



CHISPA NUGGET



June 2022

<p>MONTHLY MEETING WEDNESDAY JUNE 1ST DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM</p>	<p>PANCAKE BREAKFAST SUNDAY JUNE 19TH</p>	<p>up to help with setup about 4:00 PM and get the hall ready for the dinner.</p>
<p>The May member dinner had 49 guys. We had planned on having regular after dinner meeting upstairs but it didn't happen. In June we are going to conduct the meeting before the dinner starting about 6:15. By having the meeting before more of you members that eat and run will have an idea of what business is conducted at these meeting. I believe it is important that more of you become involved in the parlor.</p>	<p>Before the May breakfast I asked for some volunteers to help with breakfast. I sent an e-mail and got 2 responses. I have determined that with the front desk coverage, 4 servers so one of them can take a break, 3 in the kitchen we probably should have at least 8 people signed up. I think it is time for some of you members who have not helped at any of the breakfast to contact me so we have a big enough crew to handle any number of guests who show up.</p>	<p>Some people just assume we will have enough and show up. Let's not do that this time so call 209-728-8902 and leave your name and the number in your party. Let's make this a success by having a big crowd. I hope to see you there for a fine dinner and our raffle.</p>
<p>Since I forgot to put together this newsletter well after the meeting I am not sure who did all the work but you can bet it was probably usual regular guys, Rocky Chick, Bert Abreo, Glen Plowman, Dick Terry, and Mike Cilenti. I know that Skip Hoy was at the bar and he may have been but I'm not sure. As usual the dinner was spectacular and the steaks were big and juicy. Another fine meal. I will keep reminding you to call in your reservation by noon on the Monday before the meeting so we can feed all the brothers.</p>	<p>I do know that at least one of our normal helpers will be away so hopefully I will get more than 2 responses. The crew of 7 for the breakfast was Eric Mackintosh, Ron Rivera, Glenn Berry, Bruce Ross, Bert Abreo, Dan Holley, and Rocky Chick. We had the tip can for donations to our parlor at both March and the April breakfasts.</p>	<p>FINAL DUES NOTICE UPDATE</p> <p>We ended up with 2 members who haven't paid their dues. If these guys haven't paid their dues by July 1st they will be dropped from our roster. Here are the two: Michael Hinks, and Timothy Thompson.</p>
<p>As I said in the last Nugget we did pass out anniversary pins to several members. Here are the guys who received their pins after the dinner. We hadn't passed out pins for a couple of years so we did have a big list.</p>	<p>It worked out well since we had a small crowd and we also had a small crew. I am hoping that for the June breakfast we will get a couple more helpers. I will continue to harp on having more and more members attend. For now \$8 for all you can eat. The doors open from 7:30 until 11:30. Let's have more of you brothers attend.</p>	<p>MISSING E-MAIL FOR RECEIVING NUGGET</p> <p>I will continue to send out the newsletter to the 31 who don't have an e-mail address or access to the internet. The following 6 people have notified me that they want to receive the Nugget by mail so these 6 will continue to receive the newsletter after the August deadline: Betty Raggio, Diane Stewart, Deanna Taaffe, John Kautz, Margaret DiDio, and Douglas Joses. One other person Bill Schwoerer said he goes to the hall all the time so he doesn't want the Nugget mailed.</p>
<p>Bob Loeffler - 60 year pin Rocky Chick, Bob Middleton, Gary Anderson - 25 year pins Jim Bidwell, Tom Kingshill - 20 year pins Urban Gomes, Steve Gonzales, Dick Terry - 15 year pins Tom Woodburn, Ed Miske - 10 year pins Dan Holley, Ernie Wilberg, Steve Mather, Dan Young - 5 year pins</p>	<p>RIBS FRIDAY, JUNE 17TH</p>	<p>Since the May Nugget I have only received a single new e-mail. I will continue to mail the newsletter to these 6 people but if I haven't been notified that you don't have access to either the internet or an e-mail as of the August newsletter you will no longer receive the Nugget. I have to assume you are not reading it.</p>
<p>EXECUTIVE BOARD IN JUNE</p>	<p>As you all know we didn't have a social in May because of Grand Parlor activities. For June we are planning another of my favorites, Ribs. The dinner will come with whatever the chefs decide but I know that any of you that have attended this meal in the past you know it's always a great meal.</p>	<p>I understand that some people don't have internet access so please call the number of the hall at the bottom of the page and leave your name and let us know that you want the newsletter mailed and you will</p>
<p>We are going to have our executive board meeting in June and it will take place as always on the 3rd Wednesday of the month and in June the date is the 15th. All officers are expected to attend this meeting so please set this date aside and be there at 5:00 PM.</p>	<p>I want any and all of you that plan to attend to make sure you get your reservations in by June 14th. As with all our meals we need a count so we order properly.</p>	
	<p>If you have time we can you please show</p>	

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Gemini May 21 - June 20 Geminis are often misunderstood and unappreciated for the talents they offer to the world at large.

Cancer June 21 - July 22 Getting information out of people is your forte, but heaven help someone who tries to pry info out of you.

HONORED BROTHERS Our senior June brother is Phillip Coffee who will be in 88 June. Our youngest brother in June is Zachary Phelan will be 29, a remarkable 59 years younger.

June birthday members can get a free libation at the June member dinner. Just tell the bartender that June is your birthday month. Happy Birthday to you 9 brothers.

BIRTHDAY BROTHERS

1	Dave	Wells
4	Bob	Moncada
10	Edward	Miske
11	Philip	Coffee
13	Tim	Martell
16	Bob	Hillis
16	Paul	Turounet
18	Doug	Joses
25	Zachary	Phelan

Editors note: We recently found out that Grand Parlor may not be able to handle renewing our fire insurance. As all of you know all buildings in the foothills throughout the state have had the cost of fire insurance go up dramatically. Grand Parlor was notified by the carrier that they would not be renewing the policy. Grand Parlor has

been using a blanket coverage policy for many of the parlors buildings throughout the state.

We received an e-mail from Tom Perazzo, Grand Secretary, saying we should try to get a better rate than the \$6,433 they got from the California Fair Plan high risk insurance group. Several officers looked in to finding a better price but none is available. The executive board decided renew our coverage through Grand Parlor. I have recently been happy to report our finances are in pretty decent shape. A big bill that is more than double the rate we paid last year will put us in poor financial shape for the future.

Editors note: At our June 1st member dinner we had a guest speaker Neal Parrish, discussing the problems that many veterans are facing. Neal is the new Veterans Program Coordinator. The Calaveras Veterans Services Office is sponsored by : Calaveras County Mental Health Services Act. The Veterans Service Office is located at 300 W. Daphne Street Valley Spring, CA 95242. Neal specializes in: Substance Use Disorders

- Recognizing signs of emotional/behavioral disorders
- Feelings of isolation, grief and depression due to loss
- Recovery Process, Personal centeredness
- Anger Management
- Conflict Resolution
- Domestic Violence
- VA and VSO referrals
- Referrals to Self Help Groups Behavioral Health Resources

In June there are 2 Veterans Anger Management Educational Group sessions. They are being held at the Calaveras Veterans Services Office on June 14th and June 28th from 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm. In addition there are 2 Welcome Veterans To a Support group sessions. Don't miss the opportunity, come join your fellow comrades in a neutral environment. These are being held at the Veterans Services office as well on June 14th and June 28th from 10:00-11:30 am.

Neal is available for Group and one-on-one consultations. He can be contacted directly at (209) 754-6624 or Cell (209)419-7178 or by e-mail: nparrsh@co.calaveras.ca.us.

I know that many of you brothers are veterans so if you have a friend that needs help let them know. Also you should check to see if you or they are eligible for benefits and or upgrade benefits for service connected veterans with Brian Galica VSO & Angela Sheble VSR.

MAY MEMBER DINNER

With 49 people in attendance we had a nice raffle. We ended up with 4 happy raffle winners and all of them donated back to Cleft Palate/ Historical Preservation Fund. As you can see by the donation amounts all of our winners were very generous. Here are the 4 winners.

Amount	Name	CP/HPF Donation
\$20	Dan Young	\$20
\$30	Tony McDaniel	\$30
\$40	Kenny Gaultney	\$20
\$50	Bill Cooper	\$50

I want to thank all of you who participated and special thanks to the winners who all donated.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS JUNE

- June 1 - Member Dinner
- June 15 - Executive Board meeting
- June 17 - Social - Ribs
- June 19 - Pancake Breakfast
- June 19 - Father's Day

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