



NEWSLETTER FOR **JUNE, 2005**

California Lodge No. 1

1185 Vicente Street
San Francisco, CA 94116

Mailing Address

California Lodge No. 1
P.O. Box 347
Pacifica, CA 94044-0347

MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Tuesdays @ 7:30 PM

* * * * *

| | | |
|---|--|--|
| <u>Noble Grand:</u> Keith Fitzpatrick (650) 571-0770 | <u>Vice Grand:</u> David Gutierrez (408) 225-4160 | <u>Secretary:</u> John Fraher (650) 342-7188 |
| <u>Treasurer:</u> Dennis Milton (650) 359-4062 | <u>Financial Sec:</u> Terry Giannini (650) 755-4152 | <u>D.D.G.M:</u> Lola Gianelli home - (415) 491-4372 |

- **CALIFORNIA LODGE #1 WEBSITE:** <http://www.calodge1.org>

JUNE MEETINGS AND TREAT SCHEDULE

| <u>DATE:</u> | <u>LOCATION:</u> | <u>TREATS:</u> |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| June 7th | 23 rd and Vicente Street | Tom and Tammy Manini |
| June 21st | 23 rd and Vicente Street | Ed Schneider |

ATTENDANCE AND RAFFLE WINNERS FOR

| | | |
|-----------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| May 3rd: | 28 members/guests present | Script winner: Mike Abeyta |
| May 17th: | 15 members/guests present | Script winner: Julie Ballard (again!) |

INITIATION AND CONFERRING OF DEGREES

June 15th – **Initiatory** degree at Apollo Lodge No. 123 – San Francisco @ 7:15
July 20th – **First** degree at Apollo Lodge No. 123 – San Francisco @ 7:15
August 17th – **Second** degree at Apollo Lodge No. 123 – San Francisco @ 7:15
September 21st – **Third** degree at Apollo Lodge No. 123 – San Francisco @ 7:15

CANDIDATES READY FOR INITIATION

| <u>CANDIDATE</u> | <u>SPONSOR</u> |
|------------------|------------------|
| Jim De Marco | Dave De Marco |
| Paul Olkowski | William McDonald |
| Melissa Hansen | John Fraher |
| Jessica Hansen | John Fraher |
| Erick Anderson | Bob Carder |
| Mike Lewis | Mike Ditlevson |
| Amanda Cheek | Colleen Milton |
| Mark Villanueva | Mike Abeyta |
| Rich Macario | Mike Ditlevson |
| Tom Texeira | Sue Texeira |

**** We would like to congratulate the following members on receiving their third degree at Apollo Lodge on Wednesday, May 11th: ****
Bill Meeds Mary Meeds



BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETINGS FOR 2005

7:00PM (until further notice)

Held at: Round Table Pizza Parlor
1304 West Hillsdale Blvd, San Mateo

June 28th

September 27th

December 13th

3-Year Directors

David Gutierrez (V.G.)
Walt Ballard
Jim Reggiardo

2 Year Directors

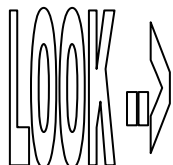
Keith Fitzpatrick (N.G.)
John Fraher
Dennis Milton

1 Year Directors

Mike Ballard (J.P.G.)
Steve Graham
Mike Kessler

HALL ASSOCIATION MEETINGS

The next hall association meeting will be on May 25th, 2005, at 6:30 p.m. The location of the meeting is: 26 7th Street, San Francisco. The meetings are held on the 4th Wednesday of odd-numbered months.



The newsletter can be sent to you electronically through the internet. If you would be interested, please send an e-mail to: popcorn8858@sbcglobal.net and let us know if you no longer need a hard-copy.

CHARITY PROGRAMS FOR 2005

If you have any other projects or programs you would like to do please present them to the Charity Committee so that it can be budgeted as well as setting up volunteers. Remember our Lodge must get involved to qualify for donations to outside organizations. The charity committee must approve any donation of \$100 or more.

MISSION STATEMENT - CALIFORNIA LODGE No. 1

California Lodge No. 1 will only donate money to Oddfellow and Rebekah Charities or Charity projects our lodge members actually work on. If our lodge members present a project and get our lodge involved in it, we will donate. We do not have enough money to donate to each brother's personal cause or fund.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF CHARITY EVENTS FOR 2005:

- **June 26th** - - Sunday Festival at the Youth Camp in Long Barn. Chairman: Ron Carrey
 - **July 5th** - - The Junior Lodges visit CA Lodge #1. Chairman: Ron Carrey
 - **August 14th** - - Saratoga Home Barbeque. Chairman: Dutch Vogel
 - **September 6th** - Speaker from Three Links Camp
- **September 24th** - Special Olympics "Walk for Gold". Chairmen: Mike Kessler and Steve Graham
- **December 20th** - - Donations for Christmas to the Children's Home, St. Peters and toy donations to South San Francisco. Chairmen: Lou Woods, Carl Steder and Terry Giannini

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF SOCIAL EVENTS FOR 2005:

- **June 18th** - - Take Me Out to the Ballgame, San Jose Giants game and lunch
- **July 23rd** - - Annual California Lodge No. 1 Golf Tournament, Pacifica
 - **August 27th** - - Annual Picnic, Palo Alto Elks Club
 - **October 4th** - - Octoberfest Dinner at the Lodge
- **October 15th** - - California Lodge's "Day at the Races", Bay Meadows
 - **November 26th** - - Treats Dinner
- **December 10th** - - California Lodge No. 1, Annual Christmas Party
 - **January 14th, 2006** - - Installation Dinner



TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME

Do you want to have a fun family outing? Join the Oddfellows at the San Jose Giants game on Saturday, June 18th for a 5 o'clock game against the Modesto Nuts. The cost for an adult ticket is \$7.50 which includes the game AND a bar-b-que dinner, which begins at 3:00p.m. You have a selection of either ribs or chicken, with all the trimmings and a drink as well. For children, the cost is \$5.00, and they can also choose from a hamburger or hot dog dinner. Guests can attend at a cost of \$18.00. Sign-ups will continue at Lodge, see either Dutch Vogel or Lou Woods. If you are unable to sign-up at a lodge meeting, please contact Dutch at (831) 438-8555. Please see flyer following.

* * * * *

SUCCESSFUL REBEKAH CHILDREN'S HOME GOLF TOURNAMENT

There were 10 golfers from California Oddfellows Lodge No. 1 who enjoyed a day of golf, fellowship and great meals, to support a very worthwhile cause. Walt Ballard got closest to the pin on the 16th hole, and was the proud winner of a 15 pack of golfballs. The foursome of Mike Abeyta, Mike Ditlevson, Rodney Watt, and another friend, took overall 3rd place in the tournament - congratulations to you guys. After golfing, there was a dinner held at the golf course, which was really good I'm told. Three of the wives joined the golfers for dinner and raffle prizes.



YOUTH CAMP FESTIVAL

The California Oddfellows-Rebekah Youth Camp Festival will be held on Saturday, June 25th and Sunday, June 26th. The theme this year will be "Fantasy in the Woods". There will be many events and entertainment. For details, please call Ron Carrey at (707) 526-4476.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR JULY 5TH - THE JUNIORS WILL BE VISITING CALIFORNIA LODGE NO. 1 - We have invited Sonoma County Junior Lodge No. 52 and Kings' Men Junior Lodge No. 96 to our Lodge. This will be an open meeting and the Juniors will be asked to speak during Good of the Order. Come join us and hear what the Juniors have to say.

QUOTABLE QUOTES FROM THE EDITOR

- The right word may be effective, but no word was ever as effective as a rightly timed pause
- Happiness is being too busy to worry during the day and too sleepy to worry at night
 - The gem cannot be polished without friction, nor man perfected without trials
 - Advice is more acceptable if it doesn't interfere with our plans
- Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles which he has overcome

NEWSLETTER STAFF:

- | | | |
|----|-------------------|---|
| 1. | Senior Editor: | Ron Carrey (408) 736-3014 |
| 2. | Assistant Editor: | Julie Ballard (510) 471-6019 |
| 3. | Reporters: | Mike Ballard (650) 341-3113 Keith Fitzpatrick (650) 571-0770 |
| 4. | Mailer: | Dennis Carrey |

