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Monthly Newsletter of Branch # 9, Sons in Retirement, Inc. Monthly luncheon meetings are held at the Dante Club, 2330 Fair Oaks Blvd., Sacramento, California. Lunch and meeting start at 12am Noon, preceded by a no-host "Happy Hour". Board of Directors session at 10:45 A. M. on day of the meeting.

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**NEXT MEETING JULY 3rd**

**Can't Make Our Next Meeting?**

**DO THE RIGHT THING, CALL**

**489-4638 or 456-4904**

**For An Excused Absence**



**BIG SIR Bob Hansen says:**



We had a great meeting and lunch on June 5th. Our speaker, Bob Jarzin from Sacramento County Forensic Lab, had a very interesting talk on alcohol and drug detection and criminal identification through the DNA process. Our members at the conclusion of his discussion asked many interesting questions. Thanks to Bob Hernandez for arranging the program. HLM Bill Bennett has requested reassignment to Branch 0 (unassigned) due to his very serious health condition. Bill indicated he has several tumors that were metastasizing and would be unable to attend any future meetings. He was informed that the reassignment was just a paper transaction and he would still be on our Branch roll as a member. For any of those who might wish to contact Bill and wish him well you may call 553-4483

Howdy Hoover, the chairman of our nominating committee stated he is attempting to recruit persons to fill anticipated 2007 Branch 9 officer vacancies as Treasurer and Secretary. If interested, please contact Howdy as soon as possible at 456-4884.

Skip Ross, Branch 35 Webmaster is organizing an on-line computer discussion group for MAC users. Membership in the group will be by invitation only and limited to SIR members. If you are interested in joining this group you may contact Skip at: [warossirmac@closereach.com](mailto:warossirmac@closereach.com).

If you ever need a ride to attend our monthly meetings feel free to contact Membership Chairperson, Dick Millin at 456-4904.

I wish all of you a very happy and enjoyable summer.

**LITTLE SIR Bob Hernandez Speaks:**



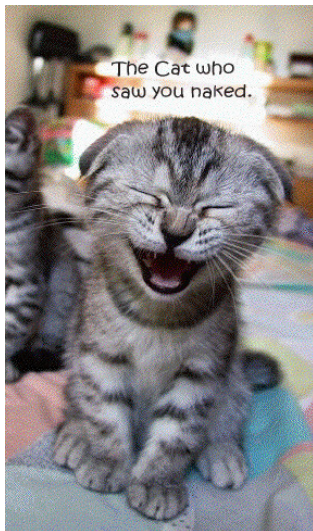
June Speaker was Robert A. Jarzen, Director, Laboratory of Forensic Services. Office of the District Attorney, Sacramento County and LS Bob Hernandez.

Our speaker for July 3rd will be a representative from the SACRAMENTO AREA FLOOD CONTROL AGENCY.



SIR BRANCH #9's WALL OF FAME  
Honorary Life Member

Bill Bennett  
Gus Blanchard



**SECRETARY Ron Hollis' Corner:**

The June BEC meeting had a lengthy agenda since there was no regular meeting in May. May's Ladies/Guest day had the usual low turnout of active members, 26 this time. However, with the gold pan we came close to breaking even financially. Those that didn't go missed an opportunity to get credit towards the minimum attendance of 6 meetings a year since we now are counting members purchasing tickets as attending a meeting. You also missed an excellent meal and entertainment. The nomination process needs a boost, as Chairman Hoover reported no nominations yet to replace Treasurer Burke and myself. We have been on the job for going on 6 years and should be replaced so new ideas can be introduced. If you want to find out more about the jobs, don't hesitate to talk to us.

**MEMBERSHIP by Dick Mllin-Hugh Griffin:**

June 2006  
74 members attended (82%)  
8 requested to be excused (9%)  
8 were unexcused (9%)  
79 unassigned badge numbers  
6 inactive members  
90 active members at the end of the board meeting on June 5.  
2 new members were inducted: Gordon Dahlgren and Clifton Horrell  
2 guests; Dave Goodman, guest of Bob Nelson; Jack Paskind, guest of Bill Bethel.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY BOYS – JULY**

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|---------|-------------------|
| Ken     | Bandow            |
| Keith   | Barrett           |
| Bill    | Bennett, HLM, PBS |
| Pete    | Doljanin          |
| Stan    | Klebs             |
| Ed      | Lambert, PBS      |
| Jerry   | Laumer            |
| Al      | Lewis, PBS        |
| Dan     | Pengilly          |
| Glen    | Rosander          |
| Ron     | Smith             |
| Don     | Watson            |
| Helmuth | Wildemann         |
| Charlie | Zell              |

**GOLF CORNER by Al Lewis:**



Things are finally looking up for Branch 9 Golf. Nineteen players out of a possible 20 showed at Bartley Cavanaugh G. C. on May 8, 2006 and enjoyed a great spring day on the links. Even yours truly knocked it around and didn't hurt anyone. Bob Ramsey made a farce of the course with a Low Gross 88. Big SIR Hansen was breathing down Bob's back with a Low Net 64 (Gross 90)  
 Flight winners were....  
 1st Flight...new comer Gordon Dahlgren  
 2d Flight...Coy  
 3d Flight...Len Schmidt  
 Land Park G.C. hosted Branch 9 golfers on May 17, 2006. Keith Barrett carded a Low Gross 36 and Cliff Lucas shot a Low Net 30.  
 1st Flight ...Ramsey  
 2d Flight...Just, Schmidt and Durfee  
 June 12, 2006 will have Branch 9 at Arcade Creek G.C., Haggin Oaks with tee times starting 9:00A. Our annual Spring Picnic at Land Park is on June 21, 2006 preceded be golf starting at 8:20A.  
 July play will have us at Davis G.C. on the 10th teeing off at 8:35A and Land Park on the 19th with the usual start time of 8:30 A.

**TREASURER Earl Burke sez:**

<b>Beginning Balance</b>	<b>\$2139.29</b>
<b>Additions</b>	<b>315.35</b>
<b>Subtractions</b>	<b>496.77</b>
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$1957.77</b>

**Note: Ladies Day Balance is (203.94), with the Gold Pan contribution of \$135.00 the net loss is (\$68.94).**

**BRANCH #9 OFFICERS FOR 2005**

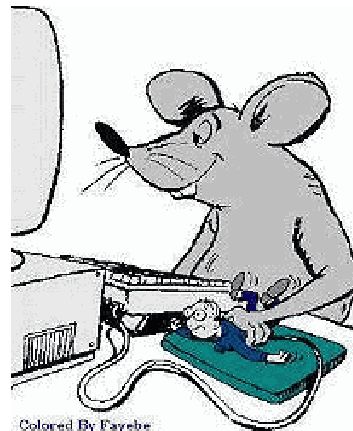
- BIG SIR Bob Hansen - 487-2305
- Little SIR Robert Hernandez - 961-6606
- PBS Howdy Hoover - 456-4884.
- Secretary Ron Hollis - 483-4533.
- Asst. Secretary, Bob Nelson - 486-1295.
- Treasurer Earl Burke - 488-5278.
- Asst. Treasurer Chuck Paulsen - 428-6992.
- Director Marvin Crabb - 457-2402
- Director Fred Hoyt - 447-9528
- Director George Katibah - 488-2225
- Director PBS Al Lewis - 456-8508
- Director Lloyd D. Durfee - 442-2816

Director Ron Smith - 428-6372

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

- Attendance – Hugh Griffin (489-4638)
- Audit – Merle Larrabee, Chair  
Glen Rosander
- Badge maker – Bob Nelson
- SIRcular – Editor Earl Burke  
SIRcular – Asst. Editor, George Katibah  
SIRcular – Circulation – Ron Smith  
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SIRcular – Photographer – Howdy Hoover
- Greeters – George T. Smith  
PBS E. Houston Keehner
- Historian – Ron Hollis
- Membership – Dick Millin
- Music – Fred Hoyt
- Nominating Committee  
PBS Howdy Hoover, Chair.
- Travel – Ron Lemmon
- Guest Day Tickets  
Chuck Paulsen
- Gold Pan – Eric Nooren
- Golf – PBS Al Lewis  
Golf Treasurer –PBS Bill Stadler
- Roster - George Katibah
- Sunshine - Lloyd Durfee  
PBS E. Houston Keehner

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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 matters pertaining to said activities. (Rule 345).

**ATTENDANCE:** Members are obligated to attend all regular luncheon meetings unless prevented by illness or absence from the Branch locale. (Rule 60). **REQUIRED ATTENDANCE** – A member who misses three (3) consecutive meetings without notifying the Branch Attendance Committee giving a valid reason, or who attends less than six (6) regular meetings within a twelve (12) consecutive month period, may be notified, by letter, of the pending termination of his membership in SIR. (Rule 100 & 107).



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