



# LA TRINACRIA

SONS OF SICILY

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dave Geraci

Fratelli,

Last month's meeting was another club success. Thank you to Sam's BBQ for donating Italian sausage rolls for appetizers. They were amazing! The cook staff did another spectacular job providing us with a wonderful dinner.

Don't forget that next month's meeting is a MALE guest night. Please RSVP with Mike Maltese so that we can get a proper head count.

The family picnic has also returned after a one year hiatus. Again, please contact Mike for tickets. The family picnic is open to everyone. Hurry and get your tickets before they sell out.

Congratulations to Frank Salciccia for becoming our newest board member, taking over his late father's position as our new financial secretary. So glad to have you aboard Frank!

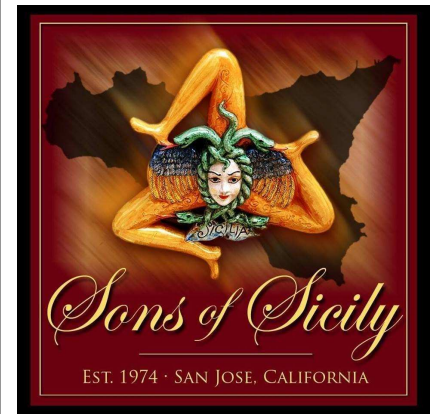
Apparently, masks will be required to enter Napredak Hall for the Sept. meeting, of course not when you are eating or drinking. So do a lot of eating and drinking! Seriously, please stay safe. I look forward to seeing all of you and your MALE guests next month.

Grazie,

*Dave*



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS



- Sept 13th  
*Male Guest Night*
- Sept 19th  
*Family Picnic*
- Oct 4th  
*Regular Meeting*
- Nov 1st  
*Membership Drive Night*

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### Sicilian Word Of The Month:

**Arrassu** *adv. and prep.* Far away, far from.

Quannu vidi cchiù cani supra un ossu, la megghiu cosa è faritilla arrassu.

*Eng. When you see many dogs at a bone, it's best to make yourself scarce.*



# When and where...

**Sunday Sept 19th  
11am-5pm**

**Napredak Hall**

**770 Montague Expressway  
San Jose, CA**

**Adults \$25, Kids 5-12 \$15, Under 5 FREE**

**Call Mike Maltese for Tickets (408) 972-4986**

*Please bring canned foods for 2nd Harvest Food Bank*



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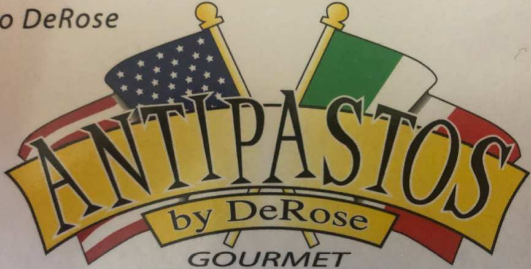
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If you have any news to report and want it placed in next month's newsletter, please contact me before the 15th of the month at **650-670-0777** or email me at: [fredguidici64@yahoo.com](mailto:fredguidici64@yahoo.com).

Buona Salute a tutti e Dio Vi Benedica.

Fred

Betty Zambataro passed away on August 21st at the age of 90. She was the wife of Alfio (Freddy) Zambataro, mother of Little Joe and Grandmother of Chris Zambataro.

She will be dearly missed.

Please keep the Zambataro family in your prayers.

Stay healthy and safe.

Enjoy the 2021 Football season!

## Sicilian Olympians—

Well the 2020 Tokyo Olympics are over, the Italians really shined in the Track & Field by bringing home several hardware, including four Golds. We even had Sicilians bringing home gold from Tokyo as well.

But there is one in particular I would like to talk about: Luigi Busa' from Avola in the province of Syracuse. Why him? Well, he won gold. In Karate. In Japan!



Think about that for a minute! That's like a Japanese winning a cannoli contest in Palermo!

Luigi Busa' is a 33 year old, world class Karateka in the 75kg weight class category. He has won several World Championships and now an Olympic Gold Medal in the land of Karate, he is regarded as the best in the world. Let's hear it for our fellow Sicilian athlete.




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Well, we've had two meetings without masks but the county has reinstated the mask requirement for all indoor meetings. So, for us to meet at Napredak we must require all attendees to wear a mask to get inside the building. Masks are not required while eating or drinking. We ask that if any members/guests are not comfortable with this arrangement, they should not plan to attend this meeting.

Our next meeting will be September 13th at Napredak 6pm. It will be a male guest night so you **must** contact Mike Maltese or myself with the number of guests. The costs per quest is \$25, which will be payable at the door. The cooks are working on a menu and we're all looking forward to an excellent meal.

The county has not required masks for outside events like our picnic. So, our plans continue as follows. The picnic date has been set for the 19th of September at Napredak in the back park setting. The cutoff date will be September 13th with moneys due at that time. The cost will be \$25per adult and \$15 for kids 5-12, under 5 are free. As always you **must** contact Mike Maltese to get tickets and confirm the number of guests. The Women's club is actively participating with the jump house, face painting, and of course Limoncello shots! The menu will be BBQ chicken, Pasta, Salad, Garlic Bread, Sausage sandwiches, watermelons and more! As you can see it will be Big Meal with plenty of food, so come hungry and ready to have fun.

Contact:

Mike Maltese (408) 972-4986  
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Don't forget to check out our website for the most up to date information.



**See the schedule below for a quick reference in chronological order:**

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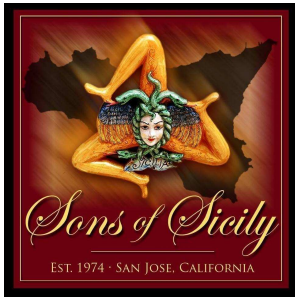
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**As changes occur, we'll keep you posted with updates.**

*Bob Scaletta — Social Events*



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