

**PENINSULA ITALIAN AMERICAN
SOCIAL CLUB OF SAN MATEO**
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June 2009

PENSOGRAM

IMPORTANT DATES

June 3- Board of Directors Mtg. 7PM
June 5- Friday Dinner Dance, Roast NY Strip or Roasted Chicken* 7 PM Dinner 8 to 11:30 dancing to the music of the Judy Ferrari Band. Members \$27.00 Guests \$32.00
June 9- Scholarship Committee Mtg. 6 PM
June 9- General Dinner Mtg. Italian Sausage & Pepper or Roasted Chicken* both with Polenta. 7PM
June 17- Board of Directors Mtg. 7 PM
June 19- Friday Luncheon, noon, Baked Salmon or Roasted Chicken* \$18.00
June 25- Fellowship Night, Veal Parmigiana or Roasted Chicken* Members \$17.00 Guests \$ 22.00
July 1- Board of Directors Mtg. 7 PM
July 14- General Dinner Mtg. 7 PM
* Where indicated, Roasted Chicken is available if ordered in advance.

SUNSHINE

Get well wishes to:

Albert Berini, Gary Martinelli,
Joe Davi.

Sympathy to:

Tom Piazza (Loss of Father).

NOTE: The PIASC apologizes to Rose Parenti for the mistake in the May Pensogram listing her as passed away.

By Rick Federighi 650 593-2574

**FRIDAY LUNCHEON
JUNE 19th, 2009**

**BAKED SALMON
OR
ROASTED CHICKEN
\$ 18.00**

**FOR RESERVATIONS SEND IN
COUPON WITH PAYMENT**

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Is it June already? I hope you ducked when May flew by. It's now the season for weddings, anniversaries and graduations!

If you missed the Calabrese celebration chaired by Joe Ruggiero you missed a delectable surprise. That was at the top of my list of favorite club meals. Thank you Joe and Norman and all those who helped put that together. Based on the tasty morsels we enjoyed, all I can say is, "What a spicy group the Calabrese are!" Calabria Night was followed in quick succession by the Venetian Night Dinner Dance hosted by Achille Rodighiero.

There he was, at the mouth of the canal, attired as a Gondolier, handing out roses to all the lovely ladies in attendance. This night's surprise was an interesting bit of Venetian history narrated by Achille himself and concluded with a karaoke version of a famous Venetian song.

I think we may be in the midst of regional food fights with each group attempting to outdo the one before it. I can see the beauty in this. All those who attend will end up being the winners of this culinary combat!

We were pleased to host San Francisco's Consul General of Italy, Fabrizio Marcelli, at our last general meeting. He spoke in appreciation of our earthquake relief fundraising efforts. Those efforts will soon come to an end and I want to thank all of you for your contributions.

Here's a news flash-we were told by a termite company that we had a serious infestation and prepared for the worst. To our delight (if you can call it that), when we replaced the 2 leaky windows upstairs in the exercise room and opened the walls, we found that the wood was as pristine as the day it was built. May I be so lucky with the termite problems at home!

I'm sure, as I have; many of you have missed seeing our Head Waitress, Eda Rossetto. She's been down for the count after surgery and is now hopefully well on the mend.

Our dishwasher, Ponce, is still ailing and is in our thoughts and prayers.

A final note; our long time bartender, Danny Vargas, will be leaving our employ as of May 28th for a move out of the area. I hope he takes with him many fond memories garnered during his service at our club. Thank you, Danny, for your years of service. Bottoms up!

Sempre Avanti
Emil Giannoni, President

Food for thought: The only thing you can do on a shoestring these days is trip.

ATTENTION MEMBERS

The PIASC is in the process of publishing a new Roster in 2009.

A full page Ad is: \$200.00, 1/2 page Ad is \$100.00, Business Card Ad is \$50.00. If you are interested, please send a graphic of your Ad for the full page and 1/2 page Ad and your Business card for that Ad. Payable to the PIASC, 100 North "B" Street, San Mateo, Ca. 94401.

Attn: George Lencioni
(The club has over 700 members)

The PIASC is looking for a member who would be interested in maintaining the bocce courts. If interested, please call Gordon at 650 343-7981

As a follow through to the brief information that Dr. David Caro provided at the April 14, 2009 general dinner meeting on urological and prostate problems. Afterward Dr. Caro suggested that if a certain number of members would like to hear more information on the subject he could be available at a meeting with the interested individuals. If interested, please let Gordon or any board member know and a future special meeting can be arranged. Thank you, John Bagneschi.

THANK YOU MEMBERS

A great big thank you to all the wonderful members who contributed by donating to our first clothes drive. We had a big success! Between the PIASC and IAWG, we filled up two huge trucks of donations. St. Anthony of Padua and St. Vincent de Paul were so happy to receive all the bags of donations. They said they really needed them to help their poor. They were grateful and hope they can count on us to help again someday. Thank you again members for supporting this drive. It feels good to know that we have helped in some way. Lubiana Cernobori

THANK YOU

To Mark Martinelli for donating the plastic cover for the air conditioning unit and to Alfredo Lucchesi for installing it.

BOCCE NEWS

Angelo and Angie Fanucchi wish to thank the members of the 2009 Winter Bocce Ball Tournament Committee:
Mario & Carmen Patane, Larry Giusto

A very appreciative thank you goes to Agnese Marcheschi and Lavinia Antoniazzi for their help in setting-up the decorations for the Winter Bocce Ball Awards Dinner, which took place on April 19th at PIASC.

The 2009 Winter Bocce Ball Tournament winners for the Tuesday Night Bocce League are:

1st Place: Bruno Fatica, Lubiana Cernobori, Joe Grech, and Alfredo Lucchesi
2nd Place: Mario Patane, Carolin Lencioni, Roberta Bernat, and Pete Quilici
3rd Place: Marge Lencioni, Loretta Sciacqua, Paul Di Quattro, and John Clemente
The 2009 Winter Bocce Ball Tournament winners for the

Thursday Night Bocce League are:

1st Place: Sam Balestieri, Angelina Freschet, Maria Brozzo and Joe Chiorato
2nd Place: Mario Conti, July Baldi, Egisto Fanti, and Bill Downing
3rd Place: Don Cresci, Pauline Viarengo, Phil Taurian, and Don Brozzo

An appreciative thank you is also in order for Margie Lencioni and Dean Balestieri for selling the PIASC shirts and hats at the Bocce Awards Dinner.

We look forward to a very fun and successful 2009 Spring/Summer Bocce Ball Tournament.

The 22nd annual "Spring Bocce Tournament" sponsored by the PIASC was a great success with 12 teams of men for "Punto, Raffa, Volo" competed at the club and 16 teams of ladies for the "open rules" at Beresford Park.

The winners of the Men's Tournament:

1st Place: Stockton: Al Leonardi, Manny Romo, Ron Jacobs.

2nd Place: San Mateo: Leno Freschet, Norman Freschet, Agostino Figone. 3rd Place: Fair Oaks: Vernon Cooper, David Camardo, Jim Fellos.

4th Place: Vallejo: Dick Gomez, Rick Taormina, Ted Nicols.

The winners of the Ladies Tournament:

1st Place: San Mateo: Rose Viscuso, Regina Bortolus, Giorgina Montellato, Angelina Freschet

2nd Place: Stockton: Lydia Romo, Laura Dela Rosa, JoAnn Jacobs, Teresa Rae. 3rd Place: Los Gatos: Fran Addiego, Carolyn Tarzian, Diane Kelly, Sharon Cooper.

4th Place: Martinez: Ginny Nelson, Kathy Oliver, Maureen Kellener, Colleen Randazzo.

Congratulations to the winners and many thanks to all of the bocce players who made our tournaments such a huge success. A big thanks to our chef Norman for a wonderful lunch. Many thanks to our two co-chairpersons, Rose Viscuso, Pauline Viarengo and their committee for the ladies tournament and to the volunteers who prepared the courts, served the lunch for doing a great job!! Bocce Committee for 2009. Adriano Undorte, John Bagneschi, Mario Viarengo.

UPCOMING MAJOR EVENTS FOR 2009

June 6-	Festa dei Cacciatori
June 20-	Western Night
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 700 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@astound.net

3rd FRIDAY LUNCHEON

I PLAN ON ATTENDING THE FRIDAY LUNCHEON ON FRIDAY, JUNE 19th, 2009 AND REQUEST:

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

HOW MANY: BAKED SALMON _____ 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

FATHER'S DAY DINNER DANCE

I plan on attending the Father's Day Dinner Dance at the PIASC in Sunday June 21st and request:

_____ Fathers (members only) N/C _____ Adult Tickets at \$35.00

_____ Child Ticket (13 to 18 yrs) at \$16 _____ Child Ticket (6 to 12 yrs) at \$8

_____ Child under 6 years N/C

NO-HOST COCKTAILS 4PM - DINNER 5PM

(There will be dancing to the music of the George Campi Band)

How many Baby Back Ribs _____ How many Roasted Chicken _____

I am enclosing my check in the amount of \$ _____

Name: _____

I wish to sit with: _____

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