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SMBS BULLETIN

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Serving our members
continuously from 1857 to 2022



SMBS Dinner Meeting

Tuesday, July 12, 2022

Croatian American
Cultural Center

Members - \$20.00

Non-Members - \$25.00

Cocktails - 5:30 p.m.

Dinner - 6:00 p.m.

General Meeting - 8:00 p.m.

Call 415-584-8859

If you expect us to have enough food.
No reservations, you get the leftovers!

MENU

COCKTAILS ♦ FINE WINE

TASTY FIRST COURSE

**CALL FOR MENU AND
RESERVATIONS**

BEVERAGES: TBD

COFFEE ♦ DESSERT: TBD

CHEF: TBD

CACC Social/Cultural Events

2022 SMBS MEMBER EVENTS

Country Night Dance Fundraiser

Saturday, August 13th

Casino Halloween Night Fundraiser

Saturday, October 29th

165th Anniversary Gala Dinner Dance

Saturday, November 19th

For more information, go to:

croatianamericanweb.org



HAVE YOU GOT "EMAIL?"

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www.croatianamericanweb.org

COUNTRY NIGHT & CASINO NIGHT SUMMER & FALL FUN AT CACC!



DOBAR DAN BROTHERS AND SISTERS

I hope this newsletter finds you and your families in good health. I am sorry to have missed the meeting in April. I was recovering from minor surgery and am back to 100%. I have heard Mike Santich handled things beautifully. Looking forward to seeing everyone in July. I think there are a few loose ends to tie up. Such as 2022 officers/elections.

Before I go on, I have to express my sincerest condolences to the Mosunic family. Sam was an amazing man. He loved our organization with all his heart. He was always available to answer my many questions. I just loved hearing his voice. Writing this I can hear him explaining something to me, probably for the third time. He was very patient with me, and I am sure everyone else. He will be sorely missed and his shoes will never be filled.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Country Night – Join us August 13th for a Texas-style BBQ, live music from the County Cougars, line dancing, lots of fun and other surprises. Information to follow. This is a fundraiser but FREE to all members who joined in 2021. This is your welcome to the family party. Cowboy boots and hats will be

considered formal attire.

Casino Night – Do you like to gamble? Do you like to wear costumes? Do you like prizes? Well, mark your calendars for October 29th. We are trying something a little different by bringing in gaming tables (blackjack, craps, roulette, etc.) and, being close to Halloween, costumes are encouraged. There will be prizes, lots of small plates of appetizers and special beverages that keep with the theme.

PLEA FOR VOLUNTEERS

Please consider helping the Society by volunteering, joining a committee and/or running for office. Our founding members gave up so much to provide an amazing building debt-free for us and future generations. We need to pick up the torch. We cannot rely on our octogenarians to carry the load. There is so much we can do and so many directions to go in, it is up to us. We have a wonderful venue, we just need ideas and volunteers. We have mentors that can help your ideas come to fruition. Let's have fun!

BUILDING UPDATE

As I previously mentioned, the "atmospheric river" wasn't kind to our building. We suffered huge leaks in several places. We were able to

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fix the immediate problems. Still working on lining up and paying for the repairs. Just a reminder, we have a donor matching all roof repair donations!

FINANCIAL UPDATE AS OF JUNE 15, 2022

General Account – Balance \$18,614

Building Fund – Balance \$16,830

Scholarship Account – Balance \$22,338

Catering Account – Balance \$15,662

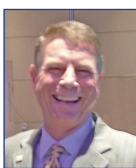
Cultural Account – Balance \$7,801

We are looking for someone to help us keep our website up-to-date. Please check it out at www.croatianamericanweb.org. No experience necessary so please give me a call or text at (415) 987-9529.

I hope to see you in July.

*Hvala vam i Bog
vas blagoslovio,*

Gary



CONGRATS TO OUR 2022 SMBS SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS!

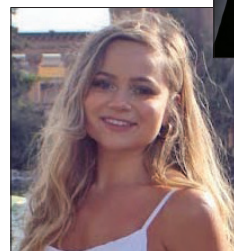
Join us on July 12th at the SMBS member dinner & quarterly meeting where we will be giving out the 2022 scholarship checks to our award winners. We hope to see them all there along with their family and friends applauding their accomplishments!



*Kathleen
Santich*



*Anne
Marie
Santich*



*Taylor
Barron*



*Michael
Santich*

COUNTRY COUGARS COUNTRY BAND SATURDAY/AUGUST 13TH AT CACC!



*Line Dancing
Texas-style BBQ
Fun & Surprises
Cowboy Hats &
Boots Optional!*

The Country Cougars are a hot 'rockin' country band playing new and classic country and soon becoming one of Northern California's favorite bands. Country Cougars play Rodeos, Wineries, City Festivals, and some of the premier nightclubs in the bay area. For information call Melissa 408-644-7546 or email to countrycougars@gmail.com.

CASINO NIGHT, OCTOBER 29TH AT CACC!



**Gaming Tables
Blackjack, Craps,
Roulette, Prizes!
Halloween Costumes,
Appetizer Plates,
Special Beverages in
line with event theme!**

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In Memory Of Sam Mosunic:

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Submitted by,

Susan Mosunic

Memorial Chairperson

Contributions are tax-deductible to the full extent of the law.

2023 SMBS SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications and transcripts of grades must reach the Scholarship Committee by April 1st each year.

2023 DEADLINE: APRIL 1ST

Michael and Donna Santich, Chairs
510-435-9540, mdsantich@sbcglobal.net
Gerry Zaro Johnson
Gary Bozin

Awards will be \$1,000 for university/college level and \$500 for trade/vocational or other.

Send applications and transcripts to:
SMBS Scholarship Committee
60 Onondaga Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94112 or
email your documents back
to Donna Santich.



CACC NOW AT STANFORD ARCHIVES

Cultural Director John Daley, Archivist Nancy MacKay and Research Assistant Katie Winters reviewed and inventoried the archives to deliver music from past concerts available to the public who visit the Stanford library. Music from future concerts can be live streamed to anyone in the world.

Our "Croatian American Cultural Center of San Francisco Collection," sits alongside archives like the Monterey Jazz Festival and all of Stanford's musical events. Stanford practices cutting-edge technologies for curating these important musical collections in digital formats.

To access the music at the music library, contact Frank Ferko, Sound Archives librarian, Archive of Recorded Sound, Braun Music Center, Stanford University, Stanford, California, 94305-3076.
(650) 721-2142,
fferko@stanford.edu,
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2022 MEMORIALS FINAL ANNUAL REPORT

(March 24 – June 13, 2022)

FUNDS	# DONATIONS	AMOUNT
Sam Mosunic Bldg.	37	\$5,630.00
Scholarship	2	\$1,250.00
Cultural	1	\$ 50.00
Grand Total	40	\$6,930.00



Submitted by,

Susan Mosunic

Memorial Chairperson

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WELCOME NEW SMBS MEMBERS!

These individuals have been welcomed into our ranks as our newest SMBS members.

New Member	Sponsor
Kathleen Jacobsen	John Ulakovic
Karen Latham	Gary Bozin
Asja Kristina Sever	Elsie Euing
Alicia Hazdovac Yanosik	Elsie Euing
Edward Yanosik	Elsie Euing
Joyce Lynn Zink	Gary Bozin
Richard Zink	Gary Bozin
Robert Zink	Gary Bozin

We need new members! Invite your spouse, sons, daughters, in-laws, grandchildren and friends. *All are welcome!*

Elsie Euing, Membership Chair



GET WELL/STAY WELL WISHES

Keep in Your Thoughts and Prayers:

Paul Alvers & Donna Puizina-Alvers on the loss of Paul's two brothers: Edward, 71 years, March 4th and Michael, 63 years, April 16th.

Please continue to keep the following members in your thoughts and prayers:

Nicholas Krulech • Judy Laura • Anna Milon
Frederica Mirkovich • Ivan Zagar

As always, if you know of a member or their family member who is sick, hospitalized, homebound or otherwise in distress or is fully recovered? Please contact Kate Mangotich: katemangotich@yahoo.com or call/text at (510) 367-9287.



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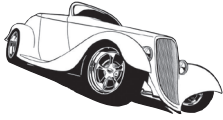
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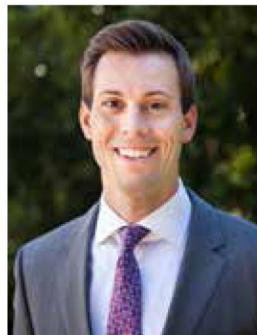
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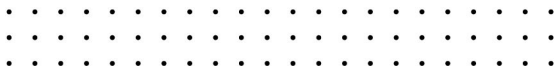
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