

Round Robin Practice time for Charlie & Maureen Lewis and Denis & Geri Zeri

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Round Robin Tournament... Week # 5 of the Fall Round Robin Tournament has just concluded with 1 more week to go. All team members have been practicing every chance they have to get the edge on their competition. The commitment by captains, referees and team members make playing bocce fun and exciting to play and watch. Come over to the bocce courts and support your friends or favorite team. The sport of Bocce is addictive and anyone can play. Weekly scores are in the Villager or go to the club's website <a href="https://www.villagesbocceclub.com">www.villagesbocceclub.com</a> for faster results.

Awards Dinner... On Saturday, November 3rd members and players will come together to celebrate the 2018 season of tournament play. This Awards Dinner takes place at the Village Clubhouse starting at 5 p.m. Group reservations for tables of 8 are encouraged. Reservations can be made by calling Marion Logie at 408-274-2805 or <a href="mailto:logiem@sbcglobal.net">logiem@sbcglobal.net</a>. Deadline for registering is Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>. There is a NO HOST BAR. Be a lucky guest and win a fabulous door prize.

Dinner starts with a Mixed Green Salad with Walnuts and Cranberries. Entrée selections are as follows: Braised Short Ribs with Garlic Whipped Potatoes \$39.00, Grilled Pacific Salmon Beurre Blanc with Saffron Rice \$39.00, Chicken Marsala with Pasta \$37.00 or Vegetable Napoleon with Red Pepper Coulis with Saffron Rice \$32.00. Dinner concludes with a Tiramisu Square.

In a recent interview with Bob Goodwin he was recalling what the awards were like in the early days of the bocce club. Bob said that immediately after the Championship game for the first 2 or 3 years,

homemade blue and red ribbons were presented to the teams. Oh, it got better for the next 2 years, 1<sup>st</sup> place teams only were awarded Hershey Bars. Then the next few years certificates were presented and now we have monetary awards for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place. The club also has evolved with a ceremony and a wonderful dinner to celebrate. Thank you, Bob, for sharing your memories.

Membership/Elections Meeting... Our Club's Membership and Elections meeting will be on Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at Foothill Center from 1 to 3 p.m. We're hoping for a good turn out by members for this very important election. At this meeting the membership will be voting for those members who are up for re-election or self-nominated individuals who are interested in becoming board members. Please check out the club's website <a href="www.villagesbocceclub.com">www.villagesbocceclub.com</a> and the cabinets at the courts for the nominee's bio's along with photos. Please help select individuals who will best represent **you** the member.

Note: It's not too late to nominate yourself for the club's board. Call Barbara at 408-300-1230 or email at <a href="mailto:original-parabox">original-parabox</a> at 200-1230 or emailto: original-parabox</a> at 200-1230 or email at <a href="mailto:original-parabox">original-parabox</a> at 200-1230 or email at <a href="mailto:original-parabox">or

At the Membership Meeting Club President, Marion Logie will reflect on the 2018 accomplishments and what plans the club has for 2019. Immediately after the membership casts their ballots, a wine and cheese reception follows.