

November/December 2013 Newsletter



Next Luncheon: Tuesday, December 10, 2013
Social Hour with No-Host Bar: 11:30 a.m. (new start time)
Sit-down lunch will be served at 12:00 p.m.
Lunch is \$15.00 each
Win River Casino/Hotel
2100 Rancheria Road, Redding, CA
AND... we will gladly accept your 2014 dues @ \$5.00/person

DIRECTIONS From I-5 North or South follow the signs to Win River Casino.
Over nitters: If you decide to make a reservation at the new Win River Casino/Hotel, tell them you will be attending a banquet for the NCF SR. Quote: \$89.95/room. Call 530-243-3377 or use their website: www.winrivercasino.com.

Chair's Corner:

Our September's meeting was an ***Aloha*** success with approximately 73 members dressed in various Hawaiian attire. Next time, maybe the Hula will be performed.

We have enjoyed meeting most of you; listening to "old shop talk", and reminiscing the "*remember when the Forest Service did it that way*". From our library, we have read entertaining stories about Forest Service employees' careers. We hope you have started a journal or written some of your life's journey. To you, it may not be important, but the generations after, will appreciate it. Our grandmothers would always scold our grandfathers re-telling stories of their younger days. We always encouraged them to tell it "one more time"!

At our next meeting, let's reminisce about the good old days.... Our ***DECEMBER THEME is ROLLING WITH THE HOLIDAY CLASSICS***~ "Vintage clothes~ suits, dresses, shirts, classy hats, and accessories. Let's get everyone out of the house for our last luncheon of the year.

Best Wishes to All~ *Dave & Linda Sinclear*, Co-Chairs

In Memoriam: John H. Murray

New Members: David & Audrey Scott, Nancy Alexander

Guests: David P. Rhodes II, Keri Shaffer

September Raffle Items: Sandy & Jerry Brogan(wine), Bob & Sharon Nelson(patio frog), Dorothea McNamara(scented candle), Dave Rhodes(wine), Bob Hill(wine/USFS wallet), Dave

& Linda Sinclear(Kona beer), Kenton Clark(antique fire prevention poster), Sid & Katherine Nobles(wine), Jim Hanrahan(wine), Richard Gibson(cheese), Ricki Miller(potted mums), Jackie Thunborg(party cup), Eileen Sullivan(cookie jar), Don Lampe(wine), John Wilczynski(wine), Jerry Anderson(wine), Sharon & Larry Wright(book /wine), Pat & Lee Bunnell(potted mums), Larry & Revee Cabodi(wine/potted mums), and Ken Showalter(cheese). Many thanks for donating and providing more fun to our meetings!

Newsletter News! Thanks to Alice and Bob Forbes who have retired yet again from another USFS job: producing our informative and entertaining newsletter. Those duties have now been taken on by Jim and Mary Hanrahan, and this December newsletter is the first edition under their management. If, for some reason, you or someone you know did not receive a newsletter for the upcoming December 2013 meeting, please contact Jim at (530)226-9591 or at hanrahanfire@hotmail.com. Newsletters will be e-mailed or mailed six weeks prior to the next meeting. **PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR WITH MEETING INFORMATION!** We will be working the glitches out in the coming months. By the way, we have both e-mail and hard copy versions of the newsletter. For this issue, we will not be including any photographs from previous meetings, but look forward to managing that in future editions.

2014 Membership Dues: \$5.00/person If you would like to continue to receive the newsletters and attend the luncheons, please pay your 2014 dues at the December luncheon or mail your check to: Bob & Sharon Nelson, 2014 Co-Chairs. See address below. Make checks payable to: NCFSR. Thank you for your continuing support.

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Vote for Vice Chairs at the December

Bring your raffle items and pop tops. No library in
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Mark your calendars~~
Our next meeting is Tuesday, February 11, 2014
At the Red Bluff Elks Lodge

