



# Sons in Retirement

## SAN JUAN BRANCH NO. 102

### August 2021

#### LUNCHEON MEETING

2nd Tuesday of the month  
Executive Board meeting 9:30 A.M.  
Social Hour: 10.45—Luncheon: 11:30  
Carmichael Elks Lodge

#### Next Meeting

**Tuesday**  
**August 10th**  
[www.sir102.com](http://www.sir102.com)

**Lunch Menu:** — BBQ Chicken, salad, vegetable and dessert

**Attendance Chairman** Larry DeZonia  
What are your plans for the Luncheon, Please Let Us Know by responding to the e-mail prompt. No email, please text or call 916 947-2255



#### **BIG SIR COMMENTS:** **Dan Maglionico**

#### LOOKING AHEAD

The July luncheon was a success, Sir 102 is back in business. The Elks was virtually unchanged from before Covid. More than 60 members attended. Tom McKinley brought the book swap, golf winnings were passed out and the August golf signups were taken. Elks has a new chef and he did an excellent job with lunch of Salisbury Steak and Peach Cobbler for dessert. Instead of a speaker, we introduced the BEC Officers, Assistants, Directors, and Committee Chairmen. New members were introduced and several Presidential Awards for members that turned 90 and 95 were distributed. The Golf Club Chairman and Tournament Director gave updates on weekly golf and annual away events. We will be going to Rolling Hills on October 4-5. Annual picnic is scheduled for October 15 and we will hold our Christmas Party on December 21 at Sierra View CC. Details and flyers will be coming.

Just got back from our Carson City golf outing. Had great time along with 32 other members. All were \$\$ winners at golf. Casino winners were few. Don Wagner and Jim Reese worked hard to make this a great success. Lots of bunnies on the course and at the "Ranch" on the way to Dayton Valley.

Our next luncheon will be on August 10th at the Elks. Lunch will consist of BBQ Chicken, salad, vegetable and dessert. Our speaker will be Bruce Hester. You may remember Bruce from his two previous appearances at our Luncheons when he talked about "The Shape of the States" and "Factfulness". This time he will be speaking on "Words and Sayings and Their Origins". Don't miss what is sure to be another excellent presentation. **Remember you must have a signed waiver and proof of Covid Vaccinations to attend our luncheons and other indoor events.**

Hope to see you on the links and at the August Luncheon.

*Dan*



#### **ACTIVITIES: Norm Steinbach**

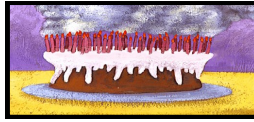
Branch 102 had its most important activity on Tuesday July 13<sup>th</sup> – The Monthly Luncheon. It was a good turn out and great to see and talk with members that I had not seen in over year and half. At the meeting Don Wagner (Nominating Chairman) talked about the recruiting volunteers for open BEC positions. I totally agree with Don, you are missing a lot of social interaction if you are not participating in the branch organization.

Golf is running full speed ahead with its weekly tournaments and It's first overnigher in July. Bocce Ball had small hiccup in July with the Bocce Ball courts unavailable. Jim Morgan has jumped into action and has reserved two courts for the August 3<sup>rd</sup>, The Book Club has scheduled July 28 as its first Book club discussion and the next meeting will be August 25<sup>th</sup> at Ettore's Bakery. As I understand Wednesday weekly bowling will be starting up in August. If anyone has more information about Bowling, please let me know so it can be relayed to all 102 members.

And now for a few smiles: Two men walk into a bar, the third one ducks. I am reading an antigravity book. It's impossible to put it down. Always Remember – you're unique. Just like everyone else.

*Norm*

## Happy Birthday



August

J D Collins	92	Tom Wight	83	John Arong	77	Dan Maglionico	75
Mike Dillon	85	Jay Verhaag	83	Sam Fast	76	John Thomas	74
Don Lewis	83	Norm Steinback	83	Art Lopez	76	Nabil Musallam	73
		Willie Stephens	79	Bob Ratliff	75		



### SIR 102 Newsletter Treasurer Report Month of July 2021, to 7/14/21

<b>BEGINNING FUNDS</b>	<b>\$5,926.41</b>
<b>General Accounts:</b>	
Bank Dividends	\$0.25
State SIRS (3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr. Assessment)	\$0.00
<a href="#">2021 Yearly Dues (1)<sup>1</sup></a>	\$20.00
Constant Contact Hosting	(\$20.00)
Picture Frames	(\$22.99)
<b>Net General gain/(loss)</b>	<b>(\$22.74)</b>
<b>Custodial Accounts:</b>	
Luncheon Expense; 07/13/21	(\$1,044.00)
Luncheon Receipts; 07/13/21	\$870.00
<b>Net Custodial gain/(loss)</b>	<b>(\$174.00)</b>
<b>ENDING FUNDS:</b>	<b>\$5,729.67</b>

140 Active Members Through July 24, 2021.

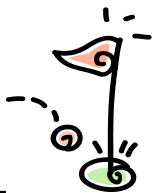
[1\) One \(1\) \(Lopez\) due Collected During July](#)

Monthly Luncheon Tuesday, August 10, 2021; Cost \$20.00

**Note:** The Branch is collecting \$20 Yearly Dues for 2021. If you have not paid and want to remain a member, please make your check payable to: SIR102 and mail it to:

John Slingerland  
9831 Beckenham Drive  
Granite Bay CA 95746

If you are an existing member and are unsure if you have paid your 2021 dues, please email [Johnpslingerland@gmail.com](mailto:Johnpslingerland@gmail.com) before sending your check.



# BIRDIES AND BOGEY



## **GOLF CHAIRMAN: Don Wagner**

This message was written as I pack for our return to Carson City after we cancelled 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic. We have 33 golfers who are heading up there to take on Eagle Valley West and Dayton GC. I'm sure there will be a few stories that will come out of that trip....I usually have a few myself but for some reason, my wife doesn't seem that interested!.

That being said, there's a lot going on as August rolls around. We have signups for our return to Rolling Hills on Oct 4th/5th with two rounds of golf and a one night stay. Both days will be shotgun starts....*check out the flier*. If you missed Carson City, this is another opportunity for you to enjoy one of annual golf travel events with old and new friends.

Also following our general meeting and guest speaker on August 10th, we will have our first "live" golf meeting in over a year. The Golf board has been meeting regularly throughout the pandemic both on conference calls and even some ZOOM. Join us on the 10th for updates on current events, 2022 schedule status plus some board recommendations for updates to our SIR 102 policies starting in 2022.

*Don*



## **TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: Jim Reese**

The next time you see George Wheeler thank him for all the work he does as editor of our branch's newsletter. The real work is getting all the contributors to it to email him their items. Now that I have buttered him up for submitting my August item so late, here it is:

Our first golf trip since October 2019 had a few hitches, but overall everyone had a good time at the modified Carson City trip. We had 27 members and 6 guests playing golf at Eagle Valley West and Dayton Valley. Unfortunately one of the problems was the golf marshal at Dayton Valley picked up the Closes to the Pin results on the front nine and put them on the bar. I never did see them and they were thrown away. It was decided to distribute the CTPP prize money for the two holes to the golfers. We hope you will sign up for our overnight trip to Rolling Hills on October 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>.

The signup sheets for September's golf will be emailed to you the weekend before the luncheon on the 9<sup>th</sup>. See the 2021 Golf Schedule on our branch's website for more information. The signup sheets with the payment for September's golf will be collected at the luncheon.

In honor of the 2021 NFL's training camp openings here is our I R list: Don Kruse and Pat Crocker have signed up to play in August. Russell Kidd and Greg Lazaga should come off the list to play in September. Don Lewis is home with a special walker to support his arm. Harry West just had knee surgery is looking to come off the IR list late October.

My new entry in my top 5 Blues songs: I've learned more about the blues in two weeks with you, than 20 years of B.B. King. But it didn't overtake: How come my dog don't bark when you come around...

*Jim*



## **MEMBERSHIP: Larry DeZonia**

We added a new member in June, if you haven't met Mr. Art Lopez make sure to say hi and welcome him. His email address is [opacityman93@yahoo.com](mailto:opacityman93@yahoo.com), that brings our membership total to 140. Cheers!

*Larry DeZonia  
Membership*

SIR102 AUG. 10, 2021

LUNCHEON
"COVID" REQUIREMENTS

NEW RULE REQUIRES A MASK TOO!

Members: "PLEASE READ THIS IMPORTANT MESSAGE!!!

In order for any members or guests to attend our luncheon on Tuesday they must meet the COVID requirements established by the State Sirs guidelines! A signed waiver agreeing to follow the protocols established by State Sirs and a copy of your "Vaccine Record Card" must be on file with SIR 102. If you have not done so, please bring your Record Card and a signed Waiver to the Luncheon.(Waivers will be available at the luncheon as well).

SIR 102 2021 OFFICERS

BIG SIR.....Dan Maglionico
LITTLE SIR..... Open
SECRETARY.....Tom Hennessey
ASST. SECRETARY.....Jim Lasiter
TREASURER.....John Slingerland
ASST. TREASURER.....Eloy Herrera

DIRECTORS

Norm Steinbach (2021)
Ulf Tylen. (2021)
Cliff Jones (2021)
Larry DeZonia (2022)
Gary Adams (2023)
George Wheeler (2023)
Don Wagner (HLM)
Gary Bohn (HLM)

STATE OFFICERS

State President: Stu Williams
Area 3 Governor: Kevin Mahoney
Director Region 1 Mark Stuart

SIR 102 COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

AUDITOR Don Lewis
ATTENDANCE Larry DeZonia
ACTIVITIES Norm Steinbach
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CHAPLAIN VACANT
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HARDWARE VACANT
MEMBERSHIP Larry DeZonia
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SUNSHINE VACANT
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BOWLING VACANT
RAMP Recruitment VACANT
RAMP Activities Norm Steinbach
RAMP Membership Larry DeZonia

HONARARY LIFE MEMBERS

As Of
Donald (Don) A. Wagner 2/23/2012 8.7 yrs
Gary Bohn 12/9/2014 6.2 yrs
Thomas Eyman 9/12/17 3.1 yrs

PAST 102 BIG SIR

Gordon Nielson 1983 Bill Drake, 2007
Pete Tapella 1984 Speedy Sheetz 2007
Roy Bostic 1985 Joe Virga 2008
Don Johnson 1986 Mickey Wagner 2009
Paul Siglin 1987 Bob Lamora 2010
Wesley Fisk Jr. 1988 Jim Johnson 2011
Ray Nyman 1989 Dick Larsen 2011
Don Gaylord 1990 Jim Reese 2012
Les Jones 1991 Gary Bohn 2013
Don Gaylord 1992 Don Whalen 2014
Rock Sorgman 1993 Dick Coleman 2015
Bill Spencer 1994 Jeff Dye 2015- 2016
Tom Warburton 1995 Norm Steinbach 2017
Don Neudeck 1996 Cliff Jones 2018
Don Gayner 1997 Larry DeZonia 2019
Don Wiles 1998 Mike Lorton 2020
Tom Eyman 1999 Dan Maglionico 2020/21
Bob Simowski 2000
Stan Spalding 2001
Chuck Shoemaker 2002
Lloyd Browning 2003
Bob Baker 2004
Don Wagner 2005
Frank Mason 2006

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