

# Euzkaldunak

# FROM THE KITCHEN

The September dinner is scheduled for Saturday, September 15, 2018. The dinner will be hosted by Team USA.

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 (note the new price)	\$20.00
Children (10 and under)	\$ 5.00

# September 2018 dinner menu:

Tossed Salad
Beef Bourguignon
Iparralde beef stew
Alaskan Cod Roma
Potatoes Riojana
Vegetables
Arroz con Leche
Bread and Butter
Coffee and Wine

There will be free babysitting service during the dinner. Please call in your reservation to 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, September 12.

PLEASE NOTE: Reservations called into the bar will not be accepted, and reservations left after September 12 will not be accepted.

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 <a href="mailto:president@basquecenter.com">president@basquecenter.com</a>.

# **PRICE CHANGE FOR MONTHLY DINNERS**

Beginning September 2018, the monthly dinner price for *guests* will increase to \$20. Prices for members and senior members remain the same.



# SAN INAZIO THANK YOU'S

#### Music & Dance Performers

Beti Gaztea John Ysursa

Aitor Amuchastegui

Errebal

Txantxangorriak Mercedes Mendive Oinkari Basque Dancers

Onati Dancers Boiseko Gazteak Biotzetik Basque Choir

# Karro Kampo Owners

Dave & Joanna Aizpitarte Dave & Jeannie Eiguren Ramon & Daniela Ysursa

Joe Ysursa

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Christina Rhoades Ben Rhoades Jamie Sechler Chrissie Stanton Heather Thurston John Urquidi Nick Vietri Andrea Vietri Omar Zuloeta Nella Zuloeta Megan Hailey Taylor

# Friends & Family Night

We would like to thank Joni Krakau, Juliana Aldape, Susan Gavica, the Oinkari Basque Dancers, Aiztan Artean and so many more members of our Basque community who made donations of food. There were enough tapas and desserts to last the entire evening of Friends & Family!

#### Sunday Picnic Games

A huge thank you to PJ

Mansisidor for announcing the

picnic games and his

entertainment. Thanks also to Isana Urquidi, Christina Asla Conner Bawden, Breanna Luque for helping out at the picnic, and

Annie Gavica and Teresa Franzoia for judging the jota

tournament.

# SAN INAZIO THANKS FROM EUZKALDUNAK CLUB PRESIDENT

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would once again like to thank our membership and everyone that participated in another successful San Inazio. This year we were able to bring Errebal from the Basque Country, who provided two fantastic shows Saturday and Sunday evenings. The festival also featured great entertainment and performances by Txantxangorriak, Beti Gazte, Boiseko Gazteak, Boise Onati Dantza Taldea, Biotzetik Choir, and Oinkari Dantzari Taldea.

Thank you to the volunteers who gave their time to work at the booths and behind the scenes. Your names are included in the previous lists – if we missed anyone, we extend our sincerest apologies. No matter the task, your volunteer efforts help ensure a smooth and successful weekend. I would personally like to thank Cameron Gabiola, Elise Overgaard, Joseba Criswell, Alicia Berggren, Lael Uberuaga. Nick Smith, and PJ Mansisidor for helping with setup and takedown without being asked. A big thank you to Gerri Achurra, Hank Achurra, Linda Achurra, and Janice Mainvil for coordinating the food booth all weekend, and special thanks to Jesus Alcelay. Your hard work and organization made the festival a success and your willingness to help whenever needed was very much appreciated.

> Tyler Smith <u>president@basquecenter.com</u>

# SAN INAZIO PILOTA INVITATIONAL

The 2018 San Inazio invitational brought players together from Chino, San Francisco, and Boise for a weekend of Esku Pilota, Paleta Goma, and Baleen. Thanks to all the players that traveled to Boise for the occasion. Special thanks to Xabier Berrueta for helping organize the players from California and help running the event during the festival

# Esku Pilota Players

**Chino:** Denis Petrissans, Mike Apessetche Francisco Mancilla, Gonzalo Monti

**San Francisco:** Jesse Aramburu, Tony Huarte Marcos Medina, Gratien Etchebehere, Vicente

Aramburu, Michael Curutchet

Boise: Todor Azurtza, Ben Donahue, Ben

Monasteri, Josu Bieter

# Paleta Goma Players

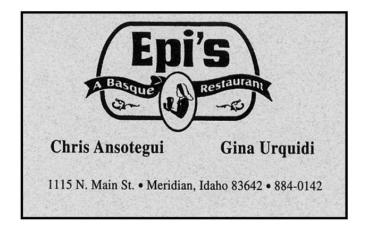
**Boise:** Ryan Boyd, Andrew Miller, John Krakau

# Baleen Players

Boise: Edie Jones, Geneva Ayarra, Ann-Marie

Mansisidor

San Francisco: Maite Aramburu





# **BOISEKO GAZTEAK**

Our dancers did a great job at San Inazio! Congratulations to them for the incredible performance and contributing to a wonderful festival! Thanks to our teachers, musicians, volunteers, emcees, and the parents who helped put it all together.

It's now time to get ready for the 2018-2019 Boiseko Gazteak season!

The first dancing practice will be on Tuesday, September 25, at 7:00 PM.

# Registration:

Online registration for Boiseko Gazteak will begin on Tuesday, September 4. It will be accessible until Tuesday, September 18. You will receive an email notification when registration opens with links to the registration documents. You may also register in person on September 18 at 7:00 PM at the Basque Center. Whether you register online or not, you will need to come to the Basque Center that evening if you need to have your children measured for costumes, have costumes altered, or purchase used costumes, shoes, and other costume accessories. This evening will also be an opportunity to sell your used costume to another parent (if you are selling a costume, please plan to arrive early so that the costume pieces can be priced prior to registration).

To access the online registration forms on September 5, please use the following link: <a href="https://www.basquecenter.com/community/boiseko-gazteak/">https://www.basquecenter.com/community/boiseko-gazteak/</a>

In order to dance with Boiseko Gazteak, Parents/Guardians (NOT Grandparents) must be members of Euzkaldunak. If you are not currently a member of Euzkaldunak, you may become a member by contacting Patty Gabica Haas (secretary@basquecenter.com). You may also register for Euzkaldunak during the Boiseko Gazteak registration on the evening of September 18.

Boiseko New Costume Information:
A 50% deposit is required for all NEW costumes and pieces ordered at registration. CHECKS
ONLY. We're working with a new team of

**ONLY.** We're working with a new team of seamstresses this season. Some costumes will require 1-2 fittings.

# Group Organization:

Txikituak (txiki) – 4-5 year olds (must be at least 4 by Oct. 1, 2018)

Azkarrak – 6-7 years old

Txulitoak – 8-10 years old

Nagusiak – 11-14 years old

# Teachers & Musicians Wanted:

The board is also looking for teaching volunteers to assist the directors for each age group. This program cannot continue without the people who are committed to teaching every Tuesday night for nine weeks before Christmas and nine weeks after Christmas. Teaching is also a great opportunity for current high school kids to earn volunteer hours. Please think about joining the crew that continues to pass on our culture to these wonderful kids year after year. If you are interested, please contact Johnny Aldape (208-761-2121 or johnaldape@gmail.com).

Similarly, we are also looking for musicians (txistu, accordion, & tambourine) to provide live music during practices and performances. If you are interested, please contact Nikki Totorica (208-867-2175 or nikkitotorica@gmail.com).

Josh Bawden has for many years provided assistance to Boiseko by receiving all the registration forms, collecting the data, and providing group lists for attendance. He is retiring from this position, so we're looking for someone new! This opportunity will count as your two volunteer shift requirements. If you're interested, or have questions, please contact Johnny Aldape (208-761-2121 or johnaldape@gmail.com).

If you have questions, or you would like to be added to the Boiseko Gazteak email list, please contact the Boiseko Gazteak board: boiseko@basquecenter.com.

# 2018-2019 Boiseko Gazteak Calendar:

- o 09/04 Online registration begins
- 09/11 Teachers' meeting and closet clean-up (6PM at the Basque Center)
- 09/18 Onsite registration at 7PM at the Basque Center (including used costume buying/selling, new costume measuring, and volunteer signup)
- o 09/25 First practice at 7PM (practice each Tuesday until November 27, no practice on November 20)
- o 12/02 Winter Show/Christmas Party
- 01/08 Practice resumes at 7PM (practice each Tuesday until March 6)
- o 03/10 Spring Show
- o 07/22 San Inazio practice at 7PM
- o 07/27 San Inazio performance (Basque Block)

# **ONATI DANTZARI HUDDLE**

This is an open forum for all guys who have performed Oñati over the years to speak about where we've been and where we're going. Some items of discussion include our 40th anniversary coming up and this may (or may not) be an occasion to mark, etc. The Oñati dances in Boise have come a long way since the castanets were first played in 1979 on the streets of San Francisco. Since then, almost every year, these special liturgical dances have been performed for the mass during the feast of San Inazio. Please come join us for a conversation about how to best sustain this unique dance tradition in Boise. Juli (one of our originals) will be there to greet you at the bar!

WHEN & WHERE: Thursday, September 27, 7:00 PM at the Basque Center





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# **OINKARI NEW KIDS**

It's a perfect time to join the Oinkari Basque Dancers with only two years before Jaialdi – plenty of time to perfect that jota! Oinkaris grow and build each year and we love welcoming new members into the group.

For anyone interested in joining this fall, we welcome all interested to join! New Kid practices will begin Sunday, September 9 at noon at the Basque Center, and continue on September 16 and 23. No prior Basque dance experience necessary, but must be at least 14 years old by Sept 1, 2018 or at least a freshman in high school to join.

There will be a parents' meeting following practice around 4:00 PM on September 23 with the Oinkari Board of Directors. If you have any questions, please email amaya@oinkari.org or ben@oinkari.org. See you in September!

# **CHORIZO BOOTH SEPTEMBER EVENTS**

Come and visit the Oinkari Chorizo Booth at Art in the Park and Hyde Park Street Fair this September! We will be selling chorizos, solomo and lamb sandwiches, and croquetas.

Art in the Park: September 7-9

Hyde Park Street Fair: September 14-16

# **OINKARI CHORIZO BOOTH THANK-YOUS**

A heartfelt "Eskerrik Asko" to everyone who helped Oinkari's during our chorizo booth season! We are so lucky to be a part of a community who is willing to support us in so many ways. To our amas and aitas, brothers and sisters, friends from school, cousins from out-of-town, Euzkaldunak & Basque Museum boards and everyone who came out to visit, couldn't do it without you.

We'd also like to thank everyone who helped with the Goizaldi group. To the host families, the Basque Market, and Madalen Bieter for being the lead coordinator of it all, we thank you! We are grateful for such an amazing experience and all the new friendships we made from it!

# **SAGARDOTEGI NOVEMBER 17**

On November 17, brought to you by the Oinkari Basque Dancers, Boise's Basque Center will transform into a Sagardotegi once again. Cider-filled barrels and all, it'll be a night full of good food and drink. Come down for a traditional Sagardotegi-styled dinner by our favorite chef Jesus Alcelay and be ready to txotx! More information about the event to come







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# NABO PILOTA FINALS IN SAN FRANCISCO

Last month, Euzkaldunak and the Boise Fronton Association sent three teams to compete in the NABO Pilota Finals in San Francisco. First place trophies were awarded to Megan Ramey and Janet Murakami in Paleta Argentina. PJ Mansisidor and Keegan Dougherty placed second against San Francisco in Class B Goma, and Annie Gavica and Edie Jones brought home a first place finish in Women's Goma. Zorionak to the Euzkaldunak, Boise Fronton Association, and the players!



# **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 <a href="mailto:president@basquecenter.com">president@basquecenter.com</a>.

\*\*\*nominations for the 2019-2020 board positions are officially open\*\*\*

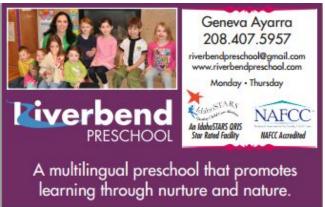
# **2018 OMENALDIA MEMORIAL MASS**

First held in 1996, Omenaldia is an opportunity for the Basque community to gather together to remember loved ones that we have lost in the past year. This year's Omenaldia will be held on Sunday, October 28 at 2:30 PM at Sacred Heart Church in Boise. A potluck will follow in the church hall – please bring a dish (hot or cold) if you'd like to participate.

Omenaldia has become a wonderful way to celebrate the lives of those we have lost that are near and dear to us – near or far. If you would like to have someone remembered during the service who has passed since last October, please contact Annie at 208-577-2250 or email her at annieg@basquemuseum.eus.

Omenaldia is sponsored by the Basque Museum & Cultural Center, Biotzetik Basque Choir, and Artzai Ona Basque Catholic Community.





# **ZORIONAK**

Happy Sept. 20th birthday to Belen Lete, Edu Sarria, Jaqueline Kite-Powell, & Juli Lete!

Happy birthday to Ander Achabal!

Happy belated birthday Mark Bieter!

Happy birthday to Morrie Berriochoa!

Happy birthday to Jude Gary!

Happy birthday to Trini Goiri Moad Snow!

Happy birthday to Alaina Gavica!

Happy birthday to Kristina Franzoia!

Happy birthday to Teresa Franzoia!

Happy birthday to Bo Norton!

Happy birthday to Lisa Norton!

Happy birthday to Carl Papapietro!

Happy birthday to Xabi Papapietro!

Happy birthday to Kamryn Phay!

Happy (August) birthday to Teagan Phay!

Happy belated birthday to Nekane Powell!

Happy birthday to Mikaela JoAnn Schomburg!

Happy anniversary to Ben and Amaya Monasterio!

Happy anniversary to Lael Uberuaga-Rodgers and Josh Williams!

Happy (August) anniversary to Dan and Tamara Ansotegui!

Happy (August) anniversary to Tereas

Bermensolo-Cutler and Shkelgim Kelmendi!

Happy anniversary to Marie Monasterio-Luper and Cody Luper!

Happy anniversary to Bryan and Ana Lete Powell! Happy anniversary to Ricardo and Dolores Salutregui!

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# RECAP OF DATES & DEADLINES FROM NEWSLETTER

- 9/4: Boiseko Gazteak online registration starts
- o 9/9, 9/16, 9/23: Oinkari New Kid practices
- o 9/12: dinner reservation deadline
- o 9/15: September dinner
- o 9/17: October newsletter deadline
- o 9/18: Boiseko in-person registration night
- o 9/25: Boiseko first practice
- o 9/27: Onati Dantzari huddle
- o 9/30: Ontario Basque Mass
- o 10/28: Omenaldia Mass
- o 11/3: Morzilla Dinner
- o 11/17: Oinkari Sagardotegi



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# **NEWSLETTER INFORMATION**

If you have information that you would like to include in the October 2018 Newsletter, please submit your written information by **Monday**, **September 17** to: Euzkaldunak Newsletter, 601 Grove St, Boise, ID 83702, or e-mail it to <a href="mailto:newsletter@basquecenter.com">newsletter@basquecenter.com</a>. If you email it, the chance of a typographical error is less. For name and address changes, email Patty Gabica at <a href="mailto:secretary@basquecenter.com">secretary@basquecenter.com</a>.

# 2018 EUZKALDUNAK EVENTS

9/15/18: September Dinner 11/3/18: Morzilla Dinner & Bazaar 10/13/18: October Dinner 12/22/18: Sheepherders Ball