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Dear Potenza Lodge Members,

Wishing all members and your family the best of health and good spirit in the past and in the future months.

Just a little info on the past three months events. The April dinner dance was a great success, again thanks to all that participated and volunteered their time.

May, the Ladies Casino trip to Black Hawk, was a beautiful day for a bus trip to the mountains yet not very good for winning HA HA.

June 10th is the 3rd annual St. Rocco's Car Show. it will be another great show for Potenza Lodge.

I would like to pass on some info to the in-town members and folks that can't attend our monthly meeting; the neighborhood around the Potenza Lodge is changing everyday and month, the two house to the west of the Lodge have been demolished for future condos or two story homes.

The two houses on the south west of the Lodge have been sold they are being remodeled, Lou's restaurant on the corner of 38th and Shoshone was sold and is vacant. To all the members, that were born and raised in that neighborhood, these changes sometimes are hard to except but we all have great memories of the past. Once again the big event of the year is three months away, and as in the pass we need help in all booths, or buying a Raffle ticket will help the Lodge August 18th, 19th, & 20th, 2017 Saint Rocco Feast.

Raffle Tickets can be bought and sold to family and friends for good selling, only the member of the Potenza Lodge will make us successful.

Thanks again to all the members that supported in the past looking forward to the rest of the year.

Deb Macri is the Raffle Ticket chairwoman, contacted Deb (720-838-3934) for the tickets thank you.

Respectfully,
 Frank J. Percey
 Potenza Lodge President
 2016 - 2017

Quote: When fate hands us a lemon, let's try to make lemonade- Dale Carnegie

Ladies Auxiliary

Dear Ladies,

Our third quarter is ahead of us and the busy time of year with our feast in August, 2017. Please put on your to-do calendar, August 5th & 6th is Prima Dominica at Mount Carmel.

August 12th is set-up and everything related to getting ready for St. Rocco Feast 18th, 19th & 20th. Ladies Pizzelle Party is August 13th at 11:00 am. If you have not signed up for a booth to work in or assist them, signup sheets are available.

Remember that the feast is the biggest source of our income for us to do the things we do and help the various different groups in need, i.e., homeless seniors, etc.

September 23rd is the Auxiliary Birthday luncheon for July, August & September. This is a mystery destination!?

October 7th will be a dinner and wine tasting evening at Spero's Winery, Tickets are \$25 per person. I will need your RSVP & payment no later than September 22nd. This is a very fun evening.

Thank you ladies for all your help, because without you – the lodge that we love and respect would not exist.

Sincerely,
Sandy Mancinelli
Auxiliary President

Cook Books Ladies Auxiliary

Cookbooks are available for \$10.00 each. Contact any lodge officer for yours today. See Front Page Insert for phone numbers. Thank you.

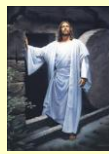
Note: If you need a reloadable

King Soopers Card
Please call Sandy Mancinelli, 720.422.4224
It's a "free" 5% rebate to the lodge.

Guitar Cigar Box Raffle

The raffle drawing will be done along with the St Rocco Feast Raffle Drawing. See coming events insert for details.

In Loving Memory



Ruth Mazzotti
(Shaball)



Entered Into Life: July 6, 1928
Entered Into Eternal Life: March 12, 2017

Charity Committee

Our project is Senior Resource Center
Wish List

- Men's Wallets (used OK)
- Men's Belts
- Travel Size Lotions & Sun Screen
- Sun Glasses & Reading Glasses

Note: Remember your unused (good or broken) jewelry for "Jewels for Hope" is ongoing. Bring to a meeting anytime or call Committee Person, Theda Archer.

Thank you for your interest and help in doing good for others and your continued support.

Committee Chairwoman, Theda Archer 303.771.8602

Membership Information

Feast of Saint Rocco Raffle

All members are encouraged to support the lodge Feast ticket sale. Lodge families should at least purchase one and/or sell more.

Please call Chairwomen, Debbie Macri
(720-838-3934) for your order.

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|  | Raffle | Colorado License # 540016 |
| Societa Nativi di Potenza Basilicata (Potenza Lodge) FEAST OF ST. ROCCO | | |
| GRAND PRIZE \$3000 | Date: | August 18 - 19 - 20, 2017 |
| Second Prize \$1000 | Place: | 1900 W. 38th Ave. |
| Third & Fourth Prize \$500 ea. | | Potenza Lodge Hall |
| \$25.00 Each | Drawing: | 9:00 P.M. on Sunday, August 20, 2017 |
| 500 Tickets Available | | |
| Winner Need Not Be Present To Win NO SAMPLE | | |
| Name | Address | NO SAMPLE |
| Phone | | |
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July 2017

July 4th Independence Day. Fly the Flag.



July 5th Wednesday, St. Rocco Feast Meeting. 6:30 pm. All members are welcome to attend and share their thoughts and suggestions for the betterment of the event. Stand Chairpersons and volunteers need to attend to ascertain all product and materials are on order and ready to be implemented; review last year's feast and related problems and or concerns that need to be fixed, deleted or amended.

July 13th Thursday, 6:30 pm. Regular Business meeting. Bring your thoughts and ideas for future events and fund raisers. A little reminder that get your drinks before the bar shuts down at 6:30, the start of the president's comments, grace, pledge of allegiance, dinner, on with the meeting/games etc. If you know of our elders that can't get to a meeting because they don't drive contact them and offer them a ride.



August 2017

August 2nd Wednesday 6:30 pm. Saint Rocco Feast Meeting. Hope to have a good turn out to make the final plans for the feast. All members are welcome to come & share their comments.

August 5th Saturday, 2:00 pm. set up & preparation for the Prima Dominica reception tomorrow. Please call Toni Clark 303-428-9715 if you can help. Volunteer's, helper's will meet at Mount Carmel parish hall.

August 6th Sunday, 7:00 am. Volunteer's, helper's please meet at the Mount Carmel parish hall for the continued preparations for the Prima Dominica reception that will follow the 9:00 am mass. Please call Toni Clark 303-428-9715 if you can come and help.

August 10th Thursday 6:30 pm. Regular Business meeting.

August 12th Saturday, 8:00 am. Setup the stands for the Saint Rocco Feast. Please! the lodge will need lots of help setting up the stands and all the associated equipment involved.

It's really appreciated if we can get our young folks to help. Both young ladies and young men have that extra pizzazz that us older folks just wish we had. Don't forget to wear your work clothes & work gloves.

August 13th Sunday, 11:00 am. Auxiliary Pizzelle Party at the lodge.

August 14th – 17th Monday – Thursday. Setup throughout the week. Please! the lodge will need lots of help.

August 18, 19 & 20. Friday, Saturday & Sunday are the Feast festivity days and stands will open at 5 pm Friday & Saturday and 3 pm on Sunday. The procession and bidding of the St. Rocco Statue will be after the 11:00 am mass on Sunday.

August 21st Monday. 8:00 am. The lodge will need a fair size labor force to tear down the stands and do clean up. Put all the stuff back where it will keep until next year. Again, thank you in advance to all that can come and help. This feast is the lodge lively hood and without it there would be no lodge. So with out anymore to say the lodge would be in deep trouble with out all of you that graciously gave up your valuable time to help the Potenza Lodge survive another year.



September 2017

September 7th 6:30 pm. Thursday. Calendar meeting to schedule the events and issues for the next 3 months. October, November & December 2017.

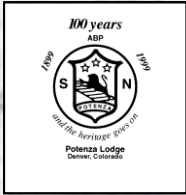
September 14th 6:30 pm. Thursday. Regular Business Meeting. Auxiliary Birthday Ladies be sure to sign up or RSVP to Sandy Mancinelli for a Mystery Birthday Luncheon on Saturday, Sept 23rd, 2017.

September 22nd RSVP Required. Please call Sandy Mancinelli (720-422-4224) if you would like to attend a wine tasting party at Spero's winery, mark your calendar for October 7th 2017, Saturday. Further details are forth coming. The cost is \$25 per person and money has to be in by September 22nd .

September 23rd RSVP Required. Auxiliary Mystery Birthday Luncheon. Call Sandy Mancinelli your reservation. Check the Events Insert for details. It's a Mystery Destination, therefore no directions listed??



Parties - Weddings - Meetings - Etc.
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Coming Events & Misc. 2017



**Guitar
 Cigar Box Raffle**



\$5.00 per ticket
 Call Frank Percey or
 Toni Clark for details



It's a 4 string Cigar box guitar made out of a Montecristo cigar box with a maple neck, Granadillo fretboard, two Humbucker pickups and a three-way toggle switch, 25.5 inch scale with mother of pearl Fret dots.

**Auxiliary
 Birthday Luncheon**

Sign up at the regular meeting or RSVP to Sandy Mancinelli by September 14, 2017 if you plan on attending.

This is a MYSTERY destination

Therefore

Can't say where??

or

How to get there??

(the men are betting it will be somewhere in Colorado)



Spero Winery Event

Hold the date.
 October 7th, 2017

Dinner & Wine Tasting
 \$25 per person

RSVP Required to Sandy Mancinelli

Also

The money has to be to Sandy by September 22nd, 2017

to assure your reservation & place.

