

**PENINSULA ITALIAN AMERICAN
SOCIAL CLUB OF SAN MATEO**
100 North B Street, San Mateo, California 94401

Phone 650.343.7981 — Fax 650.343.7995
January 2009

PENSOGRAM

IMPORTANT DATES

Jan. 7- Board of Directors Mtg. 7 PM
Jan. 9- Friday Dinner Dance, Veal Scaloppine or Roasted Chicken* 7 PM dinner 8 to 11:30 dancing to the music of the George Campi Band. Members \$27.00 Guests \$32.00
Jan. 13- Scholarship Committee Mtg. 6 PM
Jan. 13- General Dinner Mtg. Chicken Cacciatore & Italian Sasuage with Polenta, No options
Jan. 16- Friday Luncheon , noon, Roast Leg of Lamb or Roasted Chicken* \$18.00
Jan. 21- Board of Directors Mtg. 7 PM
Jan. 22- Fellowship Night, Veal Roast or Roasted Chicken* Members \$17.00 Guests \$22.00
Feb. 4- Board of Directors Mtg. 7 PM
Feb. 10- General Dinner Mtg. 7 PM
* Where indicated, Roasted Chicken is available if ordered in advance

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Let me start by wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. What a year it has been! There have been big changes in our Federal government, a dramatic decline in our economy, billions lost in the stock market and the big three are hurtin' for certain. In spite of all this turmoil and chaos our club had a very good year. There have been numerous changes here at the P.I.A.S.C. and more to come in the near future. Thanks to your club officers, board of directors, club manager, committee and event chairpersons. But the most important people to commend are you, the members and guests. Without your participation in our functions, the efforts by all these people are for naught. Thank you for another successful year.

From what I understand, the children's Christmas party was a tremendous success. A thank you is certainly in order to Holly and Richard Borghello for making this an affair for the children to remember. I was happy to hear the popcorn machine was a big hit, not to mention the magician, Dave Wilson. Of course we also want to thank Santa Clause for coming to town. The event would not have been complete without him!

I hope the attendees at the Workers' party had fun. I know I did, what with the open bar and all. (Ha-ha) There sure were a lot of people that helped throughout the year. I hope to see you again next time at the newly renamed "Appreciation Party".

Before I close I can't forget to give a huge thank you to Don Brozzo for all the work he does on the Pensogram along with others.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT:

Behold the Turtle, which makes progress only when it sticks its neck out.

Ciao for now,
Emil Giannoni
President
SEMPRE AVANTI

SUNSHINE

Get well wishes to:

Ubaldo Siboldi, Angelo Perin,
Joyce Cahalan, Auroa Bini,
Antonetta Bet,

Sympathy to:

Nicolina Puccinelli (Loss of husband), Angela Marchesin (Loss of Sister)

Congratulations to:

Gary & Joyce Cahalan, proud Grandparents of a Grandson, Gianni

By Rico Marchesin 650 348-1249

**FRIDAY LUNCHEON
JANUARY 16th,
2009
ROAST LEG OF LAMB
OR
ROASTED CHICKEN
\$18.00
FOR RESERVATIONS SEND IN
COUPON WITH PAYMENT**

ATTENTION MEMBERS

Effective February 1, 2009

The General Dinner Meeting will be on a **Pre-Paid** basis. The deadline for reservations will be on the Sunday before the meeting. The members whose birthday falls on the month of the meeting will call in their reservation. President Giannoni will explain in detail how it will work at the January General dinner meeting.

Do you remember the big success that the last "Venetian Night" had? Well it was designed and organized by Achille "el venessian" Rodighiero. Now he is organizing for the very first time a night to be remembered and not to be missed "MARDI GRAS" This special event will be on Friday the 20th of February 2009. It will be a costume or black tie event. More details will follow.

SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Scholarship applications for 2009 are now available at the club office or contact Rudy Bertolozzi at 650 583-9936

THANK YOU

Amedeo Del Bello for your singing and playing the guitar for the Workers party.

Many thanks to Marilyn Piazza for Co Chairing with Holly Borghello on the Children's lunch with Santa. Her participation is very much appreciated.

FALL BOCCE LEAGUE RESULTS

Tuesday Night Winners:

1st Place: Captian- Alberto Pinochi, Miranda Zanette, Mario Landucci, Loretta Sciacqua

2nd Place: Captain- George Lencioni, Diane Bacigalupi, Bob Tomasello, Roberta Bernat

3rd Place: Captain- Mario Patane, Dede Casetta, Stefano Quilici, Carolin Lencioni

Thursday Night Winners:

1st Place: Captain- Ray Allara, Ante Buljan, George Riley, Anita Meister
2nd Place: Captain- Phil Taurian, Agnese Marcheschi, Dean Balestieri, Joan Daly

3rd Place: Captain- Sam Balestieri, Pauline Viarengo, Egisto Fanti, Bill Downing

Bocce Committee:

Angelo & Angie Fanucchi,
Mario & Carmen Patane, Larry Giusto

Helpers:

Sam & Dean Balestieri,
Andy & Diane Bacigalupi, Paul DiQuattro,
Gary Cahalan, Joe Lencioni, Stefano Quilici,
Norma Costa

GIFT CERTIFICATES

If you would like to honor someone with a present or token of appreciation, a PIASC Gift Certificate to one of our club events, Friday luncheon, Friday Night dinner dance, Fellowship night would be a great gift! If interested call Gordon at 650 343-7981

SUPER BOWL XLIII PARTY

DATE: FEBRUARY 1, 2009

TIME: 1:00 PM

LOCATION: PIASC- 100 NORTH "B" STREET- SAN MATEO, CA. 94401 COST:

\$20.00 PER PERSON

I AM ENCLOSING MY CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____ (PAYABLE TO PIASC)

NAME: _____

MENU: Homemade Pizza, Salad, Pasta, BBQ Chicken, Italian Sausage, Ribs, Tri-Tip Roast, Garlic Bread, Dessert.

WILL HAVE IT ON A BIG SCREEN 12 X 9 HD

For information please contact- Angelo Fanucchi- 650 341-1577

UPCOMING MAJOR EVENTS FOR 2009

Jan. 17-	Installation Dinner
Feb. 7-	Crab Feed
Feb. 14-	Valentine Dinner Dance
Feb. 20-	Mardi Gras Night
March 1-	Family Dinner
March 13-	Cioppino Dinner
April 25-	Calabria Night
May 10-	Mother's Day
May 16-	Venetian Night
June 6-	Festa dei Cacciatori
June 21-	Father's Day
Aug. 23-	Club Picnic
Aug. 29-	Oldies Night
Sept. 12-	Toscana Night
Sept. 14-	Golf Tournament
Oct. 10-	Genovese night/ Columbus Day Celebration
Nov. 14-	Sicilian Night
Dec. 6-	Appreciation Party
Dec. 13-	Children's Xmas Party
Dec. 31-	New Years Eve Party

BUSINESS CARD AD FOR PENSOGRAM

The PIASC is accepting business card ads for our newsletter (Pensogram). The Pensogram is mailed out to over 800 members each month. The cost is \$200.00 per year for twelve (12) issues. If interested, please send your business card and make your check payable to the PIASC. and mail to:

100 North "B" Street, San Mateo, Ca. 94401
Attn: George Lencioni, Secretary

MISSION OF THE PIASC

To preserve and enhance our rich Italian heritage and culture by promoting and providing social, recreational, educational, and entertainment programs and activities for our members, their families, and friends.

Officers for 2009

President	Emil Giannoni
Vice-President	Angelo Fanucchi
Treasurer	Henry Bergero
Secretary	George Lencioni

Board Members

Andrew Baldi	Angelo Cacciatore
Gary Cahalan	Renato Cernobori
Robert Costa	David Fanucchi
Remo Giuntoli	Achille Rodighiero
Bert Salvato	

CLUB HOURS

BAR: Tuesday thru Sunday, 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM except Friday, 3:00 to 11:00 PM.

OFFICE: Tuesday thru Saturday, Noon - 5 PM
The Club is closed on Mondays.

Find us at: www.peninsulasocialclub.org

E-mail us at: peninsulaitalian@rcn.com

3rd FRIDAY LUNCHEON

I PLAN ON ATTENDING THE FRIDAY LUNCHEON ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 16th, 2009 AND REQUEST:

_____ # of Tickets at \$18.00 Per Person (Payable in advance).

HOW MANY: ROAST LEG OF LAMB _____ **OR ROASTED CHICKEN** _____

I AM ENCLOSING MY CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____

NAME: _____

I WISH TO SIT WITH: _____

Make check payable to PIASC and mail to: 100 North B Street., San Mateo, Ca. 94401

PIASC WINTER BOCCE BALL LEAGUE

WINTER LEAGUE SIGNUP DEADLINE IS JANUARY 22, 2009.
TUESDAY PLAYERS START ON FEBRUARY 3, 2009.
THURSDAY PLAYERS START ON FEBRUARY 5, 2009.
COST-\$35.00-ALL PLAYERS (INCLUDES SIT-DOWN DINNER)
\$20.00- GUESTS (SIT DOWN DINNER ONLY)

I AM ENCLOSING MY CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____(PAYABLE TO PIASC)

TUESDAY NIGHT _____ THURSDAY NIGHT _____

NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

SEND CHECK TO: ANGELO FANUCCHI
3721 WILSHIRE AVE.
SAN MATEO, CA. 94403
650 341-1577

FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CALL MARIO PATANE 650 598-9862 PIASC club members registration is open and Non-PIASC members registration will be open after January 15, 2009.

All Registration DEADLINE- January 22, 2009

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