# FRATELLANZA WOMEN'S SOCIAL CLUB BULLETIN

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chair person needed for the November 20, 2018 birthday dinner. Contact Marilyn Sibitz at 510-215-1567.

In honor of the Men's Scholarship Golf Tournament, The Fratellanza Women's Social Club will donate \$250.

Are you interested to see Hamilton on May 23, 2019? Cost is \$255 per person. Contact Vera Kaufman for details 510-223-3381.

2018 is an Election Year

If you are interested to run for Office, be a Board Member, or Trustee, you must have attended 9 meetings between September 1, 2017 - August 31, 2018. Open positions will be announced and nominations presented at the September Business Meeting. We vote at the October Business Meeting with a closed ballot, must be present to vote. Installation will be in January.

#### President's Message: By Marilyn Sibitz

Care Amiche,

Traditionally, our August meeting started with a delicious spuntino provided by the best cooks ever. We then honored our six past presidents who did a wonderful job with their leadership. Pat Irvine, Karen Garcia, Loretta lacobitti, Vera Kaufman, Lillian Taddei, and Rozz Cantisani continue to support our club in many ways. We thank them for their service. Grazie mille to Mary Ann Giaramita, Bobbie Giarratana, and Mary Ann DePianto, for organizing this evening. Thank you to everyone who brought dishes to share. It was a wonderful feast!

Our July Birthday dinner and Biscotti Sale was a fun evening. The dinner was chaired by Sally Accurso, Rose Marie Gish, and Diane Sericati. Irma Sericati was in charge of the Biscotti Sale. They did a great job and everyone who attended enjoyed themselves. We appreciated everyone who came and supported our bake sale.

It's Tea Time! August 18 will be our Scholarship Fundraiser with Lillian Taddei, Carol Padlo, Barbara Barassi in charge of the great activity. Please feel free to bring a raffle prize or get together with another member or two and bring a basket full of goodies for a prize. And, of course, we have our handsome Men's Club members as our waiters. Hats and gloves are encouraged for this wonderful afternoon at the club.

This is an election year. Remember, if you have attended 3 meetings between September 2017 and August 2018 you are eligible to vote. There will be a list of members who can vote at our September meeting. If you have attended 9 meetings, you are able to run for an office. Open positions will be announced at our September meeting.

I appreciate all of you who have been able to be active members of our club. We are very fortunate to have the many ladies who love our club and help in any way they can. We are a great group of members who enjoy the company of each other and work together to keep our Italian heritage alive.

Con amore, Marilyn



#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 Members Business Meeting - Celebrate Past Presidents 7pm/ Spuntino 6pm	8	9	10	11 Men's Team Jersey Family Dinner 7pm / Cocktails 6pm
12	13	14	15	16 Men's 2nd Birthday Dinner 7pm/ Cocktails 6pm	17	18 Scholarship Fundraiser Afternoon Tea 12noon Cocktails/1pm Luncheon
19	20	21	22	23	Friday Club Luncheon 12noon	25 Men's Scholarship Golf Tournament & Dinner
26	27	28	29	30	31	



Source: Facebook.com/ ItalyFoodMagazine

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

### "Afternoon Tea & Fundraiser"

August 18, 2018 \$25 per person

Cocktails: 12noon Lunch/Tea: 1pm

Menu: Scones with lemon curd, and jam, tea sandwiches, fruit, dessert, and the "Bubbly".

Basket donations are needed for raffle (preferably with a theme)

Chaired by Lillian Taddei 510-523-9206, Barbara Barassi 510-799-2171, and Carol Padlo 925-228-7040.

#### SOLD OUT!

Contact Barbara Barassi for waiting list at 510-799-2171.

# "A Bronx Tale Musical" November 27, 2018 \$120 per person

See flyer for more information

Payment due by: Sept 24, 2018

Contact Rose Marie Gish at 510-655-7192
5456 Manila Ave
Oakland, CA 94618-1513

### "Team Jersey Family Dinner"

August 11, 2018 Cocktails: 6pm Dinner: 7pm

#### \$23 - Members/\$28 - Guests

Chair: Bob Porta

Menu: Fratellanza Salad, Ravioli,
Roasted Chicken, Green Beans,
Ice Cream

Music by: DJ Albert Garcia

Reservations by:
Aug 9th 510-764-2365 ext 3

## "Thunder Valley Casino Gaming Trip"

September 24, 2018 \$45 per person

See flyer for more information

#### Payment due by: Aug 24, 2018

Contact Rose Marie Gish at 510-655-7192 5456 Manila Ave Oakland, CA 94618-1513

# Italian American Federation of the East Bay "Queen Coronation

#### & Banquet "

**September 30, 2018** 

Cocktails: 3:30pm
Coronation: 4pm
Dinner served immediately
after coronation

Adults: \$35 Children 5-12: \$17.50 Children Under 5: Free

Hosted by the Galileo Club 371 South 23rd Street Richmond, CA

Menu: Salad, Ravioli, Pork Loin Roast, Vegetables, Wine, Coffee and Dessert

### For More Information and RSVP by Sept 25, 2018:

Diane Sericati at 510-526-6470 dsramona@aol.com 16 Ramona Ave, El Cerrito, CA 94530 (Check payable to IAF)

Saturday, August 25, 2018: Men's Club Scholarship Golf Tournament at the new and beautifully remodeled Alameda South Golf Course. There are different ways you can help this year either by being a Tee Sponsor or donating a raffle prize!!

Contact Larry Quirco at 510-222- 1835 or <a href="mailto:lquirco@comcast.net">lquirco@comcast.net</a>. Access the Men's Club for flyer and more information.

Member's Business Meeting: Tuesday, September 4, 2018 - 7:00pm (Spuntino by the Men!)

Birthday Dinner: Tuesday, September 18, 2018. Dinner hosted by Susie De Pianto and Lori Framsted (details to come)

Bocce Tournament: September 22, 2018 - East Bay Italian Bocce League

Member's Business Meeting with Special Guest Speaker (Topic TBD): Tuesday October 6, 2018 - 7:00pm (Spuntino by the Men!)

Polenta Dinner: Tuesday October 16, 2018 (details to come)

Special Notice: "No shows" at our dinners are charged \$10 per ticket, to be paid by the person who makes the reservation.

#### **Committees**

Th Be a part of our amazing club and sign up to to be on a committee! Contact the Board Member associated with each of the following committees that you are interested in:

<u>Dinners</u>: Loretta Iacobitti 510-524-6903 & Mary Ann De Pianto 510-527-1432

Scholarship/Membership: Melinda Brignone 510-235-2852

<u>Speakers</u>: Anne Martorello 925-300-6775 <u>Special Activities</u>: Lillian Taddei 510-523-9206 <u>Christmas Decorations</u>: Sina Nicoletti 510-367-8650

#### **Sunshine Report**

#### By Irma Sericati, Sunshine Reporter



- Our newsletter editor, Lisa Borreani, had knee replacement surgery on July 24th. She is now home recovering and is even able to write the newsletter this month. Way to go Lisa!! We wish her a continued speedy recovery.
- Sharon Viano had surgery in early July and is now home recuperating. Even though she was under the weather she still was able to make delicious peanut brittle for the Bake Sale, thank you so much Sharon.
- 3. **Irene Moore** fell and injured her shoulder, we send her well get wishes.
- 4. **Ida Scodella** had a bad fall while visiting her husband in the hospital. We also send both Ida and Joe get well wishes.
- 5. **Linda Pearson's** husband, Bob, has been having a difficult time lately. Linda is constantly with him and we wish them both good health.
- Good news: Patty Pistello became a grandma again, this time to a baby boy, Enzo, born on July 16th. Congratulations to the whole Pistello family.
- 7. **Laverne Lara** recently had hip replacement surgery and is now home recuperating. Hope to see you up and about soon.

If you have news of a club member who is ill, hospitalized, or deceased, please contact Irma at 510-526-6470.

#### 2017-2018

#### **Club Officers**

#### President

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#### **Board of Directors**

#### Chairman of The Board

Lillian Taddei

#### **Board Members**

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