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April 2018

1140 66th Street, Oakland, California, 94608

~ Club Room Bar Open ~  
**Wednesday 1:00 - 5:00 PM**  
 Telephone (510) 547-9435

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 <b>Buona Pasqua!</b>	2	3 BoD Meeting 5:30 pm Spuntino 6 pm Members Meeting 7 pm	4 Bocce League	5 1st Birthday Dinner 7:00 pm	6 Club Closed	7 Club Closed
8	9	10	11 Bocce League	12 Club Closed	13 Club Closed	14 Club Closed
15	16	17 Club Closed	18 Bocce League (Spuntino)	19 2nd Birthday Dinner 7:00 pm	20 Club Closed	21 Family Dinner 7pm
22	23	24	25 Bocce League	26 Club Closed	27 Friday Luncheon 12 Noon	28 La Cpoa Bocce Series #2
29	30	<b>Notice to all members - Our annual Fratallanza Scholars Inc meeting will be held in conjunction with our Regular Members' meeting on Tuesday April 3th.</b>				

## Happy Birthday to our Birthday Boys!

Salvatore Attinello  
 Andrew Balistreri  
 Salvatore Barbara  
 Donald L. Biasotti  
 Mike Bucedì  
 Carl F. Cerruti  
 Al A. Cusortelli  
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 Chris Robbins  
 Gregg Tognolini  
 Joseph Tomatis  
 Kyle Vallone  
 Louie Valterza  
 David K. Yoakum

### Mark your Calendars!

Mother's Day  
 Brunch coming up  
 May 6th

Buffet Style Brunch

\$10 Per person

Please see flier  
 insert for all the  
 details!

### Members - Please Take Note

**2018 dues are \$150**

You may pay by mail  
 or in person at the  
 Club! Deadline to  
 pay is March 31st!



For reservation confirmation please use email: [fratreservations@sbcglobal.net](mailto:fratreservations@sbcglobal.net)

## 1st Birthday Dinner

April 5, 2018  
7:00 P.M.

**Chair: Rich & Basil Rago**

**Menu** — Fratellanza Salad,  
Tortellini, Beef Scallopini,  
Roasted Potatoes, Julienne  
Carrots, Dessert

**Cost** — \$20 - Members  
\$25 - Guests

Reservations by: April 3rd  
510-764-2365 ext 1

## April Family Dinner

April 21, 2018

**Cocktails:** 6pm  
**Dinner:** 7pm

**Chair: Roger Laurel &  
Bill Jones**

**Menu** — Fratellanza Salad,  
Tortellini, Roasted Chicken,  
Vegetable, Ice cream.

**Cost** — \$23 - Members  
\$28 - Guests

**Music by: DJ Albert Garcia**

*Please see flier insert!*

Reservations by: April 19th  
510-764-2365 ext 3

## 2nd Birthday Dinner

April 19, 2018  
7:00 P.M.

**Chair: Badarello & Spalasso  
Famiglia**

**Menu** — Fratellanza Salad,  
Ravioli, Sausages & Peppers,  
Ice Cream

**Cost** — \$20 - Members  
\$25 - Guests

Reservations by: April 17th  
510-764-2365 ext 2

## Friday Luncheon

***Fourth Friday this month!  
(April 27th)***

Risotto,  
Roast Beef

Cost - **To be Determined**

Call the Fratellanza Club for  
reservations: 510-547-9435

(Please: No email  
reservations for this event)

**Clubroom Bar Open**  
Wednesday 1:00 - 5:00 PM  
All prices include sales tax  
Phone 510-547-9435



## Columbus Day Queen Contest

The Fratellanza Club is currently seeking single young ladies between the ages of 16 to 25 to represent our club in the upcoming Columbus Day Queen Contest, to be held this summer. A Queen will be selected and all remaining contestants will become Princesses for the year. The Queen and Princesses are sponsored by the Clubs of the Italian American Federation of the East Bay.

All candidates must be of Italian descent and may be a daughter, granddaughter, great granddaughter, niece, cousin or any female relative of any member of the Fratellanza Club or the Fratellanza Women's Social Club. Applications are available from Fratellanza Club President Tim Tomei, Fratellanza Women's Social Club President Marilyn Sibitz or Italian American Federation President Ron Blair.

## Many Hands Make Light Work

We are also looking to establish a team that would be willing to come to the club and set tables the day of the dinner. Their work would be compensated with a free dinner that same evening. Wait staff helpers needed as well!

If you are interested in helping out please contact Tim Tomei (510) 481-7408 or Sally Accurso (510) 908-0706.

**From our President -**

Hello members,  
 We had a fantastic 2nd birthday dinner in February. Our Pork Roast was delicious. Thank you to our cooks, Don Nicole, Angelo Marchi & Vito Muscardin, who also doubled as our dinner chairman.  
 A sellout crowd attend our first Crab feed. We had a great time and the crab was great. Our cooks Michele Gasparro, Angelo Marchi, & Vito Muscardin did a great job. Our wait staff was fantastic. Our bartenders, Rich, Ralph, Sante & Gianfranco, did a terrific job taking care of over 450 guests. Thank you all.  
 Our second crab feed was just as fantastic. More great crab, and as always, more great fun, with family & friends at the Fratellanza. Thank you to our cooks, Michele Gasparro & Vito Muscardin. I would like to thank our wait staff & bartenders, who did a great job. Thank you also to all who helped set up for both of these events. I truly appreciate your time and

efforts.  
 A special thank you to all of you who donated to our raffle. As the crab feeds benefit our building fund, your generosity helps very much. Thank you all.  
 A big thank you to Rich Giaramita, who handled all the reservation for both crab feeds. This is no small job. Thank you Rich.  
 Our first birthday dinner in March featured corned beef & cabbage. It was excellent. Thank you to our cooks, Angelo Marchi, Evan Matthews & Vito Muscardin. Thank you to our dinner chairmen, Grant & Drew Woodruff and the entire wait staff.  
 As always, thank you to our bartenders, wait staff, & ticket sellers, who make all our dinner & events a success.

God Bless & Sempre Avanti,  
**Tim Tomei**

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**From our Chairman of the Board -**

Ciao Fratelli del Fratellanza Club,  
 I am encouraged by the big success of our two recent crab feeds. Our Building Fund can certainly use the money. We have been patching the roof ourselves the past ten years and some day we will have to spend some money on professional work. It may be that kind of thinking that got the Ligure Club to suggest we have a joint family dinner in May, with the proceeds going to the building maintenance fund. Please bring all your friends to that dinner on May 12th. We will plan it with the Ligure Club men's and women's groups as well as our Fratellanza Ladies and it would be great to have a full house. Another event being planned with Fratellanza and Ligure members is the New Year's Eve Dinner Dance. The planning is starting and we will publish some news in a few months.  
 Last year we ordered more Fratellanza apparel but our sales

schedule was haphazard. Now we are organized. We have a good inventory of items for men, women and children and next month we will publish a schedule of the apparel sales days for the remainder of 2018. Our goal is to sell at club dinners every other month and get it on a calendar so people can plan ahead to come look at our items. We will also try to take special orders and have the ordered items available within a month.  
 A reminder of our summer workweekend. Plan on coming down for a few hours and helping us out on July 20, 21, 22. That would be a good time to clean up the bocce hall. I think there is twenty years of dust under the benches.

See you at the club,  
**Roland Lazzarotto**

**Welcome to our newest members!**

Gary Piva, Nicholas Weber, Steven Oronos,  
 Nick Digiosaffatte, Chris Lawson, Charlie Martorello,  
 Anthony D'Errico, Joseph Messina

Membership total is 450!





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