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Potenza ABP Lodge

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Dear Potenza Lodge Members,

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hope this newsletter finds everyone safe and healthy.

First of all, my Vice President and I would like to thank all of the members and volunteers for their hard work and dedication the past nine months. Without a team, we have no game.

The Feast went well, filled with three great days of entertainment and good weather for participants in and out of town. Our new stand tops gave the booths a fresh look.

Looking forward to a great fall; may the next three months be filled with fun and excitement. Check the calendar for upcoming events. The Ladies Auxiliary will be having the traditional pizza night, Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner. We have a lot to be thankful for.

Quotation:

It's through curiosity and looking at opportunities in new ways that we have always mapped our path. There's always an opportunity to make a difference.

May everyone have a healthy and blessed holiday.

Frank J. Percey, President Potenza Lodge

Toni A. Clark, Vice President Potenza Lodge

Ladies Auxiliary

Hi Ladies,

Now, what a busy 3 months we have had! The events from the past quarter were enjoyed by many of our members and their 4th the of Julv families: from Rockies Game/Fireworks and the lodge picnic, to the Pizzelle Party and the Spero Winery visit. Thank you to all of the ladies that chaired these events, as well as, thank you to all that participated in them! Sharing times like these with one another is what helps us to shore up the foundations of the many friendships that we have established here.

I would be remiss not to mention the two largest events that we co-hosted with our men this past quarter: the Prima Domenica breakfast at Mt. Carmel, and certainly most important and vital to our Lodge, the St. Rocco's Feast!! A lot of work needed to be accomplished in order to pull them off successfully, and it is because of the dedication, determination, and hard work from so many of you, that they were made possible. A huge **THANK YOU** to everyone that helped to make them such a great success.

We look ahead with some more exciting times to come! Save the date for our 'Game Night', Saturday, November 2nd. There will be prizes, raffles, and lots of laughs! Once again, we will have our Christmas Light Bus Tour on Friday, December 6th, and also our annual Children's Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, December 7th. Please see the calendar for further details and RSVP information.

> Mille Grazie, President, Debbie Macri

Charity Committee

Pre-School has started at Mount Saint Vincent and the wish list is Arts and Craft Supplies.Glitter, Glue, Stickers, Construction Paper, Wooden Craft Sticks and classroom Fall decorations.Please bring items to the October Meeting.

Good News! Curtains are being made for Shannons Hope House. The work is being done by "Sew-N-Sews" retired teachers Thanks to all that donate money.

Thank you for your continued support, Committee Chairwoman - Theda Archer 303-771-8602

Welcome New Members

Auxiliary: Colleen Richards, Karen Cahenzli, Linda Russomanno and Janette Perito



In Loving Memory Of



John Clapp, Jr. Entered Into Life June 13, 1943 Entered Into Eternal Life July 4, 2013

Mary Marchese Entered Into Life September 27, 1927 Entered Into Eternal Life June 24, 2013

Gary Lícata

Lodge Applicant Approved - passed away 10 days prior to Oath of Admissions Ceremony Entered Into Life September 6, 1951 Entered Into Eternal Life July 1, 2013

Cookbooks

Ladies Auxiliary 2012 Cookbooks are available for \$10:00 each. Contact any lodge officer for yours today.

Note: If you need a reloadable King Soopers card, please call Sharon Kling, 303-470-8505. It's a "free" 5% rebate to the Lodge

Saint Rocco Feast and Procession

The honor of carrying the Papel Flag went to Paul and Patty (Rondinelli) Stafford Family for \$550. The honor of carrying the St. Rocco Statue in the procession went to Frank and Elly Percey, also, John Gargano who together bid \$1,100. Money Pinned on the Statue was \$405.

Saint Rocco Feast Raffle Winners

\$3000.00	Jerry Caruso
\$1000.00	Debra Russomanno
\$500.00	Barbara Collins
\$500.00	Robin Kelly



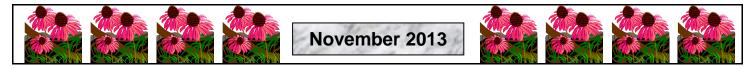
Oct. 5: Columbus Day Parade. If you would like to participate in the parade, please go to www.columbusdayparade.org to get your parade entry form or contact the Staging Chair, Frank Allen 303-596-6114 or any committee member.

Oct. 10: 6:30 p.m. Annual Pizza Dinner/Business Meeting. Guest Speaker, Dennis Gallagher, *Denver City Auditor* will present a talk about North Denver from 7:30 to 8:30 pm.

Oct. 14: Columbus Day (Observed). Columbus Day is a Federal Holiday and always celebrated on the second Monday of October.

Oct. 23rd: Final date to RSVP for Game Night to Ellen Dunlap (303) 427-1277 or Lisa Lokken (720) 297-6951. **Note:** Please, age limit required, "no one 16 years and under allowed."

Oct. 31: Happy Halloween



Nov. 2nd : 6:30 p.m. (Saturday Evening) Game Night: See Insert for all the details. Note: Please! - no one 16 years and under allowed - Please!

Nov. 3rd : Daylight Saving Time Ends. Set clocks back one hour.

Nov. 5th : Election Day.

Nov. 11th : Veterans Day. An official Federal holiday. Veterans Day pays tribute to all American veterans--living or dead--but especially gives thanks to living veterans who served their country honorably during war or peacetime. Thanks to all our Veterans. Display your Flag.

Nov. 14th : 6:30 p.m. Annual Thanksgiving Dinner and Business Meeting. The Auxiliary will cook the turkey's; also, ladies, please bring a side dish that feeds 10 to 12 people.

Nov. 22nd : Final date to RSVP for the Children's Christmas Party to Lisa Lokken (720) 297-6951 with number of family members attending, the children's names, ages and gender, newborn to 12 years. **Nov. 28th : Happy Thanksgiving.**



Dec. 5th : 6:30 p.m. Calendar Meeting. Set up event dates for the 1st Quarter, Jan, Feb, Mar, 2014.

Dec. 6th: 5:30 p.m. 8th Annual Christmas Light Bus Tour. See Insert for all the details.

Dec. 7th : 1:00 to 3 p.m. Annual Childrens Christmas Party. See Insert for all the details. RSVP was required last month, November 22.

Dec. 12th : 6:30 p.m. Annual Christmas Stuffed Shell Dinner and Business Meeting. *Ladies please bring your favorite cookies.* Also, this year we are going back to bringing a gift for the exchange instead of a gift card. So ladies, please bring a \$15.00 gift to exchange if you wish to participate.

Dec. 21st : First Day of Winter! Dec. 25th : Merry Christmas! Dec. 31st : Happy New Year's Eve!





Potenza Lodge Game Night!!

Saturday, November 2nd 6:30 pm

Various Game Stations

Hors d'oeuvres, Prizes, Raffles & Lots of Laughs!!

RSVP Ellen Dunlap (303) 427-1277 or

Lisa Lokken (720) 297-6951 by October23rd

Please! - No One 16 Years of Age & Under - Please!

Ticket Price \$15.00 Seats Are Limited – So Get Your Tickets Early!!



8th Annual Christmas Light

Bus Tour

Friday, December 6th 5.30 p.m. **Bus departs from the Lodge** – \$10 per person RSVP to Gerry Pergola (303) 455–5809 or Lou Bishop (303) 477–0780 Price Includes. Bus Trip, Dinner, Dessert & Loads of Fun111





Potenza Lodge's Annual Children's Christmas Party!!

Magician – Face Painting - Food

Saturday, December 7^{th} , 1-3 p.m.

RSVP – by <u>no later than</u> November 22nd with number of family members attending, the children's names, ages, and gender. New-born to 12 years old

Lisa Lokken (720) 297-6951

Thank you Auxiliary President, Debbie Macri for submitting the great artwork inserts



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