

January/February 2016



Northern California Forest Service Retirees



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Welcome to a New Year!

NCFSR's Next Luncheon Tuesday, February 9, 2016

Social Hour with no host bar 11:00 AM

Lunch served at 12:00 Noon

Sons of Italy Lodge

4850 Cedars Road, Redding CA

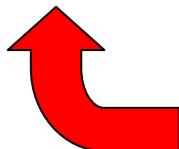
(corner of Cedars and Kenyon Drive)

\$20.00 per person--Reservations REQUIRED!

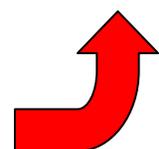
FROM NORTHBOUND I-5, Take the Churn Creek Road Exit 675, turn left--this is South Bonneyview Road. Cross over freeway. Continue on South Bonneyview Road to Hwy 273 (about 2 miles). Turn right onto Hwy 273 and go 1.1 miles to Kenyon Dr. Turn left onto Kenyon Dr. Take the second right onto Cedars Road. 4850 Cedars Rd is on the corner of Cedars & Kenyon.

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Due to circumstances beyond our control, it is imperative that all of us call or e-mail concerning our luncheon attendance. This will be the case from now on. More and more facilities are requiring an accurate headcount prior to the luncheon and are charging us for lunches not served! Mark your calendar for Tuesday, February 9th and please contact Charlie & Adda at 530-242-1033 or chasbhr@aol.com or Jim & Mary Hanrahan at 530-226-9591 or hanrahanfire@hotmail.com if you are planning to attend. **RESERVATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER FEBRUARY 4th.** Please note this important information as well as the increased cost of lunch.



IMPORTANT INFO HERE
--DID YOU CATCH IT?



Co-Chairs' Corner *Charlie & Adda Gripp*

We are moving into 2016, looking forward with our group for a good year! Sid & Katherine Nobles deserve our heartfelt thanks for bringing us through the past year. We welcome Peter & Diane Tolosano as vice-chairs for this year. There were 81 attendees at the December gathering, a nice turnout. We are looking at McCloud in May, Dry Creek Station in September, and back to Win-River for Christmas. Due to rising costs, we must ask for confirmation on your attendance in the future. We now have to give head counts and must pick up the cost of meals when we do not meet the guarantees. Life is now less simple and more costly. We will keep costs down the best we can. Also, your help is needed to get more retirees into our group. We hope to have a great turnout for our Sons of Italy luncheon in February, with an Italian meal featuring Chicken Marsala! Bring a Forest Service friend. And yes, there is a need to confirm your attending the luncheon on February 9. More info about making your reservation is on the other side of the newsletter. Hope to see you there.

DUES FOR 2016 ARE NOW DUE @ \$5.00 PER PERSON. From now on, when you mail in your \$5.00 annual dues, please send it to Bob at: Bob Nelson, 4021 Roesner Avenue, Redding CA 96002 DO NOT SEND YOUR DUES TO TREASURER RICKI MILLER.

In Memoriam: Lynn Thomas, Paul Siegel, Rueanna Sharrah

Raffle Items and Donors for December 2015 meeting: Wine--Sid & Katherine Nobles, Jim & Mary Hanrahan, Dave Rhodes, Hank & Ginger Martinez, Terri Decker, Bill & Jan Pliler, Denny & Judy Bungarz, Gift baskets--Tom & Edie Adams, Secret Santa, Peter & Diane Tolosano, Food Items--Loretta Benkosky, Pat & Lee Bunnell, Julian Howell, Betty Lachenmeyer, Tom Jackson, Janet Tyrrel, Betty Gray, John Church, Flossie Beaver, Maxine Adams, Ken Showalter, Books--Sid & Katherine Nobles, Betty Gray, John Church, Jim Gordon, Christmas items--Charlie & Adda Gripp, Jim & Mary Hanrahan, Bob & Louise Marshall, Dorothea McNamara, Other Gifts--Dave & Linda Sinclear, Dave Shaw, Ricki Miller, Sandra Park, Bob & Sharon Nelson, Bill & Novella Young, Larry Cabodi, Iliamna Weisgerber, Pat Tomasin, Jenny Church

New Members at December meeting Welcome to new members, Sandra Park of Redding and John Thompson of Weaverville!

A Note from the Editors: Our goal is to publish the NCF SR newsletter 30 days before the next scheduled luncheon. For those who receive it by e-mail, please remember the Internet has its glitches!! If your e-mail address is rejected on the first try, we will attempt to e-mail you a second time with the newsletter. If that fails, we will mail your newsletter to you the old fashioned way and move your name to the "snail" mailing list. With almost 200 members, we're proud that there is usually just five newsletters that go astray each time. Make sure we have your current contact information. **Read the newsletter. Keep the newsletter handy for information. Mark your calendar today!**

Reminder: Dedication of the Bob Kersh Loft will take place at North Ops
on Thursday, January 14, 2016 at 11 AM.

*Remember--our May meeting will be TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2016 IN McCLOUD
AT THE SQUAW VALLEY RIDING CLUB.*



See you in Redding on February 9th. Bring your pop tabs, raffle gifts & library books.