

SIR HAPPENINGS

The SUMMER issue of SIR Happenings
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Activities of SIR go to SIR HAPPENINGS
<http://www.sirinc.org/sirhappenings/>

ACTIVITIES



BRIDGE: If you would like to play bridge for an hour or so after a meeting please call BOB WARD (650-592-8545) or e-mail at [bandward\(at\)sbcglobal.net](mailto:bandward(at)sbcglobal.net). There is almost always a game after our luncheon.



COMPUSIR: Meetings are held the SECOND WEDNESDAY of each month at 12:30 and 7:15 pm. at The PALO ALTO ELKS LODGE 4249 EL CAMINO REAL – PALO ALTO. For entry, use the announce button on the pedestal to the left of the door. The meeting is upstairs. (elevator available past the stairway).

Generally speakers are only at the evening meeting of the Palo Alto Stanford Users Group (SPAUG).

More information at www.pa-spaug.org.
11:30 lunch: can always find others discussing computer problems and solutions

July 10th: Meeting will be held at Microsoft at the Stanford Shopping center.

Special Interest Groups (Sigs): Meet at CENTRAL COMPUTER in Santa Clara Monday evenings at 7 PM For more info SVUGA (Silicon Valley User Group Activities) web site. Sigs include Build it yourself- Windows-Digital imaging – Web.

JIM DINKEY (493-9307)

MACINTOSH USERS

Skip Ross 541-857-6224

[wross\(at\)closereach.com](mailto:wross(at)closereach.com)

Contact Skip Ross to join this e-mail group where SIR members in all branches can exchange MAC-related news, get answers to questions and share experiences.



TENNIS: Our tennis group meets Mondays and Thursdays at Rinconada Park in Palo Alto. Please be there by 8 AM when doubles teams will be formed. Later arrivals will play as sets are completed. We play an open spin-in doubles format. Play level is around 2.5. We welcome non-SIRS players so bring a friend!

BILL KAMIN (322-4300)



GOLF: The following months' schedules are

JULY

02 **TUE** Shoreline 10:00
10 Wed Poplar Creek **10:15**
17 Wed Aptos Seascap 10:00
24 Wed Sunol (cypress) 10:00
31 Wed Los Lagos 10:00

AUGUST

06 **TUE** Sunnyvale **09:30**
14 Wed Spring Valley 10:00
21 Wed Poplar Creek **10:15**
28 Wed Santa Clara 10:00

April Leader Board

GROSS		NET	
1-Ned Miller	76	1-Aaron Matityahu	62
2-Kingsley Wood	80	2-Lyle Johnson	63
3-Ben Guess	84	Al Runge	63
Rick McLain	84	Bob Guffey	63
5-Chuck Yirchott	86	5-Norv Steele	64
Jim Cummings	86	Ned Miller	64
7-Roy Deffebach	87	Kingsley Wood	64
Tim Eastham	87	Rick McLain	64
9-Lyle Johnson	88	9-Tim Eastham	65

PLEASE BE AT THE COURSE AT LEAST ONE HOUR BEFORE THE FIRST TEE TIME.

All of the golf courses we play require a player count 7 to 14 days prior to play date. Please call or e-mail JIM CUMMINGS (650-328-2168) if your play or no-play commitment changes.

KAI JOHANSEN (853-2493)



SIRS ON BIKES: SIR Area #16 bike rides regularly start at 11:00 AM the **2nd Thursday of the month.** Wives and Guests are welcome.

Bring bike, helmet and a jacket if it is windy. Rain will cancel. Attendance averages 10-15 riders. More are welcome. Rides are planned to be 15-20 miles on paved bicycle trails (so that almost any type of bike is usable) with some optional ride distances. The pace is moderate and riding on streets is kept to a minimum and includes a restaurant lunch break.

June 11th Ride:

Coyote Creek Trail (South San Jose)

Ride: We will ride the Coyote Creek Trail starting from the former Holiday Inn at 399 Silicon Valley Rd, San Jose. The ride will be about 6 miles to the Coyote Creek Golf Course. We will go past the golf course another 3 miles to a model airplane launching site, then double back to the golf course club house for lunch. After lunch we will ride back to the Holiday Inn for a total of 18 flat miles, round trip. For those who want a shorter ride, they may omit the ride to the airplane site, thus reducing the roundtrip to 12 miles.

Directions: Note: The Holiday Inn is in the process of changing it's name; first to Four Points Hotel, then to Sheraton hotel. It is located south of San Jose, one block east of highway 101 and just north of the highway 101/ 85 interchange. The directions are the same whether coming on highway 101 or 85: Take the Bernal Rd. exit. Turn left on Bernal Rd., which becomes Silicon Valley Blvd after crossing under 101. Turn left on Rue Ferrari Rd., the service road next to the hotel, and park in the hotel parking lot behind the furthest hotel building on the right.

To Ride – contact Jerry Butler or Karl Resick

<u>CHAIRMAN</u>		<u>ALTERNATE</u>
Jerry Butler		Karl Resick
650-494-8078	OR	650-941-8837
gxb366(at)aol.com		karl.resick(at)Stanfordalumni.org

FUTURE RIDES

Aug 8: Stevens Creek/Shoreline Park (Mt. View)
 Sept 12: Los Gatos Creek
 Oct 10: Coyote Creek – Alameda Creek(Fremont)
 Nov 14: Foster City Bay Trail

Numerous Trips are available through SIR statewide through the state publication SIR HAPPENINGS. Use the website:
www.sirinc.org
 click on travel



The summer hours (until daylight savings ends) are Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9:30 Please be there by 9:00 for the start time of 9:30. Experienced players should show up 30 minutes early to be entered into the draw for teams. **FREE COACHING IS AVAILABLE FOR NEW PLAYERS.**

DON HUGHES (323-9916)



INDOOR BOWLING: (BRANCHES 5, 35 & 51) We bowl on a handicap system, so all have an equal chance.

Each season teams are revised and always have a mix of players by ability. **Tuesdays at Homestead Lanes: Homestead and Stelling in Sunnyvale.** Be there by **12.45.** **New bowlers are always welcome at any level of experience.** If you're new, it's easier if you call me in advance so we will be prepared.

SEASON HIGH SCORES

SCRATCH SERIES		SCRATCH GAME	
Tim Eastham	570	Bob Taggart	229
Al Runge	543	Chuck Huff	200
Jerry Ososkie	492	Roy Robinson	184

HANDICAP SERIES		HANDICAP GAME	
Fred Schwalbach	677	Doug Anderson	263
Hal Knowlton	654	Arnie Satterlee	249
Earl Pampeyan	633	Ptah Bennet	227

Bill Finkemeier (323-2177)

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BRANCHES 5, 16, 35 & 51 TRAVEL NEWS



SIR 55TH ANNIVERSARY
ALASKA CRUISE aboard the GRAND PRINCESS
August 28 – September 7, 2013
San Francisco to San Francisco
Juneau, Skagway, Tracy Arm, Ketchikan, Victoria B.C.
\$ 1579 - \$ 3300 (11 days)
 Contact Art Lloyd 650-384-6424
 Or Sonoma Travel 888-900-7772

All changes in address and/or telephone number must be reported to the Membership Committee Chairman:
Tim Eastham, 2110 Ward Way, Woodside, Ca 94062 (650-366-2449).

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