

32's NEWS



October 2022

President's Message

Greetings Brothers,

Intense heat for 5 days and then back to the normal weather. Baseball is wrapping up for both local teams and football is starting up in Santa Clara and Las Vegas.

Many of us know family and friends that were affected by the Covid-19 virus. If you feel sick, please stay home. Some of us are succeeding at keeping it at bay. If you catch it, had no symptoms and you attended a YMI meeting, you might want to let members know if you test positive. Either way, isolate till you test negative. Here is to continued great health to all of our council members.

Congratulations to the YMI Brothers who are celebrating a milestone Membership Anniversaries at our Social on October 27, 2022. See the names of members we will be recognizing on page two. Join us for our Social Dinner and celebrate these fine brothers for their dedicated years as members with YMI.

President's Message

Looks like our yearly Food Basket is without a home at All Souls this year. More news will be discussed at the October 13th Business Meeting. Boxes have been ordered and received and letters sent out for donations. Slowly, but surely.

There was no Social in September AND the Bocce Tourney was also canceled last month. Was it because I celebrated a birthday? LOL

Please remember to ALWAYS make a reservation for any event dinner. This way not only will we be sure you get an entrée, we will also be able to inform you of a cancelation or location change.

Could you name any of our bulletin advertisers, without looking? Be prepared to name advertisers, by heart, if I call on you at our next meeting. A free raffle ticket for each advertiser named, to the person who can name the most without looking!

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Richard Murphy
President

Upcoming Events

Thursday, Oct. 13 7 pm Dinner & Business Meeting

Thursday, Oct 27 7 pmSocial and Dinner
Anniversary Dinner

Thursday, Nov 10 7 pm Dinner & Business Meeting

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.



Have you ever thought that maybe we should be more active as a group on our community to be more visible. The City of SSF has a food distribution event this November where they ask volunteers to come for a couple of hours to work a point of distribution to load boxes into cars. Many service groups have come in the past to work a POD for a couple of hours. Maybe the YMI should be out in the community, too, making a difference. We do a nice job in December, but why stop there? If we are in the community helping neighbors we will connect with people, not just in SSF but in all the cities we live in. If there is an interest with the membership to volunteer, send an email to CityInfo@ssf.net to inquire about opportunities and share them with the brothers.

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

Council Chatter

The Brothers of YMI Council #32 would like to express their deepest sympathy to the Bartoli Families, on the passing **Nandina Bartoli**. Nandina is Brother Bob's and Brother Daniel's mother and Brother Robert's grandmother.

The Brothers of YMI Council #32 would like to express their deepest sympathy to the Crociani Family, on the passing **Doris Crociani**. May she rest in Peace.

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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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Congratulations to the following YMI Brothers who will be celebrating a Membership Anniversary at our Social on Thursday, October 27, 2022. Exactly 76 Years to the day as Council #32 was chartered on October 27, 1946! Come to the social and show your support for these brothers! RSVP by October 24th for this dinner and celebration!

Fifty Years

Brother **Pedro Gonzalez**

Brother Alfred Largomarisno

Brother **Philip Oberst**Brother **James Ruane**

Forty Years

Brother Ernest Braun

Twenty-Five Years

Brother Christian Sullivan Brother Joseph Vincent

Fifteen Years

Brother **John Franco**Brother **Bruce Tognetti**

Interested in attending the **Louis P. Guaraldi** Food Basket Committee Meeting? Get firsthand information at this meeting where your input is welcomed. See a committee member for meeting information to see how you can help.

September was National Preparedness Month, and recent significant earthquakes are good reminders to be prepared. Store a gallon of water per person per day, first aid kit, battery operated radio, flashlight, whistle, crescent wrench to shut off gas meter, non-perishable foods, moist towelettes, batteries, cell phone and chargers, duct tape, etc. Try to rotate

thru these food/water stored items every quarter. Don't depend on neighbors, fire, police. Be prepared to help yourself and others if you can. More info at - <u>Build A Kit | Ready.gov</u>

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



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If a potential member were to ask you, right now, What does the YMI do? Why should I Join? What would your response be? Would it sound inviting? Would it entice someone to join our group? Does Council 32 need to do more fun things, more outreach, more events?

Think about it, then invite someone and see if it works. Call in a reservation for both of you. Bring them to a meeting to meet the guys. They even get one complimentary dinner with you as their sponsor. Like most organizations, looking for potential members, they rely on the current membership to invite people. We are no different. So, if you know someone that meets membership criteria, tell them what we do and invite them in to a dinner. It's up to you to grow our membership!

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