

Bay Area Intel Retiree Organization

Annual Dinner October 16, 2014

More than 50 Intel retirees gathered for our annual dinner and Intel business update at Michael's Shoreline Restaurant in Mountain View. It was an enjoyable evening of catching up with familiar faces and meeting a number of those new to our ranks. Several 2014 retirees joined those of us who retired over the past 15 years or so. We warmed to each other again over glasses of wine and hellos, with the occasional stroll over to the sports bar in the adjoining room, to check on the San Francisco Giants vs. St. Louis Cardinals championship baseball game.

Cheryl Pruss, Intel Retiree Organization Vice President and Benefits Committee Chairperson, our event host, welcomed us and introduced this year's guest speaker, Michael Greene, Intel Vice President and General Manager of System Technology & Optimization, Intel's Software and Services Group. She also introduced our long-time advocate and one of our several sponsors at Intel, Devra Johnson, HR Director, as well as the IRO volunteers present: Cindy Romero, Valerie Kohl, Marilyn Bloom and Howard High.

After introductions, Cheryl reminded us of the upcoming dates for Open Enrollment (Oct. 27, 2014-Nov. 14, 2014), the Intel Involved deadline (Jan. 15, 2015) and the Community Giving Campaign deadline (Oct. 31, 2014). She then provided a great Retiree Benefits update and an opportunity to ask questions. The Benefits packet should be arriving shortly in the mail. Cheryl suggested we review the contents and, should we have questions, to contact the Intel Benefits hotline or to email the questions to our [mailbox](#).

A tasty and filling buffet dinner preceded the business update.

Our guest speaker, Michael Greene, gave an enlightening, enthusiastic and well received update on Intel's outstanding quarterly results (16% growth year-over-year, 14.6B in Revenue, 104M units shipped!) and a forward-looking product line-up. He spoke of industrial devices with interactive computing and wearables, such as a bracelet with biometrics, watches and headsets. Some of the wearables should be available by this Christmas. Intel is partnering with the Michael J. Fox Foundation using wearables to measure biometrics for Parkinson's research. A new Google product will be using Intel products. Intel TV continues to be under consideration. The event was made even more memorable when the Giants won their playoff game (6-3), securing a slot at the World Series during Q & A!

We rounded off the evening raffling off eight prizes: a Saratoga Chocolates gift basket, *The Intel Trinity* book, three very nice bottles of wine, a \$50 gift certificate to Phil's Fish Market in Moss Landing, and two groupings of products from the Intel store: a smash light, a "smart wallet", a remote camera clicker and a few other items.

Our sincere thanks to Intel for its continued sponsorship of IRO and for subsidizing the dinner and to Tom Waldrop, Intel Press Relations, goes a special call-out thanks for donating a copy of *The Intel Trinity*. And we thank Saratoga Chocolates, for the gift basket. We also thank Hiro Koshimizu, our tireless IRO Santa Clara photographer. Check out all the pictures [here](#).

We had a good time! Hope to see you there next year!