



# Ottobre

October 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
Nominations for 2019 Officers & Board members at this month's Membership meeting!!!	1	2 BoD Meeting 5:30 pm Spuntino 6 pm Members Meeting 7 pm	3  Bocce League	4  1st Birthday Dinner 7:00 pm	5  Club Closed	6  Club Closed
7  La Coppa Bocce Series #3	8	9	10  Bocce League Spuntino	11  Club Closed	12  Club Closed	13  Halloween Night Family Dinner 7:00 pm
14	15	16  Ladies Polenta Dinner 7:00 pm	17  Bocce League	18  2nd Birthday Dinner 7:00 pm	19  Club Closed	20  Club Closed
21	22	23	24  Bocce League	25  Club Closed	26  Friday Luncheon 12 Noon	27  Club Closed
28	29	30	31  Club Closed			

## Happy Birthday to our Birthday Boys!

Jerry Accardo  
 Frank Addiego  
 Carl V. Audo  
 Angelo Benassini  
 Earl C. Boscacci  
 Clifford W. Boyett  
 Joseph Brignole, Jr.  
 John J. Cappa  
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For reservation confirmation please use email: [fratreservations@sbcglobal.net](mailto:fratreservations@sbcglobal.net)

## 1st Birthday Dinner

October 4, 2018  
7:00 P.M.

**Chair: Board of Directors**

**Menu** — Fratellanza Salad, Rigatoni, Swiss Steak, Roasted Potatoes, Vegetables, Ice Cream

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

Reservations by: Oct 2nd  
510-764-2365 ext 1

## Halloween Night Family Dinner

October 13, 2018

**Cocktails:** 6:00pm **Dinner:** 7pm

**Chair: Roland Lazzarotto**

**Menu** — Fratellanza Salad, Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Pork Tenderloin, Roasted Potatoes, Italian Green Beans, Ice Cream

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

**Music by: DJ Albert Garcia**

*Please see flier insert!*

Reservations by: Oct 11th  
510-764-2365 ext 3

## 2nd Birthday Dinner

October 18, 2018  
7:00 P.M.

**Chair: Jack Thornton**

**Menu** — Fratellanza Salad, Garlic Bread, Spaghetti w/Meat Balls & Sausages, Vegetables, Ice cream

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

Reservations by: Oct 16th  
510-764-2365 ext 2

## Friday Luncheon

***Fourth Friday this month!***  
***(October 26th)***

Ravioli &  
Chicken Cacciatore

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



## La Coppa Bocce Series #3 October 7th

**Sign up for Bocce  
and/or Dinner!!**  
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## Scholarship Golf Tournament \$150 Sponsors!!

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**Thank you to our \$250 and \$500 sponsors as well  
They will be listed here next month!!**

**From our President -**

Hello members,  
 August continued with our family dinner. We had a great time, many of us in our favorite team's apparel. Our dinner was fantastic, thanks to our cooks, Art Parziale, Michele Gasparro, & Evan Matthews. Bob "Ravioli" Porta and his crew did a great job taking care of us in the dining hall. This was a fun evening. Thank you all for attending. Our second birthday dinner was another nice event at the Fratellanza, and another delicious dinner. Thank you to our cooks, Don Nicole, Angelo Marchi, & Lonnie Chase. Thanks also to dinner chairman Mike Rajavec and crew for a great job.  
 Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup> was our annual Scholarship Golf Classic. Thank you to all our golfers & dinner guests. A special thank you to all our hole sponsors and to all who donated to the scholarship fund. Also thank you to those who donated to our raffle at the dinner. Your generosity makes a big difference and is appreciated by all. Our dinner after the tournament was delicious. Thank you, Art Parziale & Evan Matthews for a great dinner. Big thanks go to Larry Quirico, Ron Blair and Steve Taddei for their hustle and hard work, making this event a success.  
 September started with our first birthday dinner. Our dinner chairmen, Angelo Marchi & Aldo Dossa, chose one of our favorite meals, ravioli and chicken cacciatore. Thank you to our cooks, Angelo Marchi, Don Nicole, Vito Muscardin. Thanks also to Scott Dossa who pulled double duty as cook's assistant and waiter.

September 8<sup>th</sup> was our Pizza & Pasta dinner, hosted by Chef Tony Gemignani. The club was packed with over 450 guests. Chef Tony's dinner was fantastic. You know you're in for a treat when Prosciutto Di Parma is on your antipasti plate. The house made fennel sausages & peppers w/ meatballs as well as the pesto pasta were out of the world. Then came the Sicilian style pan pizza. Momma Mia, it was delicious. Tony, we can't thank you enough for the generous giving of your time & talents. On behalf of the officers, board of directors & members of the Fratellanza club, thank you. Big thanks go to Tony's crew, Laura, Stephanie, Phil and Angelo. Thanks also to Paul Gretch & Evan Inada from Columbus meats for their generosity. Thank you Gianfranco for leading us in song. Special thanks to Rich Giamamita for his hard work taking care of the reservations & seating. I would also like to thank all who donated to our raffle with a sincere thank you to Jim Ervin for your very generous donations. The surprise of the night came when Janice Williams & Jack Thornton donated a 10 day stay at their condo on Oahu. Thank you so much, that was very generous. Our wait staff was outstanding; you all did a great job. I really appreciate your hard work. Thank you also to our bartenders, with over 450 guests, you did a fantastic job. Thank you Roger Laurel, for your resourcefulness that night.  
 God Bless & Sempre Avanti,  
**Tim Tomei**

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**From our Chairman of the Board -**

Cari amici e Fratelli,  
 Fall is upon us and for me it is always a busy season. The Wednesday evening bocce league starts and many weekends are filled with football games. We are blessed with great Fall weather and we know we will not have a white Christmas.  
 We had a great dinner turnout for Italian Night. October brings us Halloween, which is a lot of fun for young and old at the club. While I am thinking about holidays let me tell you

about the return of the New Years Eve party at the Fratellanza Club. We are going to have dinner, music, dancing, a late night spuntino and we will ring in the new year with our friends at the club. Please think about this and consider inviting your friends to join you. It will be a great deal at \$35 per person. More info will come in the next two months as the Men's Club and the Ladies Club work out the details.  
**Roland Lazarotto**

**Visit us on the Web!**  
 www.FratellanzaClub.com  
**Webmaster**  
 Ryan Leglu





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**Did you know?**

## **“Dire pane al pane e vino al vino.”**

Literal translation: “To say bread to the bread and wine to the wine.” Fear not, this is not a suggestion to start talking to inanimate objects. Instead, it tells us to call bread, bread and wine, wine, because by calling these objects just what they are is to speak truthful and direct, thus avoiding any misunderstanding.

Another way to express the need to be straight forward is “non avere peli sulla lingua” which literally means “to not have hair on your tongue”.

A.Motta

N.B.: This column will be discontinued in its present form in the “gennaio” issue. The Board will decide how to use this space in the future. But, if you’d like to give your input, thoughts or ideas, see any Board Member. Thank you for reading.

### **Attention – Graduating Seniors**

The Fratellanza Men’s Club offers Scholarship awards of one thousand dollars or more to qualified high school seniors who will be entering post-secondary education in the fall of 2019. Applicants for the Louis C. Biondi Scholarship must be a child or grandchild of either a current member of the Fratellanza Men’s Club, or a deceased member who was a member at the time of his death. All scholarships are paid through the financial aid office to the school of choice. The post secondary school may be any accredited public or private college, university, professional or vocational school, or conservatory.

Applications can be obtained from:

Rich Adams  
2632 Ptarmigan Drive #4  
Walnut Creek, CA 94595  
925-448-2173

Or

Fratellanza Club Web Site:  
[www.fratellanzaclub.com](http://www.fratellanzaclub.com)

The Scholarship Committee will select applicants based on:

1. Grade point average
2. Breadth of courses
3. Extracurricular activities
4. Work experience
5. Three letters of recommendation
6. A personal essay

**The Application process, with all of the information detailed above, MUST be completed by March 1, 2019. The Application lists all deadline dates.**

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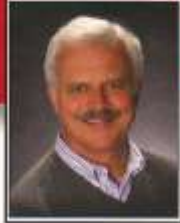
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