foundation of Eastern Civilization, Buddhism, Taoism, Confucianism. 4000 years of history, over a billion people, oceans to mountains, deserts to river flooded valleys, the Great Wall, unique, mysterious, awe-inspiring, unlike any place in the world. Includes R/T Air San Francisco to Shanghai, 9 days land portion and 5 days cruising the Yangtze River. Extensive sightseeing including Shanghai, Beijing, The Great Wall and much more.. Evening cultural performances featuring Acrobats & Tang Dynasty Show. Includes all shore excursions on ship. Almost all meals included during the trip. Cost \$2655.00 per person double occupancy, outside cabin. Single rates available on request. Contact **Owen Sullivan** Branch 146 943-7998.

May 17, 2001. Oakland A's vs New York Yankees 12:30PM . Plaza Level Infield tickets (these are second deck) at \$9.00 each (regular \$18.00) Send check payable to SIR 146 for tickets to **Charlie Kiser** 274-1575.

May 25, 2000 — Sacramento Jazz Festival
All day ticket good from opening until Midnight. Tickets are half priced at \$17.50. Contact **Owen Sullivan** 148 Gordon Road, Walnut Creek, 94598.

June 13-23, 2001— Canadian Northern Rail Spectacular
Contact **Carl Raaka**, Branch 8 @ 254-0482.

July 11-13, 2001 Boulder Creek Fun and Golf. Includes 2 nights lodging, 3 days golf, 1 dinner and @8.00 food credit. Cost is \$174.00 for golfer and \$123.00 for non-golfer. Contact **Charlie Kiser** Branch 146 274-1575

July 10-15, 2001. Mesquite and Utah's National Parks. DeLuxe Motor coach Transportation. \$294.00 per person double occupancy \$95.00 single supplement. Contact **Carl Raaka** Branch 8 @ 254-0482

July 11-13, 2001— Boulder Creek Golf & Fun. Includes 2 nights lodging, 3 days golf, 1 dinner and \$28.00 food credit. Cost \$174.00 for golfer or \$123.00 for non golfer. Contact **Charlie Kiser** Br 146 274-1575.

July 13– 21. Calgary Stampede & the Canadian Rockies. Cost \$1,999.00 p/p.

Contact **Vic Johnson** Br 116, at 680-1501.

Aug 16,2001— All SIRS Day at Pac Bell Park.. Watch the SF Giants Battle the Florida Marlins 12:35 pm.

Status: This is now waiting list only.

Contact **Charlie Kiser** 274-1575.

Sept 5-7, 2001 Konocti Harbor Resort-Clear Lake Golf, swimming, boating and sightseeing. Includes 2 nights lodging at the luxurious Konocti Harbor Resort and Spa on Clear Lake 2 rounds of golf including cart at Buckingham Golf and Country Club. Cost \$215.00 for golfer and \$165.00 for non-golfer.

Contact **Charlie Kiser** Branch 146 @274-1575

Sept 11-20, 2001— Canadian Maritime Provinces
Cost \$2177.00 p/p double occupancy-\$2552.00 single occupancy. Contact **Carl Raaka** Br 8 @ 254-0482.

Oct 12-26, 2001 14 Day Panama Canal Adventure. San Francisco to Ft. Lauderdale aboard Holland America's Veendam. Includes Cabo San Lucas, Acapulco, Huatulco, Costa Rica, Panama Canal transit, Curacao and Fort Lauderdale. Cost from \$1628.00 to \$2090.00 pp based on double occupancy. Return air to San Francisco is additional.

Contact **Ron Weber** Branch 19, 689-5602

OCT 16-23, 2001 Arizona Indian Nations. Includes R/T Air to Phoenix, 7 nights accommodations at various locations, extensive touring of the Land of the Southwestern Nations American Tribes. 14 Meals . Cost per person \$1557.00 double occupancy and \$1857.00 single occupancy.

Contact **Fred Stammen** Branch 171 283-1956

Oct 24-31, 2001 Columbia and Snake Rivers. 8 day cruise. Cost from \$1799.00.

Contact **Vic Johnson** Br 116 at 680-1501

Dec 13, 2001. Beach Blanket Babylon. Deluxe bus transportation . Dinner at New Pisa Restaurant. BBB X-mas show. Cost \$93.00 p/p.

Contact **Bob Hagler** Br 8 at 934-7620.

Officers 2001

State President
Region Director
Area Governor

Dwight Sale
Robert Eden
Art Miller

Branch 146 Officers and Directors

Big SIR	Bill Hansen	939-4951
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Secretary	Bob Yolland	932-4758
Assistant Secretary	Jim Baldridge	689-9232
Treasurer	Jim Brown	689-2797
Assistant Treasurer	Jim Adams	685-4216
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Director	Al Milano	933-3492
Director	John Miller	934-9778
Director	Dick Richmond	947-1167
Director	Hal Ruby	686-2748

Committee Chairmen-2001

Attendance	Dale Haukland	820-0189
Audit	Roy Fredrickson	284-5623
Badges	Dick Richmond	947-1167
Badge maker	Lang Erickson	682-1337
Bocce Ball	Al Milano	933-3492
Bowling	Al Zeppa	685-8920
Bridge-dup	Bob Donahue	376-4527
Bridge-party	Fred Bolton	932-1580
Bulletin	Jeff Baily	906-0521
Chaplain	Tom Stack	846-8430
Computer	Chris Satterthwaite	939-7826
Cooking	Don Nunn	934-5214
Cribbage	Al Tufo	798-4129
Fishing	Pablo Chavez	256-8516
Gardening	Chuck Bobinecz	939-8740
Golf	Joe Jansen	935-6691
Golf Sched	Tom Gorman	685-9721
Greeters	Ernie Dickson	376-4590
Hardware	Gene Diana	510 483-7004
Historian	Glen Furlow	631-0158
Honorees	Dick DeVoe	932-5546
Investment	Phil Leigh	685-8090
Luncheon	Stan Jackson	939-3314
Membership	Lang Erickson	682-1337
Nominating	Jack Calloway	933-7998
Pianist	Dave Obera	932-2584
Radio	William Moresi	837-4645
Social	Don Nunn	934-5214
SongSirs	Owen Sullivan	943-7998
Sunshine	Rollie Nordeen	284-1199
Table Pool	Bill Weinberg	682-0962
Travel	Charlie Kiser	274-1575
Veterans	Lynn Freeman	691-1186
Walkers	John Lewis	825-3561
Wine Tasting	Dale Haukland	820-0189

Past Big SIR's

1989 Charles Unfried	1995 Bob Walton
1990 Gill Rhodes	1996 Dick DeVoe
1991 Gene Hackett	1997 Warren Boero
1992 Walt Entelman	1998 Don Nunn
1993 E (Kap) Kaprelian	1999 Dave Valladao
1994 Joe Jansen	2000 Jack Calloway



John Lewis

825-3561

Every Friday at

9:30 am at various locales.

Call John or just show up and get healthy.

Walkers

April 6– Paso Nogal Trail. Meet at Paso Nogal parking lot near Morello Blvd., Pleasant Hill.

April 13– USS Potomac guided dockside tour. Meet at Jack London Square outside Barnes & Noble, Oakland. \$2.00 per person fee.

April 20– Hammill Trail. Meet at the end of Marshall Drive, Walnut Creek.

April 27– Carquinez Scenic Highway, Martinez. Meet at parking lot just past cemetery on Scenic Highway. Take 680 to Marina Vista West which is the last turnoff before the Benicia Bridge. Take Marina Vista through town to rt. On Talbart to Carquinez Scenic Highway.

Gala Ladies Day Luncheon at Boundary Oak, May 10, 2001.

No. of tickets _____ @ \$20 each. Total Enclosed \$ _____

Name(s): _____

Entrees (no. of each)

Filet of Beef _____ Grilled Salmon _____

Special requirements _____

Make check payable to SIR 146 and mail to treasurer, **Jim Brown** 4396 N. Sugar Maple Ct. Concord CA 94521-4337.

Note: If ordering for a full table, send \$200 and list your companions on an attached sheet. Both must be received by April 26, 2001. No tickets sold at the door.

Job Network

The smallest employment classified section in the East Bay Area

637 Help Wanted Male

Must be honest, motivated, self starting, coordinated, suave, retired, good looking, well dressed, presentable. Become a publishing tycoon! Earn fame and Fortune! Entry level pos'n avail. Learn folding, labeling, delivering to post office, bulk mailing. Op to adv to editorial staff. 2-3 hours/mo. Good fellowship, modest pay to start but, can be doubled in short order. All the coffee you can drink. Apply to **Jeff Baily** Sir Call, at our far flung, worldwide publishing empire 906-0521.



The SongSirs entertain the members at the March Luncheon

SIR CALL *Newsletter*

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Walnut Creek CA 94598

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