

# Ligure Club Bollettino

July 2024



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Ciao Members and Friends of the Ligure Club,

I hope you are enjoying your summer. We had our largest attendance in many years at the June Birthday Dinner, Italian Heritage of the Bay Area Night. We enjoyed having guests representing many of our local Italian American clubs, as well as our reigning queen Maddy Mittone. In addition to the local club representatives, we had the honor of having with us the San Francisco Deputy Vice Consul of the Consulate General of Italy, Davide Corriero. Thanks to both Maddy and Davide for their excellent speeches on our shared Italian heritage. We also enjoyed the masterful accordion playing of George Campi. The pork scallopini, and particularly the risotto, were fabulous as prepared by our chefs Leon Vignale, Ray Parenti, and Jimmy Chigia. Special thanks to our hardworking wait staff. Also, many thanks to the setup crew, and those who helped with the raffle. Another excellent dinner and lots of fun!

Our next member's Meeting will be on Tuesday, July 9th. This will be a Steak & Beans meeting, so if you plan to attend, you must call the reservation line. Without a reservation, there will be no steak for you. So please let us know you are coming so that we will have enough steaks for everyone.

The Oakland A's Italian Heritage Baseball Night is returning this year on Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> when they play the Los Angeles Angels. You can purchase your tickets directly online at this website: <https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Ligure2024>

Our July Birthday Dinner will again be our annual Father-Son-Daughter Night. This is the dinner where we traditionally honor our LSI scholarship winners. The event is open to all, and typically draws very well, especially when the menu includes pasta al pesto and roast beef. Get your reservations in early if you are planning to come.

Please mark Thursday, August 29th on your calendar. We are looking forward to having our third annual Steak-Cigar-Whiskey dinner. The dinner will include a pre-dinner artisanal spirits tasting presented by Oakland-based craft distillery Wright & Brown. For those who appreciate a good cigar, professional cigar-roller, Antonio Cortada, will be at the dinner to hand roll you a fresh cigar. For more details please see the flyer accompanying this Bollettino.

*Ci vediamo al club!*

Your President,

David Franco



## GRAZIE - GRAZIE - GRAZIE

We wish to thank all those who donated prizes for this last month's Birthday Dinner raffle including, The Setup Crew, Rich Shuler, Frank & Nick Lima, Marcello Barbero, The Lapenna Family, Dave Ceccenti, Craig Jaber, (Royal Auto Repair), The Family of Lum Parenti, Dan Tachiera, Randy Tritto, Clarick Brown, and Bob Stettler.

## July Birthday Dinner

Tuesday, 23 July 2024

At the Fratellanza Club, 1140 66<sup>th</sup> Street, Oakland

### FATHER-SON-DAUGHTER NIGHT & LSI SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS NIGHT

Chaired by Ligure Scholars, Inc



Cocktails @ 6:00PM

Dinner @ 7:00PM

Members: \$25

Guests: \$30

**Menu:**

Pomodoro al Bagnet, Ligure Salad

Pasta al Pesto & Roast Beef

Wine, Coffee Royal & Dessert

To attend, either call the reservation line, or send an email to

[LigureClubReservations@yahoo.com](mailto:LigureClubReservations@yahoo.com). Raffle gifts greatly appreciated.

### Buon Compleanno & Tanti Auguri!

Happy Birthday to our July Boys!

Eric Aki, Darrel Andrada, John Barry, Steve Caporelli, John Carter, Kevin Chervatin, Keith Conti, Stuart Davis, Alfonso De Pianto, David DeVincenzi, Phil Donnelly, Mauro Gasparro, Norman Gelb, Bill Haligan, Michael J. Holland, Michael Hughey, Joseph W. Lapenna, Adrian J. Martin, John McVay, John M. Miller, Vito Muscardin, Anthony Parenti, Peter Revelli, Kyle Rusca, Leonardo Salamini, Hank salvo Jr, Jason Shuler, Anthony Sorth, Carlo Tamborino & Robert Vaccarezza!

DINNER IS FREE FOR PAID UP BIRTHDAY BOYS, AND 50 YEAR MEMBERS.

OPEN TO ALL - EVERYONE WILL BE WELCOME AT THIS EVENT

Remember to make your reservations as early as possible, and no later than 6:00 pm the Sunday before the dinner, and clearly state both your name and club membership number. If you call in a reservation and then have a cancellation, please call the reservation line with your cancellation ASAP, as it allows the club to adjust the amount of food procured for these dinners.

## UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

If your contact information has changed, then please send a note to Ligure Club, 4900 Shattuck Avenue, Box 22868, Oakland, CA 94609-2031 (the mailing address noted below), or send an email to [ligureclub@yahoo.com](mailto:ligureclub@yahoo.com).

## NEW MEMBERS



New members joining the club this past month include Jon Jeswald (871), Dominic Canizzaro (872), Adam Francolino (873), Harry Pruyon (874), Walter Lundin (875), Tom Alberti (876). Welcome to the club.

## Upcoming Ligure Club Events

- Member's Meeting - Tuesday, July 9th. Steak & Beans. Reservation required to attend.
- A's Italian Heritage Day – Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Birthday Dinner - Tuesday, July 23rd. Father, Son, Daughter, and Scholarship Awards Night.
- Member's Meeting - Tuesday, August 13, 2024. Spuntino to follow.
- Birthday Dinner - Tuesday, August 27, 2024. Building Industry Night.
- Steak, Cigar, and Whiskey Dinner - Thursday, August 29, 2023.

Note: There will be no Friday Drive-Thru Lunches in July and August, but will be back in September.



### OAKLAND A'S - ITALIAN HERITAGE DAY



A's vs Angles

SATURDAY, 20 JULY 2024, 1:07 PM



Oakland Coliseum

Tickets for this year's A's Italian Heritage Night are now available. If interested, then please purchase your tickets directly online at:

<https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Ligure2024>

Follow the instructions provided to acquire your tickets.

### LIGURE BOARD & MEMBERSHIP MEETING

**Tuesday, 9 July 2024 at the Fratellanza Club**  
**Board Meeting at 6pm, Membership Meeting at 7pm**  
**STEAK & BEANS**

You must call the reservation line at (510) 869-4337 by Sunday, July 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm if you plan to attend and want a steak. No reservation, no steak, but you can have all of the beans you want!

### In Memoriam

Frank Petri

December 5, 1930 – June 1, 2024

A member of the Ligure Club since September 1997



#### 2024 Officers

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## JUNE BIRTHDAY DINNER PHOTOS

Tuesday, June 25, 2024 - Photos taken by John Pryor





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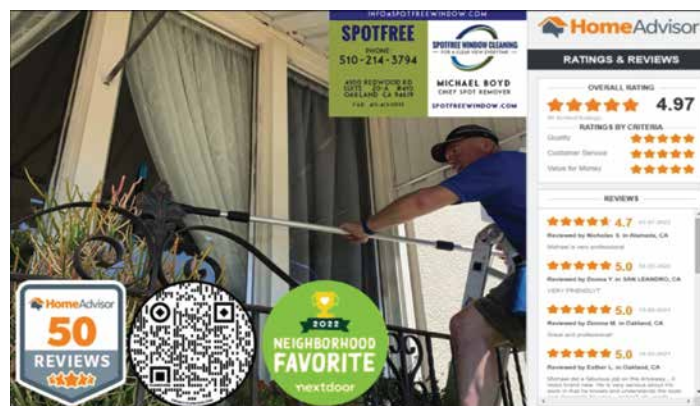


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