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CONDOLENCES

To **Rhonda Lubrano** on the loss of her father and to **Leonard Lubrano** on the loss of his father-in-law.

GET WELL WISHES

To **Richard Battaglia** and also to **Marge Delgado** who had a stroke and is still in a rehab facility.

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, September 27, 2011**, preceded by a Pizza Dinner. The price of the dinner will be \$9.00. Dinner will be served at 6:30 pm. Bring your own dishes and utensils. Deadline for reservations is **Friday, September 23rd**. Call **Rose** at 650-692-4691. Location: American Legion Hall, 1159 Bush Street, San Carlos (corner of Bush and Laurel).

NOMINATION, ELECTION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS AT THE SEPTEMBER MEETING!!

Since **Mariella Arroyo** has been elected Vice President, we will have nominations and elections for the position of Trustee. The major responsibility to audit the Lodge's books every quarter (and, of course, attend the meetings). Also, please come and join us and be a part of the installation of President-elect **John A. Nardi** and Vice President elect **Mariella Arroyo**. State President **Maria Pignati** is scheduled to serve as Installing Officer. The meeting will be preceded by a pizza dinner.

NEW MEMBER

Welcome to new member **John Vincent**, Proponent **Arlene Nunziati**.

POLENTA DINNER

Please join us for a Polenta Dinner on **Friday, October 28, 2011** at the American Legion Hall, 1159 Bush Street, San Carlos. The price of the dinner will be \$22.00. Deadline for reservations is **October 24, 2011**. See enclosed flyer for more details.

PICNIC

The picnic was held at Beresford Park in San Mateo on Saturday August 27, 2011. Everyone had a wonderful time. Many thanks to **Tina Maggiora** and her crew for all of their hard work in making the picnic a success. Please come and join us next year for this fun event.

Log on to our website www.sonsofitalysanmateo.com for the latest news/events schedule

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 27, 2011

Pizza Night & Installation of Officers

October 28, 2011

Polenta Dinner

November 19, 2011

Anniversary Dinner

December 10, 2011

Christmas Party

BOWLING

Reminder, bowlers are still needed for the 2011– 2012 Sons of Italy Bowling League. Please call **Louise** ASAP at 650-583-3286 if you're interested in bowling.

ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER

If you'd like to receive your newsletter electronically, please email **John Nardi** at janardi@gmail.com with your email address and you'll be added to the electronic newsletter distribution list

FACEBOOK

Check us out on Facebook on our website! Some great pictures from past events!

RAFFLE WINNER

Congratulations to **Sarah Brown!** \$100.00 raffle prize winner for the month of August.

ATTENDANCE AWARD

The name of **Ambrose Galli Jr.** was drawn. Since he was not present the award will be \$20.00 next month.

50/50 AWARD

John Marcheschi was the lucky winner of \$9.00 and **Dorothy Lagomarsino** was the lucky winner of \$7.00.

BIRTHDAY WISHES

Congrats to the following brothers and sisters who celebrate their birthdays in October:

2 – Michael Tognotti	17 – Aldo Silvestri	24 – Carla Del Carlo
3 – John Penna	18 – Connie Falcon	Walter Parker
11 – Michael Marcucci	Silvana Massa	Valerie Celentano
Steven Maggiora	22 – John Vincent	26 – Giorgina Haladwala
13 – Gina Leonardon	23 – Angelo Cacciatore	Shawna Wright
Guido Rinaldi	Greg Miller	27 – Kevin Barranti
14 – Pat Dianda	Marge Delgado	28 – Liana Ghilarducci
16 – Larry Franzella		



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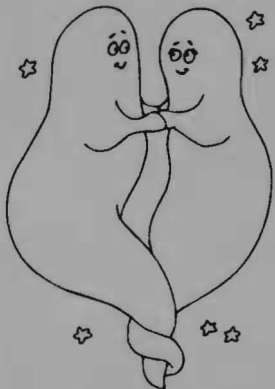
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No host cocktails: 6:00 pm

Dinner: 7:00 pm

Cost: \$22.00



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