

# <u>32's NEWS</u>



### President's Message

### Greetings Brothers,

August brought continuous heat during the day and night. Here is hoping everyone got enough water and rest. The climate keeps playing tricks on us !

If you missed the #613 picnic in San Bruno, you missed a great one. The steaks were BBQ'd, there were countless salads and desserts. Plenty of sun, a big raffle won by many. Grand President **Darrell Fonseca** and his wife, **Maria**, made the drive up the coast to attend and were welcomed by the attendees. Everyone should try to make next years picnic !

The August business meeting, held in the school cafeteria once again, was sparsely attended with many issues brought up.

One was the shortfall of monies coming into the council to support the essay contest winners. With that, a Finance Committee was formed with **Bob Bartoli, Al Banfield, Ken Stupi** and **Tom Fourie** to address this. September 2022

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After the All Souls 10:30 mass on Sept. 11, 2022 the YMI #32 will host a meet and greet with donuts and drinks. Lets hope many members will attend this event.

I have been notified that our Yearly Food Basket event will happen on Saturday, December 17th. Boxing will occur the day before on December 16th. **Paul Larson** and **Ken Stupi** are the men in charge.

Our Grand President **Darrell Fonseca** will be visiting Council #32 during our January 10th meeting. Attendance by many members will show our spirit and dedication to the council ! Mark your calendars !

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**Richard Murphy** President Upcoming Events

Thursday, Sept. 8 7 pm Dinner & Business Meeting

Sunday, Sept. 11 10:30 am Mass and Meet and Greet

**Saturday, Sept. 24** Bocce Tourney See entry form on back page

Thursday, Oct. 13 7 pm Dinner & Business Meeting

Thursday, Oct 27 4 7 pm Social and Dinner



All diners must make meal reservations <u>at</u> <u>least</u> three days before the event date. Call (650) 583-2510 to reserve your meal.

Current President, **Rich Murphy** presents Past President, **Ken Stupi** with a plaque in recognition of Ken's Service as Council 32 President. Ken brought fresh ideas to our group and carried out legacy events. His dedication and leadership through challenging times and his willingness to step up and serve our Council is greatly appreciated . Thanks to Brother **Paul Larson** for sending the photo.



Please keep in your prayers: Brothers, Sisters and Friends of the YMI.

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#### Council Chatter ....

The Brothers of YMI Council #32 would like to express their deepest sympathy to the Irli Family on the passing of our Brother **Richard Irli**. A Sixty Year member of Council #32.

The Brothers of YMI Council #32 are sorry to learn of the passing of our Brother **Dave Carelli.** He was a fifty-four year member of Council #32

Did you hear? Brother **Phil Oberst** won not just one, not just two, but three prizes at the YMI 613 picnic raffle in August. His eye is now on finding the Joker at our next meeting!

Have some news to share with members. A milestone in your life, or of those close to you. Send it to the editor so it can be shared. Email is on the bottom of this page.

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A reminder to follow Covid protocols. If you feel sick, stay home. If you think you've had a possible exposure to Covid, stay home. Most likely, you won't know if you been exposed, so if you find out after a YMI meeting, you have Covid, then let members know, so they can be informed. It is the admirable thing to do and others know they may need a test.

#### A note from Brother **Steve Cresci**

We often talk about bringing in new members. I believe, one of the first steps is recognition of the YMI. One of the best ways we become better known in our community is through the YMI Annual Essay Contest. There is over \$ 7,000 this year to be awarded to 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade Catholic Students and High School 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. These students are eligible even if attending public school – they only need to be Catholic – and of course enter the Essay Contest.

Here is where your help is needed. If you know the religious coordinator (Confirmation), or school principal, or teacher(s) at your parish school, or have a contact at a local Catholic High School, please reach out to them. Let them know about the Essay Contest. Don't forget about your family too, a grandson, granddaughter, nephew, niece, son, or daughter that us in 7<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

The next step is to go the YMI website – YMIUSA.org and print out (or attach to an email) the 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Entry Contest Detail & Entry Form Be sure to fill in "Council #32" and your name as a "sponsor". Easy as 1-2-3!

Interested in attending the **Louis P. Guaraldi** Food Basket Committee Meeting? Get firsthand information at the meeting where your input is welcomed. Mark your calendar for September 8th at 615 pm (prior to the Business Meeting). You might want to be on the committee or make a donation or just listen in. Feel free to join in at the meeting.

How about that ! We had a member not only read asuggestion, but act on it by creating a August Bocce practice day. Thank you to Brother **Steve Cresci**, for taking the initiative.

Thanks to **Rich Murphy, Phil Oberst, Paul Larson, Steve Cresci** and **Bob Bartoli** for sharing YMI news or photos. Send a short note to <u>ciaosteve@comcast.net</u> to share some brief news with brothers & friends of YMI Council 32.



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Team Name	
Name & Email Address:	
\$35 per player, \$140 per team of 4. Includes light breakfast	, lunch, and tourney entry fee.

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