

ROMA LODGE NEWSLETTER



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Cari Fratelli,

Please keep in mind our founding principles: **LIBERTY, EQUALITY and FRATERNITY.**

Also, please strive to achieve our objectives: **TO SERVE, TO STRENGTHEN and TO UNITE.**

WE WISH YOU A HAPPY and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR-2016.

VI AUGURIAMO UN FELICE e PROSPERO ANNO NUOVO-2016.

We can all be proud of the many accomplishments, fun events and outstanding functions that occurred at Roma Lodge in 2015. The New Year has arrived and with it comes more opportunities for our members to contribute and participate. As we enter into 2016 let's be mindful of our many blessings. We are blessed with a membership that continues to value, respect and serve each other. We are blessed with a membership that continues working together to strengthen our club for future generations. We are blessed with a membership that is united in purpose and deed. We are blessed with the sisters of the Vittoria Colonna and our strong association. And, we are blessed with facilities that are second to none in the Midwest and perhaps in the entire country. Throughout this New Year, let's remember our blessings and build upon them to further SERVE, STRENGTHEN and UNITE our GREAT Roma Lodge.

Our entire 2016 Calendar of Events is included in this newsletter. In addition to our traditional annual events and functions, 2016 will include several "special" events. Remembering Racine's Old Grocery Stores will be held on Tuesday, April 26th. A memorial service will be conducted on Tuesday, October 25th for deceased members of Roma Lodge and Vittoria Colonna. On Saturday, November 12th Roma Lodge will again orchestrate a Veteran's Event to honor living and deceased military veterans. Our 2016 calendar will also include relatively new events. Coffee and Cars will accelerate into its 4th season on Saturday, June 11th. Roma Lodge and Vittoria Colonna will enter a float in Racine's 4th of July parade. Halloween "Trunk or Treat" is scheduled for Sunday, October 23rd. The "San Martin" wine tasting will be held on Saturday, November 5th. Please continue to monitor our calendar in the newsletter, our website www.romalodge.com and the timeline in the hallway leading into our member's dining room. Your participation in Roma Lodge's events and functions is appreciated and helps strengthen our club. Also, your promotion and support of the RIWA banquet business (which includes the member's dining room) is also appreciated and is critical for the long term success of our club.

Our congratulations go to Bill Ruffalo on his 40 years as a Roma Lodge member.

On behalf of Roma Lodge, I would like to convey special thanks to the following people:

To Jeff DeMatthew, Zuddy DeRose and the entire Member's Christmas Party Committee...thank you for a great holiday event. To Tony Povkovich, Santa's helper Jim LaBelle and all of the many volunteers for the Children's Christmas Party...thanks for providing our kids with a memorable party. To Jim Silvani, John Gehring, Dave Pagliaroni and Jim Faraone...thanks for your efforts and expertise in cleaning the bocce court carpets. To Dennis Porcaro and Tom Garbo...thanks for volunteering at the Foster Kids Christmas Party.

THANKS AGAIN TO ALL OF YOU.

Vi Saluto.... *Rick Bonanno*

JANUARY 2016 EVENTS

Friday, January 1, 2016
Tuesday, January 5, 2016
Friday, January 8, 2016
Saturday, January 16, 2016
Monday, January 18, 2016
Wednesday, January 20, 2016

New Years Day
Board of Directors Meeting
Membership Meeting
Winter Bocce Tournament
Martin Luther King Day
Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet



Funeral Service Calling Tree Schedule

The Calling Tree schedule includes those members whose names are listed on the Membership List between:

Aceto, Christopher - Bushell, William

If you are notified of a funeral during your scheduled month you are expected to attend to represent the Lodge. Other members are also encouraged to attend. There will be a special Roma Lodge sign in book at the service for members who attend to verify that they are fulfilling their obligation.



Volunteers are always needed. Sign up for a date, time, and work assignment by telephoning Jim Faraone at 262- 657-1244 or jfaraone@wi.rr.com, Jim LaBelle 262-995-0152 or jlabelle71@yahoo.com,
The January Bingo Captain is Rich Nygro 262-632-2524.

New Membership Incentive for Current Members

Any current Roma Lodge member who recruits a new member will be provided a \$30 Dining Room or Café Venerdi gift certificate for their first new member they propose, and a \$20 Dining Room or Café Venerdi gift certificate for any additional new members proposed in the same calendar year. The gift certificates would be provided upon the new member's successful election as a probationary status.

Application for Membership form along with the *Handbook for New Applicants and Proponents* is available from Doug Goebel, Membership Secretary, at 554-7316, dggoebel@yahoo.com and on-line at http://members.romalodge.com/membership_information.html.



IMPORTANT NOTICE – Payment for Mailed Subscription to Roma Lodge Newsletter

Members who choose to have the Roma Lodge Newsletter mailed to their homes are assessed a \$25 per year subscription fee to cover cost of printing and mailing. The cost will be added to your 2016 dues statement. If you wish to have your name added to the list or have your subscription discontinued, contact Doug Goebel, (262) 554-7316, dggoebel@yahoo.com



Change of Address, Phone Number, or Email Address

Please remember to notify Doug Goebel, Membership Secretary, 554-7316 dggoebel@yahoo.com of changes of address and/or phone numbers. This will help insure an up-to-date membership list so that you will continue to receive Lodge mailings and other communications.



2016 Board of Directors Election

Nominations will be made at the February 12, 2016 Membership Meeting for four director positions for the 2016 -2018 term. The election will be held on Friday, March 11, 2016. To be a nominee, a prospective candidate must:

- Be a member in good standing as of February 2016
- Have been a member of the Lodge for at least two years and completed his probationary period
- Accept the nomination at the time it is presented at the February meeting. If he is unable to be present, he must have a representative deliver his written acceptance of the nomination at the meeting.
- Not be a purveyor to the Lodge
- Not work in a paid position for the Lodge or receive a salary or hourly wage from the Lodge, except for those positions on the Board that are salaried.

Those interested in being candidates for these positions should contact Jeff DeMatthew at 262-880-7474 or email dematthew@ameritech.net. Those who accept nominations must submit a candidate's statement to Tony Povkovich, tjpovkovich@gmail.com, by **Monday, February 15, 2016** highlighting their history with the Lodge and why they wish to serve as a Roma Lodge Board member. These statements will be published in the March *Newsletter*.

Proposed By-Law change to be voted on at the January 8th Membership Meeting.

CURRENT BY-LAW: Article V, Section 6, Paragraph D.:

D. Members who have failed to meet their financial obligation to the Lodge by January 31st, and also failed to make special arrangements for payment of dues as provided in Paragraph C herein above, shall be dropped from membership. Members dropped for non-payment of dues shall be eligible to re-apply for membership upon payment of their past dues, the \$10.00 late payment penalty and a \$50.00 application fee. The decision to accept such member back into the Lodge will be made by the Board of Directors after consideration of a recommendation from the Membership Screening Committee. In the event the Board of Directors accepts such member back into the Lodge, the membership status of such member shall then reflect continuous membership, as though there were no gap in their term of membership as a result of this incident.

PROPOSED CHANGE for Article V, Section 6, Paragraph D.:

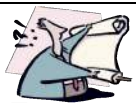
- D. Members who have failed to meet their financial obligation to the Lodge by January 31st, or made special arrangements for payment of dues as provided in Paragraph C hereinabove, shall be placed in an inactive status. During this period of inactive status, such members shall have all of their rights as members of Roma Lodge suspended. They shall be ineligible to: participate in Lodge Functions, use the members' facilities, attend meetings of the members, or vote in any elections or referendum until they have paid their dues in full plus a late payment penalty to be determined by the Board. Any such member who has not paid his dues and the late payment penalty before the end of February will be dropped from the membership.
- i) On or about February 1st, the Membership Secretary shall send a "Final Reminder Statement" to those members that have not paid their dues by that date. The notice shall inform those members of the suspension of their rights and privileges as a member of Roma Lodge. They shall also be informed that failure to pay all dues and any other obligations then due to the Lodge together with the late payment penalty by the end of February will result in such member being dropped from membership.
 - ii) Members dropped for non-payment of dues shall be eligible to re- apply for membership upon payment of their dues, the late payment penalty and any current application fee. The decision to accept such member back into the Lodge will be made by the Board of Directors after consideration of a recommendation from the Membership Screening Committee. In the event the Board of Directors accepts such member back into the Lodge, the membership status of such member shall then reflect continuous membership in the Lodge, with no gap in their membership seniority as a result of this incident.

CURRENT BY-LAW: Article VIII, Section 1, Paragraph C.

- C. No regular or special meeting of the Lodge shall be declared open unless a quorum is present. The presence of not less than 75 members in good standing shall constitute a quorum. When only 75 members are present at a regular or special meeting, a two-thirds vote is required in the matter of soliciting funds, except for the ordinary Lodge administration expenses.

PROPOSED BY-LAW: Article VIII, Section 1, Paragraph C.

- C. No regular or special meeting of the Lodge shall be declared open unless a quorum is present. *The presence of 10% or more of the total membership in good standing as of February 1 of each membership year shall constitute a quorum.*



Rules Rule Change to Rule 4.4 #1

4.4 1) The Member to guest ratio – a member and his wife, or friend, and 10 guests for a total of 12. (Previously the member to guest ratio was a member and his wife, or friend, and 6 guests for a total of 8.)

Zuddy's Italian Chicken Special



The Italian Chicken Special consists of Zuddy's perfectly seasoned chicken with cheese rigatoni or a very generous helping of pasta. The special includes the salad bar, bread and butter and a complementary glass of red wine.

Price is \$11.99

Zuddy's Sicilian Pork Chop Special



Zuddy's Sicilian Pork Chop Special consists of 2 center cut pork chops covered with an extraordinary mixture of sautéed peppers, onions and mushrooms. Included is the salad bar with baked potato or a very generous helping of pasta and bread and butter. The special also includes a complementary glass of red wine.

Price is \$9.95

Roma Lodge Honors Our Veterans

Saturday, November 12, 2016



Richard Vallin

U.S. Navy Commander 1960-1984
Viet Nam – 3 combat tours of Duty



Santo "Zuddy" DeRose

U.S. Army PFC
Korea

On Saturday, November 12, 2016 Roma Lodge will, again, pay tribute to our Veterans. This special banquet will honor Roma Lodge's military veterans, both living and deceased. Also participating in the event will be members of the Vittoria Colonna Lodge. Commander Richard Vallin, US Navy (Ret.) will lead this very special evening. Santo "Zuddy" DeRose originated the idea for a Veteran's Event which was first held in 2013. Our 2016 event will again feature various dignitaries including a guest speaker, a color guard, military music, "Challenge Coin" presentation, ceremonies to remember those missing in action and the "Battle Field Cross" remembering those who have died in action.

YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO REGISTER EARLY FOR THIS EVENT
CONTACT RICK BONANNO AT 262-914-1509 TO REGISTER

Buon Compleanno e Tanti Auguri

Happy Birthday to our Roma Lodge Brothers Born in January

FREE BIRTHDAY DRINK!

Members Bar will provide one free drink to a member during his birthday month on Friday or Saturday night when the kitchen is open. See the bartender for details.

Jan 1 Randy Adamowicz	Jan 6 David Arval	Jan 18 Matt Montemurro
Robert Willis	Tim Mondeli	Jan 19 Carmelo Bruno
Joseph Bado	Jan 7 Don Andreoli	Tim Vite
Eugene Presta	Emilio Infusino	Jan 20 Donald Vena
William D Chiapete	Jan 8 Jack Martini	Michael Fumo
Robert DiPasquale	Ken Hotchkiss	Jan 22 Michael Peratt
Steve Fredriksson	Jan 9 Larry McDermott	Jan 23 Angelo Casciaro
Jim DeMatthew	Jan 11 Frank Mazzie Jr	Jan 24 Buddy Alfano
Frank Matrise Jr	Jan 12 Keith Redell	James Carravetta
Joe Cicero	Jan 12 Jeff Rossi	Jan 27 Anthony LeRose
Jan 2 Gabriele Nudo	Jan 14 Jerome Miller	Jan 28 Roger DeRose
Richard Nygro	Ed Goebel	Pat Diem
Jan 4 Gary Lipor	Jan 17 Ralph Nicotera Jr	Jan 29 Vincent Caira Sr.
	Antonio Rossi	Jan 30 Eugene Silvani
	Jan 18 Bill Nurmi	

List compiled from the Roma Lodge Membership Files. Contact Doug Goebel, dggoebel@yahoo.com if corrections are needed.

NOTE FROM A SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

Dear Roma Lodge Members,

This past May I successfully completed my fourth and final year of undergraduate work at Aurora University in Illinois. I maintained a GPA of 3.54 as a Health Science major, while also minoring in Physiology and Psychology. This past August I was officially accepted into Concordia University of Wisconsin's occupational therapy master's program and will be starting this upcoming January.

Along with my academics, I also played softball at Aurora. As a senior, I could not have asked for a better team and season to end my athletic career. We won our conference championship and tournament by going 25-0 against all conference teams. This allowed us to compete in regionals where we went 2-2 and ended the season with a 37-8 record. My personal record was 16-2 with a 2.49 era.

If playing a sport while going to school was not enough, I also had multiple jobs that I fit into my schedule throughout the year. Staying busy helped keep me focused and allowed me to meet new people and become more experienced professionally. I believe this came so easy to me because of being brought up around the hard-working Italian heritage that I am so proud of.

While thinking about my time at Aurora University I have mixed emotions about moving on to bigger things. I have been very fortunate to form relationships with amazing people in Aurora that I will not get to see as often, but I am looking forward to what is to come at Concordia. I want to thank you again for rewarding me with the scholarship and to let you know that it helped me greatly these past four years.

Sincerely,
Natalie Zanella

**7TH ANNUAL ROMA LODGE WINTER BOCCE SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2016
24 TEAM TOURNAMENT**

FIRST PLACE PRIZE OF \$1,000

8:00 am – Check-in/Breakfast – 9:00 am - Play Begins
Entry Fee: \$150 per 5 Person Team; \$30 per person (including alternates)
Proceeds go towards the renovation of the Roma Lodge Bocce Courts

Fee includes:	8:00 am	Breakfast
	11:00 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch
	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Dinner

Projected Cash Prizes

(Based on 24 teams)

1 st Place	\$1000
2 nd Place	\$500
3 rd Place	\$250

RULES AND REGULATIONS: Round Robin/Single Elimination Tournament

All Round Robin games will be 10 points. Single Elimination games will be played to 16 points.

ALL GAMES WILL BE PLAYED WITH ROMA LODGE BALLS ONLY!

Championship Game will be played on Court #1

This tournament will be limited to 24 teams and filled on a first come – first serve basis. Entries should be made early to ensure a place.

Dave Chiapete (262) 939-5914 Tony Povkovich (262) 880-5945

ROMA LODGE SUPER BOWL 50 PARTY

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2016

DOORS OPEN AT 3:30 PM – KICKOFF APROX. 5:30 PM

PARTY INCLUDES RAFFLES WITH DOZENS OF DOOR PRIZES, SIGNED PACKER MEMORABILIA, 60+ INCH HD TV, AND OTHER HUGE PRIZES... PLUS ALL THE GAMBLING YOU CAN THINK OF!

OPEN TO MEMBERS AND GUESTS (1 MEMBER – 11 GUESTS)

TICKETS ARE \$10.00

INCLUDES ALL YOU CAN DRINK BEER AND SODA

**ALL YOU CAN EAT PIZZA, NACHOS BAR, CHILI, AND SAUSAGE BOMBERS AND MORE
GAME BROADCAST IN HD AND SURROUND SOUND ON 10 FOOT SCREENS**

ALL IN THE ROOMY COMFORT OF ROMA HALL

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FROM ZUDDY DEROSE AND FRANK CARUSO;

FRANK CARUSO, [262-914-1026](tel:262-914-1026)

TABLE RESERVATIONS ARE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED!!!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MEMBERS KITCHEN CLEANING CREW

Volunteers are needed to serve on a kitchen cleaning crew. The cleaning crew will continue the process of cleaning our members kitchen on Sunday, January 17th at 8:00AM. To sign up please contact Jim Faraone 262-657-1244 or JFaraone@wi.rr.com

Roma Lodge Calendar of Events – 2016



At the end of this issue of the Roma Lodge Newsletter is the 2016 Roma Lodge Calendar of Events. It includes dates identified thus far for Board of Director meetings, Membership meetings, events sponsored by Roma Lodge, RIWA events open to the public. The calendar will be updated throughout the year as other dates are identified. If you are chairing an event for 2016, please contact President Rick Bonanno to set the date for your event. You may also send him suggestions for other events the Lodge might offer. The Roma Lodge Calendar of Events can be found on the Roma Lodge web page <http://members.romalodge.com/calendar.html>.

Bocce Courts Carpet Cleaning

On Friday, December 18th, during the Bocce League Christmas Break, Jim Silvani and John Gehring cleaned the bocce court carpets, a task that has not been completed in many years. Many thanks to Jim Silvani and John Gehring for their time and extraordinary efforts in cleaning our bocce court carpets.



ROMA LODGE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY – A GREAT TIME WAS HAD BY ALL!!!!

This event is only made possible by the many Roma Lodge Members and their wives who volunteered to make this a very Merry Christmas for our children and grandchildren. Over 300 attendees enjoyed great food, great entertainment, and wonderful activities to entertain the children. A sincere thank you to all!



THE YOUNG MEN'S ATHLETIC CLUB

1939 – 1942

(Racine, Wisc. reported by Rick Bonanno)

In the late '30's and early 40's all young men of Italian descent were called to join "The Young Men's Athletic Club". This club drew its members from the area surrounding the former Roma Lodge. This area included Blake, Summit, Carlisle and Woodrow Avenues as well as Forest, Prospect, Hamilton and Albert Streets. The club rented the next door east of Willie and Sylvia Quadracci's grocery store at 1620 Albert Street. The club played 16" softball games at Island Park and Albert and State Park. Dues were 50 cents a month. Serving as officers were: Ralph "Lefty" Falcone-President, Louis Fucilla-Treasurer and Russ Missureli-Secretary. The club disbanded with the onset of World War II. In addition to the club members pictured below, other members included: John Falbo, Lyle Santerelli, Leo Venturini, Fred Arena, Dominic Arena, Stanley Barry, John Fucilla, Tony Fucilla, Willie Quadracci, James Arena, Joe (Buff) Fiorita, Mike Patittuci, Rocky Postorino, Mike Gallo, Sam Pisanello, Orlando Litrenta and Jimmy DeMark.



Young Men's Athletic Club (circa 1940)
Pictured outside 1620 Albert Street

Seated (l to r) Mike Sicilia, Ralph "Lefty" Falcone,
Russ Missureli
Standing (l to r) Joe Falcone, Louis Barry, Frank
Santarelli, Louis Fucilla, John Porcaro, Pete Missureli



Russ Missureli (2015)
Pictured outside 1620 Albert Street

NOTE: The child seated on the bike is Harry
Quadracci, future President of Quad Graphics.



Remembering Racine's Old Neighborhood Grocery Stores

Tuesday, April 26, 2016

6:00 – 9:00pm

Vittoria Hall

Roma Lodge

7130 Spring Street

Racine, WI 53406

This will be an encore event that was presented last September at the Racine Library. Do you remember Quadracci's on Albert? Matranga's on Prospect or Matranga's on Villa? Christiano's on Kearney? Porcaro's on Hamilton? There are many others!!! Memories from descendents of those who once owned stores will be shared. Your memories and memorabilia are also welcome. Plus Carol Gianforte's reading of her story "The Store" and Jim Mercier's extensive collection of memorabilia will also be featured. Refreshments will be served and door prizes. Tickets are \$1.00 in advance or \$2.00 at the door.

***For tickets or additional information please contact Joe Povkovich at
414-333-6723 or Rick Bonanno at 262-914-1509***

Roma Lodge Reservations

For **Members Dining Room** reservations, the **telephone number is 262-886-8850**. When making reservations for the Members Dining Room, please telephone the Members Dining Room number only. Leave your name, day and date you want the reservation, your phone number, number of people in your party, and estimated time of arrival. You will only receive a call back if there is a problem or a question about your reservation. **NOTE:** *The Members Dining Room is always closed on Membership Meeting nights, which are usually the second Friday of the month. It is also closed on Wednesday and weekend nights when events for members or members and guests are scheduled.* To reserve the Venetian Room and for Roma-to-Go, telephone the RIWA Office at 262-886-3610. For the Members Card Room telephone is 262-886-2557.



Sick and Shut-ins –

On behalf of the members of Roma Lodge, the Sick and Shut-ins Committee sends flowers to the funeral of deceased members as well as Get Well Cards to members who are hospitalized or ailing at home. If you know of a Roma Lodge brother who died or is hospitalized or ill at home, contact Jim Faraone, 262-657-1244 or email jfaraone@wi.rr.com.

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Deadline for information for February 2016 Newsletter is January 20, 2016. Comments and suggestions and articles of interest to our members are welcome at tjovkovich@gmail.com.

Tony Povkovich

Tony Povkovich, Roma Lodge Secretary

TURN OVER FOR 2016 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



ROMA LODGE CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2016

January		July	
1	New Year's Day	4	Independence Day (Roma Lodge & Vittoria Colonna 4 th Float)
5	Board of Directors Meeting	5	Board of Directors Meeting
8	Membership Meeting	8	Membership Meeting
16	7 th Annual Winter Bocce Tournament	9	Coffee and Cars
18	Martin Luther King Federal Holiday	12	Roma Lodge Festival \$10,000 Raffle and Dinner
20	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet	20	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet
February		29	Roma Lodge Italian Festival
7	Super Bowl 50 Party	30	Roma Lodge Italian Festival
9	Board of Directors Meeting	31	Roma Lodge Italian Festival
12	Membership Meeting – Nomination of Directors	August	
13	Valentine's Day Dinner – Members Dining Room	9	Board of Directors Meeting
14	Children's Bocce Begins	12	Membership Meeting – Sports Night
15	President's Day Federal Holiday	13	Coffee and Cars
17	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet	14	Roma Lodge Invitational Bocce Tournament
28	Couples Bocce Banquet	15	Fall Men's Bocce Organizational Meeting
March		17	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet
8	Board of Directors Meeting	21	Men's Golf Outing
11	Membership Meeting – Election of Directors	28	Family Picnic
13	Daylight Savings Time Begins	September	
16	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet	5	Labor Day
20	Children's Bocce Banquet	6	Board of Directors Meeting
20	Installation Dinner	9	Membership Meeting
20	First Day of Spring	10	Coffee and Cars
25	Scholarship Application Deadline	21	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet
27	Easter	22	First Day of Autumn
April		October	
5	Board of Directors Meeting	8	Columbus Day Banquet
8	Membership Meeting	10	Columbus Day Federal Holiday
19	Men's Bocce Championship	11	Board of Directors Meeting
20	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet	14	Social Meeting and Festival Report
23	Singles Bocce Tournament	19	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet
24	Singles Bocce Tournament	23	Halloween Trunk or Treat
25	Men's Bocce Banquet	25	Roma Lodge and Vittoria Colonna Memorial Service
26	Racine's Old Grocery Stores - RIWA	31	Halloween
May		November	
1	Singles Bocce Tournament Finals	1	\$10,000 Raffle and Dinner
3	\$10,000 Raffle and Dinner	5	3 rd Annual San Martin Wine Tasting
8	Mother's Day Brunch - RIWA	6	Daylight Savings Time Ends
9	Men's Golf League Begins	8	Board of Directors Meeting
10	Board of Directors Meeting	11	Membership Meeting
13	Membership Meeting	11	Veterans Day
13	Scholarship Recipients Announced	12	Roma Lodge Veteran's Event
17	President's Dinner	16	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet
18	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet	23	Holiday Lighting and Pizza Buffet
30	Memorial Day	24	Thanksgiving Day
June		25	Zuddy's Bocce "Turkey Shoot"
7	Board of Directors Meeting	December	
10	Social Meeting and Early Bird Drawing	6	Board of Directors Meeting
11	Coffee and Cars	9	Membership Meeting
15	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet	10	Members Christmas Party
19	Father's Day	18	Children's Christmas Party
20	First Day of Summer	21	Zuddy's Special Wednesday Night Buffet
26	Couple's Golf Outing	21	First Day of Winter
		25	Christmas Day
		31	New Year's Eve Party