

Fil-Am of Pensacola Newsletter



Filipino-American
Association of
Pensacola, Inc.

Special points of interest:

- BINGO!
- Save the Date:
July 9 - 11, 2010
- Don't forget about Mom!
- What's next on the calendar?

Mission in Motion Bus

The Mission In Motion Bus will be at the Fil-Am Community Center on **May 8th** from **9-11:30 a.m.**, to conduct heart health screenings. This includes blood pressure checks, lab screening to check for glucose, total cholesterol and hemoglobin to check for anemia.

Everyone is invited and the cost is **FREE!**

It is recommended that you fast for at least 8 hours before you are seen to get a more accurate reading of your total cholesterol. You may have black coffee or water and you're able to take your blood pressure medication that morning.

We hope to see you there!

For more information, or to volunteer, please contact: Delia Stierwalt 850.982.5003



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Birthday Bash 1st Quarter



We all had a good time celebrating the January, February and March birthdays where the "special participants" were not only another year older, but another year better. Thank you to Ed Fernandez for composing and directing the Fil-Am singers and to Rusty Fernandez for choreographing the line dances. Excellent job done by Delia Stierwalt in coordinating this entertaining event! The next Birthday Bash is scheduled for June so you April thru June birthday babies get ready to put your party hats on!

A Note From the President



As we are approaching summer vacation, I would like to congratulate our graduates from all levels of academics. As part of our service to the community, the Fil-Am Association will be hosting a Sports Festival for all ages on July 9, 10 & 11. A portion of the proceeds will go towards the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. We are in need of more volunteers and I am personally asking for your cooperation and support to our Chairpersons, Troy Turner & Craig Webb. This is our chance to show our young members that the Fil-Am Association is very proud to have them getting involved in our community. I know that we are not getting any younger and by saying this, I would like to invite your children and grandchildren to participate in this event. If you've ever participated in any of our past sports festivals (some 8 years ago or so), then you know how much fun this event can be.

Fil-Am Community Center Wish List and Projects

1. Roof repair (it has been leaking for sometime now and the wood is already rotten.)
2. New flooring
3. Restroom renovations
4. Privacy or concrete fence on the side & back of the Center
5. Parking lot resurfacing
6. Landscaping
7. Refrigerator
8. Microwave
9. Flowering plants, shrubs and low-maintenance plants

We have had some reorganization to this administration; our new Public Relations Officer is Craig Webb, replacing Bill Geiger, who is now one of our Sergeant at Arms. Azalea Webb, being our Secretary, will be our Membership Chairperson. We have a vacant Board of Director position and I would like to ask any of you who are willing to serve our community to come forward and be a part of this administration.

Again, I thank you for all your support and hope to see you at our future events.

God Bless you all!

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Divina Herrera
Fil-Am President

Assessment dues are due NOW.

Make checks payable to:

Fil-Am Association of Pensacola

Mail to:

P.O. Box 36478

Pensacola, FL 32516-6478

Remember:

Part of your dues go to the calamity/disaster victim assistance fund.

Please help our kababayans!

Due to popular demand, Bingo nights have been moved to Wednesday nights, starting at 4:30 p.m. Come out and enjoy the Crazy T, the Postage Stamp, and of course everyone's favorite, the Blackout, along with many other games. Food and refreshments are available to help keep your skills sharp. Bring out all your lucky charms and good luck!



WEDNESDAY NIGHT BINGO!

Fil-Am Sports Festival



"Spanning the GULF to bring you the constant variety of sport... the thrill of victory... and the agony of defeat... the human drama of athletic competition... This is the FILIPINO-AMERICAN SPORTS FESTIVAL!"

It has been almost 8 years since we last held our Fil-Am Sports Festival. Bringing together Fil-Am groups from all along the Gulf Coast to compete in a variety of sports with the purpose of building camaraderie, pride in our organizations and of course having fun. This Sports Festival will have something for everyone in all age groups.

The festival is scheduled for the weekend of July 9th thru the 11th.

Meet, greet and final registration will take place on July 9th at the Pensacola Fil-Am community center. The competitions will happen on July 10th at different locations. Awards ceremony and closing celebrations will take place on July 11th at the Pensacola Fil-Am community center.

Get out your Converse All-Star high tops, Jimmy Connors wood racket and dog eared scrabble dictionary, start stretching both your body and minds because the competition is just around the corner.

Competitions currently planned are Basketball, Volleyball, Golf, Tennis, Bowling, 1 Mile Race, 3 Mile Fun Walk, 4x400 Relay Race, Scrabble, Chess and Tables Tennis. So start getting your teams together. We need players from young to very mature. Parents, Lolos and Lolas help us get our youth back involved with our Fil-Am family. We want this to be a yearly event again.

Registration for the festival will be \$15 for members and \$25 for non-members and you can compete in as many events as you want. A portion from each registration will go towards a donation to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Let the games begin!

an evening dinner and dance
in honor of all

MOTHERS

please join us to celebrate
Saturday, May 8th at 6:30 pm

Fil-Am Community Center
234 West Oakfield Road

\$15 per person

with casual attire

Kindly RSVP by
May 5th

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Financial Statement

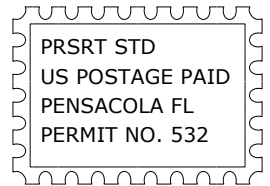
Filipino-American Association of Pensacola, Inc.
Income Statement for the Period from
January 1 to March 30, 2010

Total Income	\$ 20,951.11
Less: Fundraising expenses	<u>\$ 8,761.85</u>
Total Gross Income	\$ 12,189.26
Program Service Expenses	
Miscellaneous	\$ 30.01
Disaster Victim Assistance	\$ 300.00
Family Picnic/Egg Hunting	\$ 76.52
Appreciation, Advertising	\$ 127.70
Newsletter	\$ 1,132.75
Member's Benefits	<u>\$ 543.70</u>
Total Program Service Expenses	\$ 2,210.68
Operating Expenses:	
Office, Building Supplies	\$ 132.37
Telephone	\$ 127.87
Postage & P.O. Box Rental	\$ 60.40
Building Repairs	\$ 6,160.45
General Pantry Supplies	\$ 217.17
Taxes and Fees	\$ 242.55
Insurance - Building	\$ 4,183.96
Utilities	\$ 3,690.94
Alarm System	<u>\$ 1,577.01</u>
Total Operating Expenses	\$16,392.72
Total Expenses for the Period from January 1 to March 30, 2010	<u>\$ 18,603.40</u>
Net Income (Loss)	<u>\$ (6,414.14)</u>



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A place where Filipino-Americans and their families can share our culture with the community.

May Events

BINGO

Wednesday, May 5, 12, 19 & 26
Time: 4:30 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: \$10 for Bingo package

Karaoke and Line Dancing

Friday, May 7, 14, & 21
Time: 7 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: \$5 for Karaoke and Line Dancing

Mother's Day Celebration

Saturday, May 8
Time: 6:30 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: \$15
Attire: Semi-Formal

June Events

BINGO

Wednesday, June 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30
Time: 4:30 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: \$10 for Bingo package

Karaoke and Line Dancing

Friday, June 4, 11 & 18
Time: 7 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: \$5 for Karaoke and Line Dancing

Birthday Bash

Saturday, June 5
Time: 6:30 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: donation
Celebrating April thru June Birthdays

General Membership Meeting

Sunday, June 13
Time: 2:00 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center

Father's Day Dinner

Saturday, June 19
Time: 6:30 p.m.
Place: Fil-Am Community Center
Cost: \$15
Attire: Semi-Formal