



THE PETALUMAN



Branch 58 Newsletter – July 2022

Big SIR Report

Sir Jerry Pagnusat

Well, we've added some new members and it looks like we are getting our group back to health.

Welcome Don and George. There are a couple of others who may join us.

Bocce started up June 23rd, the Thursday after our luncheon. We had a light turnout but had a good time trying to remember the rules after 2 years off. It's at Leghorn Park back by the tennis courts. We start at 10:00. Contact me for more info 481-9003

I again would like to reach out to anyone who wants to help keep our great group going into the future. Please let me know if you are interested in joining our leadership team. Everyone is invited to our Branch Executive Committee meetings we have at 10:15, the morning of our luncheons. Look forward to your participation.

Sunshine Report

Sir Len Svinth

AS the old man said, "It's a great day for the race, the human race" The readers of this newsletter will understand that. We are giving our day-to-day events more meaning when we look at the days going by. The meeting each month sure tell it all. Have you set out these cards? made those phone calls? Now is the best time to do this. See you soon

BRANCH 58 Officers 2020

Big SIR:	Jerry Pagnusat	795-2277
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www.sirbranch58.weebly.com

Little SIR Report

Sir Jerry Pozo

Good Morning My Brothers & Fellow Petalumans, So glad that summer is here. We have good weather, and most of us good health as well.

On July 19th we will have a talk by the Executive Director of the Petaluma Village Network, Cynthia Gregory. I have been a member of the Petaluma Village Network this year. It started back in 2004 and has gained national attention for active adults 50+. Please look at their worthwhile website:

www.villageNetworkofPetaluma.org

Does anyone have a desire to be our trip/tour manager or co-managers for our group? I have contact Daytripping out of Santa Rosa and am hoping to gain insight into more local trips, OR...in year past some of us have just carpoled to local places for tours or exploring. Perhaps, we should focus in on these non-SIR trips for now.

Another SIR branch has a crazy & colorful shirt theme, and I had that in some of my work organizations. How about we start this up for our members? Hawaiian, Western, Tie Dyed, whatever makes your eyes open wider would work.

Members could also vote for a monthly winner. Keep thinking of potential future guest speakers that would appeal to us. Slip me an email, text or corral me at the meeting with info.

Membership is down, but what the heck, invite a friend next month and see if we can raise the bar up a little on members.

I, as GP McNear and Skye Baily, as Julia Hunt Morgan, will do a Saturday July 23 downtown period attired walking tour that starts at the Carnegie Library (4th & B) at 10:30. It's Free to All, just like our library. That's all for now. Happy Trails

NEXT MEETING: July 19, 2022

Social Hour 11:00 – Lunch 12:00

Lunch: BBQ Pulled Pork

Elks Lodge, 2105 S McDowell Boulevard
Petaluma, CA 94954

Financial Report

Sir Brian Tolson

June 2022

Checking Account Balance	3760.82
Change Fund	300.00
Total Assets on 6/21/2022	3460.82



Welcoming new member – Don Day

Speaker – Tom McDawl



Membership

Sir Ralph Sartori

Special thanks are in order for Bill Tennyson. Bill was the sponsor of our newest member George McCarter. Welcome aboard George. That's 2 new members in two months. We all need to work hard and bring a friend to the meetings. Membership is all so important to the success of our club. After all who doesn't enjoy a day out with the boys?

Listed below please find our branch numbers:

Active Members: 57

Alumni Members: 8

Resigned: Tim Talamantes

New: George McCarter

Annual Membership Dues: \$30.00

If you haven't already paid your 2022 membership dues you can do so by mailing them to: Brian Tolson, 4006 Magnolia Ave., Petaluma, CA 94952. Make your checks out to: "Sir Branch #58". Once dues are paid you will receive a 2022 Roster.

Happy Birthday to the following Sir:

July: George Conley

Computer & Smartphone Club

July 28 at the **Senior Center**, 12:00 noon. The subject of the meeting will be:

Safety Considerations: Backup Practices and VPNs.

This session is all about protecting yourself from hackers, ransomware crooks and other nasties. We will cover how you should go about backing up your data and programs and VPNs (Virtual Private Networks) that can hide your location and identity. Contact Mike at: mike@pamg.com

2022 SIR Fall Golf Classic:

Vallejo CA, Wed & Thurs Sept 14th & 15th

More info on website:

www.sirbranch58.weebly.com/activities