



# SIR

LUNCHEON INFORMATION  
BIG SIR COMMENTS

JULY 2021

The Gateway Chapter 169

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## July Luncheon

### LADIES DAY

**When:** July 13, 2021

**Where:** Pardini's Catering, 2275 W Shaw Ave

**Time:** Board Meeting 930, Social Hour 1100-1200, Luncheon 1200

**Cost:** Members/Guests: \$15.00, Annual Dues: \$15.00

**Speaker:** The group "Uncle Ephus will perform

**Menu:** Choices: Beef, Fish, or Chef Salad

### Big SIR Scott Barcus:

The State Sir Executive Committee requires the following regarding attendance at our July "Ladies Luncheon:"

1. Branches shall require attendees (Ladies are included) to show the original, a copy, or photo (in hardcopy or via a phone) of their vaccination record cards or test result documentation.
2. Branches shall maintain an updated list of members (ladies are included) who have submitted proof of vaccination and use it to check them in for branch activities involving any indoor components.
3. Branches shall require all Attendees attending SIR indoor activities, to execute a waiver prior to allowing a member to attend such activities.

Pardini's Restaurant will be using the following as their protocols for our July Ladies luncheon:

1. No social distancing and no masking expected or required.
2. There will be complimentary wine at each table.
3. All luncheon protocols return to those which existed prior to the coronavirus shutdown.

Obvious Conflict: The CDC and California are moving forward with a dramatic reopening as of June 15. However, until further notice from our State Sir Executive Committee, we are expected to comply with the existing protocols to "minimize SIR's exposure to possible claims related to Pandemic diseases."

We look forward to seeing you at our Sirs Branch 169 - July Ladies Luncheon – Tuesday, July 13, 2021.

A copy of the **WAIVER FORM**, mentioned in para 3 above, is included on the following page. To assist in an orderly check-in, all members and guests who have not previously signed and submitted the waiver form can print and fill out the form prior to the meeting. Thank you.



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## SIR EVENT WAIVER FORM

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#### SIR EVENT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FOR EXPOSURE TO COVID-19

**Branch Name and Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic and the general unavailability of insurance to cover liability related to that matter, the SIR branch listed above ("Branch") is requiring members, visiting SIR members from other branches, guest speakers, guests, and spouses/significant others attending events sponsored by the Branch or by Sons in Retirement, Incorporated ("State Sir") to agree to the following:

1. In attending activities sponsored by the Branch or State SIR, the undersigned agrees to comply with mask, social distancing, and other Covid-19 protocols required by applicable government bodies, the Branch, State SIR, and the applicable venue. Failure to do so will result in the attendee being asked to leave the event.
2. Regardless of adherence to mandated protocols, requirements, recommendations, and vaccinations, the undersigned acknowledges that there is a risk of Covid-19 exposure whenever an individual enters a public space, a building with other people, or a group of other individuals.
3. Knowing the foregoing risk, the undersigned assumes the risk of Covid-19 exposure and accepts sole responsibility for any exposure to Covid-19 and resulting health conditions that may occur due to attendance at a Branch or State SIR event.
4. The undersigned hereby releases and holds harmless the Branch, State SIR, and their respective officers, directors, and members from any and all responsibility for illness, death, or other losses arising from exposure to Covid-19 at a Branch or State SIR event.

**THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND UNDERSTANDS THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE,  
UNDERSTANDS THE RISKS POSED BY COVID-19, AND SIGNS THE WAIVER AND RELEASE  
VOLUNTARILY.**

Attendee's Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Attendee's

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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LITTLE SIR COMMENTS

TREASURERS REPORT

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### Little Sir Dan Lindstrom

For our July Sirs Luncheon we will be having the group "Uncle Ephus" perform. This group has been around for over 20 years, playing "Old Time Music". These are generally tunes that might have been performed by the Carter Family, Johnny Cash, and a smattering of newer folk tunes. I know it's impossible to bring in a group that will meet everyone's taste in music. But I hope you'll find this group fun and entertaining.

### Treasurers Report

June 2021

Beginning Balance:	\$3,934.27
Income:	\$ 878.00
Expenses:	\$ 978.34
Ending Balance:	\$ 3,833.93



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## SECRETARY REPORT

### The Gateway Chapter 169

**SIR CHAPTER 169 (Minutes are subject to final approval at the next Board Meeting)**

**EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES Date: 6/8/2021**

**Big SIR, Scott Barcus called the meeting to order at 9:46 am**

**Attending:** Scott Barcus; Ed Dorn, Duane Evans; Jim Forden; Ted Fox;; Jim Hiney; Bernie Hollenbeck; Dan Lindstrom;; Jackie Lovato; Luis Rodriguez

**CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTION OF Guests: Allen Baxter introduced**

**AGENDA: MSC to approve**

**MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: MSC**

**BIG SIR:** 1. Life Certificates have been received for four of our members. Plan to award the Certificates at our July meeting to recipients who are in attendance. Additional b will be taken to provide the awards to any of the four who may not be at that luncheon. 2. Scott suggested that future Big SIRs be informed that all of the official SIR forms are available on the State website. 3. Scott asked the Board to give him guidance re the need to him to attend future State meetings delivered via ZOOM. The attendance of each Chapter is a matter of record. Ted Fox offered to represent our Chapter in any of the meetings that the Big SIR is unable to attend. 4. As general information, Scott gave a brief update on the status of the recipient of our Creek Fire donation. 5. The Board members need to continue to seriously concentrate on efforts to find candidates for the positions of Little SIR, Treasurer, and to assist with the Newsletter.

**LITTLE SIR:** 1. Dan reported that two men from the Fresno State Athletic Department would be providing the program at today's meeting. 2. Additionally, he expressed concern that given the fact that there will be six musicians and their equipment as the program for the July meeting, we may need a larger room than the one being used today. Bernie observed that in similar situations in the past, Pardini's has been quick to oblige us. Accordingly, a request for a larger room will be rendered when the participant count is delivered to the restaurant.

**SECRETARY;** Jim reported that a ready to be published draft of the Membership Directory has been compiled. Copies of the draft were distributed with needed corrections identified. Consensus that the booklet should be rendered in its current 8"x11" format accompanied by a digital copy distributed to each member of the Board.



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## SECRETARY REPORT (Continued)

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**TREASURER:** MSC to approve Treasury Report. Vote to include a cc of each month's REPORT in the Newsletter for the month.

**ACTIVITIES:** Ed Dorn reported that : 1. Couples Night Out would be at The Pointe Bar & Bistro this Thursday. 2. The 2<sup>nd</sup> round of the Chapter championship will be held at Pheasant Run next Tuesday. A Hole-in One was registered at last week's golf outing.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Jim Hiney reported that we have received applications for membership from Mark Vesler and Frank Bavado . MSC for induction. Request received from today's guest, Allen Baxter, to transfer to our chapter from 159.

**SUNSHINE:** Bernie reported that our Membership Chairman, Jim Hiney, had undergone surgery to correct damage to his rotator cuff and related bone and soft tissue. Robert Anderson was hospitalized for heart issues, but is expected to attend today's luncheon. Additionally, Jerry MacDonald had been hospitalized for heart irregularities. Les Bittle has undergone knee replacement.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Nothing to discuss at this time.

**AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MTG:** Any items on this month's agenda, but due to time constraints not addressed will be included on the agenda for the meeting next month.

**ADJOURNMENT: 11:20 am**

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:** Jim Forden, Secretary





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## IMPORTANT JUNE EVENTS

### The Gateway Chapter 169



Scott Barcus  
Joe Doherty  
George Finney  
Tom Good  
Daniel Lindstrom  
Robert McCollister  
Adam Rodriguez  
Bernard Sankey  
Ted Shigyo  
Dave Hoffman



Bernard and Sandra Sankey  
Stanley and Nancy Busch  
Ted and Kathy Fox  
Stephen and Nancy Strid (Actually June)



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## ACTIVITIES

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#### **Golf:**

Complete results and the current schedule can be found on the golf web page:

<https://sirgcare29br169.memberplanet.com>

#### **July Schedule:**

Doug Nowlin is the host

July 6<sup>th</sup>: 9:00 Ridge Creek Lone Ranger

July 20<sup>th</sup>: 8:00 Madera Country Club Scrambles

July 27<sup>th</sup>: 8:00 Airways 2manbb

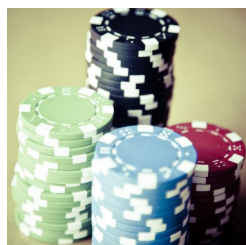
Congratulations to Bob Lung for a hole in one at Madera Muni on June 1<sup>st</sup>!!

Thank you to Joe Russo for hosting in June!



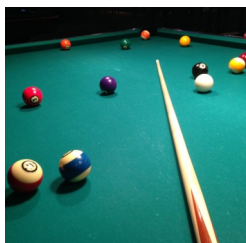
#### **Couples Nite Out**

The next Couple's Nite Out dinner will be on July 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 at Ovidio's Restaurant located at 3097 W Bullard Ave., Fresno. Contact Ed Dorn or sign up at the July luncheon for this fun evening.



#### **Poker Group**

Contact Ed Dorn, Jim Hiney or Ted Fox if you are interested in joining the poker group. We currently play once a month, the Wednesday following the luncheon, rotating houses. Contact us at the monthly luncheon.



#### **Pool Group**

Contact Ted Fox (298-3179) if you are interested in joining the pool group. Group meets every Tuesday for breakfast then pool. Temporary arrangements until the pool hall we were using reopens.





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## ACTIVITIES (cont)

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#### Pickle Ball

Contact member Larry Rowe: 559 623-8670, or at the meeting.. Group he is Involved with plays most mornings at a local park.

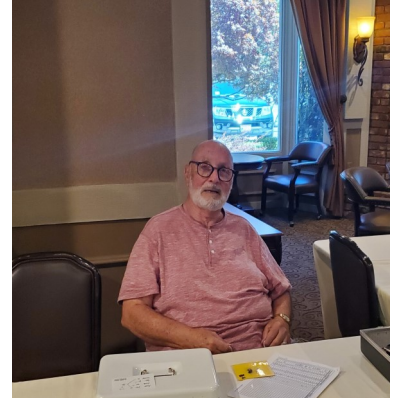
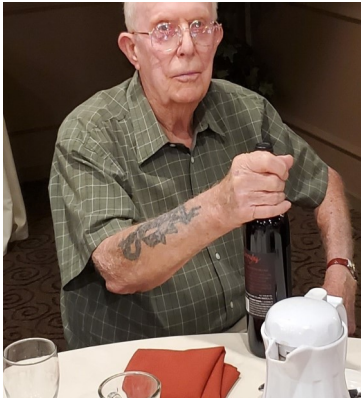
**Sponsors of prospective new members are requested to review the applications completed by their guests to make sure that the information provided is both complete and legible. Thank you for helping with this.**



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## JUNE LUNCHEON PICTURES

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### The Gateway Chapter 169



#### 50/50 winners

Andy Anderson (left)

Bill Prince (right)



#### Birthday Winner

Larry Rowe ( far right)

Not pictured

#### Wine Raffle winners:

Ed Dorn, Tim Collins (guest spkr), Anonymous



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## MAY LUNCHEON PICTURES

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