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## SIR Branch 37 Bulletin

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### BRANCH 37 OFFICERS

Big Sir	Richard Sale	916-792-3313
Little Sir	Robert DiMiceli	530-702-9222
Treasurer	Chuck Novak	916-955-4648
Secretary	Doug Perry	916-824-2225

### RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

*"Celebrating Branch 37's 52<sup>nd</sup> year of serving Placer & El Dorado County Retired & Semi-retired Men"*

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SIR is a Nonprofit Public Benefit Organization for Retired Men Devoted to the Promotion of Independence and Dignity of Retirement



**AUBURN A GREAT**



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**MAY CALENDAR**  
WE MEET the 1st THURSDAY of EACH MONTH @ THE AUBURN ELKS LODGE  
11:00 am Social Hour  
12:00 pm Noon Lunch

### May 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

May 2 Luncheon 11:00 to 1:30 pm  
May 10 Bulletin Material Due  
May 16 Executive Board Meeting  
9:00 am @ Original Mel's Dinner  
1730 Grass Valley Hwy, Auburn  
All Sirs Welcome

### LUNCHEON MENU

Mexican  
GARDEN SALAD & DRESSING  
FRESH VEGETABLES  
BREAD & BUTTER  
DESSERT  
COFFEE & TEA

**If you will miss a luncheon email Frank at [fmichny@gmail.com](mailto:fmichny@gmail.com) or call him at 916-296-4158**



# THE SPEAKER OF THE MONTH

The speaker for our May 2, 2024 luncheon is Monica Sherman the Director at the Auburn Senior Center.

Little Sir Bob Dimiceli

**NOTICE: ALWAYS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!!**

WE NEED **“YOU”** FOR VARIOUS COMMITTEES AND ACTIVITIES

**THIS IS CRITICAL TO ENSURE A SUCCESSFUL ORGANIZATION INTO THE FUTURE!**

**PLEASE HELP OUT BY STEPPING UP AND JOINING IN!**

Rick Sale; 916-792-3313  
SIRBranch37BigSir@gmail.com

Or

Bob DiMiceli; 530-702-9222  
ROBERT.DIMICELI@SBCGLOBAL.NET

If interested.

**HELP US BECOME THE BEST SIR BRANCH**



Our speaker was Kue Lee Director of Targeted Outreach at the California Department of Financial Protection & Innovation (CFPI), where he promotes financial literacy & consumer protection.

**CINCO DE MAYO**

**IN MEMORIAM**  
Sir Don MacGregor



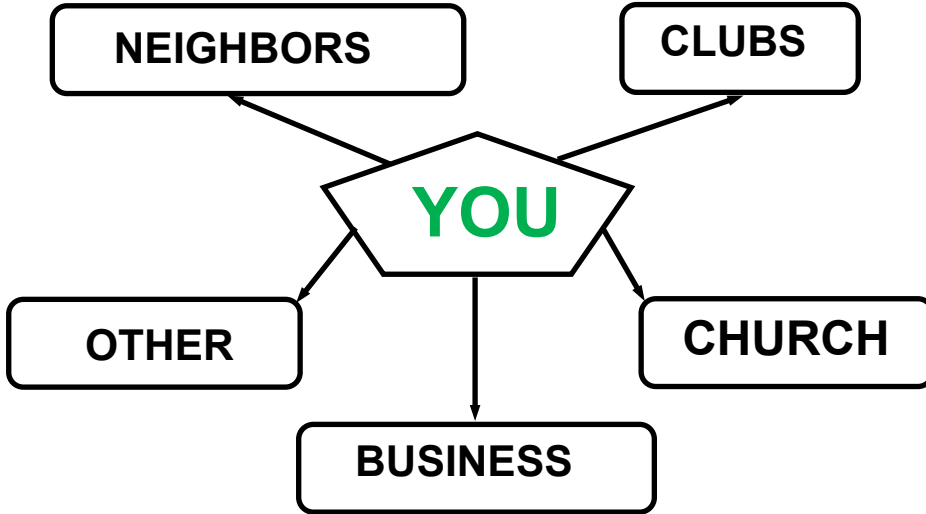
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For SIR Happenings use the SIR State Website  
<http://sirinc.org/sirhappenings/>



# SIR'S KNOW HOW! INVITE A FRIEND

## MEMBER SOLICITATION CHART

**FIND, SELECT & INVITE**



**Attention SIR members:**

Members who pay for a guest lunch can get reimbursed if guest joins.

**NEW MEMBER!  
WELCOME TO SIR'S BANCH 37**

**Paul (Jerry) Lauermann**

Paul lives in Meadow Vista with his spouse Linda. He formerly worked for Sysco Foods. He checked several interests, including fishing, bridge, pinochle, poker, and woodworking.

Welcome Jerry



**Paul Greco**

Paul lives in Auburn with his spouse Marilyn. He retired as a teacher at Roseville High School. He is interested in Bocce Ball and Fishing.

Welcome Paul

**WINNERS OF LUNCH TICKET DRAWING 1 WINE—1 SIR HAT**



# Happy Birthday To Sirs

- Richard Adams**
- Ronald Beeck**
- Steve Clyatt**
- Gene Copelan**
- Wayne Helley**
- Steven Lease**
- Mark Lund**
- Randall Mealhow**
- Frank Nissen**
- Gary Oliver**
- Benjamin Rodriguez**
- Daniel Sutkaitis**
- Charles Van Dam**

# MEMORIAL DAY



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## STATE OFFICERS

President Dale Decker  
 Region 1 Director Hugh Thompson  
 Area 2 Governor TBD

## BRANCH 37 OFFICERS

Big Sir Rick Sale  
 Little Sir Bob Dimiceli  
 Secretary Doug Perry  
 Asst. Secy. Bill Gray  
 Treasurer Chuck Novak  
 Asst. Treas. Glen Kramer

## DIRECTORS

3 Years: Glen Kramer  
 Dave McBrayer  
 2 Years: Gary Willett  
 Jim Dill  
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## HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

Don MacGregor Tom Bowen  
 Pete Politti Rick Sale  
 Craig Saunders

## SUNSHINE

Know of an ill Sir or spouse we will send a card, call  
**Peter Rau 916-248-0317**

## MEMBERSHIP

To withdraw, change address, or report a deceased member, call  
**Bill Gray 305-3126**

## ATTENDANCE

### APRIL REPORT

Sirs Present 68  
 Guests 4  
 Speaker 1  
 Visitors 0  
 Excused\* 14

Attendance total: 73

Total Member count: 132

\*If you cannot attend, contact:  
**Frank Michny 916-296-4158**  
 E-mail: fmichny@gmail.com

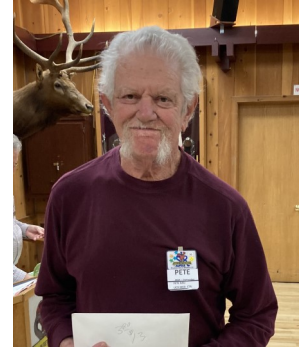
## SIR ATTENDANCE RULE:

A member shall be required to attend one-half (6) of the regular Branch monthly luncheon meetings within the previous twelve (12) consecutive month period. Certified attendance at another Branch Meeting will be considered as a credit to the attendance record.

"NON-RESPONSIBILITY DECLARATION All activities arranged for or by, or sponsored by, Sons In Retirement Inc., and its Branches, are for the convenience and pleasure of the members and their guests who desire to participate. Sons in Retirement Incorporated, and its Branches do not assume any responsibility for the well being or safety of the participants or their property, in any matters pertaining to said activities"

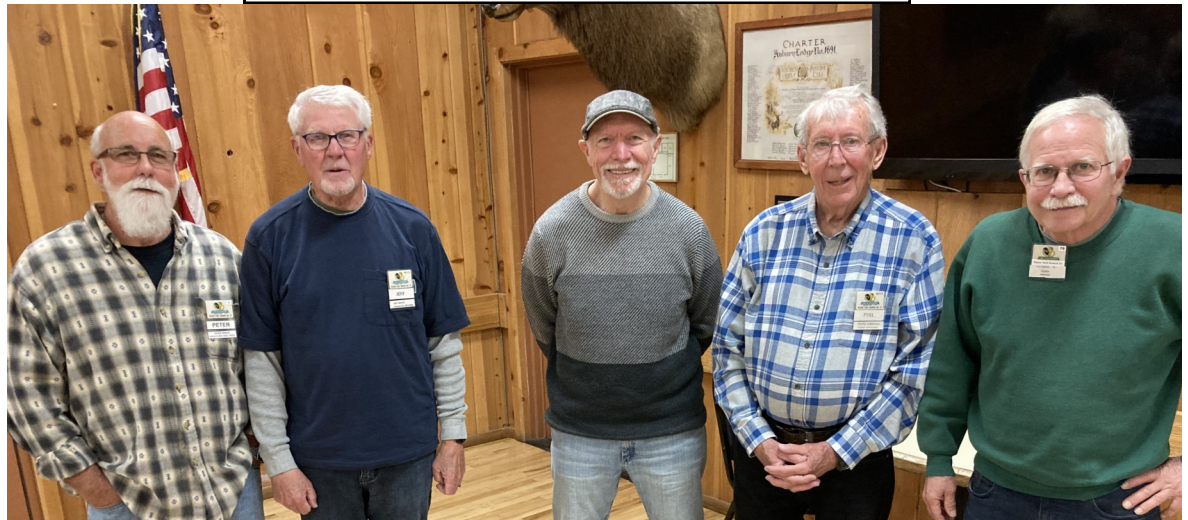
## BRANCH 37 ACTIVITIES (contact chairmen for information)

ACTIVITY	CHAIRMAN	PHONE	DATES AND TIMES
Coordinator	Steven Lease	916-899-4026	Meets during Luncheon social hour.
Bocce Ball	Gary Willett	530-367-6175	Monday; 10 am @ Recreation Park
Asst. Bocce Ball	Pete Rau	916-248-0317	
Book Exchange	Ron Mussulmann	805-540-4480	Every Luncheon during social hour.
Cycling	Sam Frazier	530-889-1022	
Dining Out	Steven Lease	916-899-4026	Monthly
Golf-Friday Grp.	Jim McCrary	530-878-0440	Fridays 9:00am @ Black Oak
Golf-Tuesday Grp.	Gene Vogel	530-889-2882	Tuesday 10:30am @ Black Oak
Hiking	Jack Meylink	530-305-9112	Monthly
Money Matters	Chuck Van Dam	530-823-2667	Wednesday before Luncheon, 3:30 pm Elk's lodge
Poker	Doug Perry	916-824-2225	Tuesday & Friday afternoons
Asst. Poker	Jack Cary	530-320-4147	
Science & Technologies	Chuck Vrooman	530-885-1335	2nd Wednesday; 10:30am via Zoom
Veterans Parade	Cliff Heitz	530-308-3634	Yearly Nov. 11th @ Auburn
Web Master	Chuck Vrooman	530-885-1335	On going



### Branch 37 Opportunity Drawing winners

The winners at the April Luncheon were (left to right) 1st prize Martin Smith, 2nd prize Terry Cooney, and 3rd prize Peter Rau.



Sirs with birthdays in April who attended.

ALL PHONE NUMBERS LISTED ARE IN AREA CODE 530 UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED