

SOS Women's Club Carte Di Donne

Hello ladies!

This is a jam-packed newsletter - so please read carefully!

We hope you enjoyed our summer celebration last month! Many thanks to Antipasto's Deli for donating a raffle prize, and Lynn DiSalvi for baking the delicious pineapple upside down cakes for dessert!

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday August 10th at 6pm at Palermo. We'll enjoy tomato, cucumber, and onion salad, and Tortellini Capricciosa for dinner.

Since it's August - it's that time again - Dues are due! Please come to the meeting prepared to pay your dues (**\$150**) with either cash or a check. You can also mail your dues to Jessica, or pay with Venmo. See page 5 for more details.

Lastly, the men's club is planning the Family Picnic on Sunday September 19th. The women's club will be hosting a variety of activities and will need some volunteers. Please see page 3 for more details.

Looking forward to seeing you soon!

Lisa, Ramona, Julie, Jessica & Lauren

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Cultural Corner | Festa di San Bartolomeo Apostolo

The patron saint of Lipari is honored over four days, culminating on 24th August with a series of processions around the town. The festivities end in the Marina Corta (the old harbor) with a fabulous fireworks display over the sea.

Recipe of the Month | Gamberi con Salmoriglio

Ingredients

- 1/2 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 4 tbsp water
- Salt & pepper
- Juice of ½ lemon
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 1 tbsp fresh oregano, chopped
- 1 tbsp fresh Italian parsley, chopped
- 1 tbsp capers, roughly chopped
- 600 g cooked shrimp, shell on
- 1/2 lemon (cut into segments) for garnish

1.Whisk the olive oil, water, lemon juice and salt & pepper together until light and creamy.

2.Stir in the garlic, oregano, celery leaves and parsley.

3.Arrange the cold, cooked shrimp on a platter or in bowls, then pour over the Salmoriglio.

4.Scatter the lemon wedges around, then serve with lots of fresh crusty bread.



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At our August meeting we will have volunteer sign ups to help support our efforts at the Family Picnic. Our club will be hosting a cake wheel (bake sale), lawn games, bounce house, and children's raffle. Please see Lauren to sign up to volunteer!

Getting To Know You | GaeTina La Torre

When Gae isn't volunteering with Cancer Carepoint, you can find her playing pickleball, dancing, and travelling.

She's a retired teacher for special needs kids and mother of 3 and a proud grandma to 8 beautiful grandchildren.

If you asked her friends, they would say she's Energetic, friendly, family oriented

Be sure to say hello to Gae at our next meeting!



Dues Are Due!

2021-2022 Dues are due and are <u>\$150</u> for the year. Please pay by August 31st. There are 3 ways to pay: 1.Mail a Check (make checks out to- SOS Woman's Club)

> Jessica Trumble 72 Hollywood Ave, San Jose, CA 95123

2. Pay with Cash or Check at our August Meeting

3. Venmo to: @Jessica-trumble-1

It will ask for the last four digits of her phone number (6185)

BONUS! All members who pay their dues by August 31st will be entered in a drawing for a special prize!

Health & Welfare

If you have updates for Health & Welfare or prayer requests, please contact Lauren Salciccia: 408-410-7636 lauren.salciccia@gmail.com Board Member Contact Information <u>President - Lisa Chiaramonte</u> lisalinnc@comcast.net | 408-887-5783 <u>Vice President - Ramona Marr</u> ramona.marr@mail.com | 408-857-0013 <u>Secretary - Julie Longwello</u> julie@aseroins.com | 408-876-9567 <u>Treasurer - Jessica Trumble</u> zambataro@me.com | 408-859-6185 <u>Member-at-large - Lauren Salciccia</u> lauren.salciccia@gmail.com | 408-410-7636

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August Birthdays

- 12 Rose Sunseri
- 14 Angela Boettcher
- 14 Cheryl Scimone
- 14 Shirley Battaglia
- 20 Arlene Taormina
- 26 Maryann Quartuccio



Upcoming Events

August 10 Regular Meeting September 14 Regular Meeting September 19 Family Picnic



Sicilian Word of the Month

Gamberi - Shrimp

See the recipe for Gamberi con Salmoriglio on page 2!