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Due to the coronavirus, the monthly Branch 23 luncheon at the Elk's Club in Carmichael has been replaced by a virtual meeting via the Zoom technology on September 9, 2020, the usual second Wednesday meeting date. See the Branch Activities section of the Nugget to view information about which other activities are in the process of resuming.

BIG SIR REPORT:

*Covid-19 is still chasing us and now we are confronted with seasonal fires. Let our next Zoom meeting help us understand the pandemic when we hear from Dr. Peter Beilenson. Thanks to all who attended our August 12th meeting. Roger and I just attended the election of state officers and also a town meeting consisting of representation from all branches. Our new marketing rep gave us a breakdown of what might be possible in increasing our brand. I will report on both the election and marketing plan soon.
Stay safe!*

David Peterson
BIG SIR

LITTLE SIR REPORT:

We are very fortunate to have as our speaker this month Dr. Peter Beilenson, who is the Director of the Department of Health Services for Sacramento County. As you might imagine, Dr. Beilenson has been extremely busy over the past several months guiding us through this horrific pandemic that has impacted so many people and businesses in our area. And during this time of isolation, daily monotony, and possible loneliness, I'm sure you have many questions that you would like to ask Dr. Beilenson. His credentials are impressive, having received his undergraduate degree from Harvard University, his medical doctorate from Emory University of Medicine, and his Masters in Public Health from Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health.

Please join us at our Zoom meeting on September 9 and come prepared to ask him questions if he does not cover them during his presentation. Again, take advantage of listening to his talk with the realization he has taken time out of his very busy schedule to speak to our group.

As a member of the BEC, I can say that we are working very hard to keep our meetings informative and enjoyable. See you all on September 9!

Roger Riley

Little SIR

TREASURER'S REPORT: by Jim Coe

(Beginning Balance (Checking) July 1, 2020	\$5,805.96
Beginning Petty Cash	400.00
Funds Received:	531.00
Funds Disbursed	403.55
Ending Checking Balance July 31, 2020	5,933.41
Ending Savings Balance	- 0-
Ending Petty Cash	400.00
Ending Cash Balance (Total Cash) July 31, 2020	\$6,333.41

Additionally, Jim furnished a report on the 2020 shirt sale. Greg Hood, who handled this function, sold 44 shirts. Total income from the sale was \$1,320. Total expenses totaled \$1,095.40. Cost per shirt was \$24.90 and the income per shirt was \$30.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: by Phil Sittner

Membership Status: 155, including one Senior HLM and three HLM's.

Deletions: None

New members inducted in Aug: Tony Marquez, Sponsor Lam Nguyen

Other Membership/Roster Changes: None

New Member Information: Tony Marquez, born on Sept 12, 1955, retired from CalTrans as Chief of Structure Design In May of 2013. Married to Sharon and his interests include golf, travel, running, reading and woodworking. His badge # is 210 and he was sponsored by Lam Nguyen. He prefers to receive the Nugget by email. (ed. note) There is no photo of Tony at this time.

Contact information:

Tony Marquez, 2541 Roundhill Circle, Placerville, CA 95667-8737.

Phone: 530-503-7397.

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BRANCH ACTIVITIES:

September Luncheon Zoom Information:

We have had some changes in accessing the Zoom meeting.

Please use the following information to connect with everyone on Wednesday, September 9 at 11:30 am. If you have any questions or need assistance, please call Lam Nguyen at 916-335-0357, or email him at LNGUYE03@yahoo.com or 916-335-0357.

To join, click the following link or the Zoom logo below.

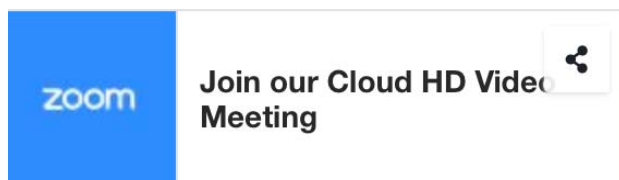
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81054494168?pwd=NEhiZTdPVTRzSXhqb1pES1ROU1hDdz09>

Note: This is all one link so you must use all of the above characters.

Only if you are asked, enter the following:

Meeting ID 810 5449 4168

Password: 446645



**To join audio by phone instead of your device audio, copy and paste one of these lines to your phone:
+16699006833**

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Check with your telephone carrier.**

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Meeting ID 810 5449 4168

Password 446645

Thanks to Lam Nguyen for updating this information.

OTHER BRANCH NEWS:

SirBranch23@googlegroups.com. Please do not use this unless you want to communicate with all of the Branch 23 members at the same time. Lam Nguyen has been streamlining our ability to contact members via email.

BRANCH 23 SPORTS ACTIVITIES:

Bocce Ball:

Start dates for Bocce Ball have not yet been determined. Much depends on the Dante Club accessibility, as well as State Sir approval of the activity.

Bowling:

There is no new information regarding the start for the SIRS bowling.

GOLF Report for September 2020 Bill Sutherland

BR 23 Golf Web Site: Visit this site to determine golf start times, pairings, results and other golf related matters. The address is: web2.golfsoftware.net/9958/.

Sign-ups for September Meeting:

Due to the coronavirus situation, golf signups will be conducted by email with the tournament directors, Gary Bradley and Steve Ng. The following events will be opened up for signups in September.

18 Hole:

Sept 30, Lincoln Hills - Hills Course, Individual event, dual tees

Oct 7, Turkey Creek, 9:00 shotgun, Individual event, dual tees

Oct 21, MacKenzie, League Championship Number 3

9 Hole:

Sept 10, Antelope Greens

Sept 21, Arcade Creek, Blue

Oct 2, Antelope Greens

Tournament Results:

18-Hole Golf:

Diamond Oaks, July 22.

Flight 1: Shilliday (63), Landsittel (67), Schmidt (68). CTP: Rich Battistessa

Flight 2: Sittner (62), Angeloni (67), Rowland (68). CTP: Mark Jones

Flight 3: Young (65), Domyancic (66), Phelps (67). CTP: Roger Riley

Flight 4: Holmgren (62), Nguyen (63), Yamamoto (66), Ng (66).

CTP: Odell Landers

Teal Bend, August 5.

Flight 1: Schmidt (67), Battistessa (67), Adge (69). CTP: Rich Battistessa

Flight 2: Dutcher (63), Rowland (66), Tipton (67). CTP: Mark Jones

Flight 3: Heavner (61), Novi (61), Hanamura (64). CTP: Phil Phelps

Flight 4: Davie (62), Frank (64), Kegarise (68), Brush (68). CTP: General Davie

Wildhawk, August 10, League Championship Number 2.

Flight 1: Landsittel (65), Don Rodriguez (66), Rowland (67), Fairhurst (67), Bradley (67). CTP: Don Rodriguez

Flight 2: Kenney (62), Sutherland (66), Moore (66). CTP: Scott Kenney

Flight 3: Domyancic (61), Zarzana (61), Novi (62). CTP: Roger Riley

Flight 4: Brush (59), Nguyen (60), Yamamoto (63). CTP: David Salminen

9 Hole Golf:

Antelope Greens, August 3.

Flight 1: Heavner (23), Pennington (24), Schmidt (25). CTP: Jim Heavner
Back Nine: Pennington (26)

Flight 2: Nemana (26), Wall (28), Scarlett (29), Ng (29). CTP: Tony Tipton
Back Nine: Mastalski (22)

Flight 3: Landers (29), Nguyen (29), Callander (30). CTP: Lam Nguyen
Back Nine: Odell Landers (26)

William Land Park, August 14.

One Flight: Tipton (33), Christopherson (34), Ng (36). CTP: Lam Nguyen

HIKING:

Join us on Tuesday, September 22 for a hike on the Monroe Ridge Trail and the Monument Trail. This is a 3 mile hike on a moderately traveled loop near Coloma that features beautiful wild flowers and is rated as "Moderate". The Trail offers a number of options including the Marshall Gold Discovery Park. Follow US 50 east to South Shingle Rd. in Shingle Springs. Take exit 37 from 50 east. Follow S Shingle Rd. and Lotus Rd. to your destination in Coloma. GPS Coordinates 380.80516, 120.8948

QUESTIONS? Call Brian Benner 916-747-1139 or btaxmanblb@aol.com

NOTABLE MEMBER DATES FOR SEPTEMBER:

MEMBER JOIN DATE:

Clark, Birge	1996
Salminen, Dave	1997
Tognetti, Gene	1998
Semans, Frank	2000
Mahoney, John	2010
Elkins, Paul	2013
Boss, John	2015
Lenny, Paul	2017
Henley, Wayne	2019

MEMBER Birthdays:

Veis, Arlie	1924
Stastney, Joe	1926
Clark, Birge	1929
Mastalski, Cass	1932
Stakolich, Bob	1932
Salminen, Dave	1934
Hollis, Ron	1936
Martin, Jerry	1937
Moore, Bill	1940
Rodriguez, Joe	1940
Hanamura, Mike	1940
Murrell, Gail	1941
Wallace, James	1942
Novi, Tom	1943
Battistessa, Rich	1943
Abalona, Bill	1945
Young, Gary	1948
Hood, Greg	1950
Phelps, Phil	1952
Marquez, Tony	1955
Bamfield, JD	1955
Raymond, John	1957

Member September Wedding Dates:

Suckow, Lowell and Maggie	1957
Rodriguez, Joe and Doris	1958
Hannon, Joe and La Rena	1959
Shimek, Dennis and and Cherie	1961
Askelson, Paul and Olivia	1962
Novi, Tom and Linda	1970
Mastalski, Cass and Mary	1972
Brunton, David and Sue	1975
Domyancic, Paul and Mary	1975
Schmidt, Steve and Victoria	1975
Irish, Dave and Sandy	1981
