



FRANCO NEWSLETTER

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Fall is here once again, and we have a lot of fun events scheduled for the next several months. Halloween is coming; please watch out for the trick-or-treaters!! Don't forget: this month is **Fire Awareness Month**. Please remember to change the batteries in your smoke detectors.

Unfortunately, due to the economy, we have to raise our dues this coming year to \$50.00 for a single person and \$75.00 for a married couple. Also, as of **January 1st, 2014, membership renewals are due**. You will have to pay a \$5.00 late fee as of March 1st. After April 1st, if your dues are not yet paid, you will have to join again as a new member.

Election time is here, and there is a box on the bar for you to place your nomination choices for the Executive Board or the Board of Directors. **All nomination forms must be in by November 2nd**. Nominees will be contacted by the election committee as to whether they want to accept their nomination. **If you are nominated, you will have to be present at the General Meeting on November 12th, at 7:00 p.m.** Elections are to follow on Tuesday, December 3rd, from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. *As of the next term, the position of **Corresponding Secretary** will no longer be a paid position. Installation of Officers will take place on Saturday, January 18th. All are welcome to attend!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October 12th POOKIES FALL ROAST: \$15 dollars with keg beer, \$10 for just the meal. 4 p.m. - 9 p.m.

October 26th HALLOWEEN PARTY in the Bar. Steve will be the D.J. for this event; **prizes** for best costumes; **drink specials** and **munchies**. Starts at 8 p.m.

November 5th Board of Directors Meeting, 7 p.m.

November 10th PANCAKE BREAKFAST. \$5.00 includes **pancakes** or **french toast**, **bacon** or **sausage**, **toast** and **juice**. From 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

As you come down to *your club* and notice all of the **improvements**, don't forget to thank all of the **hard-working volunteers** for their efforts. They really did a great job, and there is more to come. Any monetary donations for materials are greatly appreciated.

A **special request** goes out to our lifetime members. srasrfemaej If it is possible, any donation you can make to **your club** is greatly appreciated; please speak to Trudy or Alan if you are interested in helping your club.

Our best wishes go out to Tony Vassallo. Get well soon; we are all thinking of you.

We have a great event coming up!! On October 12th, **POOKIES FALL ROAST**. We have some great menu items including **smoked pork**, **deep-fried turkey** and **smoked ribs**, just to name a few! We will also have a **Halloween Party**, which will be in the bar this year and **Steve Maheu** will be back as your D.J and Karaoke Man! That's right, **karaoke is back!** We are also going to have a **Pancake Breakfast** November 10th; all details are below. We are also looking to bring back **Bonnie & the Bad Daddy's**.

Don't forget to check your newsletter for a scrambled name. You find your name, you win \$20.00! Congrats to Jim Anton on winning last month!

You can check us out on:

Facebook: (www.facebook.com/francowaterbury)

Twitter: (@francowaterbury)

Our **Website:** (www.francowaterbury.com)

Our Hall is available for rental. Please call Dan at 203-754-6269 or email, dan@francowaterbury.com

Meat pies are also available. Ask the bartender.

Trudy Bolduc

President

***** KARAOKE will return October 26th! *****

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