Euzkaldunak

FROM THE KITCHEN

The November Morzilla Dinner is scheduled for Saturday, November 4 as part of the Annual Euzkaldunak Bazaar/Bingo Night. The dinner will be hosted by Boiseko Gazteak and Txantxangorriak.

The Morzilla dinner is open to the public, and no reservations are required. It will be a "first come, first served" meal.

Morzilla Dinner Menu

Tossed Salad Morzillak Orange Roughy Oriotarra Beef Stew with Mushrooms, Carrots, and Peas Garbanzos with Chorizo Pumpkin Pie with Whipped Cream Bread and Butter Wine and Coffee

The first seating will begin at 5:15 PM, and the second seating will begin at 6:30 PM. The price for the dinner is **\$15.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children 10 and under.** Wine and other beverages can be purchased in the dining room.

Please note: There is no babysitting at the Basque Center during the Morzilla dinner.

A special thanks to Jesus Alcelay, Miren Urresti Laughrin, and the fantastic crew for preparing a delicious meal! Eskerrik Asko to the Asumendi and Bilbao families for hosting the October dinner. Special thanks to:

Havannah Asumendi Julie Asumendi Milia Asumendi Martin Bilbao Ysabel Bilbao Bill Burns Leandra Burns Patty Dennis Robert Dennis Shane Dennis Alenna Knox Ian Knox Delaney Metcalfe

BASQUE FOUNDATION – BASQUE CHARITIES

Donations to deserving people are made throughout the year, but as December approaches, the Basque Foundation (formerly Basque Charities) selects a person or family to receive a sizeable contribution from the charities account. Typically, the recipient is someone (Basque or non-Basque) who has fallen ill and needs help financially. The annual Sheepherders Ball & Lamb Auction is where much of the money is raised to bolster the charities account. If you know of someone who should be considered as the primary recipient of funds raised at the 2017 Sheepherders Ball, please contact Tyler Smith at president@basquecenter.com.

LAST-MINUTE MORZILLA HELP

We need your help to make the morzillak for the annual Morzilla Dinner on Saturday, November 4.

Thursday, November 2, at the Basque Center, we will make the morzillak in two shifts: 7:00 AM to 12:30 PM, and 1:00 PM until 5:00 PM. A lunch for both shifts will be served at the break. Lunch will be served at approximately 12:30 PM.

If you can't help out on either of those days, consider Friday, November 3, at the Basque Center from 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM, when we will be packaging the morzillak.

Making morzillak is probably the most unique of our volunteer efforts, and it's also a lot of fun. If you would like to help out or have any additional questions, please contact Sean Aucutt at 208-371-3090.

GERNIKA LIVING MEMORIAL

Just over 80 years ago, a horrific event occurred: the Bombing of Gernika. A living memorial project headed by Marianne Schaffeld has begun in order to honor the survivors, the victims, and the City of Gernika.

The blessing of the Oak Tree Ceremony will take place on November 4 at 4:30 PM, at the Kristen Armstrong Municipal Park. This ceremony will honor the victims and the survivors of the 80th Anniversary of the Bombing of Gernika. We invite the community to attend this event.

Following the event, there will be a display of commemorative original artwork on the Basque Block from 6 PM to 8 PM.

For any questions regarding the Gernika Living Memorial, contact Marianne Schaffeld (project coordinator) at uberuaga.schaffeld@yahoo.com.

KARRO KAMPO SHOW AND TELL

You are all invited to join the Karro Kampo Club for a "Show and Tell" on Saturday, November 4, From 10 AM to 6 PM. The Basque Block will be closed and approximately 10 Karro Kampos will be on display to visit and talk about. The Farmer's Market will be in full force a couple of blocks away. The retailers on the Basque Block will be busy, and that evening we will be celebrating the Morzilla Dinner at the Center. Please stop by and visit our Sheep Camps!



BOISEKO GAZTEAK

Boiseko Gazteak practice is underway! All the latest information can be found at our page on the Basque Center website:

https://www.basquecenter.com/community/boiseko-gazteak/

Boiseko Parents: If you are not receiving periodic emails with information about Boiseko, please email <u>boiseko@basquecenter.com</u> with your email address and child's name.

Sunday, December 3 is the Boiseko Winter Show at Borah High School. Dancers & Musicians should arrive at 12:15 PM. Txantxangorriak will start the party off at 12:30 PM, with the dancers following at 1:00 PM. Mark your calendars and tell your family and friends! Please bring a can of food for our seasonal contribution to a local food bank.

2017-2018 Boiseko Calendar:

- 10/31 No practice (Halloween)
- 11/07, 11/14 Practice
- 11/21 No practice (Thanksgiving week)
- 11/28 Practice
- 12/03 Winter Show/Christmas Party
- 01/09 Practice resumes at 7PM (practice each Tuesday until March 6)
- 03/11 Spring Show
- 07/24 San Inazio practice at 7PM
- 07/28 San Inazio performance (Basque Block)

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The annual Euzkaldunak Children's Christmas party will be held at the Basque Center on Sunday, December 3, at 2:15 PM, following the Boiseko Gazteak Winter Show. Come sing Christmas carols, have goodies, and see Olentzero! Parents please bring a new, wrapped gift for your child with his/her name and age clearly marked on the package (i.e.; Jon Doe, age 10). Gifts can be dropped off in the card room of the Basque Center during Boiseko practice on Tuesday, November 29, or in the dance hall at the beginning of the party on Sunday, December 3. To volunteer for this event, contact Patty Gabica at secretary@basquecenter.com.

<u>BIOTZETIK: CHRISTMAS IN THE</u> <u>CAPITOL</u>

Join the Biotzetik Basque Choir on Wednesday, December 6 at the Idaho State Capitol building. Biotzetik will present a program of Basque Christmas music beginning at 6:00 PM on the 2nd floor Rotunda. The program will conclude with an audience sing-along of traditional carols in Basque and English.

Preserving, promoting & perpetuating Basque history & culture in Idaho and beyond.



Open Tuesday - Friday 10am-4pm Saturday 11am - 3pm First Thursdays 5:30-8:30pm

611 Grove Street ~ Boise, Idaho 83702

The Museum Gift Store is also the perfect place to shop for any occasion - gifts from both near & far.





1955 Broadway Avenue 208.343.4234 ikastola@basquemuseum.com boisekoikastola.org

UPCOMING MUS TOURNAMENTS

- Oinkari Alumni (must be current or past dancer): 11/18/2017
- Basque Center 8 King Mus Tournament starts 1/7/18 at 5:00 PM.
- Basque Center NABO 4 King Mus Tournament: 1/13/18. Registration 9:00 AM, play begins at 10:00 am.
- Homedale NABO Tournament: 02/18/18
- Basque Museum NABO Tournament: 02/24/18
- Mountain Home: 3/4/18
- Santa Rosa (Paradise Valley, NV): 4/14/18

EUZKALDUNAK WANTS YOU!

Every year during our General Meeting in January, the general membership elects half of Euzkaldunak's Board of Directors. This year, there will be five (5) vacant position. If you would like to serve our Basque community, work with a great bunch of people, and have a lot of fun, please think about running! If you are interested in running for the Board of Directors, please contact Tyler Smith at president@basquecenter.com.



Basque & Spanish Imports Wines, Meats & Cheeses, Oils & Gifts Lunch & Evening Pintxos 11-6 pm Mon. & Sat. 11-8 pm Tue., Thur., Fri. Paella Lunches & Dinners Wed. & Fri. 12 pm, Thur. 6 pm **Friday Night Dinner** 3-Courses, \$25, 4:30-8 pm **Full Catering Menu** Special Events or Private Occasions

608 W. Grove St. Boise, ID (208)433-1208 www.thebasquemarket.com



UNIQUE BASQUE DESIGNS AND CREATIONS JEWELRY COLLECTIBLES





ZORIONAK

Happy birthday to Ava Achabal!

Happy birthday to Tere Achabal!

Happy birthday to Izar Bicandi!

Happy Birthday to Nick Bicandi!

Happy birthday to Christy Echevarria!

Happy anniversary Jon and Maria Arrieta!

Happy anniversary to Amaya Aguirre Landa and Matt Landa!

RECAP OF DATES & DEADLINES FROM NEWSLETTER

- 10/31, 11/1, 11/2, 11/3: Morzilla making
- 11/4: Karro Kampo Club Show and Tell
- 11/4: Gernika Living Memorial Ceremony
- $\circ \quad$ 11/4: Morzilla Dinner, Bazaar, Bingo Night
- 11/15: December newsletter deadline
- 11/29: drop off gifts for Children's Xmas Party
- 12/3: Boiseko Winter Show
- 12/3: Children's Christmas Party
- 12/6: Biotzetik Christmas at the Capitol

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



BENGOECHEA LAW OFFICE, PLLC

shane@soblawyers.com www.soblawyers.com

SHANE O. BENGOECHEA Attorney at Law 671 E. Riverpark Lane, suite 120 Boise, Idaho 83706 208-424-8332

Brollier Health Insurance & Benefits Genie R. Brollier, Owner/Agent



genie@brollierhealth.com 208 608-0554

*Medicare *Individual Health Insurance *Dental *Long Term Care *Life

1111 S. Orchard St. #170 Boise ID 83705





www.safariinndowntown.com

Barbara (Stuart) Steiger General Manager

1070 Grove Street Boise, Idaho 83702 **208-344-6556** Fax: 208-344-7240

barbara@safariinndowntown.com

For Reservations call 1-800-541-6556



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, Secretary and Treasurer Albert Totorica, Rental Manager Julian Lete, Operations Manager Sean Aucutt, Bartender Jesus Alcelay, Chef

BASQUE CENTER RENTAL

To inquire about renting the Basque Center for a function or meeting, please call Albert Totorica, Basque Center Rental Manager, at 208-331-5097, or email <u>rentals@basquecenter.com</u>.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

If you have information that you would like to include in the **December** 2017 Newsletter, please submit your written information by November 15 to: Euzkaldunak Newsletter, 601 Grove St, Boise, ID 83702, or e-mail it to <u>newsletter@basquecenter.com</u>. If you email it, the chance of a typographical error is less. For name and address changes, e-mail Patty Gabica at <u>secretary@basquecenter.com</u>.

2017 EUZKALDUNAK EVENTS

11/04: Morzilla Dinner & Bazaar

12/3: Children's Christmas Party 12/16: Sheepherders Dinner and Dance