

**YOUNG MEN'S
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Newsletter for April, 2014

Happy Easter to all....

Last Meeting... March 4.

The nominations for delegates to the Grand Council Sessions, (June 16-19) at the Lake Tahoe Resort, was the main topic. Those nominated were Brothers: Pasini, Frank Vallelunga, Rotolo, Cancilla, Borg, Scheller, Martino, Valenti, and Fr. Paolo. The nominations will resume next meeting, April 1st, followed by the election.

There had been a motion passed to try out having an evening meeting, and it was discussed. Our rent agreement expires after June, so in the interim we will have three meetings; 1st Tuesday, 10am – 2pm; 3rd Tuesday 10am – 2pm; and also 4th Tuesday at 5-9 pm. The idea is to see if we can work it out so younger members who have jobs can attend. So, for now we will do the same as always, but have an evening informal meeting-social time, all members and ladies welcome. When the July contract is negotiated we will have to decide what is working best and proceed. We had 32 members attend this meeting, Chaplain Fr. Paolo, Brothers Leo Petrucci, Chuck Gullo, Lewis Borg, Tony Martino, Charlie Scheller, Harry Amoroso, Sam Cancilla, Joe Valenti, Sam Pintacura, Frank Vallelunga, John Diaz, Frank Hepburn, Arnold Borge, Mike Vallelunga, Frank Danna, Phil Zizzo, Pete Pasini, Vince Cetani, Antonio DiVittorio, Rich O'Brien, Joe Riolo, Tony Gelardi, Alex Preciado, Tony Spagnolo, John Salvador, Moses Pirota, Joe Rotolo, Charlie Cano, Everist Romano, Richard Romano, Walter Corriea, and Canio Zabatta. Brothers Joe Riolo, Phil Zizzo, and Tony Martino were the attendance prize winners. Brothers Joe Walter and Joe Quartuccio were also drawn, but not present.

Next Social... March 18.

The Next social is on Tuesday, March 18th, catered corned beef dinner at the hall on Minnesota Avenue. You know you like it so come on down enjoy!

*Since it is kind of late, you can call me, Frank, at (408)802-2958, tell me how many are in your party, then **BRING IN YOUR CHECK FOR \$8 EACH, MADE PAYABLE TO "YMI #2"** to the luncheon. See you there...*

YMI 2 Essays...

The Council #2, Clayton and Lorraine Anglus Essay contest entries must be submitted by April 15th. Hope you all had your relatives enter, and hope they all win!

Dues, dues, dues...

If you sent in your dues in lately, your receipt and ID card are included with this newsletter!

RED AND White Mass...

Was attended by Brothers Lewis Borg and wife Frances; Moses Pirotta and wife Lina; Frank Hepburn and son Brian. Also daughter Kim and grand children Kyle and Alyssa. We all had a great time together, and the “**PRO PATRIA RAFFLE**” drawing was held, lots of winners, the kids that is, but not us. Maybe next year! Thanks to all of you who participated.

Our next council meeting...

Will be Tuesday at noon, **April 1st, 2014**. Please come. The nomination of Grand Council Delegates will conclude at this meeting, followed by the elections. Will you be one?

Grand Council Events...

The Bowling Tournament on April 6th, 12 noon at Pacific Avenue Bowl in Manteca.

Council #2 is defending champs! We have one 5 man team.

Golf Tournament on April 27th, 11am at Manteca Municipal .

Call me at 408 802-2958 (or fxhepburn@comcast.net) if you are interested. We need to know like now to sign up.

Mother’s Day Special, May 3...

Be sure to save this date, the Mother’s Day party will be at Mariani’s in Santa Clara. We will have a flyer at the April meeting, or sooner. NOTE: If you have e-mail, send me a yes to fxhepburn@comcast.net and you can get YMI stuff faster and more colorful, and, will save money. Also, you can forward it to whomever you like too. News from YMI only will be sent to you.

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Remember in your prayers the family of Brother Henry Lapachet. Hank was a seventy year member of our YMI, and he was not just a member, he was involved continuously in all aspects of our Order, and served us and YMI well. He would not brag about it, but he was most responsible for the acquisition of the YMI 2 hall, our home on Evans Lane. May he now rest in peace, and stay in our memories, along with all of our beloved departed members.