



CHISPA NUGGET



July 2025

MEMBER'S DINNRR WEDNESDAY JULY 2ND DOORS OPEN AT 5:30PM

We will be having our meeting at 6:00PM so arrive before 6:00. The dinner will be available after the meeting. New password!

We will be having our usual NY steak dinner with beans, a vegetable, and a salad and usually some dessert. Reminder: that we can now invite any number of guests (native Californians or NOT) and possibly recruit some new brothers to increase our membership from 125. Recruiting just two new brothers earns you a NSGW belt buckle!

PLEASE call in by June 29th and leave your name and the number in your party. We had a large crowd for June's meal; however, many brothers again failed to call in their reservations?! If we have your reservation, you will be assured a meal. If not, you may still attend the meeting and enjoy a beverage, but we may not have enough provisions to provide you a meal (or have seats at a table for your party). Please call: **209) 728-8902 Thanks you!!**

Please consider showing up about 4:30 to help with the setup for dinner. If not, expect to volunteer to help with the cleanup that evening; we usually finish by about 8:30 PM. If you have not volunteered in the recent past, you are overdue and have over 100 others with you!

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING JULY 16TH

We will have our executive board meeting, as always, on the 3rd Wednesday of the month. The meeting starts at 5:45; all officers are expected to attend this meeting. All members are also welcome to attend, so please set the date aside and be there! We are seeking Responsible Beverage Servers (RBS) to assist in bartending, so consider learning? And bring YOUR ideas for other community support activities we can add to our list of services!!

NEXT PANCAKE BREAKFAST SUNDAY JULY 20TH

The June breakfast was handled by the same dozen volunteers, as always. That means over 100 of our brothers are NOT participating in our parlor. Dropping by for inexpensive dinners, and deinks does NOT support the parlor; as you should know, your dues primarily go to the Grand Parlor. Volunteers and assistants are welcome, needed and appreciated! We need to develop backup volunteer cooks and servers to sustain our parlor. Consider joining us this month of July



“Three Amigos” from #139 with
Outgoing Grand President
Steven McLean
& wife

PURPOSE

Our CHISPA parlor does a great job of eating and drinking together. Friendship, Loyalty, and Charity are our primary precepts. Please help us to be even more meaningful contributors to the greater Murphys community by sharing YOUR ideas for additional activities. . We often participate in local parades in Murphys, Arnold, and Angels Camp. We, along with NDGW, have hosted the American Red Cross with their blood drive, saving donors from driving to Sonora to get “poked”. What else would you like to see us do?



The four horsemen of the Apocalypse?



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THE CHISPA NUGGET

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Members' meeting and dinner
 Wednesday June 4th
 Volunteers included: Rocky Chick, Burt Abreo, and Pat Davis (cooks), Bruce Ross and Skip Hoy (bartenders), Mike Cilenti, Glenn Berry, Gary Olson and Alan Brown (servers). Rocky Chick, Bruce Ross, and Gary Olson doubled up their volunteer service as cleanup crew. A few more hands for cleanup would sure be helpful in the future. Consider joining us June 2nd ?! Are YOU overdue?

Raffle Results and donations:
 Members' Dinner June 4th

| Amount | Name | Donations |
|--------|-------------|-----------|
| \$10 | Tony Drubay | \$10 #139 |
| \$25 | David Wells | |
| \$35 | Ray Rogers | \$20 #139 |
| \$45 | Tim Davis | \$30 #139 |

Raffle Results and donations:
 Social Dinner June 13th

| Amount | Name | Donations |
|--------|-----------------|-----------|
| \$10 | Jovita Gallardo | |
| \$20 | Mary Kingshill | \$10 #139 |
| \$30 | Michelle Farley | |
| \$45 | Jovita Gallardo | |

Congratulations to all our winners, some of whom donated back to our parlor and charities! FLC !!
 Our Chispa parlor #139 and Cleft Palate benefitted from their generosity!!
 And thanks again to "The Raffleman", our own illustrious **Glenn Berry!**

11 BIRTHDAY BROTHERS!!
Honored Brothers!! The senior brother for July is **Urban Gomes**, who will be turning 84. Our junior brother for July is **Joel Lacitignola**, who will be turning 46. There is an age difference of 38 years between the ages of this month's most senior and junior brothers!! We will continue to let you birthday brothers know that you are eligible for a free libation. You should attend the members' dinner June 4th to take advantage of this treat!! See you then!!

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|----|---------|-------------|
| 01 | Martin | Davis |
| 01 | Richard | Tanner |
| 02 | Joel | Lacitignola |
| 06 | Jim | Bautovich |
| 12 | David | Mead |
| 19 | Scott | Nanik |
| 25 | Mike | Croshaw |
| 28 | Simon | Granville |
| 29 | Rick | Deputy |
| 31 | Jack | Buckman |
| 31 | Urban | Gomes |



"...But I only had ONE!!"
 (at this year's Grand Parlor
 In the Stockton Hilton)

Remember: if you want to speak with an executive officer, ask questions, or just get up to speed on parlor activities, you can attend any or all of four regular events each month!!

First Wednesday of each month is our members' meeting and steak dinner.

Third Wednesday of each month is our Executive Board meeting downstairs at the parlor; **members in good standing** are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Third Friday of most months is our social dinner at 6pm, and

Third Sunday of most months is our pancake breakfast from 7:30 to 11:30am.

You can also access our email, telephone, or fax numbers (posted at the bottom of both pages 1 & 2).

- CALENDAR OF EVENTS: JULY 2025**
- Jun 30 Blood Drive at NDGW on Main St
 - Jul 02 Members' meeting & dinner 6pm
 - Jul 04 Independence Day !
 - Jul 05 Arnold parade with Bear Flag !
 - Jul 16 Parlor #139 Exec. Board 5:30pm
 - Jul 18 Social dinner (entre TBD)
 - Jul 20 Pancake breakfast 0730-1130



Hospitality suite: Glenn Berry, Dan Holley



"Because I'm Tony D. and you're NOT!"

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