



Saint Ambrogio Society

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NEWSLETTER — AUGUST — 2008

August Council Meeting — Monday, August 4, 2008 — 7:00 p.m.

August Assembly Meeting — Monday, August 11, 2008 — 7:00 p.m.

September Council Meeting — Saturday, September 6, 2008 — 10:00 a.m.

September Assembly Meeting — Monday, September 8, 2008 — 7:00 p.m.

MEMBER NEWS

Golf Play Day

The Gods shined down on the 2008 Golf Play Day. What beautiful weather for a round of golf. Chairman Bob Rimbey, along with Co-Chairman Mike Nelson, would like to thank the following folks who contributed in making the 2008 Golf Play Day a success: Eleanor Biasin, Gloria Fiorenza, Lena Marinelli, Elaine Rimbey, Courtney Prignano, Brianna Pumilia, Tom Wise, Richard LoPiccolo, Mike Pumilia, Tiger Frisella, Peter Giacomazzo, Jerry Copp, Don Giaccone, Tom Harradine and Chuck Markise.

Speaking of Golf, please see other side for information on the Women's Golf Play Day!

Sports Fans

The Ethnic Heritage Museum is presenting The Three B's of Italian Sports Sundays from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. now through the end of August. The theme includes Boxing's Sammy Mandell, Balloonist Ben Abruzzo, and Baseball's Frank De Castris. Admission is free, but donations are gratefully accepted. For more information contact Shirley Martignoni Fedeli at (815) 877-2888.

Sunday Mass

In years past we have seen a decline in members and their families attending Mass at 9:00 a.m. August 17th. at Saint Anthony's for the Feast of Saint Ambrogio. Please break-up your routine and plan on joining us for Mass.

New TV's

Our 4 new wide-screen TV's are now in place. Watch your newsletter for special events that we are planning. (There are rumors about the Bears and Packers.)

We Need Your Help!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Saint Ambrogio Society needs your help during our Feast. We are looking for volunteers on Wednesday the 13th, Thursday the 14th, Saturday the 16th, and Sunday the 17th. If you are able to help at all please see the sign-up sheets posted around the Club, or any of the officers.

NOTICE

NO CHILDREN ALLOWED ON BOCCE COURTS, UNLESS PLAYING WITH AN ADULT.

2008 Officers

President Tom Markese
Vice President Tom Harradine
Recording Secretary Dave Beccue
Financial Secretary Bob Rimbey
Treasurer Pete Giacomazzo

2008 Councilors

Joe Arbisi
Dan Caruana
John Frisella
Leonard Marinelli
Ed Prignano
Tom Wise

REGULAR EVENTS

FISH FRY
Fridays — 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
LUNCH
Saturdays - 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
BREAKFAST
3rd Sunday — 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
MEN & WOMEN'S PASTA NIGHT
2nd Wednesday — 6:30 p.m.
MEN'S PASTA NIGHT
Last Wednesday — 6:30 p.m.
MEN'S BOCCE NIGHT
Thursdays - (April-Oct.) - 6:00 p.m.
WOMEN'S BOCCE NIGHT
Mondays - (May-Sept.) - 6:30 p.m.
COUPLES BOCCE NIGHT
Tuesdays - (May-Oct.) - 6:00 p.m.

Comments, Suggestions, about the newsletter?

Contact Tom Wise at
Office: 815/968-9021
Home: 815/962-8180

Submissions

are due no later than
the 20th of the month!

Do you have a memory of South
Rockford? How about some inter-
esting facts about our Club?

If so, please mail to:

Saint Ambrogio Newsletter
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2500 N. Main St.
Rockford, IL 61103

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The Women's Golf Play Day is scheduled for Saturday, August 23rd., with check-in at 8:30 a.m. and the 1st. flight at 9:00 a.m. Barwood Golf Course at 11369 N. Main Street is the setting, and Lunch will be served at the Rockton Inn. The \$30.00 per person fee includes, 9 holes of golf, golf cart, lunch and prizes. Don't Golf, you are welcome for lunch at only \$15.00 per person. For more information please call Sheri Mattis at (815) 229-6025.

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There is a special Benefit Fund Raiser for member Tom Wise set for Sunday, September 7th. Please see inclosed flyer.

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The 3rd Annual Battle of the Sexes Bocce Tournament is set for September 20th, with play beginning at 10:00 a.m. Space is very limited so sign up early. If you have played in the past, you know what a fun day is in store. Please see the enclosed flyer for all the details.

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Our Anniversary Celebration date has been set for September 28, 2008. Dave Beccue is Chairing this special event. Please watch your newsletter for more information.

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The Breakfast Committee is hard at it on the 3rd Sunday of every month. Ed Prignano offers 2 Eggs Any Style, 3 Slices of French Toast, 3 Pancakes or 2 Eggs Benedictine, and reasonably priced at \$5.00 for Adults and \$4.00 for Children 12 and under.

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We have St. Ambrogio merchandise for sale, including Hats \$9.00, T-Shirts \$5.00, Golf Shirts \$28.00, and Wind Breakers for \$45.00

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With over 275 members. we average only 30 members at our Assembly Meetings. Come down to the meetings and find out what we are doing at YOUR club,
We even feed you!

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Please contact Tom Wise, Chairman of the Sick Committee at (815) 968-9021, if you are aware of any members who are ill or hospitalized.

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Please keep St. Ambrogio in mind for all your party needs. Our facilities are available for rental with a discount to all members. We have the facilities to serve your complete party needs, including a variety of menus for Banquets, Holiday Parties, Funeral Luncheons and Weddings, etc
Did you know that the downstairs is available to all members for their parties at no charge? All that is required is that you must be present during the function and pay for the bartender(s).

New Members

Please welcome our new members, and help them feel welcome at Saint Ambrogio.

Saturday Lunch Menu

August 2nd – Chicken Sandwich
August 9th – Steak Sandwich
August 16th – Italian Sausage or Italian Beef
August 23rd – Italian Burgers
August 30th – Grinders

Upcoming Events

Thursday thru Sunday, August 14, 15, 16, 17 – Feast of St. Ambrogio
Saturday, August 23th – Women's Golf Play Day
Sunday, September 7th – Benefit Fund Raiser for Tom Wise
Saturday, September 20th – Battle of the Sexes Bocce Tournament
Sunday, September 28th – St. Ambrogio 90th Anniversary Celebration



Tom Markese, President