



32's NEWS



January 2014

President's Message

Dear Brothers,

Happy New Year and welcome to 2014! Before we look ahead to the New Year let's take a look at how Council 32 closed out 2013.

December began with our Holiday Dinner at the Basque Cultural Center. Members with family and friends enjoyed dinner & dancing. The surprise of the night was the winner of three out of the ten raffle prizes. I say it might be a good idea for her to book a flight to Las Vegas real soon. All in all everyone enjoyed themselves. Thanks again to **Bob and Nancy Bartoli** and Dinner Committee for all your work in getting prizes for the raffle and all the other details that made the night such a success.

On December 14th, under clear blue skies, members and volunteers, met in the morning at Terra Bay Fire Station. Their mission to pack 400 food boxes and assorted toys to deliver to needy families in our community. Mission accomplished. Drivers filled trunks and back of pick-ups and headed out to deliver food and toys and bring a little holiday cheer to the less fortunate.

A sincere thank you to **Bro. Ron Guaraldi** for his help throughout the year in organizing the food drive event. His dedication and hard work is much appreciated. Bro. Ron is already planning for next year. Thank you to everyone who came out that day and thank you for all the donations too!

We have invited, to our January

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Social, the students who came out to help that day. We want to recognize our young volunteers for their participation. So please join us on January 23rd Sports Night Dinner and to tip your cap to them. Dinner will be ball park favorites in keeping with our sports theme. There are sure to be surprises that night.

Don't forget to mark your calendar for January 9th. We will have a visit from the Grand Council President Joseph Reza. We will also be discussing the possible increase in the cost of meeting dinners. Please be make every effort to attend.

Speaking of attending meetings, at our last social, we had 33 R.S.V.P.'s but almost 44 attended. Fortunately, there was enough food. I want to emphasize the importance of calling in your R.S.V.P. When you do not call in it places a burden on the cooks and is unfair to those who have reserved a meal. We are planning a rack of lamb dinner for February meeting. Due to the cost and preparation an exact number of attendees will be needed. No exceptions!

Also, to the officers, if you are unable to make it to the business meeting please let me know by calling 415-345-5403 (day), 650-589-3961 (eve), or email me at sacinshru@aol.com.

I want to wish everyone a healthy and prosperous 2014. May the Lord be with you. Hope to see you soon!

Pro Deo, Pro Patria

Steven Cresci
President

Mark Your Calendar !

January 9

Grand Council Visit and Business Meeting with Pork Roast ala Ortisi and crew.

January 23

Sports Night– Ballpark food favorites without the high stadium prices!

February 13

Business Meeting with Rack of Lamb ala Team Guaraldi Brothers

March 1

Red & White Anniversary Mass and Dinner

Dinner and Drink Prices

After over 10 years of no price increases, the Executive Committee has recommended that the business dinners increase to \$12 from \$10 and that drink prices go to \$2 from \$1.

Social dinners will remain at the current price of \$15.

The cost of dinners has not gone up since August 2002.

The drink prices were set in September 2006 at \$1 and a ticket at \$10 for 12 drinks

Members are encouraged to come to the next business meeting to voice their comments.

Council Chatter....

Brother **George Terry** notes that his wife Kim is home recuperating from surgery and doing well!

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Brothers **Phil Oberst and George Barajas** note that Marge Barajas had surgery prior to Christmas and has a long recuperation time. Your support and prayers are appreciated!
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Brother **Bill Green** is still recuperating from a foot problem. Keep him in your thoughts.
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Brother **Brian Dunbar** and his wife Nicole welcomed their third child (first boy) on Tuesday, November 5, 2013 in San Jose, CA. The future YMI Brother weighed in at 8 pounds .07 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. His name is Logan Thomas William Dunbar. Awaiting his arrival were his two older sisters, Megan Elizabeth (6 years old) and Katelyn Claire (4 years old). Logan is the third grand child (first grand son) of **Brother Tom and Pat Fourie**. He also is related to many other YMI Brothers in Council #32, namely Brothers **Jerry Fourie, George Giusti, Stephen Giusti** and his future God **Father Ryan O'Donohue**.

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Nice article about the Louis P. Guaraldi Food Basket Program in the December 20th edition of the Catholic San Francisco Newspaper.

<http://www.catholic-sf.org/ns.php?newsid=22&id=62038#sthash.CyKJxHfT.dpuf>
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January 23rd

Sports Night

Wear your favorite jersey, hat or team colors!

Must call for reservations!

(650) 583-2510

February 13th

Business Meeting

Rack of Lamb Dinner
Prepared by the Team Guaraldi

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