

Euzkaldunak

FROM THE KITCHEN

The May dinner is scheduled for Saturday, May 13. This dinner will be hosted by a group of families, known for now as the "No-Name Koadrila!"

The doors will open to the Dining Room at 6:00 PM with dinner being served buffet-style at 6:30 PM. Prior to entering the Dining Room, please pick up your reservation ticket in the bar. You will need it to pay for dinner.

Monthly dinner prices:

Senior Members (65 and older)	\$14.00
Members	\$15.00
Guests	\$18.00
Children (10 and under)	\$ 5.00

May 2017 dinner menu:

Tossed Salad Roast Beef Shrimp Pil Pil Potatoes ala Riojana Vegetable Dessert Bread & Butter Wine & Coffee

There will be free babysitting service during the dinner. Please call in your reservation to 1-208-572-0604 or email your reservation to dinner@basquecenter.com. Please leave the name the reservation is to be held under, the number of people in the party, the age designation (Adult, Child, Senior or Guest) and your contact info. Please indicate if you will need babysitting, along with the names and ages of the children.

A special thanks to Jesus Alcelay, Miren Urresti Laughrin, and the fantastic crew for preparing a delicious meal!

The deadline for dinner reservations is 8:00 PM on Wednesday, May 10.

PLEASE NOTE: Reservations called into the bar will not be accepted, and reservations left after May 10 will not be accepted.

APRIL DINNER VOLUNTEERS

Many thanks to the Ramon Ysursa and Emeterio Ysursa families for their help in hosting the April dinner last month, including the following volunteers:

John & Alex Bieter
Dan & Tamara Ansotegui
Intza Balenciaga
Todor & Geneva Azurtza
Ellie Ysursa
John & Jenny Ysursa
Ricardo Yanci
Stephanie Yanci
Ramon Ysursa
Joe Ysursa
Pat Connor & Rosa Ysursa
Jake & Natalia Hardee
Karina Ysursa

Also, a quick correction: Jerri Gavica was a March dinner volunteer but was initially left off the thank-you list. Eskerrik asko to our volunteers!

The Basque Foundation, Inc. would like to thank the many families and organizations who have acted as a host group for a monthly dinner. Due to busy schedules and timing we are always in need of additional assistance. If your family or organization would like to get involved, please email president@basquecenter.com.

APRIL CHARTER MEMBER CELEBRATION

In addition to the Euzkaldunak celebrating its 68th anniversary with a dinner and dance last month, we also enjoyed celebrating with several of the original 516 charter members. Honored guests for the evening were:

Regina Bastida Aldecoa Joanne Aldrich Julia Uberuaga Coleman Francisca Hormaechea Lejardi Gloria Achurra Navarro and John Navarro Miren "Miriam" Eiguren Zubizareta

Sixteen other charter members were unable to attend this year, but we also extend our thanks to them for helping to lay the foundation for our organization. Those members are:

Flora Moline Allington Dorothy Inchausti Ansotegui Marguerite "Maggie" Arana Rosita Alegria Artis Louis Berriochoa Lydia Goiri Black Carl Goicoechea Rudy Iglesias John Lasuen Gloria Isaguire Mendiola Dorothy Salove John Salove Sylvia Goicoechea Sillonis Harriet Ocamica Urquidi Priscilla Saizar Waller Phyllis "Felisa" Mendiola Zubizareta

Thanks again to Bryan Day for photographing the group. Aiztan Artean will mail a copy of the pictures to each of the charters when Bryan has them ready. Our club is glad to help with this evening with our charter members.

BOISEKO GAZTEAK

Friendly reminder: Boiseko is on a break until San Inazio. Our next practice will be on Tuesday, July 25, at 7:00 PM. The San Inazio performance will be Saturday, July 29 around noon on the Basque Block.

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LEGACY AWARD

In 2001, the Euzkaldunak Board introduced the Legacy Award. This award is given to individuals who have exhibited a long-term commitment to the goals of Euzkaldunak.

2017 recipients will be announced at the May monthly dinner.

Past Legacy Award recipients:

- 2001: John Bastida, Jay Hormaechea, Ramon Ysursa
- 2002: Dorothy Aldecoa, Domingo Ansotegui, Jimmy
- 2003: Don Dick, Benito Goitiandia, Florencio "Pancho"
- 2004: Hank & Gerri Achurra, Albert Erquiaga, Inaki Eiguren
- 2005: Julian Lachiondo, Mari Carmen Totorica, Dave & Jeannie Eiguren
- 2006: Isabel Jausoro, Julian Achabal
- 2007: Louis Jausoro, Early Kitchen Crew (acknowledged)
- 2008: Linda Barinaga, Gina Ansotegui Urquidi, Fergie
- 2009: Carmen Solosabal, Rose Arregui Dick, Juan Oleaga
- 2010: Flora Aldazabal, Bryan Day, Domingo Arrizabalaga
- 2011: Simon Achabal, Diana Sabala
- 2012: Rash Iglesias
- 2013: Ron Sabala
- 2014: Tony Arrubarrena
- 2015: Ray Mansisidor
- 2016: Dan Ansotegui, Mary Lou Murelaga Guerricabeitia



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BASQUE COUNTRY EXCHANGES and HOST FAMILY REQUESTS

Brief descriptions are below, but for a full listing of open exchange opportunities, visit bit.ly/boisehostfam.

- "Au pair" needed, month of July in Busturia: Contact <u>ireneiguren@yahoo.com</u>
- Male, 21, from Pamplona- Iruña: Contact itxasocayero@u.boisestate.edu
- Female Student through ASSE program: Contact jacobfhill@gmail.com

THE BASQUE MARKET

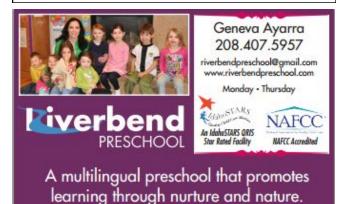


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OINKARI SAGARDOTEGI: MAY 20

Mark your calendars! Oinkari Sagardotegi 2017 is set for the evening of May 20! A traditional Sagardotegi dinner, made by Jesus Alcelay, and served by the Oinkari Basque Dancers. Cider from the Bereziartua Sagardotegi in Astigarraga, Gipuzkoa will be flowing from the barrels to complement the dinner. Several types of auctions will be taking place throughout the evening.

Table Sponsorships for the dinner are available to promote your business! This includes physical table promotion items, selected by the business owners, and seats for the dinner. If you're interested in a table sponsorship, contact the Oinkaris for information at info@oinkari.org.

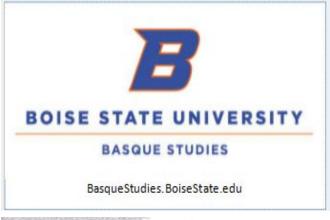
For more information and to buy Sagardotegi 2017 tickets, visit www.oinkari.org/sagardotegi.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVES

The 2017 Red Cross blood drives at the Basque Center will be held on Monday afternoons from 2:00-6:00 PM on June 12 and August 14. Sign up to donate by calling Anita at 208-375-9655, or register online at redcrossblood.org with sponsor code "basque."

BASQUE CATHOLIC MASS MAY 20

New location: St. John's Cathedral: The Artzai Ona ("Good Shepherd") Basque Catholic community is having a Spring Basque mass on Saturday, May 20 at St. John's Cathedral in the chapel. Starting at 3:00 PM Aita Antton will give a presentation on the various Basque versions of Mary (e.g., Begoña, Itziar, Arantzazu, etc.) to be followed by a Basque mass at 4:00 PM. Come join us for this celebration during the month of Mary.







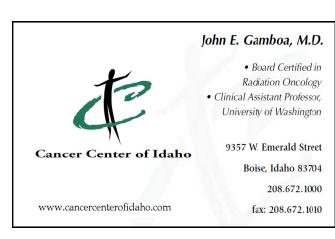
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100TH ANNIVERSARY OF ST. BERNARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH IN JORDAN VALLEY, OREGON

You are Invited to the 100th Anniversary Celebration of the historic St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Jordan Valley Oregon May 28, 2017 (Sunday of Memorial Day Weekend). There will be a 10:00 AM Mass and rededication celebrated by Bishop Liam Cary and Father Bailey Clemens. A dinner and children's games with prizes will follow at 208 Yturri Blvd. The rededication is due to the renovations of the church including the tower with names of those who were instrumental in the building of the church 100 years ago. Please join us to celebrate St. Bernard's rich history of serving the local pioneer families & to remember those who left behind this beautiful and historic monument.

RSVP by May 15 to Mitzi Elordi at 541 586-2691, Lee Ann Conro at lconro@gmail.com, or at the parish website, www.stbernardsjordanvalley.com.





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Happy birthday to Lili Papapietro!

Happy birthday to Trina Lemmon!

Happy birthday to Gaizka Malone!

Happy birthday to Erick Baker!

Happy birthday to Saioa Sarria!

Happy birthday to Carmen Uscola!

Happy anniversary to Nerea and Andrew Grodi!

Happy birthday to Phil Goodson!

Happy belated birthday to Alicia Lachiondo!

Happy birthday to Anna Burns!

Happy birthday to Dave Lachiondo!

Happy birthday to Lisa Salutregui Petche!

Happy birthday to Ana Lete Powell!

Happy birthday to Lael Uberuaga!

Happy birthday to Amaia Biain!

Happy birthday to Idoia Guerricabeitia!

Happy birthday to Ruby Aramburu DeBoer!

Happy birthday to Carmen Asumendi!

Happy birthday to Alenna Knox!

Happy birthday to Ian Knox!

Congratulations to all high school and college graduates!

NEW EUZKALDUNAK MEMBERS

Maria Elguezabal Harris Nikela Harris Josephine Indart Joseph Larrea Alex Goyhenetche



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Carmen Asumendi

Dan & Nikki Totorica

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Albert Pagoaga

Ray & Mary Louise Mansisidor

Luisa Bilbao

Ron & Diana Sabala

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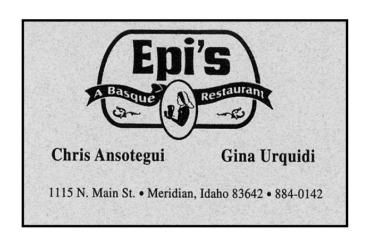
Joe Goicoechea

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YOUR CURRENT EUZKALDUNAK BOARD

Tyler Smith, President Joe Lasuen, Vice President Alicia Knox, Director Martin Bilbao, Director Johnny Boyd, Director Ryan Boyd, Director Bryan Day, Director Alicia Lachiondo, Director Sarah Urizar-Smith, Director Ricardo Yanci, Director

BASQUE CENTER STAFF

Patty Gabica Haas, Secretary and Treasurer Albert Totorica, Rental Manager

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BASQUE CENTER RENTAL

To inquire about renting the Basque Center for a function or meeting, please call Albert Totorica, Basque Center Rental Manager, at 331-5097, or email rentals@basquecenter.com.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

If you have information that you would like to include in the next Euzkaldunak Newsletter (**July 2017**), please submit your written information by June 30 to: Euzkaldunak Newsletter, 601 Grove St, Boise, ID 83702, or e-mail it to newsletter@basquecenter.com. If you email it, the chance of a typographical error is less. For name and address changes, e-mail Patty Gabica at secretary@basquecenter.com.

2017 EUZKALDUNAK EVENTS

5/13: May Mother's Day Dinner 10/28: Halloween Party

7/28-7/30: San Inazio Festival 11/04: Mortzilla Dinner & Bazaar 9/16: September Member's Dinner 12/3: Children's Christmas Party 12/16: Sheepherders Dinner and Dance

RECAP OF DATES & DEADLINES FROM NEWSLETTER

o 5/10: dinner reservation deadline

o 5/13: May Mother's Day dinner

o 5/20: Basque Catholic Mass

o 5/20: Oinkari Sagardotegi Dinner

o 5/28: St. Bernard's Rededication in JV

o 6/10: Fresno (NABO) Mus Tournament

o 6/12, 8/14: Red Cross Blood Drives

o 6/30: July newsletter submission deadline

(you can also find an online version of this events list by visiting the Euzkaldunak online calendar at www.bit.ly/euznewsboise)