



# La Fratellanza

*Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America*

Shasta Lodge #2453

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## JANUARY and FEBRUARY 2022

### UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS JANUARY 2022

General Meeting  
& Potluck Dinner

Monday, January 17th - 6:15PM

Redding Police Explorers Dinner  
Thursday, January 20th

### FEBRUARY

Redding Grange Meeting  
Wednesday, Feb. 2nd - 9AM

Crab Feed

Friday and Saturday  
February 11th & 12th

General Meeting and  
Potluck Dinner

Monday, February 21st - 6:15PM

### MARCH

Redding Grange Meeting  
Wednesday, March 2nd - 9AM

St. Patrick's Dinner  
Saturday, March 12th

General Meeting  
And Potluck Dinner

Monday, March 21st - 6:15PM

### APRIL

Redding Grange Spaghetti &  
Meatball Fundraiser  
Sunday, April 3rd - 3-7PM

General Meeting  
And Potluck Dinner  
Monday April 18th—6:15PM

Shasta Lodge's 42nd  
Anniversary Party  
Saturday, April 23

### *Happy New Year 2022*

Shasta lodge had a good December, a couple of large parties. Chef James and students from Enterprise High prepared the dinner for the Redding Police Officers, and Chef Donnie (GM at MiniMax) prepared dinner for the Sheriff Deputies with the help of his daughter Haley and the Students from Chef James' classes. Great Job.

We were very sad to lose Jean Russell but were happy to host her Celebration of Life. There was a large group that came to pay their respects.

We will be preparing dinner for the Police Explorers on the 20th. Small group due to covid, but the Police Officers will serve the Explorer's dinner.

Then in February we will hold our Crab Feed. There are still a few tickets for Saturday, and quite a few for Friday. Let's get them sold. See Page 3 for copy of flyer.

We still need people to step up to help for the Crab Feed. Carole D. needs servers for both nights, give her a call at 241-4342 if you can help. Or call Paul Monette at 351-3456 and he will find a place for you to help.

Jim Giacomelli will be having some Super Bowl pools so catch him at the meeting on Monday, or get your squares at the Crab Feed.

We will be holding our annual St. Patrick's Dinner on March 12th. We have not yet confirmed that Enterprise Starship will be able to perform, due to covid restrictions by the schools. See page 6.

In February Shasta Lodge celebrates our 42nd anniversary, but because it is so close between the Crab Feed and the St. Patrick's Dinner, we are going to be having our dinner dance on April 23rd. It will be a Yellowstone themed party so get you Western wear ready. We don't have an exact menu yet, and are waiting for confirmation on the music, too. We will try to get info out as soon as possible. See page 6.

The Redding Community Guild is back to being the Redding Grange as of this month. We will be holding a Spaghetti Feed Fundraiser for our scholarship fund on Sunday, April 3rd. More information will be coming out soon on this event, too. See page 6

If you haven't done so yet, please go to City of Redding Parks and Recreations website and complete the survey there on ideas for South City Park. Survey Closes 1/19. Let's help make South City Park special again.  
[www.cityofredding.org/southcitypark](http://www.cityofredding.org/southcitypark).

We will be trying to have a bi-monthly newsletter starting 2022, so please be sure to send your information and photos. See page 5 for more information

## SUNSHINE REPORT



We were all saddened at the sudden passing of **Jean Russell** in December. We also lost a friend in **Shirley Davis**, Leonard Duz's significant other. Our condolences to their families.

As many of you probably saw on TV or in the newspapers, **Joe Marsiano**, a former long time member of the lodge and friend of many of us, went missing around the middle of December. He was found deceased in South Sacramento. Our condolences to Joe's wife and kids.

**Joe Dellaragione** was hospitalized recently with covid. He is better now.

**Bobbe Vincent** had pneumonia recently. **Lori Rossi** had a procedure on a ligament in her hip. She will be recuperating for a few weeks.

If you have any sunshine news, please call our "Sunshine Lady"

**Liz LaMarre** and let her know so she can send cards, call, etc. **515-5485** or email [liz\\_lamarre@yahoo.com](mailto:liz_lamarre@yahoo.com).



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Charlotte Bailey - 244-1607

## President Jim's Message



Hello members of Shasta Lodge:

Happy New Year to you all! We begin the New Year with enthusiasm as Chairman Paul and Team are preparing for our Crab and Chowder Feed. We missed last year, and it seems like forever since we've had one. Ticket sales for Saturday are doing well, close to a sellout, but Friday is a bit slower this year. We still have plenty of time to sell the remaining tickets. It seems that they go all at once towards the end. If you know someone who may want to attend, tell them to get tickets now, before they're gone. There's plenty of information in the newsletter on how to get them. Please remind your family, friends, and neighbors that the Crab and Chowder we serve is not only the best in town, but there is raffle full of great prizes too. Our team assembles the greatest prize baskets!!

We've prepared a Calendar of Events for 2022 and we plan to move forward with the planned events throughout the year. We hope that many of you will join us and help when you can. 2021 was a difficult year for all of us, but it's time to

move on. By now most, if not all of us, have been vaccinated and boosted. We can still be cautious without being fearful.

Attendance at the monthly Membership Meeting has been down since we've resumed meeting. As I mentioned, we are planning to move ahead with our planned calendar of events. I hope that by doing so, we can regenerate the enthusiasm we had before being stricken by this COVID "stuff". It will require all of us, as a team, to crank it up and keep the ball rolling. As far as the meetings, we're still having our great potluck dinner, 50/50 raffle, membership drawing, and our Project Board has many squares left on it. Those of you who haven't been to a meeting in a while, drop in and spend an hour with us on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month. Those of you who may be more comfortable wearing a mask, please do so. I promise there will be no mask shaming at Our House.

Let's get those few remaining Crab Feed & Chowder tickets sold. I hope to see you ALL at the next meeting!

Until then...CIAO!

Jim Nobili

#### Committee Chairs

#### Bar Managers

Jim Nobili - 243-4127

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John Tasello - 365-5978

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#### Scholarships

Jeanne-Marie Carr - 306-6134

START  
EACH DAY  
WITH A  
GRATEFUL  
HEART.

*Sons and Daughters of Italy, Shasta Lodge #2453*

**CRAB AND CLAM CHOWDER FEED 2022**

Friday & Saturday, February 11th & 12th, 2022

Door Open - 5:30PM

Antipasto - 6:30PM Dinner - 7PM

\$65 per person

Antipasto, Bread, Salad,  
Chowder, and CRAB

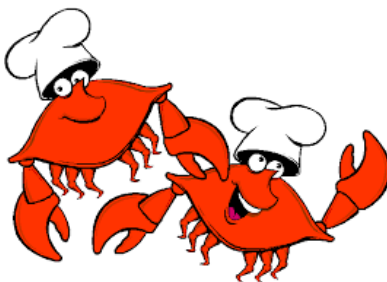
All you can eat.

Great Raffle with lots of prizes and baskets.

Tickets are going fast. Please call John or Cheryl at 215-1333

(please leave a message and they will return your call)

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**FEBRUARY**

- Charlotte Bailey - 2/15
- Marilynn Camerlo - 2/2
- Angi Caporusso - 2/23
- Brendan Carr - 2/8
- Marie Carr - 2/24
- Pat Deem - 2/18
- Leonard Duz - 2/13
- Migdalia Garcia - 2/20
- Angeline Massa - 2/24
- Missy McArthur - 2/6
- Dino Pereira - 2/18
- Barbara Sherman - 2/12
- Gina Toombs - 2/14
- Terri Watson - 2/6
- Chris Whitmore - 2/27
- Alan Wolochuk - 2/26

**MARCH**

- Cinde Belcastro - 3/17
- Jeanne Brown - 3/10
- Jeanne-Marie Carr - 3/16
- Robert Checchi - 3/20
- Dominic DiNino - 3/16
- Don Gallino - 3/9
- Liz LaMarre - 3/20
- Jim Moxley - 3/1
- Cara Schuler - 3/2
- Nancy Wolochuk - 3/12

**BELL RINGING FOR SALVATION ARMY**



John DiMatteo spent about 8-9 hours one Sunday at Walmart and took in about \$750. for those of you who rang the bells...Thank You. Shasta Lodge raised \$2,482.54.



Several scholarships are available NOW at national, state, and local levels. Please check out the links below for requirements and due dates:

**Shasta Lodge #2453** offers in-house scholarships for immediate family members in good standing (includes self, spouse, member's children and grandchildren). Please check under "Scholarships" on our webpage for all requirements and application information.

<https://reddingsonsofitaly.com/>

**Applications are due March 31st.** Should you have any questions, please contact Jeanne-Marie at [jmcarr34@hotmail.com](mailto:jmcarr34@hotmail.com) or 530-306-6134.

From the Order of the Sons of Italy California: <http://www.osiaca.org/Scholarships/How-To-Apply>

From the National Order of the Sons of Italy: <https://www.osia.org/programs/scholarships/>

*Happy Valentine's Day*





### GO FOR THE GREEN!!

Since February 2007, we have had all members names in a drawing held at each general meeting.

In December Jim Moxley's name was drawn and he was not there and did not win the \$30. In January the drawing will be for \$35.

If your name is drawn and you are there, you get the money, so "be there" or miss your chance to win.



### Shasta Lodge Golf

Allen's Golf will now have Shasta Lodge golf on Tuesday each week with tee off at 830am .The cost is \$10 for 9 holes of golf.

### Chaplain's Corner



Blessings, Peace and Love to all in this New Year of 2022! I know we've all been hearing from friends and family, "boy, it's gotta be better than 2021!" And, I believe it will be just that – better – don't you? I know we're all ready for what is often referred to as "normalcy", and I believe it's just around the corner.

Our wonderful crab feed is scheduled for February 11th and 12<sup>th</sup>, and sales are quite brisk! Oh, and have you seen the sunrises and sunsets the last few days – absolutely breathtaking – surely some, "thank you God" moments for sure.

May each of you be blessed with peace, serenity, joy and love each day of 2022. Thank you for allowing me to share my thoughts.....Charlotte

Charlotte Bailey, Chaplain

### RECYCLE PROGRAM

John DiMatteo has been recycling our cans and bottles since August 2009 . John has finally reached the first milestone he has been going after over \$10,000 We are now at \$10,233.69. That's a great amount for 11+ years.

Be sure to bring you plastic bottles and aluminum cans to the lodge to be recycled.

Shown Left: Jean Russell's grand-daughter looking at photos at Jean's Celebration of Life.

Below: Lodge Members toasting Jean following the December general meeting.



NEWSLETTER INFORMATION. PLEASE SEND YOUR ARTICLES OR PHOTOS TO ME AT mscturner@aol.com. Or you may phone me with information to 241-4342 or 604-7626. thank you, Carole D. Cut off date for March newsletter will be February 20th.

*Thought for the Day!!*

Not everything is a big deal..... Chill.



## Redding Grange #446

I hope you have all noticed our new sign next to the front door of the hall. On January 12, the Grange members held a meeting with officials of the California State Grange to officially put an end to litigation and reclaim our title of Redding Grange #446. This has been our title since 1930 and this hall has been our home since at least 1952. Of course, this has also been the home of Shasta Lodge for 39 years. Make no mistake about it, our Grange Hall and our Sons and Daughters of Italy Lodge both plan on being here in the next 39 years. I will probably not remain president of the Grange for that whole period, but Jim Nobili is already planning his campaign for 2032.

Seriously, we will need the support and work of the members to maintain our home and continue our good works in the community. So, let us be sure and fill the SDOI Lodge on Feb 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> for the crab feed and sell bunches of tickets for the Granges' Spaghetti Feed Fund Raiser on April 3.

Thank you for your support.

John Tasello, President of Redding Grange #446

# Agenda

## GENERAL MEETING & POTLUCK DINNER

**Dinner 6:15PM Meeting 7PM**

We will begin the evening with a potluck dinner. We will have some chili and soups, so bring an item of your choice, hot dish, side, salad or dessert.

We will be selling Crab Feed tickets again, so if you haven't bought yours, plan to get them at this meeting. We will be getting some information on Crab Feed and on other upcoming lodge events, too.

Jim Giacomelli will be starting pools for the Super Bowl, so plan to pick you squares. You can also buy squares on our Project Board.

**IT'S YOUR LODGE,  
COME JOIN THE FUN!!**



Below John Tasello and Paul Monette preparing for the Dictionary Project along with Larry Shuman and Gerry Carroll.



## BOCCE IS BACK

We are, once again, partnering with the City of Redding Recreation Department to provide bocce at our courts in South City Park. To avoid the weather issues of the past, we are going to have just the spring/summer league play but with some changes. Our regular, and more competitive, 4-person team play will start on Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup> and go for 6 weeks to June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> will see the start of a social league of 2-person teams with the same 6-week schedule. This is perfect for people who haven't play as much or just like the idea of rolling twice as much. It is also easier to put together a team.

That brings us to our senior league. That will commence on April 28<sup>th</sup> also, but play is at 9:00 the morning. Senior League teams are also 2-person. Besides all the other reasons for missing our dear friend, Jean Russell, she was also our enthusiastic chairperson of our Senior League. We really need a lodge member to step up for this.

The entry fee will be \$50 per person in for either of the 3 leagues. All players will need to register themselves on the City of Redding website. We will walk you through that process later. This will make it easier for the team captains and will also provide contact information for every player so we can get pertinent information out to them.

Finally, there will be no cash prizes given out. We have always had a tough time getting enough members to help maintain the courts and to referee. Playing on 2 nights will just be too much for our bocce crew to manage, so we are going instruct some people from the Recreation Department on court maintenance and refereeing. These folks will have to be paid. Remember that the courts are available for you to play on when you have time, and the weather is good.

John Tasello and Jim Giacomelli, Co-chairs Bocce Play



## Sons and Daughters of Italy

### St. Patrick's Dinner

Saturday, March 12th, 2022

Cocktails 5:30PM - Dinner 7:00 PM

Traditional Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner  
Appetizers, Salad, Corned Beef, Cabbage, Potatoes,  
Carrots, Bread and Dessert.

Entertainment will be announced as soon as we  
can confirm.

\$23 per person  
(includes tax and gratuity)

By reservation  
only.

Please call Steve at  
224-9524  
for tickets.



## *Sons and Daughters of Italy*

### *42nd Anniversary*

*Saturday, April 23rd*

*Yellowstone themed*

*Dinner and Music*

*The dinner menu will be announced  
soon as will the  
music to be provided for dancing.*

*The Most Honored Members for 2019,  
2020, 2021 will be announced.*

*Please plan to attend*

## Redding Grange

### Spaghetti Feed Fundraiser

#### To benefit our Scholarship Fund

This year a scholarship will be given in memory of  
Shirley Davis.

"Help us help a couple of great local stu-  
dents"

Sunday, April 3rd, 2022.

1-7PM Eat In or Take Out

Spaghetti with Meatballs (Sons of Italy's Almost  
Famous Spaghetti & Meatballs), Salad and Garlic  
Bread.

We will also have great raffle prizes. We  
will also have dessert cupcakes for sale.

For more info call John at 365-5978

Kathleen Duval, Jean Russell, Teresa Elford and Liz LaMarre  
working at the Asphalt Cowboys Community Barbeque  
September 2021.





Above: Chef Donnie with one student and his daughter Haley preparing dinner for Sheriff's party. Center: Lorna and John Jepsen with Pres. Jim. Right: Charlotte Bailey with Jean Russell at the Council Dinner.



Above: Steve Delben, Paul Monette, John Tasello and Jim Giacomelli preparing barbecued Tri-tip for the RPOA party.



Left: Jim Giacomelli and Joe Rodola at the RPOA party. Above: Chef James with students preparing dinner for RPOA party.

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