



2024 NATIONAL MEETING & DELEGATES GATHERING

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“KOV Celebrates 60 Years!”

Our 2024 National Meeting and Gathering of Delegates will be hosted by the Chancellery Chapter in and around Sacramento, California from April 11 - 13. It will be a wonderful time for our members to come together for great camaraderie. Please make your plans to attend. All members in good standing are welcome to attend, however, only chapter delegates may vote at the Delegate's Meeting which is just a small part of the schedule of events for the weekend. If you are unable to attend all of the events due to other commitments, you are welcome to register for those that do fit into your calendar.

Events start in Sacramento on **Thursday, April 11** with a Meet & Greet hosted at [Baker Family Wines](#). Wine will be available with a special KOV discount so you can freely choose among a number of great wines that are offered. Master Commander Chik Brenneman will have picnic-style tables reserved for our group and a food truck on-site for this casual evening together. Come & go or come & stay from 3 – 9 pm. Dinner is on your own. Sacramento is the undisputed capital of the American Farm to Fork Movement, and there are many fantastic dining options, from high-end restaurants to casual. Should you wish to make plans for dinner elsewhere, we highly recommend you do some exploring and make reservations *WELL in advance*.

[Localis](#) \$\$\$\$ - 2301 S Street

[Waterboy](#) \$\$\$\$ - 2000 Capitol Avenue

[Grange](#) \$\$\$\$ - 926 J Street

[The Firehouse](#) \$\$\$ - 1112 2nd Street

[The Pilothouse at the Delta King](#) \$\$\$ - 1000 Front Street

[Prelude](#) \$\$\$ - 117 11th Street

[Ella](#) \$\$\$ - 1131 K Street

[Camden Spit & Larder](#) \$\$\$ - 555 Capitol Mall

[Willow Sacramento](#) - \$\$\$ 1006 4th Street

[Mulvaney's](#) - \$\$\$ 1215 19th Street

[Paragary's](#) \$\$\$ - 1401 28th Street

[Brasserie du Monde](#) \$\$\$ - 1201 K Street

[Echo & Rig](#) \$\$\$ - 500 NW J Street

[Adamo's](#) \$\$ - 2107 P Street

[Hiso](#) \$\$ 524 - 12th Street

[Hawkes Public House](#) \$\$ - 1525 Alhambra Boulevard

[Cafe Bernardo](#) in the Fort Sutter Tapestry Hotel 1308 28th Street - Good for breakfast or lunch.

[Vinces](#) - Old school Italian and steak sandwich spot. Casual 840 Harbor Boulevard, West Sacramento (ideal for Thursday after Baker Family Wines)

Our **Delegates Meeting** will be held on **Friday, April 12** at the [Rio City Café](#) in Old Sacramento, located on the banks of the Sacramento River. While the delegates are having their business meeting, their partners, guests, and other KOV members are invited to coffee and a light brunch across the street at the historic home of KOV member, Bunnie Day, hosted by the women of the Chancellery Chapter. Although complimentary, we would kindly request an RSVP to know how many non-delegates to plan for.

Following both events, we will have lunch alongside the Sacramento River. Our lunch will conveniently be held at the same location as the business meeting making this an easy decision! Our meeting and lunch are open to everyone. Even if you do not plan to attend the meeting, we'd still love for you to join us for lunch!

After lunch, you may choose to visit some area wineries or museums. Here are some suggestions:

[The Shops of Old Sacramento](#) – 125 attractions: candy stores, souvenir shops, costume vendors, a Ferris wheel and merry-go-round, cobblestone streets (wear comfortable, flat shoes), fifty-three historic buildings that have survived epic floods and fires.

[The California State Railroad Museum](#) – open 10 to 5, 111 I (eye) Street, in Old Sacramento, home to 225,000 square feet of restored railroad cars and locomotives, tracing the railroad history of the west. An easy walk from our lunch location.

[The Museum of Science and Curiosity](#) – MOSAC – 400 Jibboom Street in Sacramento. MOSAC is Sacramento's newest science center, whose mission is to inspire people of all ages to explore the possibilities of science through hands-on activities.

[The Old Sugar Mill](#) – 35265 Willow Avenue, Clarksburg – built in 1934 as a sugar beet refinery, now a fun location with fourteen wine tasting rooms. A lovely fifteen-minute drive from downtown Sacramento following the river levees.

[The Crocker Museum](#) – 216 O Street. Featuring the world's foremost display of California art.

Friday evening, we will Celebrate KOV at 60! at the historic [Sutter Club](#) with a Gala Dinner highlighted by an Enthronement Ceremony as we welcome new members. It will be a great evening of friends, wine, food and music! You won't want to miss this chance to dine at one of the oldest private clubs in California, listed on the National Registry of Historic Places. Designed in the California Mission style of architecture, it was built in 1930 by its founders, the "forty-niners" who came west to seek their fortunes.

On **Saturday, April 13** we hope you'll join us as we visit two area wineries and a fantastic send-off meal for some more KOV memories. We will drive approximately 45 miles to the first winery, then another 15 to the second, followed by a late lunch/early dinner at the home of Knights Glenys and Jim Kaye in Roseville.

Below are all the details for our official KOV events.

Thursday, April 11

3:00 – 9:00 p.m. – [Baker Family Wines](#), **2568 Industrial Blvd #120, West Sacramento**. Come anytime and stay as long as you like for this casual "Meet & Greet". There is no cost to attend other than what you choose to purchase. You may purchase glasses or bottles of Baker Family Wines at special KOV pricing. A food truck will be on-site if you'd like to hang with your

friends. Dress for this event is casual. Come any time after 3:00 pm. Or stop by for a visit and wine before heading off to any of the nearby restaurants (see list provided) for dinner.

Friday, April 12

8:45 a.m. – Delegates Meeting, [Rio City Café](#), **1110 Front St, Sacramento**.

All members in good standing are welcome to attend and observe, however, only chapter-designated delegates may participate in the meeting.

9:30 – 11 a.m. – Light Brunch by the Chancellery Chapter ladies for guests not attending the Delegates Meeting. Hosted by Bunnie Day at her historic home at **1027 Front Street**; just across from the Rio City Café.

12:30 – 2:00 p.m. – Lunch at the [Rio City Café](#) alongside the Sacramento River.
\$55 per person (*Price includes all beverages except wine.*)

5:00 – 10:00 p.m. – Grand Celebration & Gala Dinner Celebrating 60 Years of KOV and Enthronement Ceremony, [Sutter Club](#), **1220 9th Street**. Vehicle parking in the Sutter Garage is prepaid. Access to the Sutter Club parking garage is at 824 L Street; then use the 2nd floor bridgeway to enter the Sutter Club.

\$225 per person

Formal/Cocktail Attire

Saturday, April 13

Wine Tasting at two wineries on the [Placer Wine Trail](#); Rancho Roble Winery and Casque Wines. Both of these vintners are Chancellery Chapter Knights! You may not have known that Placer County once had more grapes in production than Napa Valley and Sonoma Valley *combined*. During prohibition, grapes were replaced with citrus, pears, and apples. Now the vines are back and the 25 wineries on the trail are thriving!

10:30- Located about 45 minutes from the downtown Sacramento area, enjoy the beautiful drive to our first tasting at [Rancho Roble Winery](#), a magnificent lake-side property at **340 Fleming Road in Lincoln**. Knight Kari Hazen will introduce us to four of her specialty wines and give you a tour of this excellent estate where Kari was enthroned in 2021. (Breaking news! Her 2022 Reunion Red Blend just won a Gold Medal in the SF Chronicle Competition!)

12:30 - Next, we'll head to Knight Kevin Stevenson's [Casque Wines](#), **9280 Horseshoe Bar Road in Loomis**, where you'll be treated to more gracious hospitality and great wines. Kevin is a long-standing member of KOV, and his grapes have been the backbone of numerous award-winning wines. If you're looking for a quick bite to eat, Casque tasting room is located on the Flower Farm property which serves a lovely lunch or quick snack before our lunch later. Also, you might find a food truck there.

\$30 covers both wineries

3:00 p.m. – An event not to be missed! We'll gather for a final meal together midafternoon. Let's call it "Linner"! Relax at the home of Knights Glenys and Jim Kaye, **4019 Ravensworth Place in a gated community in Roseville**, for a catered event overlooking the Morgan Creek golf course. This meal will include a very interesting educational component in this final event. At 3 p.m. a special presentation of Pinots around the world will be given by our very own Sommelier, Sudsy Torbek, followed by a tasting of some hard-to-find Pinot Noir from the

Central Otago region of New Zealand. The event includes heavy gourmet hors d'oeuvres from the best restaurant in Roseville and our Chancellery gourmet chefs plus, of course, plentiful wine. It will be an extraordinary gathering!

\$85 per person (limited to 40 persons)

Casual

Sunday, April 14

For those travelers looking for a place to relax while waiting for their departing flights or your next adventure, please stop by Chik and Polly Brenneman's home at **820 Fremont Way in Sacramento**. The coffee pot will be on and it's likely you might enjoy yet another fine California wine before heading to the airport with fond memories of another great KOV experience. Bon Voyage, everyone!

Hotels

We suggest that you make your own hotel reservations in the Downtown Sacramento area. You may favor a particular brand of hotel or wish to use points! No events are actually held in a hotel so there is no "host" hotel.

Here's a map showing some of the hotels closest to our two downtown venues:



- 1. Assemblage, Sutter Club**
- 2. Delegates meeting, Rio City Cafe**
- 3. Sawyer Hotel**
- 4. Holiday Inn**

- 5. Hyatt Regency**
- 6. Hyatt Centric**
- 7. Citizens Hotel**
- 8. Embassy Suites (Hilton)**

Downtown Hotels

[Hyatt Regency](#) – 1209 L Street. (0.3 miles from the Sutter Club)

[Hyatt Centric Downtown](#) – 1122 7th Street. (0.3 miles from the Sutter Club)

[Holiday Inn](#) – 300 J Street. (0.7 miles from the Sutter Club)

[Embassy Suites](#) – 100 Capitol Mall. (1.2 miles from the Sutter Club and next door to the Saturday morning events)

[Citizen Hotel](#) – 926 J Street. (0.5 miles from the Sutter Club)

[Marriott Hotel – Residence Inn](#) - 1121 15th Street. (0.7 miles from the Sutter Club)

[Fort Sutter Tapestry Hotel](#) - 1308 28th Street (1.6 miles from the Sutter Club)

Wineries

As you can imagine, there are simply too many wineries around Sacramento for you to explore fully in the short time you are here for the National Meeting. Come early, stay longer, and check out these areas [Yolo County Wines](#), [Placer Wine Trail](#), [Sacramento Wineries](#). And if you want to take a drive into gold country, you'll be amazed in [Amador Wine Country](#)

If you have questions or need additional recommendations as you plan your visit, please email Commander Chik Brenneman at charlesbrenneman@gmail.com

We look forward to seeing you in Sacramento for our National Meeting! Please make your plans and let us know you are coming!