

July 2014



Euzkaldunak

 **SAN INAZIO FESTIVAL** 
July 25 - 27, 2014

Friday, July 25, 2014

BFA Boise Paleta Invitational beginning at 10:00 AM (tentative start time depending on teams)

Friends and Family Night Basque Center 5:45 PM
Bring your favorite pintxo (snack) to share

Saturday, July 26, 2014

NABO Paleta Finals - each hour beginning at 10:00 AM (tentative start time)

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM
Local Basque Musicians

12:00 PM – 12:45 PM
Boiseko Gazteak Basque Dancers

1:00 PM - 1:30 PM
Soka Tira and Relay Race

1:30 PM – 2:00 PM
Txantxangorriak Basque Musicians

2:15 PM – 3:00 PM
Oinkari Basque Dancers

7:00 PM (6:30 PM Procession)
San Inazio Mass at St. John's Cathedral
Music by the Biotzetik Basque Choir
Liturgical dance by the Onati Dantza Taldea

9:00 PM – 1:00 AM
Street Dance on the Basque Block
Amuma Says No

Sunday, July 27, 2014

Euzkaldunak Picnic
11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Municipal Park

The afternoon will be filled with activities for friends and family. We will gather at the east end of the park. There will be games for the children and adults of all ages. The games will begin at 2:00 PM.

7:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Txantxangorriak Basque Musicians

8:15 PM – 11:00 PM
Street Dance on the Basque Block
Amuma Says No

No glass containers at the Basque Picnic!

Please keep in mind that glass beverage containers are not allowed in Municipal Park during the Basque Picnic on Sunday, July 27.

This includes bottled beer, wine, and liquor. It does NOT include cooking items, such as serving dishes, which are acceptable. Although it is not a new policy, this year enforcement by the park officials is going to be very strict.

Dogs are not allowed in Municipal Park!

Please adhere to these policies so that Euzkaldunak can continue to use Municipal Park for years to come!

FRIENDS AND FAMILY NIGHT – JULY 25

Please join us as we kick off another great San Inazio Basque Festival Friday, [July 25](#), at 5:45 PM. Bring a snack to share with everyone and enjoy some pala games in the Fronton or streaming live in the Basque Center. If you have any questions, contact Annie Gavica - [830.9284](tel:830.9284)

ATHLETIC BILBAO – WOMEN’S TEAM

The Basque Studies Foundation, along with partners; Idaho Youth Soccer Assn and Boise State women's soccer, are bringing over a group of players from the women's team of Athletic Bilbao. They will be part of a summer soccer camp for youth July 21-24 (see www.BasqueStudies.org for registration & information). Before the coach and four star players return to Bilbao, they would like to meet the Basque community at Friends & Family Night ([July 25](#)), so look for them there at the gathering.

SATURDAY SCHEDULE – SAN INAZIO

[Saturday](#) on the Basque Block you will be able to enjoy music, dancing, and sports. Pala will begin in the morning followed by local musicians, Boiseko Gazteak, Txantxangorriak and the Oinkari Basque Dancers. We will round the evening out with Mass at St. John's with the Onati Dancers of Boise and a street dance with Amuma Says No. Schedules with times will be posted at the Basque Center and on the Basque Center website by [July 15](#).



The Boiseko practice for San Inazio will be on Tuesday, July 22 at 7:00 P.M.

31ST ANNUAL BASQUE FOUNDATION GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 31st Annual Euzkaldunak Benefit Golf Tournament will be held Saturday the 26 of July at Falcon Crest Golf Course. Breakfast begins at 6:30 AM with an 8:00 AM shotgun start. For information and team registration, please contact:

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SAN INAZIO: HOURS OF OPERATION

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SUNDAY, JULY 27:	5:00 PM – 1:00 AM
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BOISE'S 1ST TXIRRINDULARI BIKE RIDE (CYCLIST BIKE RIDE)

On September 13, 2014, Boise will be holding its very first Txirrindulari Bike Ride! This is a friendly, all levels welcome, 15-20 mile bike ride that will be competition free, but full of great fun. The morning will begin with everyone meeting together, taking some pictures of the group, and then it's off to the trails. The ride will end where it began and we will all share in a potluck lunch to talk about the ride and laugh at the fantastic memories we made.

More specific details to come, but get signed up now. The more the merrier! And if you aren't an avid biker but would like to participate, please sign up under the "SAG" (Support and Gear) as we will need folks to drive along and help the cyclists, take pictures, and help set up for the lunch.

Date – Saturday, September 13, 2014

Start and End Location – Basque Center, 601 Grove Street

Start time – Meet up at 8:00 AM, the ride will begin at 8:30 AM

What to bring – Bike, helmet, water, sunblock/hat, and a yummy potluck dish (Coffee in the morning, route maps and air pumps, Gatorade and bananas on the ride will be provided) Sign up now! - <http://www.volunteersignup.org/3WX8E>

For further information, please email Delfina Krakau at dellydear@gmail.com

NEWS FROM AIZTAN ARTEAN

Udaleku 2014 Scholarships—Congratulations to Parker (Arana) Anderson, Gaizka (Mendiola) Malone and Josu (Arrozamena) Colburn. These three applicants received scholarships from Aiztan Artean to attend Udaleku in Elko.

2014-15 Officers—Congratulations to Aiztan's newly elected officers:

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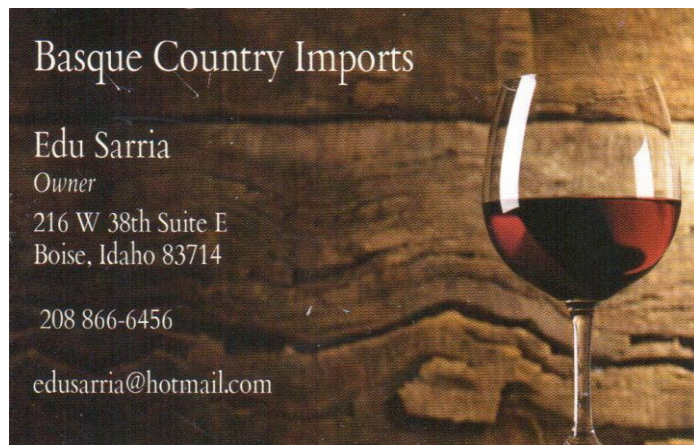
Recording Secretary: Toni Arana Bicandi

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Many thanks to outgoing officers who served for multiple years in various offices: Robby Lou Jausoro Gary, Jean Uranga, Teresa Mendazona Aramburu and Kathy Arana.

BASQUE MUSEUM ANNUAL WINEFEST

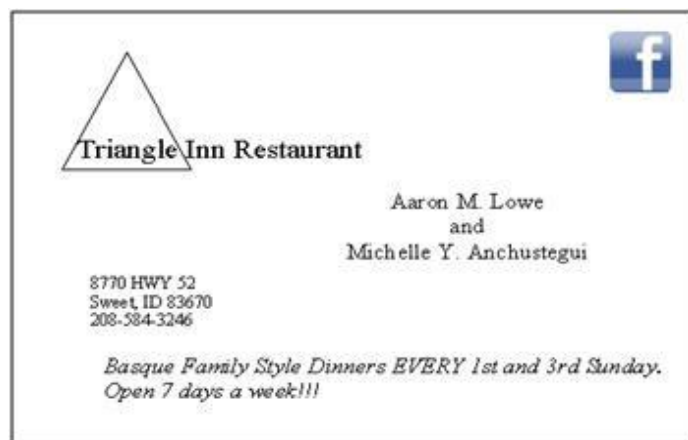
SAVE THE DATE! **Friday, August 15** is the Basque Museum's 17th Annual Winefest & Auction on the Basque Block. Join us for great food, wines, and entertainment by the Oinkari Basque Dancers. See you **August 15!**



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As Euzkaldunak celebrates over 65 years, we honor those who made it all happen in April of 1949. Over 500 people in the Basque community signed the charter. We miss those charter members who have passed since July of last year: Julie Ansotegui Abraham, Mary Yrazabal Anduiza, Lydia Sillonis Jausoro, Dolores Barinaga Aguirre, Rash Iglesias, Dorothy Bicandi Aldecoa, and most recently Reme Jayo Yturri (who died June 10, 2014). Thirty-seven charter members remain. Eskerrik asko!



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BASQUE BLOCK THURSDAY

Euzkaldunak is joining forces with the Basque Museum & Cultural Center and Boise State Basque Studies for "Basque Block Thursdays." Basque Block Thursdays is an initiative with a goal to encourage participation on the Basque Block on a regular basis for Basque fun and educational events. Keep an eye out for details and the upcoming schedule in the next newsletter. We hope to see you on the Basque Block!



CONGRATULATIONS – JESUS ALCELAY

Congratulations to Jesus Alcelay for winning second place in the 2014 Idaho Statesman's Best of the Treasure Valley awards. Jesus was nominated in the chef category for his work at Cottonwood Grille and beat out many other great Boise chefs. The Idaho Statesman's readers annually vote on their top pick for a variety of categories. We are very proud of Jesus for this accomplishment and it is well deserved. The Basque Center is lucky to have Jesus as our house chef.

NABO MUS TOURNAMENT

Congratulations to Tony and Darren Uranga on winning the 2014 National NABO Mus Tournament in San Rafael. Twelve players represented the various clubs in the Treasure Valley. We look forward to the 2015 tournament being held in Homedale!



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ATHLETIC BILBAO - SOCCER CAMP

As announced at the May Membership Dinner, Boise State University's Basque Studies in collaboration with the Boise State University's Women's Soccer and Idaho Youth Soccer are hosting an International Pro Soccer Camp featuring women from Athletic Bilbao. This International Pro Soccer Camp experience, run by the Athletic Bilbao women's team, is designed for boys and girls of all abilities ages 5 to 16 years old to learn in a fun and safe environment held at the Simplot Soccer Complex located at 2437 E. Lake Forest Drive in Boise, Idaho.

Monday, July 21, to Thursday, July 24, 2014

Boys & Girls - All Skill Levels

Ages 5-7: 90 minute sessions: 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM, \$100

Ages 8-16: Full Day Option: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM, \$225

Half-day option: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, \$150

Participants are responsible for providing their own lunch/snacks.

All funds raised will directly benefit Basque Studies and their efforts to host an international men's friendly match featuring Athletic Bilbao in Boise in **July 2015**.

For additional information about registering for the International Pro Soccer Camp please visit www.basquestudies.org or email info@basquestudies.org




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If you are interested in booking the Oinkaris for a performance or special event, you can submit an online performance request or give us a call. Go to www.oinkari.org and click on the "Performance Request" tab to fill out a request form, or call 208-557-1960 to leave a voicemail on the performance request line. As a 501(c)(3) non-profit, fees from Oinkari performances go to directly to operating costs, education, and repertoire development of the group.

SANTA ROSA BASQUE CLUB FESTIVAL

Mark your calendars for **September 6** - Santa Rosa Basque Club's Annual Fall Festival. There will be great food, music, dancing, mus tournament, and Amuma Says No. Email srbc.paradise@gmail.com or call 775.578.3533 for more information. See you in Paradise!



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Happy 1st birthday to Alois Inaki and Jaione Martina Krakau!

Happy 50th anniversary to Richard and DeeAnn Urresti!

Happy 70th Birthday Rich Urresti!

Happy belated birthday to Ricardo Salutregui!

Happy graduation to Rylee Salutregui and Antonia Salutregui!

Happy birthday to Ysabel Bilbao!

Happy birthday to John Uranga!

Happy birthday to Luken Uranga!

Happy birthday to Alexa Erskine!

HOST/HOST FAMILY NEEDED

A teacher from the Basque Center is in need of a host family during the summer. If you would like to host, please contact Asier Gartxia directly at gaxierga@yahoo.com.

2014 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

San Inazio	July 25-27
September Dinner	September 13
October Dinner	October 11
Mortzillak Dinner/Bazaar/Bingo	November 1
Sheepherders Ball	December 20

2015 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

General Membership Dinner	January 31
Valentine's/Bingo Dinner	February 21
Mus Dinner	March 21
Anniversary Dinner	April 18
Mother's Day Dinner	May 16
Jaialdi	July 28 to August 2
September Dinner	September 19
October Dinner	October 17
Mortzillak Dinner/Bazaar/Bingo	November 7
Sheepherders Ball	December 19

	<p>Boise's Basque Language Immersion Preschool Under the education wing of the Basque Museum & Cultural Center</p> <p>Open to ALL children ages 3-6. Small class sizes ~ Language immersion Kindergarten preparedness Music ~ Yoga ~ Dance ~ Field trips</p> <p>Open M-F 7:30-5:30 YEAR ROUND Part time & full time schedules available.</p> <p>1915 University Drive Boise, ID (208) 343-4234 ikastola@basquemuseum.com www.boisekoikastola.org</p>
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Join us for Jaialdi 2015! Every five years, attendees from around the world come to Boise to celebrate the best of Basque culture. Meet up with new and old friends, see dancers and entertainers from around the West and Europe, experience traditional farm sports, and — of course — eat and drink.

Jaialdi is scheduled for July 28-August 2, 2015. Check www.jaialdi.com for ticket information and links to purchase tickets; tickets available beginning January 2015. You can also find information about lodging, tickets, performers, and more at www.jaialdi.com

Tuesday, July 28 and Wednesday, July 29

Welcome to Boise

Basque Block, 5:00 PM to 11:00 PM

Free

Join us on the Basque Block for food and drink and listen to strolling musicians.

Thursday, July 30

Sports Night

CenturyLink Arena, 7:00 PM

\$15 (includes ticketing fees)

Weight lifters from the Basque Country will test their strength by lifting cylinders weighing 250-400 pounds and stone balls weighing 350 pounds.

Woodchoppers will test their skills against each other, and traditional farm sports competitors will throw hay bales, lift wagons, and see who can carry milk cans the farthest.

Friday, July 31

Basque-ing on the Block

Basque Block, 12:00 to 6:00 PM

Free

Grab some food, get a drink, and enjoy Basque music with old and new friends.

Festa'ra

Morrison Center, 7:00 PM

\$35 (includes ticketing fees)

Festa'ra is a celebration of the traditional music and dance of the Basque Country, including performers from Euskadi and Boise's famous Oinkari Dancers. Get your tickets — this event fills up fast!

Saturday, August 1

Basque-ing at Expo Idaho

Expo Idaho (formerly known as the fairgrounds), 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

\$5 for people 10 and older; free for children younger than 10 (ticketing fees may apply)

Dozens of dance groups from around the West will perform on two indoor stages. Basque vendors will be available in the Expo Idaho building with Basque novelties, souvenirs, and clothing for sale. Food, drink, a sports arena, and displays of sheepwagons will also be on hand.

San Inazio Mass

St. Mark's, 7960 Northview Street, 7:00 PM

Free

The annual San Inazio Mass will be celebrated in Basque and English. The Oñati Dancers will perform a sacred liturgical dance on the altar at St. Mark's, with assistance from the Oinkari Basque Dancers.

Dance

Expo Idaho (formerly known as the fairgrounds), 9:00 PM to 1:00 AM

\$10 (ticketing fees may apply)

Join Basque and Basque-American bands in this celebration of music and dancing; open to all ages.

Sunday, August 2

Basque-ing at Expo Idaho

Expo Idaho (formerly known as the fairgrounds), 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

\$5 for people 10 and older; free for children younger than 10 (ticketing fees may apply)

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JOIN OINKARI THIS FALL!

For anyone interested in joining Oinkari Basque dancers in fall of 2014, we welcome all interested Basques 14 years of age and older to join during 3 Sundays this September:

Sunday 9/14

Sunday 9/21

Sunday 9/28

Practice begins promptly at noon in the main hall of the Basque Center (601 Grove, Boise). Practice generally lasts until about 4pm. Please wear comfortable workout clothes and closed-toe, flexible shoes. We will have leather Basque dance shoes for purchase, which are a required part of the costume. No previous Basque dance experience is necessary.

Qualifications:

- Must be at least 14 years old or in the 9th grade by 9/1/14
- Must be enthusiastic and interested in learning Basque traditional folk dances.
- Must belong to (or join by 1/1/15) Euzkaldunak, Boise's Basque club. If the dancer is under 18, at least one parent must belong to Euzkaldunak, which is \$40/year for a new member. For more information, email info@oinkari.org.

This year is a great time to join Oinkari, because dancers will get to perform at Jaialdi in 2015 and hang out with the foreign dance groups that will be in Boise for the festival. See you in September!



BLOOD DRIVE AT THE BASQUE CENTER

A blood drive will be held at the Basque Center on Tuesday, August 5, from 1:30 PM to 6:00 PM. You can sign up to donate at www.redcrossblood.org and enter the sponsor code: basque. You can also call Anita Jausoro at 375-9655 to schedule an appointment.

Thanks to the following who recently donated:

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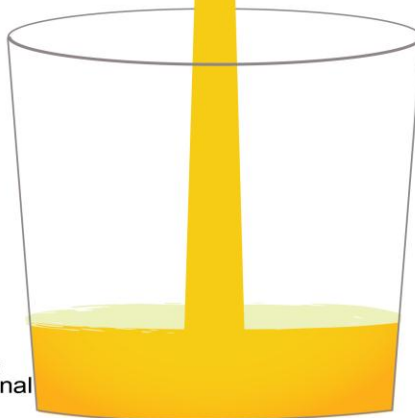
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