

FRATELLANZA WOMEN'S SOCIAL CLUB BULLETIN

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BOARD MEMBER

MESSAGE
By Nancy
McDonough



Greetings members!

The September meeting with a great number of members in attendance produced much needed results. The Nominating Committee – Patty Pistello, Joan Bozzone, and Nancy Ingram, provided a report of their efforts to secure candidates for the open positions in 2025. We will have a President! Rozz Cantisani has accepted the nomination for the office and will be on the ballot of candidates at our October meeting, This is great news for our club and the leadership group of the Fratellanza Women's Social Club.

DRIVE-THRU CLUB LUNCHEON

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2024

Menu: Salad, Roll & Butter, Roasted Pork, & Vegetable
Cost: \$20 (Wine \$5 bottle)
Pickup: 11am - 12:30pm
RSVP by September 23
fratreservations@gmail.com
(510) 764-2365 ext. 4

MEMBER'S MEETING

TUE, OCT 1, 2024

Member's Business Meetings are the 1st Tuesday of each month
6:00pm Social Hour & Spuntino
(Provided by the Men)
7:00pm Meeting Begins

CLUB OPEN
BOCCIE COURTS & BAR ROOM
1:00pm - 5:00pm
Every Wednesday

We also received reports form the successful events the Ladies' Club hosted last month – The Women's Tea, the Women's July Birthday Dinner, and the IAF Fundraiser. So much fun (and profit) for our club members and for the IAF. The Tea was amazing; apparently there is no limit to the decorating skill and talent of our members. And a big Thank You to the all the members – Women and Men – who volunteered to supply the goodies for the tea and their talent as servers, and of course the lovely Raffle gifts donated by our members.

Please review the list of upcoming events attached to the newsletter and remember, coming to these events provides much needed support for both the Women's and the Men's clubs.

Summer is coming to an end. The kids are back to school and Fall will soon be here. Enjoy the good weather while you can!

Looking forward to seeing you at the October Members' Meeting.

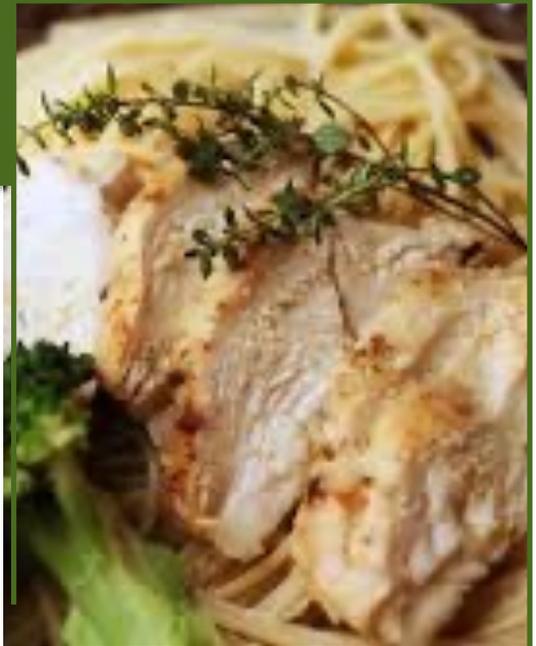
Best regards to all of you,

Nancy McDonough



**SEPTEMBER 2024
BIRTHDAY DINNER
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2024**

**CHAIR:
DIANNA
WILLYARD
AND KAREN
GARCIA**



Menu:

Fratellanza Salad, Homemade Pasta,
Roasted Half Chicken & Potatoes, Broccoli,
Coffee & Dessert

Time & Cost:

6pm Cocktails / 7pm Dinner
Cost: \$30 Members & Guests

RSVP by September 13, 2024:

PHONE: Diane Sericati at 510-526-6470 (H)
EMAIL: fwscreervations@gmail.com



HAPPY BIRTHDAY LADIES!

Remember the birthday dinners are held every other month. If your birthday falls within these two months, your birthday is complimentary this month. RSVP via one of the contacts listed above with the information for the dinner.

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Francesca Aguilera
Ina Ippolito Badgley
Judie Bellotti Boyer
Veda Bhatt
Joan Bozzone
Carmen Burks
Lori Chalifoux
Julia Rose Collins
Maria Da Maren
Carole Georgantes
Bobbie Catherine
Giarratana
Sandra (Sandy)
Jaeger
Denise Marks
Margaret L. Miglia

Mary Morrison
Linda Pearson
Susan Southworth
Diane M Guaragno
Ward
Anna Zeman

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Danielle Aguilera Malek-
Zadeh
Sophia Biel
Toni Caulfield
Wendy Cerruti
Maria L De La Rosa
Renee Frakes
Kathy Ann Frisa
Sonnie Gandola
Patrice Green
Amanda Guslani
Loretta Iacobitti
Egidia Manzone
Leslie Manzone
Nancy Matson
Velma Miles

Irene Moore
Carla Oelkers
Sandra Over
Teresa Petri
Roslyn Porter
Anna Lucille Quilici
Edith Rapella
Victoria Reno
Pamela Rossi-Heuser
Stephanie St. Onge
Denise Stenberg
Lillian Taddei
Dolores Underwood
Estelle Vetere

Special Notice:

“No shows” at our dinners are charged \$10 per ticket, to be paid by the person who made the reservation.

U P C O M I N G E V E N T S

ITALIAN NIGHT DINNER AND DANCE SAT, SEPTEMBER 14, 2024

Menu:

- Cold Cuts/Bread & Butter
- Fratellanza Salad
- Bagnette-Insalata di Pomodori
- Rigatoni with Meat Sauce
- Chicken Scallopini
- Roasted Potatoes/Sautéed Veg

Time:

5pm Cocktails/6pm Dinner

Cost:

\$35 Members/**\$40** Guests
\$17 Children under 12

Sing Along During Dinner AND Dance after Dinner to DJ Mattia Milone

RSVP:

510-764-2365 x3
fratreservations@gmail.com

EAST BAY ITALIA CLUBS BOCCE TOURNAMENT SAT, SEPTEMBER 21, 2024

Two FWSC Teams will represent at the tournament! Come cheer them on and have lunch for \$20. Tournament starts at 9AM.

POLENTA DINNER TUE, OCTOBER 15, 2024 Details to Come

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY DINNER & BAKE SALE TUE, NOVEMBER 19, 2024 Details to Come

NOTICE TO ALL BOCCE PLAYERS

The next LA COPPA bocce series tournament is scheduled for SUNDAY, September 15. Play will start at 12:30pm.

The sign-up sheet is located on the back bar or you can call the club at 510 547 9435 (leave a message) as well as call me directly at 510 432 2131.

For those of you playing in the East Bay Italian Clubs Bocce Tournament (SATURDAY, September 21, 8:30am), this is an excellent way to "fine tune" your game prior to the big event.

As always, we will provide a meal in early afternoon. The cost to play is still \$15 and a meal only is \$10. Come enjoy the fun!

gsciacero@earthlink.net
(510) 432-2131

NEW OPTION FOR DINNER RESERVATIONS

You now have the OPTION to make reservations via email! We hope this will be more convenient for some members. For those who prefer, you may still phone in your reservations to Diane Sericati.

EMAIL TO RSVP FOR YOUR DINNER RESERVATIONS: fwscreervations@gmail.com

This is NOT the same email address the men use for their reservations. Our's is for events organized by the Women's Club. When sending your reservation via email, please include the following:

- Your first AND last names
- Name of Dinner or Event
- Number of people
- Name of any member in your group celebrating a birthday

You will receive an email confirming your reservation within a day. If you don't receive a confirmation email, please check your spam folder or call to either Vicki Berndt or Diane Sericati.

FRATELLANZA WOMEN'S SOCIAL CLUB APPAREL IS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

<https://fratellanza.orderpromos.com>

THE FRATELLANZA CLUB GOES TO THE MOVIES!

Join the Fratellanza Club every SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH for an Italian/Italian-American movie. Popcorn and discussion will be included. The bar will be open to purchase drinks. This is FREE for Members and Non-Members. No reservation needed.

Time: 7:00 pm (2nd Fri of the month/unless noted)

Sep-13: La Provinciale (The Wayward Wife)

Oct-11: Ieri, Oggi e Domani (Yesterday, Today & Tomorrow)

Nov-15 (on the 3rd Friday): Umberto D.

Dec-13: Miracolo a Milano (Miracle in Milan)



Questions?

Contact Claudia Albano (510) 773-0326
SEE FLYER FOR MORE INFORMATION



SUNSHINE REPORT
By Irma Sericati
Sunshine Reporter



Dear Members:

We want to extend our sincere sympathy to our Corresponding Secretary, Lisa Borreani, and family, on the passing of Lisa's oldest sister, Rhonda Borreani, on Sunday, September 1st.

Also, Past President, Lillian Taddei, is scheduled to have surgery on her foot on September 4th. We wish her a very speedy recovery and look forward to seeing her on the dance floor soon.

Congratulations are in order; We have a new bride in our club! Renee Howley (FINALLY) married Jimmy Borreani (Lisa Borreani's triplet brother) on June 3rd. We wish them both happiness in their new marriage. So nice to be about to report such great news!!!

We also want to remember all our members who are under the weather and hope that they will be able to join us again soon.

Enjoy the last few days of summer.

If you have news of a club member who is ill, hospitalized, or deceased, please contact Irma Sericati at (510) 526-6470 or e-mail at dsramona@aol.com.

2023-2024

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