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Official YMI Prayer

Oh God, who has created all men to know, love, and serve You, through the intercession of St. Joseph, Protector of the Holy Family and Patron of the Young Men's Institute, grant us the grace and strength by our prayers, works and example to draw ever closer to You. Guide and assist us to spread among our fellowmen the kingdom of Your truth and love and peace. Amen.



SANTA ROSA, CA

September 2019

Join us for our upcoming Council Meeting!

Sept. 3, 2019 - Bocci at Vera's

The Presidents Report

Hello YMI brothers. I hope that those of you whom were able to make to the Hot August nights meeting and were able to enjoy it. I'd like to thank all the brothers that were able to bring their cars for the exhibition. Thank you, thank you, thank you! I also want to thank Brother Gabe Castillo for the delicious Paella. Everyone is talking about how good it was. I want to apologize for not being there to enjoy all of the festivities with you guys. I was busy with the passing of my Mother so I couldn't make it. I'm so sorry.

On another note, don't forget that we need volunteers to fill in all of those positions that are coming up to complete the executive Board. These are positions that include duties that have to happen in order to continue the success of the YMI# 40. Come on guys! Step up to bat so we can move forward as a united Brotherhood.

I am looking forward to have the best September Bocce meeting. Please remember the bocce boys/brothers will be in full swing preparing a great Dinner for all of us. I am looking forward to it.

I spoke with brother Sergio Cristobal about the show with his dancing horses, and he told me he would be bringing two of them. It's going to be Spectacular and a great treat for all of us. We work hard, we pray hard, and we deserve it. Please get your applications for the South San Francisco Bocce tournament. So far there has been only one team in the past to win. We have entered seven teams, so come on guys -- let's compete to bring that Trophy Home. You can turn those entries in up to the September meeting.

In closing, I want to acknowledge everyone for the card I received with your condolences and good wishes. It is very comforting to be a part of YMI because in moments of sorrow, it sure makes it easier to hear about the people praying for you and your loved ones. It makes one feel so proud.

The YMI Council from Sebastopol and Brother Nick Franceschine (and his wife) also sent emails and cards. I also want to thank the brother from Dos Palos, Darrell Fonseca for his kind words and prayers, thank you. From this point on, I will never feel alone thanks to all my brothers.

--Continuing in support of the mission, Angel Vera / President

Upcoming YMI Council #40 Events

September 3, 2019 – Bocce Ball & BBQ at Vera Ranch
October 1, 2019 – Business Meeting, Dinner. Theme: New Member Invite.
November 2, 2019 – (TBD) Fall Polenta Fundraiser
November 5, 2019 – Business Meeting, Dinner. Theme: Thanksgiving.
December 3, 2019 – Annual Family Christmas Dinner.
January 7, 2020 – Business Meeting, Dinner. Theme: New Years.
February 4, 2020 – Annual Sweethearts Valentines Dinner
March 3, 2020 – Business Meeting, Dinner. Theme: St Patrick and St. Joseph.
March 7, 2020 – (TBD) Spring Polenta Fundraiser.
April 7, 2020 – Business Meeting, Dinner. Theme: Easter.
May 5, 2020 – (TBD) Annual Mother's Day/Fiesta meal. Officers Nominations.
June 2, 2020 – Officer Elections. Business Meeting, Dinner. Theme: Father's Day.