



La Fratellanza

Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America

Shasta Lodge #2453

4850 Cedars Rd. PO Box 994107 Redding, CA 96099

NOVEMBER 2022 THRU FEBRUARY 2023

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS MARCH

Redding Grange Meeting
Wednesday, March 1 - 9am

St. Patrick's Dinner
Saturday, March 11
Social Hour 5:30 PM Dinner 7:00 PM
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General Meeting and Potluck Dinner
Monday, March 20
Potluck Dinner 6:15PM—Meeting 7:00PM

Welcome Home Viet Nam Vets
Luncheon at the Vets Hall at 1605 Yuba St.
Saturday, March 25th at 12:00PM

APRIL

Redding Grange Spaghetti Feed Fundraiser
Sunday, April 2— 1-6PM
(see Page 6)

Redding Grange Meeting
Wednesday, April 5th - 9AM

General Meeting and Potluck Dinner
April 17th
Potluck Dinner 6:15PM Meeting 7:00PM

Bocce Leagues at South City Park
First Nights of Play are
April 26th and 27th at 6pm
Senior League starts 26th at 9am

Shasta Lodge's 43rd Anniversary Party
Friday, April 28th
Social Hour 5:30PM - Dinner 6:30PM
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MAY

Redding Grange Meeting
Wednesday, May 3rd - 9AM

Asphalt Cowboys Pancake Breakfast
Friday, May 12th

General Meeting and Potluck Dinner
Monday, May 15th
Potluck Dinner 6:15PM Meeting 7:00PM

CRAB FEED 2023

Our annual Crab Feed featuring our acclaimed Clam Chowder was held on February 10th & 11th. Ticket sales were off to a late start this year due to the delays of the commercial crab season. Ticket sales started on January 4th and we sold out both nights by January 11th. Thank you everyone for your hard work and diligence in getting the word out and selling so many tickets so quickly. Thank you, John & Cheryl, for managing the ticket sales and the seating chart once again. This is a difficult task and you both make it look easy!

The Clam Chowder is always a crowd pleaser. Jim & I continue to try new methods to improve our cooking process. Our costs for the ingredients have gone up significantly year over year. It takes all day to get all of our ingredients in the pot. Timing is crucial to this process and it requires constant stirring during cooking. I'd like to thank Bob Whitmore for taking on this duty both days for the past so many years.

Carole D. and her team arrive early both days to prepare the Antipasto Plates, Lemons, Red Sauce, Butter Pats and Bread for both nights. Thank you, Chris, Griffin, Rose N., Terri, Nancy, Rita, Sharon P., Angela & MaryEllen for your hard work. Jim & I made 4 gallons on Red Dipping Sauce the day before. This is a Jim Nobili's secret recipe. Yum!

The Go-To guys Dino and Kendra on Friday night and Dennis and Ryan on Saturday night were very busy keeping the servers supplied with all of the food. A big thank you to our servers for getting the food on the tables while keeping the tables cleared of used dishes. Alan, Charlotte, Dean & Mary, Mike, Chris & Taryn, Courtney, Kate, Doug & Diane, Jillian, Sharon, Mary Ellen, Brandi & Sierra, Kathleen, Rose G, Rhonda, Lori, Laurel, Camille & Wyatt, Angela, Telly and Nancy.

Our Crab was delivered both days right on time. The CEO/Owner (Charlie) of R & R

Meats delivered our first 850 lbs. of Crab on Friday himself. He also contributed to our raffle with two \$100 R & R Gift Cards. Our dedicated crew of crab handlers filled 75 foil trays with crab. This is not an easy task since the crab is packed on ice and extremely cold! Thank you, JT, JD, Bobby, Steve, Leonard and Jim N., for doing this messy job each year.

Our kitchen team has a huge task of getting the food ready and delivered to the Go -To -Guys timely. We served approximately 232 guests both nights starting with our Clam Chowder at 7pm, Salad at 7:15 and Crab at 7:30. All while refilling chowder bowls and crab trays. Not an easy task! Thank you, Steve, JD, Leonard, Bob, Jean Marie and Jeff, for all of your help.

Our raffle was a huge success once again this year. Many of our members are so good at getting gift cards and items donated to our raffle. Sharon and Gerry shop all year for the items in our great gift baskets. They had a team of 18 people to create 30 baskets and it was completed in 3 hours. Everyone did a fantastic job! They looked wonderful up on our stage both nights. I swear each year they get heavier! Basket makers this year were Sharon, Gerry, Rose N., Kathleen, Sheila, Carol, Nancy, Charlotte Chris, Mary & Dean, Cathy, Lynn, Lois, Bob, Jim N, Bobby and Paul. Thanks also to the bib folders and table setters and decoration people.

Our Bar Crew was exceptionally busy both nights. This is a drinking bunch of folks who are ready to have fun! Jim Giacomelli said "We had a record weekend of sales during the crab feed. Saturday night was our busiest night ever. A BIG Thank You goes out to the bar crew Jim & Rose Nobili, Bob & Leslie Gullixson, John Tassello, Brandi Anderson, Bryce Giacomelli (I apologize if I missed anybody) for all the hard work behind the bar this weekend.



SUNSHINE REPORT

There have been many people sick with colds and flu and covid. Since we haven't had a newsletter in a while I hope we don't miss anyone .

Jim Lamanna is now staying at Sierra Oaks on Collyer Drive. He was hospitalized with an infection and continues to be on the mend. **Tina** is still at Marquis. They would appreciate cards or visits.

Don Porter had bypass surgery last fall. **Doug Phelps** recently lost his mother, Our condolences Doug. **Mitch Mandina** was hospitalized with pneumonia but is much better now. **Dick Turner** is still in rehab following surgery a couple of months ago.

Our **Sunshine lady Liz LaMarre** spent many days in the hospital with an infection in her lungs, but is home and doing well. **John DiMatteo** was injured when his truck rolled on icy pavement. He had a shoulder injury but is doing well now.

Our **Prez Jim Nobili** is suffering from a pulled muscle in his shoulder area but is feeling a little better now. **Fred Skill** is on Dialysis. **Frank Rose** was recently hospitalized with a UTI, not sure if he is home yet.

Our State Deputy's wife **Lorna Jefsen** was hospitalized but is doing much better now.

Thank you to **Rose Gandy** for helping with the sunshine cards and calls while Liz was sick.

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**.



President Jim's Message

President Jim is on hiatus this month. Hope to have message in next newsletter.

ITALIAN EXCHANGE STUDENT

I'm looking for a family who has a kid or kids at Shasta High School and might be willing to host an Italian exchange student next school year. She is the daughter of some long time friends (her mom was an exchange student with our family back in the 80's). Great kid! Thanks. Ron Zufall. 530-524-1671.



Shown Right: Jim Nobili, Paul Monette and Bob Whitmore starting prep for the famous Clam Chowder for Crab Feed.

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- President**
Jim Nobili - 243-4127
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- Bocce**
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John Tasello - 365-5978
- Paesano Days**
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- Catering**
Carole Dellaragione - 241-4342



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Also, would like to Thank Joe Pereira & Blach Beverage for the use of the beer

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trailer & delivery of the product.

We heard a lot of great compliments at the bar about how great our Crab/Chowder feed is. They also complimented our servers & raffle prizes. Great job SDOI on another great event!"

In closing, this event takes lots of man power. JT was able to get the Police Explorers once again to help with parking. We had 3 uniformed guys and one young lady both nights. We also had 5 or 6 of our junior members helping out in the big hall. We put on one hell of a party and that's why I feel we sold out so quickly.

Please accept our most heartfelt Thank You to all of the volunteer workers and members who made this another successful event for our lodge.

Chairman

Paul Monette and Jim Nobili



Three generations of Nobili women worked the Crab Feed. Top Sierra Anderson, Center: Brandi Anderson and Rose Nobili and Bottom: Andrea Chapot



Have you been lifting weights Jim Giacomelli??



Birthdays

Happy Belated Birthdays

December

- Greg Agresta - 12/27
- Cole Anderson - 12/1
- Tina Lamanna - 12/27
- Mitch Mandina - 12/2
- Rob Rose - 12/2
- Rose Shuman - 12/21

January

- Randy Brix - 1/12
- Jim Caporusso - 1/24
- Larry Cissney - 1/16
- Jim Giacomelli - 1/21
- Sharlien Harrington - 1/20
- Rita Mandina - 1/8
- Rob Paoletti - 1/11
- John Roberts - 1/9
- Lori Rossi- 1/29 Donna Sawyer - 1/29
- Larry Shuman - 1/29

February

- Charlotte Bailey - 2/15
- Marilynn Camerlo - 2/2
- Angi Caporusso - 2/23
- Pat Deem - 2/18
- Leonard Duz - 2/13
- 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
- Bob Checchi - 3/20
- Donald Gallino - 3/9
- Liz LaMarre - 3/20
- Cara Schuler - 3/2
- Nancy Wolochuk - 3/12

April

- Terry Alvord - 4/21
- John Peracchino - 4/3
- Joe Pereira - 4/6
- Christine Perry - 4/17
- Doug Phelps - 4/3
- Sharon Roberts - 4/8
- John Tasello - 4/28
- Dick Turner - 4/15
- Mary Vassil - 4/9

RECYCLE PROGRAM

John DiMatteo has been recycling our cans and bottles since August 2009 . Following Paesano Days John reached another plateau. The last load of recycles netted \$94.75. We are now at \$11,388.36 That's a great amount for 12+ years.

Be sure to bring you plastic bottles and aluminum cans to the lodge to be recycled. John sorts all this at his home. Would be helpful if you would take caps off plastic bottle and separate them from the aluminum cans and glass bottles. No wine bottles, please!!

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,

Chaplain's Corner



GO FOR THE GREEN!!

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

In December Mary Clark's name was drawn and she won \$40. In January Jim Tomasin's name was drawn. He was not there and did not win the \$25. In February Jeanne-Marie Carr's name was drawn. She was not there and did not win \$30. Drawing in March 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 8:00am. The cost is \$10 for 9 holes of golf.



Thought for the Day!!

When you want different for yourself, you have to start moving different. Old keys don't unlock new doors.



SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS BUS TRIP 2023

We are trying to see if people are interested in a trip to see the Giants play in August. Because of gas prices, etc, the cost would be about \$190 per person. The good news is we would move 3 sections closer and be sitting in the Club Level just by 3rd base. The dates available are June 25th or August 13th. Other games would be more expensive.

If you are interested, please call me at 530-604-7626 or email me asap at mscturner@aol.com

I have very little time left to secure the bus and tickets so please reply asap.



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Greetings Friends,

Have you had an experience that touched your life, and maybe put things into perspective for you, or maybe helped you to look at a situation differently? I would love to share one such experience of mine with you today.

Several years ago when my husband passed, a friend brought me a small wall hanging which read: "I believe in the sun, even when it's not shining. And I believe in love, even when there's no one there. And I believe in God, even when He is silent." That poem helped me not only at the time, but it actually changed the way I respond to different situations since! There was no author written on that wall hanging.

Years later I found out that the small saying on my friend's gift is part of a larger poem - and this poem was written during WWII on the wall of a cellar, by a Jew in the Cologne concentration camp. That brought so much more meaning to the poem. Here is that poem in its entirety:

"I believe in the sun, even when I can't see it.
I believe in love even when there's no one there.
I believe in God, even when He is silent."
"I believe through any trial, there is always a way.

But sometimes in this suffering and hopeless despair,
My heart cries for shelter, to know someone's there.
But a voice rises within me, saying hold on my child,
I'll give you strength, I'll give you hope. Just stay a little while."

"May there someday be sunshine,
May there someday be happiness.
May there someday be love,
May there someday be peace .

Blessings, Charlotte



Leonard Duz, Jim Nobili, and Paul Monette moving the crab into trays for serving at the Crab Feed.



Shasta Lodge SCHOLARSHIPS

National and State Scholarship Information:

For information on various nation-

al scholarships from the Sons and Daughters of Italy in America, check out: <https://www.osia.org/programs/scholarships/> Deadline date: February 28, 2023.

The Grand Lodge of California scholarship information is available on the website: <http://www.osiaca.org/Scholarships/How-To-Apply>

Submission must be postmarked by March 1, 2023.

Volunteer hours and Shasta Lodge scholarship application information:

Are you or your immediate family member thinking of applying for a 2023 Shasta Lodge scholarship?

NOW is the time to volunteer for your required service hours!

Contact Pres. Jim Nobili or Carole D. to find out how you can help out with upcoming events! Don't wait!

Shasta Lodge #2453 of the Order of the Sons of Italy has in-house scholarships with the following requirements:

*an immediate family connection with Shasta Lodge

*excellent grades

*written responses regarding their Italian ancestry

*verified volunteer activities totaling 50 hours, including 20 hours with Shasta Lodge (from April 1st through March 31st)

*2 letters of recommendation

*acceptance into an accredited college or vocational training program

The application and materials are due by **March 31st**. For

more information, please check our website, <https://reddingsonsofitaly.com/scholarships/>

If you have questions, please contact Jeanne-Marie Carr at jmccarr34@hotmail.com or 530.306.6134

STAFF DINNER ON SATURDAY NIGHT OF CRAB FEED.



Agenda

GENERAL MEETING & POTLUCK DINNER

March 20, 2023

Potluck Dinner - 6:15PM

Meeting - 7:00PM

There will be a potluck meeting at 6:15pm. Please give Sharon Pember a call at 530-921-2605 to see what she needs for the Potluck

We will get results from the St. Patrick's Dinner. Tickets for the Redding Grange Fundraiser and our Lodge's 43rd Anniversary Dinner will be on sale.

As always there are squares available on our project board. Get you square and a chance to win one of 2 - \$125 prizes.

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

Around the Lodge.....

It has been a few months since we have had a newsletter, and we have had many events. Starting in November with the Thanksgiving Memorial Dinner. We raised over a thousand dollars for the Scholarship Fund and the cooks prepared a great Thanksgiving Dinner. Thanks to all those that attended.

In December we had three large catered dinners. We had Chef James from Enterprise Culinary Club and his students available to cook for the Redding Police Officers and the Sheriff's Parties. Leonard and Paul prepared a wonderful Turkey dinner for the SIRS Christmas luncheon.

Then after a short break we had the Back Country Horsemen which was a very large party. Our guys prepared barrel roasted Tri-tip and Chicken. It was a nice event and they have mentioned doing it again in January 2024.

The following weekend the Family of Jim Giacomelli had a surprise birthday party for him. What a hard time keeping it a secret. Once again our guys outdid themselves with a great luncheon meal.

We followed that a few days later with a spaghetti dinner for the Police Explorers. Then on to the Crab Feed. Whew, Shasta Lodge has certainly been busy.

There are some plans for indoor and outdoor maintenance project coming up. If you can man a paint brush or help with yard maintenance, please give John Tasello a call at 356-9213 and let him know you are available.

Please plan to attend our upcoming events shown in this newsletter. We appreciate all your support.
Carole D.

REDDING GRANGE #446

It looks like we will have some new members coming aboard real soon. As is usually the case they are active members of the Sons and Daughters of Italy, Shasta Lodge. They recognize what we have been saying for quite some time, that the existence of the Redding Grange depends on an active SDOI, Shasta lodge and vice versa.

Besides that, our small group (22 members currently) continues its' good works in the community. Our new members will join us just in time for our April fundraiser. Please mark your calendar and plan on joining us on April 2nd.

Beside our usually fine spaghetti and meatball meal, we will have a raffle and plenty of home-made desserts. This event will feature a separate raffle that will interest all of you shooters and hunters. How does a Ruger "Americano" rifle with scope sling and hard case sound? This fine firearm is donated by our friends at the Olde West Gun and Loan. Only 200 tickets will be sold



Redding Grange #446
4850 Cedars Rd
Redding, CA 96001

Spaghetti Feed Fundraiser
To benefit our Scholarship Fund
"Help us help a couple of great local students"

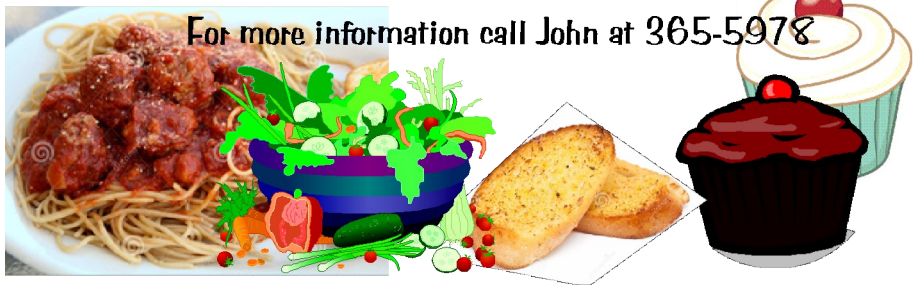
Sunday, April 2nd, 2023
1-6 PM Eat In or Take Out

\$18 per Adult, \$8 per Child under 12 years old

Spaghetti with Meatballs
Salad and Garlic Bread
Dessert Cupcakes and Brownies \$1



We will also have a great raffle
with lots of prizes



For more information call John at 365-5978

JOHN TASELLO,
PRESIDENT REDDING GRANGE.



Ryan Prins, Lori Steele, Laurel Sparrow and Dennis Compomizzo ready to serve at the Crab Feed. Ryan and Dennis are new members of lodge.



Kate.. Courtney Foster, Chris Giacomelli, Taryn Giacomelli and Dino Pereira ready to serve at the Crab Feed.



*Sons and Daughters of Italy
4850 Cedars Rd. Redding, CA*

*St. Patrick's Dinner
Saturday, March 11th, 2023
Cocktails 5:30PM
Dinner 7:00 PM*

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

*Entertainment—The Club Cougar Orchestra
(Foothill H. S. Jazz Band)*

*Club Cougar will offer big band dancing and Club Cougar dancers
will be available to dance with any guests who want to dance.*

\$25 per person (includes tax and gratuity)

By reservation only. Deadline for tickets 3/6/2023

*Please call Steve at 532-224-9524
Or Carole D. at 530-604-7626
for tickets.*

Around the Lodge.....

A few more items of business. For those of you who missed the December or January meetings, we elected new officers to the council for the 2023-2024 term. Many officers stayed on for the next two years, but we welcomed some new officers, too.

Jim Giacomelli was officially elected Orator after having been appointed in 2022, and Bob Gullixson was elected a Trustee after having been appointed in 2022.

We welcome Sharon Pember as our new Treasurer, Kathleen Duval as a new Trustee and Telly Vinci as our new Sentinel. Please welcome them to the Council and let them know they are appreciated for stepping up to help with the business of the lodge.

Shown Below is Bob Gullixson getting installed as new Trustee at the February meeting. He was unable to attend the initiation of all the rest of Council in January. Jim Giacomelli, left is acting as herald.



Shown Left:
John Tasello, Jim Giacomelli, Jim Nobili and Brandi Anderson (Jim N's daughter) working behind the bar at the Crab Feed.



Sons and Daughters of Italy, Shasta Lodge #2453 43rd Anniversary Party



Friday, April 28th
Social Hour 5:30PM
Dinner 6:30PM

Come join us as we celebrate our 43rd Anniversary.
Our Most Honored Member of 2022 will be revealed.

Dance to the music of the Pat Karch Quartet

Dinner will be Appetizers, Salad, Italian Braised Short Ribs,
Shrimp Scampi, Pasta Aglio e Olio, Vegetables,
Garlic Bread and Dessert

The Cost will be \$25 per person and will be by reservation only.

FOR RESERVATIONS, PLEASE CALL
CAROLE D AT 530-604-7626
OR ROSE GANDY AT 530-222-8470
Deadline for reservations will be 4/24

FREE TAX HELP

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide free tax preparation Monday, Wednesday Friday at Dignity health. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at Library. Call for appointments 530-500-2206



John DiMatteo ringing bells for the Salvation Army at Christmas. He reported that Shasta Lodge raised \$2432.14. Thanks to other members who helped.

Friday morning of the Crab Feed. Many members help with setting the tables and decorating the Lodge.



Shown Left: Member Ron Zufall who brings his whole staff to the Crab Feed. Thank you Ron for all your support..



NEW MEMBERS JOIN SHASTA LODGE

We welcomed seven new Members to Shasta Lodge at our February General Meeting.

Ryan Prins is a Surveyor for CalTrans. He is affectionately known as the “cheese guy” by our bar staff because he makes the “best” smoked cheeses. He has lived in Shasta County for 32 years,. He is a member of Pilgrim Church. He fishes out of Eureka on the weekends. He and his lady Lori Steele both worked at the Crab Feed. Welcome.

Dennis Compomizzo is Italian from his father’s side of the family. He came to Redding in the 1960s. He retired from CalTrans in 2011. He loves playing Bocce and fishing at the coast. His lady Laurel is with him at most of our meetings and they both worked at the Crab Feed. We welcome them both.

Camille Erickson joins us as a Junior Member sponsored by her Grandfather Pat Karch. Camille is a first year student at Shasta College studying anesthesiology. She loves volunteering with SDOI.

Lorna Manuel grew up in SDOI in Weed. She is of Italian descent and is a retired educator/administrator. She has many fond memories of her time with Weed Lodge. Welcome Lorna

Pete Facca is of Italian descent and was originally from Red Bluff. He was out of the area for many years. He has returned, is semi retired operations specialist and said he is “cheap labor”. We are lucky to have you Pete.

Pat Gardetto was a former member who left Shasta Lodge when her husband Andy passed away. She wanted to return to the lodge because she loves to be part of our events , especially bocce. She is a retired educator.

Michael Scalmanini joined SDOI because he says we do great work in the community. He is of Italian descent from his mother who was from Genoa. He certainly knows his way around a kitchen, is a great Biscotti baker.

Shown Right:
Junior Member Griffin Whitmore stirring the chowder while the kitchen crew was unloading the crab from R&R truck.
Below is the Chowder Pot when full. Yum!!



Rose Nobili checking out the trays of Crab for the Staff Dinner on Friday night of Crab Feed.

SUPERBOWL WINNERS

Shasta Lodge had three boards worth \$250 per quarter for the Superbowl.

Lodge winners included: Ryan Prins, Nobili daughters Brandi and Andrea, John Tasello, Bobby Gullixson, Steve Delben and Cara Schuler (who won twice) Congrats to the winners!!



Shown Above: Charlotte Bailey, Mary and Dean Clark preparing to serve dinner at the Crab Feed.

Shown Below: Griffin and Bob Whitmore stirring the Clam Chowder for the Crab Feed.



Shown Below: Chris Whitmore, MaryEllen Maddox and Rose Nobili start the plates of appetizers for Crab Feed.



SPRING BOCCCE LEAGUES



Tutti sono I Benvenuti!

Bocce is a game that anyone can play and enjoy.

Teams will compete weekly for ranking/seeding in the single-elimination tournament to be held the sixth week of play. The winning team will be crowned the League Champions and enjoy the bragging rights! Grab some friends, form a team, and have some fun! The proceeds from the leagues go to support the maintenance and improvement of the Bocce courts.

Three leagues available!

Everyone 18/up can participate. Held at South City Park Bocce Ball Court #1.

- **4-Person League (Course #2982)** is Thursdays from 6–9pm. April 27th to June 1st. \$200. Only the team captain needs to register!
- **2-Person League (Course #2983)** is Wednesdays from 6–9pm. April 26th to May 31st. \$50. Every player must register themselves!
- **Senior League (Course #2984)** is Wednesdays from 9am–noon. April 26th to May 31st. This league is for participants 55+. \$50. Every player must register themselves!



Register now at ReddingRecreation.org or call 530-225-4095



THE LEAGUES ARE FILLING FAST. IF YOU HAVE A TEAM, PLEASE SIGN UP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Excerpt from Feb 2004 Newsletter

Jim, Johnny T. and I (Josie Reed) wish to sincerely thank all those wonderful volunteers who helped make this year's crab feed one of the best ever! All facets of the event went off without a hitch and that wouldn't have happened if the volunteers didn't always magically appear. For this we are truly grateful.

I think that it is noteworthy that on Friday while doing the food prep, I looked around at my group and began to figure out the average age of the ladies that came to help out. The average age was approximately 74 and the only reason that it was that low was because my daughter, Samantha, was there and she brought the average way down!!! Nonetheless, never let it be said that the "Gray Panthers" can't work circles around the youngsters.

Another special thanks goes to **Al "Suds" Massa**, who once again manned (and I do mean MANNed the sinks along with his sidekick **Jim "Bubbles" LaMANna**. Whata thankless nasty job.. But year after year he returns to help. I have contacted the Vatican and asked for the Pope to make him the patron saint of the wrinkled and waterlogged.

2023 SHASTA LODGE CALENDAR OF EVENTS**JANUARY**

3 Council Meeting
 4 Grange Meeting
 14 BackCountry Horsemen Dinner
 16 General Meeting & Potluck Dinner
 19 Police Explorers Dinner

FEBRUARY

1 Grange Meeting
 7 Council Meeting
 10 & 11 Crab Feed
 20 General Meeting & Initiation New Members

MARCH

1 Grange Meeting
 7 Council Meeting
11 St. Patrick's Dinner
 20 General Meeting
 25 Welcome Home Viet Nam Vets Lunch

APRIL

2 Grange Fundraiser
 4 Council Meeting
 5 Grange Meeting
 17 General Meeting
22 Anniversary Party
 26 & 27 Bocce League First Nights

MAY

2 Council Meeting
 3 Grange Meeting
 12 Asphalt Cowboys Pancake Breakfast
 15 General Meeting & Initiation New Members

JUNE

6 Council Meeting
 7 Grange Meeting
 19 General Meeting, BBQ Potluck,
 & Presentation of Scholarships
 21-24 Grand Lodge Convention Reno

JULY

5 Grange Meeting
 11 Council Meeting
 17 General Meeting, Potluck Dinner

AUGUST

1 Council Meeting
 2 Grange Meeting
 21 General Meeting, Potluck Dinner, Initiation New Mmbrs

SEPTEMBER

5 Council Meeting
 6 Grange Meeting
 10 Asphalt Cowboys Community BBQ
15, 16 PAESANO DAYS
 25 General Meeting, resch. 1 week later because of Pdays

OCTOBER

3 Council Meeting
 4 Grange Meeting
 6-8 Columbus Day Celebration in Reno
 14 WINGS OF ANGELS
 16 General Meeting, Initiation of New Memers
 22 Weed Polenta Feed
 23 Eureka Polenta Feed

NOVEMBER

1 Grange Meeting
 7 Council Meeting
11 Thanksgiving Memorial Dinner
 20 General Meeting, Potluck

DECEMBER

5 Council Meeting & Christmas Dinner
 6 Grange Meeting
 9 RPOA Christmas Party
 16 Sheriff's Christmas Party
 18 General Meeting, Annual Cookie exchange

*Dates are subject to change