



## Monthly Newsletter | November 2025



### MEMORIAL MASS & CLUB LUNCH

**Sunday, November 23rd**

Mass time: 10 a.m. at the Club

Lunch to Follow

Menu: Soup de Jour, Tripotas & Chicken w/Pimentos

Adults: \$25 | Children \$10

The Memorial Mass will include a slideshow of those for whom people have memorialized by donating in their names. Note this is NOT only for Club members; it is for anyone in our community. The donations need to be made to the General Fund.

### THE SEASON OF GIVING IS UPON US!



We will be conducting a food drive at the Club for the **Chino Neighborhood House**. Be sure to bring canned goods as well as boxed foods to the Memorial Mass & Club Lunch on **November 23rd**. We will be collecting these items at the door. This is a wonderful opportunity to help the less fortunate.

### LET'S DECORATE/PARTICIPATE IN A BASQUE FLOAT FOR THE CHINO PARADE

The Chino Youth Christmas parade will be held on **Saturday, December 14th**. Join us in decorating the Basque float and/or participating in the parade. Please contact **Jeanette Duhart** by sending an email to: [info@chinobasqueclub.com](mailto:info@chinobasqueclub.com)

Jeanette has been instrumental in keeping this tradition alive through the years. Below are photos of a parade in Chino in the late 1940s for which her grandfather, **Pete Barcelona** took the lead. The float is not only decorated with flowers, it also includes a txistera and Basque dancers including a very young **Mayi Barcelona**, Jeanette's mother.



### UDALEKU 2026

The **Chino Basque Club** and the **Southern CA Basque Club** will be managing Udaleku 2026 (June 21st through July 5th). This is a NABO-sponsored program for children ages 10 to 15. While this program provides classes in music, dance, handball and culture more than anything it provides a venue for our young Basques to make life-long friendships with others from all around the United States. **Christian Jaureguy** will be providing the oversight of the program with **Louise Camou** representing the Chino Basque Club and **Anne Marie Gariador** representing the Southern California Basque Club.

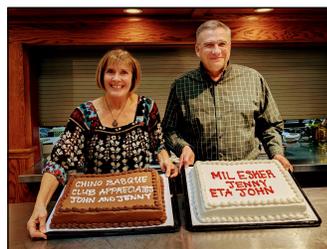
#### APPLY TODAY!

Early applications to Udaleku 2026 are currently being accepted for the members' children of both the Chino Basque Club and the So California Basque Club. Send an email to [info@chinobasqueclub.com](mailto:info@chinobasqueclub.com) to obtain information.

#### LET'S WORK TOGETHER

The organizers are currently looking for volunteers and donations, but more than anything they need commitment for housing the students. The average total of participants is around 100. Let us know if you can help by sending an email to [info@chinobasqueclub.com](mailto:info@chinobasqueclub.com). We will be offering multiple ways to donate on the CBC website soon. In the meantime, if you would like to send a check to put towards Udaleku 2026, you can make it out to Chino Basque Club with "Udaleku" on the memo line. Please mail to:  
Chino Basque Club | PO Box 1080 | Chino, CA 91708

**BIZI EMANKORRA ENJOYED BY ALL**  
Jenny and Johnny Yursa were recognized for their many years of service to our Club on Saturday, October 25th. Dinner was provided by **Steve Gamboa** and his kitchen crew, **Sandra**, and the **Bizkarras, Ulla and Iñaki**. Barbecue was provided by **Michael McKay, Jackson Anema and Dominique Camou**. Appropriately the **Gauden Bat** performed -- Jenny and Johnny were instrumental in taking Chino's adult dance group to the next level many years ago. There was even an impromptu performance by several members of **Eskual Giroa**, a singing group in which Jenny played an integral part. **Denise Duhart** and **Denis Petrissans** provided music to complete the event.



## OROITZAPENA

### **GENERAL FUND DONATIONS:**

In Memory of **Bernard Dabbadie** by Delora & Mitch Gariador

General Donation by Sandra & Steve Gamboa

**Total Collected: \$300**

### **SCHOLARSHIP FUND DONATIONS:**

In Memory of **Bernard Dabbadie** by Jenny & Jesse Isom

**Total Collected: \$50**

**Donations can be made by mailing a check to:**

**Chino Basque Club | PO Box 1080 | Chino, CA 91708**

### **November Events**

**November 16:** CBC Board Meeting, 10 a.m. at Club

**November 23:** Memorial Mass & Club Lunch, 10 a.m.

**November 23:** Food Drive; bring items to the Club

### **December Events**

**December 21:** Christmas Party & Club Lunch, 12 noon.

### **January Events**

**January 24:** NABO-qualifying mus tournament. KCBC, Bakersfield, check-in at 7:30 a.m.

**January 25:** Club lunch, 12 noon.

## **PARTICIPATE IN A STUDY**

**Alexis Yrigoyen** is a student researcher at Cal Poly Pomona, and is looking for volunteers to participate in a study on how Basque Americans connect with their heritage through family, clubs and cultural practices. She seeks volunteers for confidential interviews and a short online survey. Participation is voluntary and you may withdraw at any time. This study is an excellent opportunity to share your experience with Basque culture and clubs as well as contribute to research on cultural traditions and belonging!

If you are interested send an email to [info@chinobasqueclub.com](mailto:info@chinobasqueclub.com). Alexis would like to thank the Basque Educational Organization (BEO) for funding this research. The Cal Poly Pomona Institutional Review Board has reviewed and approved the conduct of her research involving human subjects under protocol number IRB-25-160.



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### **CONTACT LIST:**

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

**President:** Candida Echeverria

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#### **COMMITTEES:**

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**NABO Representatives:** Kathie Goyeneche, Marianna Etcheverria

**Xori Ttipiak:** Michelle Jaureguy (h), Michelle Jaureguy (t), Rebecca Gatton

**Eskualdun Izarrak:** Elena, Jeanine & Emma Duhart, Marcel Almirantearena

**Dantzari Onestak:** Elena, Jeanine & Emma Duhart, Marcel Almirantearena

**Gauden Bat:** Christian Jaureguy, Jackie Iriart Ramirez

**Entertainment:** Andréa Bidart-Oteiza, Maite Maisterrena

**Klika:** Charlot Aguerre

**Basque Liturgies:** Aita Anton Egiguren, Germaine Lanathoua, Evelyne Lanathoua Good

**CBC Website:** Anna Marie Etcheverria

**Picnic Coordinator:** Jeanette Duhart

**Picnic Booklet:** Emma Duhart, Jeanette Duhart

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