



Silicon Valley IBM Retiree & Alumni Club Newsletter



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PRESIDENT'S CHAT

I hope you all enjoyed the Memorial Weekend and are looking forward to Flag Day and the 4th of July. These are all great events for our country and times for us to celebrate and think about the sacrifices the men and women made for all of us to protect our freedoms and way of life.

Our picnic is just around the corner (June 10) and I'm looking forward to seeing everyone again.

On August 5, we'll have our "Afternoon in the Vineyards" event and we are hoping you will also be joining us for yet one more day of fun, relaxation and camaraderie. The reservation form is below.

Bernie Coullahan, President

Afternoon in the Vineyard

Tuesday, August 5, 2014, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

What: a vineyard, a winery, good Italian food, many wines available, a warm summer afternoon with friends, family and old acquaintances in an environment reminiscent of the Chianti region of Italy.

Where: for the fourth year in a row we will have this afternoon event at Guglielmo Winery, 1480 E. Main Ave., in Morgan Hill. We predict warm Italian weather.

Food: a nice pasta lunch featuring chicken bernardo and tortellini pomodoro, rolls, salad plus Italian rum cake for dessert, soft drinks and coffee all under the big tent surrounded by the vineyard. Wine will be for sale. Easy to imagine you are in Italy with no airfare.

Price: \$30 per person and the reservation form to Terri Milinic' is required to be received by July 31. No tickets will be sold at the event.

Contacts: George Nale 408-779-4275, George Walker 408-268-7623, Kris Bholia 408-683-2128. This event is co-sponsored by the IBM Quarter Century Club.

SV IBM Retiree & Alumni Club "Afternoon in the Vineyard"

Tuesday, August 5, 2014, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm, Guglielmo Winery in Morgan Hill, \$30 per person

Reservation Deadline: July 31, 2014. No Tickets Will Be Sold At the Event!!

Menu: chicken bernardo, salad, rosemary rolls, dessert, coffee and soft drinks, wine for sale

Cancellations must be received by July 31, 2014, if you wish a refund!

No tickets will be mailed. You pick them up at the registration table the day of the event.

Don't forget to bring old eyeglasses to help those who need them.

Reservation Form

Name: _____ Spouse/Guest: _____

Phone: _____ 2nd Guest: _____

Total number of persons who will attend _____ X \$30 = \$ _____

Please make checks payable to SV IBM RETIREE & ALUMNI CLUB, and mark the memo field VINEYARD.

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George Walker, Bill Souza

**Silicon Valley
IBM Retiree and Alumni Club web site:
ibmsjrc.org**

Next Club Board Meeting:

Thursday, June 19, 2014, 10:00 AM
CSR Real Estate Services
5330 Camden Ave., 2nd floor,
just north of Kooser Road

IBM PC Club Meeting

Tuesday, June 10, 2014, 5:00 pm
Almaden Community Center
6445 Camden Ave., 2nd floor

**SJ Library: ebooks & emusic
www.sjpc.org**

Contact: Walt Cole, 408-972-1178

Membership Report

Ed Mueller

May 15, 2014

Active Members: 1684

Inactive Members: 424

Missing Members: 8

Newsletters mailed: 327

Members who read online: 1368

Change of Address

Please send in your new mailing address,
your new e-mail address, your new phone
number, or a request for on-line newsletters.

By e-mail: membership@ibmsjrc.org

By U. S. Mail: Ed Mueller
1269 Peralta Dr.
San Jose, CA 95120

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Bruce J. Melior

Wayne Rhoten

Victor Romero

Frank J. Vitro

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William Dellenback

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David J. Maich

Khalid Mawla

Wallace R. Max

Esther Mowris

William L. Parry

Hal St. Clair

James T. Walls

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Movie passes

AMC: silver \$7.00; gold \$8.25

Regal/United Artists: \$7.00

Cinelux: \$7.25

Century/Cinemark: \$7.75

Camera Cinemas \$6.30

See other ticket discounts at
www.ibmsjrc.org

Click **IBM CLUB ANYDAY TICKETS**

Payment by check or money order only, made payable
to **IBM Club**. No cash. No credit cards.

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Frank Vitale - 408-927-2106

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Ticket Hours:

Wednesdays, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

SVL Lobby (old STL) on Bailey Road

Discount tickets to many places are
online at the IBM Club website:

California Academy of Sciences

Six Flags Discovery Kingdom

Monterey Bay Aquarium

See's Candy, Legoland

Universal Studios

SeaWorld, Disneyland

*There is a new link on
the club web site,*

*"Bay Area IBM Club Discounts,"
that will get you more directly to the
discounts in the above list.*

*It is on left side of home page just
above the "After IBM" link*

Sunshine Report

Sally Large is enduring serious health
issues. She is unable to have visitors, but
she would welcome e-mails at
largesj@aol.com.

Rita Fernandez fell breaking her wrist
which required surgery. She is home re-
cuperating.

To Sally, Rita and all retirees who are
experiencing health problems, on behalf
of the board members, I send best wishes.

Thank you for your calls and e-mails.
Remember, names will not be published
without permission.

**Terry Milinic' 408-265-5908
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TRIPS & ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

Date	Activity	TAR	Page	Contact	Phone
June 10, 2014	Annual Club Picnic		-	Bill Souza	408-356-6280
June 10, 2014	PC Club - SJ Library: ebooks & emusic	3	2	Walt Cole	408-972-1178
June 19, 2014	IBM Retiree & Alumni Club Board Meeting		2	Bernie Coullahan	408-356-5311
June 27, 2014	Hike: San Bruno Mountain		8	Henry Bender	408-225-3039
June 29, 2014	Beach Blanket Babylon, SF	2	5	Bob Martinez	408-778-2978
July 8, 2014	Indian Casino: Palace	2	6	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
July 27-31, 2014	Big Hike	2	-	Bill Desler	408-268-3025
July 30-31, 2014	Hot August Nights	2	5	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
Aug 5, 2014	Day at the Vineyards	2	1	George Nale	408 779-4275
Sep 7-9, 2014	Eureka Getaway	2	5	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
Sep 16, 2014	Walt Disney Museum & Presidio		6	Bill Souza	408-356-6280
Sep 18-30, 2014	Switzerland, the Alps, Germany & Austria		4	Bob Martinez	408-778-2978
Nov 4, 2014	Indian Casino: Cache Creek	2	6	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
Dec 2, 2014	Annual Club Holiday Party		-	Art & Sharry Dill	831-338-3069
Dec 16, 2014	Holly Jolly Christmas Day Trip		6	Bill Souza	408-356-6280
Dec 28-Jan 4, 2015	New Years Caribbean Cruise		4	Christina Anhorn	831-438-3437
Jan 13, 2015	Indian Casino: Chukchansi	2	6	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
Mar 6-21, 2015	Panama Canal Cruise		5	Christina Anhorn	831-438-3437
Mar 8-10, 2015	Indian Casinos: Reno	2	6	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
May 5, 2015	Indian Casino: Jackson Rancheria	2	6	Topsy Thompson	408-377-4314
May 18-31, 2015	Japan in Depth - A Spring Tour	4	4	Art & Sharry Dill	831-338-3069

Krazy Kampers

We are a group of retired IBMers belonging to the IBM Camping Club, the Krazy Kampers. The club has been around for over 20 years and we would like to invite other IBM retirees who like camping to learn about and perhaps join us on our fun campouts. There is a campout almost every month in the area. The upcoming events with contacts are listed at the right.

June 19-22	Jackson Rancheria	Les Greatbanks	510-234-9271
August 21-24	Betabel	Bob Rootsart	408-559-3318
October 16-19	Marble Quarry	Jim Dack	408-266-6951
November 20-23	Casa de Fruta	Mel Rinehart	408-225-1677

TAR: Trip Activity Rating

- 1 Limited walking & activity
- 2 Walking limited to facilities within approximately 1 block of the bus or hotel
- 3 Average walking (3 blocks or more) sightseeing in museums and attractions
- 4 Very active walking, may include airport departures, climbing on and off trains and attractions, may involve high altitudes (9000+) and possible weather extremes

Travel Adventures

Ring in the New Year on a Western Caribbean Princess Cruise

December 28, 2014 – January 4, 2015

Join me on the Emerald Princess for eight days in the lovely Caribbean to start the New Year off right and celebrate the end of 2014 in true Princess style with live music, champagne and party favors on the Sun Deck. It is guaranteed to be a memorable New Year's! On this large luxury ship the choice of activities is endless – ScholarShip@Sea courses, leisurely spending a day in the piazza-style atrium, making new friends in the International Café over a glass of wine, enjoying the freshwater pools, watching some live entertainment, trying your luck in the two story Casino or just finding a spot and people-watch. We will visit Roatan, Honduras where you can go zip lining, snorkeling or take a tour of the island. Belize, on the Yucatan Peninsula, offers many good shore tours to Mayan sites, tubing in limestone caves or snorkelling. Cozumel has its ruins, Mayan temples Tulum and Chichen Itza, plus good shopping for handicraft and jewelry. The last day, arriving early in Houston, we will transfer to the NASA Space Center and take the NASA Tram tour highlighting astronauts training for the International Space Station and other exhibits.

The cost per person starts at **\$2575**, double occupancy, depending on the choice of cabin. It includes air and round trip transfers to the SF airport, port charges and taxes.

Contact: **Christina Anhorn, 831-438-3437**
leswede@aol.com

Switzerland, the Alps, Germany & Austria

*Danube River Cruise, Bavarian Castles,
Chateau de Chillan & the Black Forest*

September 18–30, 2014

Come join me on this amazing trip, as we travel through Europe's Alpine countries. We will visit the beautiful countries of Switzerland, Germany, and Austria. Walk the streets of Salzburg, see the Golden Roof in Innsbruck, and stay in the charming village of Oberammergau, home of the Passion Play. We will visit some of Europe's most picturesque countries and tour their quaint villages.

Take time to explore Vienna, with its amazing architecture, dine at the centuries-old St. Peter's restaurant in Salzburg, and visit Mozart's birthplace. Enjoy the scenery of the spectacular Alps as we travel to enchanting Innsbruck. We will visit the Black Forest region, famous for its artisans who create cuckoo clocks, Hummel figurines and wood carvings. Enjoy a lovely train ride to the enchanting pedestrian village of Zermatt in the Swiss Alps. We will end our tour in the lovely town of Lucerne, Switzerland, where you can enjoy a local favorite, cheese fondue. Oh yes, don't forget the pastries.

Cost per person is **\$3999**, with early sign up, which includes air, hotel, all transfers, most meals and itinerary listed excursions.

Contact: **Bob Martinez, 408-778-2978,**
cell: **408-835-3393, bobloves2travel@yahoo.com**

Japan in Depth – A Spring Tour

May 18-31, 2015

Japan - Land of Mystery, Beauty, & Culture

Join us as we explore fascinating destinations. Enjoy breathtaking scenery at every turn. We will drive to Mt. Fuji, take river cruises, ride the Shinkansen bullet train, ferry to small islands for a Sake Tasting and Tea Ceremony. We will take a boat ride to Oboke Gorge with panoramic views of the valley, one of the three hidden mountain regions of Japan. Learn about Japan's largest natural whirlpool and the engineering innovations of its massive bridges. Spend a night in a Japanese-style spa resort nestled in the woods. Experience the celebrated Hot Springs of Beppu, famous for "hells" dramatic pools of bubbling water, mud and geysers. While in the island of Miyajima join your guide for a tour of the open air food market (yatai). Remember, the water and food are safe in this clean country. Tour castles in Kyoto & Himeji, visit amazing sacred temples, the Geisha Quarter, and the vermilion-colored Fushimi Inari Shrine (a 4Km long tunnel of scarlet torii gates). Visit the Nishijin Textile Center. We will stay at the Onsen Ryokan at Kanzaiji where you can soak in therapeutic waters of a spa bath and feast on a traditional Japanese Kaiseki banquet. Visit the Nagasaki Peace Park and Glover Garden. Have an adventure on the Mt. Aso and Hakone Ropeways for spectacular views of hot springs and hot rivers. Visit the Toyota Kaikan Museum, with displays of Toyota's new car models and technologies. Ask us for a brochure that will give details of this incredible trip.

Price per person land only: **\$4850** per person double occupancy, paid by check, or **\$4995** for credit card payment. Single supplement **\$998**. Airfare is approximately \$1150 per person; firm air prices and schedules will be available in mid-2014.

Info meeting: June 12, 2014, 11:00 am

Sweet Tomatoes, 113 Bernal Road, San Jose. Please RSVP.

Contact: **Art & Sharry Dill, 831-338-3069**, use *82 if your caller ID is blocked. email: **arthdill@comcast.net**

Travel Adventure

Panama Canal Cruise

March 6 – 21, 2015

Full Transit Aboard the Beautiful Island Princess

Cruising down the Pacific Coast will prove to be an interesting and diverse trip. You will have an opportunity to visit at least ten World Heritage sites and will discover Mayan history, diverse nature and ancient cities.

Costa Rica lies between two oceans and two continents and flaunts high rugged mountains, rainforests and beaches. There are coffee plantations, an aerial tram in a rain forest, a sky walk on a suspension bridge and zip lining for the brave. Pura Vida!

In Panama City, there are many different options for experiencing this colonial city and its interesting surroundings. View the historic quarter with its treasured artifacts at the Old Panama Museum, or maybe take a trip on the railroad for a close-up look at the locks and wildlife of Gatun Lake.

In Cartagena, Colombia, the seawalls, narrow streets and colonial architecture with balconied houses offer glimpses of earlier times. The city is well known for Folkloric ballet, lovely leather and beautiful emeralds.

Aruba with its Dutch influence is charming. Horseback riding, snorkeling, viewing the lighthouses and shipwrecks, and visiting a butterfly farm are just a few of the activities available.

This promises to be a great trip whether you are up for adventure or just want to hang out on the well-appointed ship to relax and enjoy the amenities.

Airfare, motor coach to/from San Jose/ship/airports, port taxes, government fees and Travel Guard Group Protection is included.

Prices start from **\$3700**

Contact: **Christina Anhorn 831-438-3437**
email: **leswede@aol.com**

Day Trips

Beach Blanket Babylon & Dinner

Sunday, June 29, 2014

Join us for a performance of Beach Blanket Babylon in San Francisco. This show is America's longest running musical revue in theatre history.

Hailed as "a constant cascade of showstoppers" by the San Francisco Chronicle, Beach Blanket Babylon follows Snow White as she takes a fast-paced journey around the world in search of her "Prince Charming." Along the way she encounters a star-studded, ever-changing line-up of hilarious pop-culture characters, including President Barack & Michelle Obama, Gangnam Style, Prince William, Kate Middleton and the Queen of England, Honey Boo Boo, Governor Jerry Brown, Justin Bieber, Nicki Minaj, Hillary & Bill Clinton, Oprah Winfrey, Nancy Pelosi, Michael Jackson, Adele, General David Petraeus, "50 Shades of Grey," and The San Francisco Giants.

Great view seats have been secured in the center balcony. One flight of stairs is required walking.

Cost is **\$136** per person. Tour includes: transportation, show, shopping at Pier 39 and dinner at Pompei's Grotto

Depart: San Jose at 1:30 pm from Hwy 87 & Capitol Expwy, Park n Ride, Lot G. Return by 9:30 pm

For reservation information, contact
Bob Martinez, 408-778-2978 (home),
408-835-3393 (cell)
or at **bobloves2travel@yahoo.com**

Hot August Nights

July 30-31, 2014

This claims to be the largest classic car show and nostalgia event in the United States. It has been held every year since 1986. It features a parade of classic cars, rock and roll entertainment and lots of open casinos. The overnight stay in Reno will be at Circus Circus. This has been an annual trip enjoyed by club members for years and usually sells out quickly. **\$78** p/p double occupancy, \$21 single supplement. A big deluxe motor coach will provide transportation to and from San Jose instead of a group of classic cars. Sorry.

Contact **Topsy Thompson** for more information and a reservation form. **408-377-4314**

Eureka Getaway

September 7-9, 2014

This trip features a 2-night deluxe hotel stay at the Bear River Casino with a welcome banquet at the Samoa Cookhouse. We will take a guided tour of the Loleta Cheese Factory. We will have step-on guided tours of Founders Grove, Redwood State Park, Avenue of the Giants including the visitors' center and gift shop. We will have a hosted luncheon at the historic Benbow Inn.

Baggage handling and breakfast vouchers are included.

All this for **\$394** p/p, double occupancy, \$72 single supplement. Round trip motor coach transportation provided.

Contact: **Topsy Thompson, 408-377-4314**

Day Trips

Christmas Season in San Francisco

Tuesday, December 16, 2014

Join your IBM friends for a holiday adventure in the city. The day begins with a hosted lunch at the Basque Cultural Center in South San Francisco.

Then we'll take a guided tour of Barrango's. This family-owned company has been designing and manufacturing quality Christmas decorations and custom commercial seasonal décor since 1906. Their creative and distinctive elements can be found in department stores, hotels, casinos, shopping centers/malls and amusement parks worldwide. You'll be amazed by the beautiful life size and larger holiday décor and carousels. We've allowed time for shopping in the holiday gift shop afterwards.

From there we'll drive around Union Square to see the decorations and then travel over the Bay Bridge to Treasure Island to view the city decked out with holidays lights as well as the mesmerizing Bay Bridge light show.

Deluxe motorcoach, & all gratuities for **\$84** per person.

These trips fill up fast so don't wait.

Contact: **Bill Souza** at **408-356-6280** or **bsouza6280@aol.com**

Walt Disney Museum & Presidio Tour

Tuesday, September 16, 2014

Enjoy the history and the natural beauty of the Presidio.

We will visit the Walt Disney Museum where you'll find animation, innovation, and inspiration as you immerse yourself in the remarkable life story of Walt Disney.

Then enjoy a hosted luncheon at the Presidio Golf Course Café. Afterward we'll tour the Presidio including the visitors center which features photography and museum quality memorabilia. For 218 years, the Presidio served as an army post for three nations. World and local events, from military campaigns to World Fairs and earthquakes, left their mark.

Deluxe motorcoach & all gratuities for **\$89** per person

These trips fill up fast so don't wait.

Contact: **Bill Souza** at **408-356-6280** or **bsouza6280@aol.com**

Bowling

One More Time League Now at Cambrian Lanes (Camden & Union)

May 14, 2014 - Winter League Standings

Here are the final winners for the Winter League:

1st Place Team #3, "Shame on You," Betty Cobarrubias, Nancy Barone, Fred Mitchell, Dan Thery
2nd Place Team #2, "Guys 'N a Gal" Enzo Buscema, Ted Head, O'Lynda Head, Tom Higa

MEN

SCRATCH GAME
276 Rich Gavino
267 Ted Head
266 Dan Thery
SCRATCH SERIES
678 Bill Hooper
674 Dan Thery
663 Bill Jeung
HANDICAP GAME
292 Ted Head
280 Rich Gavino
279 Dan Thery
HANDICAP SERIES
736 Ted Head
725 Dan Thery
723 Bill Jeung
723 Bill Hooper

WOMEN

SCRATCH GAME
217-Betty Cobarrubias
216-Marilyn Bianco
210-Lisa Johannes
SCRATCH SERIES
552 Faye Fritz
532 Yvonne Thery
531 Sally Nicholls
HANDICAP GAME
266-Betty Cobarrubias
260-Marilyn Bianco
258-Lisa Johannes
HANDICAP SERIES
690 Sally Nicholls
688 Yvonne Thery
679 Betty Cobarrubias

These young folks are the "Grand" winners for the year. How about that?

We had 21 bowlers on May 1 for the Watson Tournament. Some outstanding bowling was seen and a wonderful lunch was enjoyed by everybody. Here are the winners for that day:

LADIES HIGH SCRATCH SERIES	Pat Falkowski 534
LADIES HIGH SCRATCH GAME	Kathy Gavino 178
LADIES HIGH HANDICAP SERIES	Sandy Suekawa 640
LADIES HIGH HANDICAP GAME	Carol Hughes 225
MEN HIGH SCRATCH SERIES	Rich Gavino 640
MEN HIGH SCRATCH GAME	Bob Getz 190
MEN HIGH HANDICAP SERIES	Bill Bartz 621
MEN HIGH HANDICAP GAME	Bernie Coullahan 208

Casino Trips

Palace Casino
Tuesday, July 8, 2014

Cache Creek Casino
Tuesday, November 4, 2014

Chukchansi Casino
Tuesday, January 13, 2015

Reno Casinos
March 8-10, 2015

Jackson Rancheria Casino
Tuesday, May 5, 2015

Red Hawk Casino
Tuesday, July 7, 2015

Reno Casinos
September 13-15, 2015

Colusa Casino
Tuesday, November 10, 2015

All the day trips will be at least a 5 hour stay.

Parking:

Capitol Expressway & Hwy 87 Park-n-Ride, South Lot, Section G.
Depart: 7:30 am
Openings exist for all trips. Call today!

Contact: **Topsy Thompson**
408-377-4314,
topray4314@att.net

We are now starting our Summer League. Why don't you give us a try? Come down and bowl with us! We would love to have you. We have 7 teams and could use more.

We bowl at Cambrian Bowl, starting at 9:30 am every Wednesday morning.

Topsy Thompson,
408-377-4314

Short Golf soon to be Tee-2-Tee Golf

Deep Cliff Golf Course in Cupertino

Breaking News! Starting with the June tournament, the "Short 18 Hole Golf Club" will be called "Tee-2-Tee Golf!"

May 1, 2014: The weather was was hot and humid. We had a turnout of 14 players. The Format-of-Play was "Individual Golf."

Men

1 st Place	Rich Campbell	54	4 th Place	Jim Stonehouse	59
2 nd Place	Darrel Jensen	57	5 th Place	Ray Mesa	60
3 rd Place	Ray Jelesky	58			

Closest-to-Pin #16

Men

1st Place Dave Fitting 16' 5"

Women

Chris Oba 9' 2"

The next golf dates are June 5, July 3 and August 7. Play starts at **10:00 am** sharp. Please be there by **9:30 am** to sign in and get your lunch ticket.

If you wish to play, call Helen at **408-264-6296** or email Bill Bartz (bartz.bill@yahoo.com) and bring your check to the golf course on the day of the tournament.

Sign-ups are on a first-come-first-served basis.

Make checks payable for **\$26.00** to "Tee-2-Tee Golf."

Note: DeDe will be unavailable until further notice for medical reasons. Clara will be "Out-Of Commission" for six to eight months. So, do not send any checks to her!

If it rains, call Deep Cliff Golf Course to find out if we have canceled, 408-253-5357, extension 5.

Happy Golfing to All!

DeDe Corral 408-378-6470

Helen Wehner 408-264-6296

Bill Bartz 408-971-8928

Par Tee Golf

Watson Tournament Golf starts July 21. See web site for details.

Attention: IBM Employees, Spouses, Dependents & Retirees. The 2014 IBM Watson Golf Schedule and Application forms are posted on the Retiree Web Site www.ibmsjrc.org

Spring Valley May 5, 2014. The Shot-of-the-Day goes to Kathy La Scola. On #11, a 124-yard par 3, Kathy chipped her 3rd shot from 20 yards into the cup for par. Great shot, Kathy! We had a nice turnout of 51 players. The format of play was 2 Best Ball Foursome. Here are the results:

Place/Score

1/110 Jim Sitter
2/114 Darrell Jones
3/116 Greg Seaton

Team

Dick Liu
Rich Campbell
Ron Scaglione

Bob Foote
Chris Oba
Bob Goetze

Tim Connelly
Jim Sitter* * = Blind Draw
Bill Irish

Closest-To-Pin:

#2

#4

#7

#11

#16

Men

Ron Scaglione 8' 5"	Terry Gray 8' 0"	Tony Scalora 6' 10"	Pat Arnett 1' 10"	John Grewohl 11' 0"
Andy La Scola 8' 9"	Paul Clem 8' 3"	Bud Crockett 8' 9"	James Taubodo 16' 11"	Carl Woodland 20' 9"
Tim Connelly 17' 9"	Dennis Mitchell 9' 5"	Jim Sitter 12' 10"	Ray Sanchez 17' 1"	Darell Bellah 38' 2"

Future

Course

Cost/Due Date

Notes

June 2 Rancho Canada West \$40.00/May 22 Includes Prize Fund, Cart optional, Format = 2 Best Ball Foursome

July 14 Boulder Creek \$40.00/June 26 Includes Prize Fund, Cart optional, Lunch Coupon-

Team Scramble/Wilson Handicap

August 11 Pajaro Valley \$40.00/ July 23 Cart Optional - Format = 2 best ball foursome Bob Slater Memorial

Notes:

- The monthly golf results and the 2014 schedule can be seen on the IBM Retirement Club web site: www.ibmsjrc.org
- To get an NCGA Membership Card through the Par Tee Golf Club, contact **Terry Gray 408-629-8893**, or send an email to: tgolf18@aol.com. The cost is **\$52.00**.
- Prices and dates are subject to change. Be sure to check the newsletter, web site, or call Andy, for latest information.
- Make all checks payable to "Par Tee Golf." Please make your checks for only one tournament at a time. (If you are signing up for two tournaments, send two checks). The mailing address for sign ups is:

Par Tee Golf , P.O. Box 53535, San Jose, CA 95153-0535

- Include your NCGA number, home phone number, and your e-mail address, if I don't already have them. Indicate which foursome you wish to play with, or I will assign you to one. (Note: If you do not sign up as a foursome, your group may be split up.)

Hikes

Hike: San Bruno Mountain

Friday, June 27, 2014, 9:30 am

Beautiful panoramas and some late wildflowers highlight this hike on 2266 acres at San Bruno Mountain State and County Park's Summit Loop and Dairy Ravine trails (about 4 miles, 2.5 hours, 725' elevation gain). The mountain, 1314 feet high, dominates the northern Peninsula landscape between San Francisco, Brisbane, South San Francisco and Colma. The mountain's most extensive and varied displays of annual flowers are found on some 150 acres on the April Brook slopes known as the Flower Garden, a carpet of color from March through May with blossoms every step of the way. Yes, this is a June hike, and may not be as colorful as the April hike, but it will still be nice. Stone outcrops by the trail form rock gardens. Pink-hued succulents, small polypody ferns and thick-leaved daisies fill the crevices. After reaching the summit, we'll eat at the picnic tables near the Park Entrance. After lunch, if you wish, join us strolling about 3 miles of the Saddle Loop and Bog trails (150' elevation gain.)

Take 101 to South San Francisco Exit 426A, "Bayshore Blvd./Brisbane." Go north on Bayshore Blvd for 2.1 miles. Turn left onto Guadalupe Canyon Parkway and go 3.3 miles. Turn right into the Park Entrance on the north side of the Parkway (no entrance fee for seniors on weekdays). Meet near the restrooms at 9:30 AM. Come prepared for wind, rain, fog and sun, and beautiful views of the City, the Farallon Islands, Mt. Tam, and Mt. Diablo. Bring water and lunch.

Carpool at 8:00 AM from the Cottle Road VTA lot next to the light rail stop. Rain will not cancel this hike.

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