



MARCH, 2006 NEWSLETTER
CALIFORNIA LODGE NO. 1 – 1185 VICENTE STREET, SAN FRANCISCO – 94116
MEETINGS: 1ST & 3RD TUESDAY
MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 347, PACIFICA – 94044-0347

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 (650) 589-5087

Treasurer – Dennis Milton
 (650) 359-4062

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 263 Alta Mesa Drive S.S.F.
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MEETINGS AND TREATS SCHEDULE:

March 7th, 2006: Dutch and Donna Vogel
 March 21st, 2006: Keith Fitzpatrick

ATTENDANCE AND RAFFLE WINNERS:

February 7th, 2006 – **25** members
 Raffle winner: **John Fraher**

February 21st, 2006 – **27** members
 Raffle Winner: **Jim Reggiardo**

TENTATIVE EVENTS AND DATES

➤ **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS, 2006**

7:00P.M. – ROUND TABLE PIZZA, 1304 WEST HILLSDALE BLVD, SAN MATEO. ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

- **MARCH 28, 2006**
- **JUNE 27, 2006**
- **SEPTEMBER 26, 2006**
- **DECEMBER 12TH, 2006**

3 YEAR DIRECTORS

- - Frank Lagomarsino, Vice Grand
- - Julie Ballard
- - Tony Vicino

2 YEAR DIRECTORS

- - Terry Giannini, Noble Grand
- - Walt Ballard
- - Jim Reggiardo

1 YEAR DIRECTORS

- - Keith Fitzpatrick, Junior Past Grand
- - John Fraher
- - Dennis Milton

INITIATION AND CONFERRING OF DEGREES:

- Initiatory Degree – March 21st at California Lodge No. 1's Hall on Vicente Street, S.F.

The following degrees will take place at Apollo Lodge No. 123 at 7:30 p.m.

- First Degree – March 8th
- Second Degree – April 12th
- Third Degree – May 10th

We have applications from the following candidates awaiting initiation:

Candidate:

Jim DeMarco
 Paul Olkowski
 Jessica Hansen
 Marc Brower
 Mark Villanueva
 Erick Anderson
 Mike Lewis
 Mike Mendelson
 Patricia Cabral
 Kenneth Elliott
 Christine Dellarocco
 Eric Graham
 Jackie Lagomarsino

****Sponsor:**

David Demarco
 William McDonald
 John Fraher
 Jerry Brower
 Mike Abeyta
 Bob Carder
 Mike Ditlevson
 Colleen Milton
 John Fraher
 Mike Kessler
 Mike Kessler
 Steve Graham
 Frank Lagomarsino

****It is up to the sponsor to make sure their candidates are initiated**

WE NEED ADDRESS FOR THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

The following members have moved in 2005 and left no new forwarding address. If you know these members, please have them mail us their new address

- Erick Anderson Chris Blaisure
- Marc Brower Marlin Carlson
- Alexandra Chesnokova
- David Durfee Francis Faye
- Robert Henderson Jack Link
- William Martinez Chris Prairie
- Robert Ruiz Mark Villanueva

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HAPPY "MARCH" BIRTHDAY TO THE FOLLOWING LODGE MEMBERS

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| 3/11 Gerard Accristo | 3/9 Jon Beazor |
| 3/17 Stephen Cotter | |
| 3/26 Michael Cowan | |
| 3/20 Jose Camacho | 3/24 David Durfee |
| 3/16 Francis Fahy | 3/13 Jephrey Folkins |
| 3/17 Margaret Frey | 3/2 Mark Goodnal |
| 3/25 Steve Graham | 3/22 Kevin Johnson |
| 3/10 Stan Jones | 3/31 Jennifer Kramer |
| 3/1 Joseph Nazar | 3/13 Marcos Recinos |
| 3/4 Jim Reggiardo | 3/8 David Spruill |
| 3/20 Tom Texeira | 3/26 Roberto Torres |
| | 3/22 John Zevas |

✓ **DUES ARE DUE!!!**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Highest Degree: _____

Phone #: _____

E:mail address: _____

Please make your check payable to: California Lodge No. 1 in the amount of \$25.00. Mail to California Lodge No. 1, P.O. Box 347, Pacifica, CA 94044-0347. The 2006 dues cards are being printed up and will be sent to you in your newsletter. Please pay your dues and our financial secretary will have them mailed to you. Included with the dues cards will be a pocket calendar for 2006, along with the new officers, committees, and social and charity calendar.

"Dues are not tax deductible" By-laws, article VI, Section 3: "Failure to pay dues within ninety (90) days will result in suspension of active membership."

GOLF TOURNAMENT
MARK YOUR CALENDARS
SATURDAY, APRIL 29TH



2006 California Lodge No. 1 Golf Tournament is just around the corner. The tournament will be held at Deep Cliff Golf Course in Cupertino. Starting time is 11:00a.m. Everyone is invited to play from the beginner to the experienced. The course is easy enough for the beginner and challenging enough for the seasoned golfer. After golf there will be a delicious dinner served at the clubhouse. Those not participating in the golf tournament are welcome to join the golfers for dinner afterwards. Look for the flyer in the March newsletter - - FORE!



DISTRICT DEPUTY
GRAND MASTER
RECEPTION - Saturday,
March 4th

Our Lodge is hosting a reception for Tom Manini, 2005 District Deputy Grand Master. Please join us at the San Mateo Elks Lodge for dinner and dancing afterwards. If you are interested in joining us to honor Tom, please contact John Fraher at (650) 342-7188. Member: \$10, significant other \$15, guests \$30.00.



Tickets, tickets you say? We say, we've got tickets for the Saturday, June 24th game vs. the OAKLAND A's.

California Lodge No. 1 has **EIGHTY (80)** tickets available for the 6/24 Giants vs. Oakland A's game.

Ticket price for lodge member:	\$10
Significant other of lodge member:	\$15
Member's children (up to 18):	\$10
Guests (not lodge member, nor significant other)	\$30

There will be a tailgate party beginning at 11:00, with the game to follow at 1:00. Checks made payable to: California Lodge #1, should be mailed to John Fraher at 1365 DeSoto Avenue, Burlingame 94010. **Only when check is received by John are seats guaranteed, in order received. DEADLINE: June 1st. After June 1st, requests by guests will be considered.**

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Annual Lodge Picnic

➤ **Mark your calendars!!**

Saturday, September 16th

Come join the fun up at the Oddfellows Recreation Area at the Russian River. There will be horseshoes, bocce ball, swimming, a picnic dinner, and lots of **FUN!!** Look for more info in upcoming newsletters.

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- -Follow-up to Installation Dinner article in February newsletter

Letter to the Editor:

Dear Editor: Just a clarification on your Full Monty story in the February edition. Several well intentioned Brothers "penned" with bright red lipstick, I.O.O.F. on their stomachs to honor our order and have some fun doing it. Unfortunately we had trouble spelling and our letters got mixed up. Perhaps the cold water went right to our brain. The "baring" incident that followed was quite funny, though not part of the original plan.

An "anonymous" brother

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Quotable quotes from the Senior Editor

Life is not about how fast you run, how high you climb, but how well you bounce

You can catch more flies with honey than vinegar, assuming you want to catch flies

Of all the properties which belong to honorable men, not one is so highly prized as that of character

The possibility that we may fail in the struggle ought not to deter us from the support of a cause we believe to be just -- Abraham Lincoln

➤ TO ALL THOSE MEMBERS OF CALIFORNIA LODGE NO. 1 WHO HAVE NOT HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO RECEIVE THEIR INITIATORY DEGREE:

Jim DeMarco Paul Olkowski Jessica Hansen
Marc Brower Michael Mendelson
Kenneth Elliott Mark Villanueva
Erick Anderson Mike Lewis
Patricia Cabral Christine Delarocco
Eric Graham Jackie Lagomarsino

**➤ HERE IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY:
TUESDAY, MARCH 21ST AT 1185
VICENTE STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.
MEETING BEGINS AT 7:00, WITH THE
INITIATORY DEGREE TO BEGIN AT
7:30. DINNER WILL FOLLOW. PLEASE
CONTACT YOUR SPONSOR**

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REMINDER: Articles must be in one week prior to first meeting of the month