



# THE GALILEO OBSERVER

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## ***SAVE THE DATES!***

**ATTENTION: GAA Family Picnic Date Changed for Picnic to:**

**Sunday - – September 29, 2013**

**Sports Hall of Fame Awards Dinner – October 25, 2013**

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### **Late Breaking News**

The Sports Hall of Fame committee has been meeting throughout the summer and is on the verge of announcing its inductees for 2013. As we go to publication there are a few remaining nominees to be considered for the October 25<sup>th</sup> awards ceremony and dinner to be held at the San Francisco Italian Athletic Club. As soon as the final list has been completed, the names will be listed in the GAA website and also on the flyer that will be distributed shortly. The members of the committee are: Vince Gomez, Joe Martino, Cherise Johnson, George DeLuca, Paul Giambra, John Quinn and Sisvan Der Harootunian.

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# Through The Telescope. . .

Sisvan Der Harootunian



Sometimes all you want to do is go for a ride. So it was that on a dreary, damp, overcast Memorial Day I drove around San Francisco, hoping to find a place to “hang my hat”, so to speak, for a while. I happened upon the restaurant *Incanto* in the Mission district, about which I had heard good things, especially from Anthony Bourdain who had visited there some time ago. The interior was dimly lit, matching the exterior weather. I decided to have an early dinner and was surprised by the quality of the food by Chef Chris Cosentino. An Italian restaurant, they prepare all parts of the animal, especially pork. I started out with a glass of my favorite Italian wine, Brunello di Montalcino, 2007 Cordella. It was half the price of the glass I had at the Hassler Hotel in Rome a few years ago. A complimentary olive tapenade was served with two breads. The owner replenished the tapenade three times! The antipasto platter with roasted garlic was excellent. I then had a risotto of squash and squash flower, ditto. I finished it all off with a bay leaf panna cotta. This cutting edge restaurant also owns Boccalone in the Ferry Plaza, a retail shop that hand makes artisan salumi in small batches.

Speaking of Italians, a San Francisco News Call-Bulletin article of May 12, 1961 states that “The Di Tano family, long associated with the San Francisco opera scene, has produced a national celebrity. Joan Sanford, 26, (now Jowanna Woeber Novales) a soprano, won the national finals of the American Opera Auditions yesterday in New York City . . .” Today, Jowanna (1951), resides in Daly City with her new husband, William Novales, also a musician. The three musical mainstays from 1949 to 1951 at Galileo were Jowanna (voice), Vince Gomez (violin) and Fred Rocco (trumpet). Jowanna gives voice lessons and Vince plays the bass , teaches and conducts. We haven’t heard from Fred.

Talk-alikes: Jim Dresser (1951) and Steve Lavin, St. John’s University basketball coach and son of the late “Cappy” Lavin.

Have you heard that Google is testing a driverless car? One less pleasure. Many less accidents?

Joe Paoli died in 1995 at the age of 70. He used to own the legendary Paoli’s restaurant on Montgomery Street at California before the Bank of America building went up. Paoli’s had the best hors d’oeuvres in town . Attorney Jake Ehrlich and Financier Lou Lurie had their own booth. The Big Three cocktail hour restaurants were Paoli’s, the Iron Horse, and the Domino Club, owned by ex-Galilean, the late Lorry Gerald of the Fisherman’s Grotto No. 9 family. All three restaurants are gone now, replaced by buildings and whatnot with hardly the intrigue and romance of the bygone three. Meanwhile, Joe Paoli’s widow, Rita, who owns a bright kitchen supply store on Polk Street, is leading the fight to keep parking spaces on the busy street. The SFMTA and the SF Bicycle Coalition want to remove 20 blocks of street parking from Union to McAllister Streets. If removed, businesses on both sides of Polk Street will suffer.

How often do you have two blockbuster Hollywood stars pattern their characters after you? Dave Toschi (1950), the erstwhile detective who pursued the Zodiac killer for over 40 years, was the model and inspiration for Steve McQueen’s “Bullitt” and for Clint Eastwood’s “Dirty Harry,” respectively.

Nina Clima and Pola Martino are arranging an 80th birthday party on Sept. 12, 2013 for **all ladies born in 1933**. Please contact either Pola Martino or Nina Clima, one of them will send you an invitation with all the information Contact #'s: Pola Martino 415-479-8477 or Nina Clima 415-566-4782 [palmiraclima@aol.com](mailto:palmiraclima@aol.com)

*“There is a difference between good sound reasons and reasons that sound good.” – Anonymous*

Until next time . . .

## ***Tony Compagno's Ramblings***

Although there have been a good number of brother, father/son and uncle/nephew connections throughout Galileo's impressive athletic history, I herein offer my thoughts and pay tribute to the Barni Boys: Roy, Rich and Dave, this focus occasioned by the recent passing of Rich, Roy's nephew and Dave's older and only sibling.

Rich Barni, a Marina boy and catcher of a Galileo baseball team that won a city championship in the mid 1950s, asked for a straight, fast one, but life delivered a curve instead. Richie died after a very, very long illness, that curve ball finally too much for him. He joins his beloved Uncle Roy, also a star athlete at Galileo, and leaves behind younger brother Dave, who not long ago made Galileo High alumni proud by being inducted into the San Francisco Prep Sports Hall of Fame.

The Barni Boys. My feeble words can only suggest the outline of an exceptionally talented athletic family, Rich pivotal in the threesome, as I'll attempt to explain. Before there were Rich and Dave, there was Roy. I remember him in the mid '50s as a charismatic and cheerful young man home in the Marina for a spell before returning to Washington and the Redskins and Joe Kuharich. The star defensive player was a slab of granite with a soft heart. He'd have nephew Davey and me into the back room of his saloon, The Huddle, where his mama would improvise some food for us. He was pleased that I was the cousin and godson of a former Pittsburgh Steeler. Roy and my cousin were imposing figures, larger than life, to Davey and me. Rich and Dave idolized their Iron Man; he was theirs, and everything to which they aspired. Pride twinkled in their young eyes...I can still see that twinkle after all these years.

Sure, they were proud. Roy, Galileo Class of '45, made All-City football in that as well as the preceding year. Then he went to U.S.F. and played with several future NFL Hall of Famers, including Ollie Matson, before embarking on his own pro football career. When Roy was away from home making the family and old friends proud as he thrilled pro football fans with his prowess as a defensive back, Richie was the surrogate mentor to Davey, always pointing out things the youngest Barni may have missed: a move, a strategy, an attitude, a sudden judgment, a tide-turning instinct. Ken Flanagan, Galileo class of '59, has said that "the two brothers were great friends and fun to be around. Awesome brothers...honest, always pleasant, friendly, respectful of their elders, and not afraid to show their emotions," and that's an apt assessment which jives with my experience. The Barni Boys wore their hearts on their sleeves. They were what you saw.

So...there was Roy, whose tackling form has been called "textbook perfect." I saw a photo recently of Roy tackling a guy named Hugh Taylor of the Redskins in 1954, causing Taylor to fumble, and Roy was so intense, such a defensive threat and ever-formidable presence on the field. Then there was Richie, himself a steady, dependable catcher on Galileo's championship team of 1956, doing his thing while advising his younger brother, whose potential was wasted on nobody during those great old days at Funston Field. Although Rich never got as much "ink" as Uncle Roy got, or Davey would, he was a spirited player and friend who, according to his pitcher, Bill Flanagan, was a great moral force and sparkplug among the Galileo nine. "Richie was a unique character, even at a young age. He was a hustler, and his clubhouse, practice and dugout spirit proved to be very important. He could keep you loose for sure. He was a kind, caring, spirited, and humorous kid." Furthermore, Bill's younger brother Ken states that Rich showed his kid brother the way. "Play hard, play smart...and the team comes first," Rich instructed his brother, who would go on to realize a dream of playing pro baseball. Having played many ballgames with Dave prior to high school, I can vouch for the fact that Dave put his brother's words into action.

To say that Roy's passing was "untimely" does not do the event justice, but all words and any combination of them would fall short. Roy never made it back to camp in '57, and things changed forever. As I said, Richie especially couldn't, finally, handle that unexpected curve ball. But Dave went on to practice what he'd learned from Roy's glowing example and loyal brother Richie's mentoring, and the youngest Barni made All-City baseball and basketball and is remembered as one of the most exciting and colorful players to play in the San Francisco area. And, if I remember correctly, there's a grandson that Grandpa Dave submits, in his usual humble fashion, is pretty darn impressive on the diamond.

I can picture Richie sitting on our red upholstered couch in the sunny living room of our rented flat on Filbert, his eyes alive as he jokes with my dad, Richie's passion for sports and his enthusiasm and love for people being transmitted through his throaty, excited speech, that uniqueness Bill Flanagan spoke of shining through. And Reggie Leipsic, who played second base in that 1956 championship game at Seals Stadium, fondly recalls the walks he used to take with Rich to Lucca's on Chestnut for the great sourdough sandwiches, and also over to Fred's in North Beach for sandwiches to kill for, or at least rough somebody up. And Kenny Flanagan's words say it best:

"It has been an honor playing ball with Rich and Dave, and an honor knowing them...Richie is in a better place; he deserves it."

Galileo's Barni Brothers. "Play hard, play smart...and The Team comes first." Thanks, Rich...

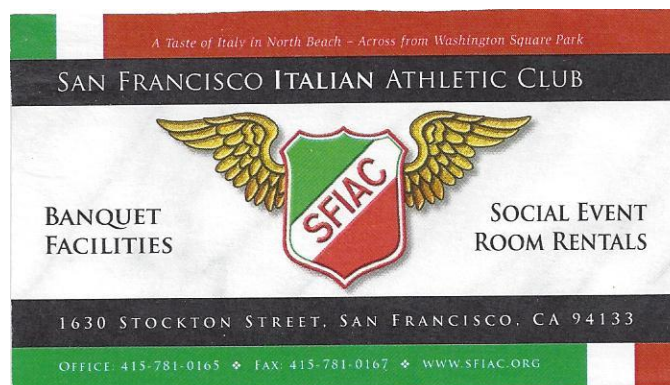
Ed. Note: *Rich Barni will be inducted posthumously into the Galileo Sports Hall of Fame on October 25<sup>th</sup>, joining his uncle and brother as recipients of this honor.*

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## GAA Education & Enrichment Grant Awards 2013

We are pleased to announce Galileo Alumni Association GAA education enrichment grants program. The Galileo Alumni Association GAA provides grants, generated from contributions and fundraising projects, to fund projects that enhance the education of our students. GAA Grants Committee will review applications and make recommendations for review and approval by the GAA.

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# Announcements

**1973 Reunion** 40<sup>th</sup> reunion November 2, 2013

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<https://docs.google.com/file/d/0Bx6ThyJf8MeUdXY2WVAxa0JpWVk/edit?usp=sharing>

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# Between the Lions



by Bettie Grinnell

Greetings Mighty Lions! Here's what's happening at Galileo these days.

## **GRADUATION**

Graduation for the Galileo Class of 2013 was held on Wednesday, May 29, 2013 at the Bill Graham Civic Auditorium. This was one of our larger graduating classes with over 550 seniors participating in the ceremony. The keynote speaker was San Francisco Supervisor London Breed, graduate of the Class of 1992. She gave a very spirited speech as she wished our graduates well on their journey beyond Galileo.

## **SUMMER SCHOOL**

Galileo hosted the 2013 Summer School for Graduating Seniors. Summer school is a five -week program culminating in a moving Graduation Ceremony in the beautiful Galileo Auditorium for those students who successfully meet the graduation requirements. This year's Summer School Graduation was held on Wednesday, July 17, 2013. In addition to the seniors, Galileo summer school also include a credit recovery program for 9 - 11<sup>th</sup> graders, and Cyber high for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders.

## **ASIAN HERITAGE CELEBRATION**

The Asian Heritage Celebration was held this yea on May 18, 2013. Mr. Eugene Wing, ASB Advisor and Galileo teacher was nominated for the Outstanding Educator Award. He was nominated for the award by 2012/2013 ASB President Anna Mai and the previous 2011/2012 ASB President Lisa Mai. Five other Asian educators were also nominated for the award, including former Galileo Assistant Principal Dennis Chew. There was a spirit competition and even though we chanted louder than Abraham Lincoln High for Mr. Wing, they had pom-poms and they won the spirit competition. The awards ceremony was held in the Asian Art Museum's Samsung Hall. In the end, all 6 contestants were given the award. A street festival followed the Awards Ceremony in the Civic Center.

## **TWO FORMER GALILEO TEACHERS HAVE PASSED AWAY:**

In April 2013 I was deeply saddened to hear of Fred Setting's death. I met Fred in November 1972 when I first came to work at Galileo. I always considered him my "First Galileo Friend." A group of former and current Galileo staff attended his Memorial Service on May 25<sup>th</sup> at Valley Memorial Park in Vallejo. Former Galileo student and teacher John Bologna spoke, as did Fred's sons and someone he served with during the Korean War. Several Galileo alumni arranged for a luncheon to remember Fred, which was held at Pompeii's Grotto on June 25, 2013. Lots of fun stories and pictures were shared by those present and enjoyed by everyone. Fred was with us in spirit.

Former Math teacher Mark Knoell passed away on June 10, 2013. He had a massive heart attack. Many who remember Mark talk about how he was an outstanding math teacher. In the 1960's Mark served as the ASB Advisor. He was 89 years old.

## **JROTC**

Snapping a six-year winning streak of first place finishes at the JROTC Spring Competition, Galileo's three JROTC teams – Drill Platoon, Girls Drill Team, and Silent Drill Team – lost this year's JROTC spring competition, held on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at Abraham Lincoln High School. Our teams appealed to the competition organizers. In the end the organizers awarded the Galileo Girls' Drill Team 1<sup>st</sup> place and the Boys' Drill Team 2<sup>nd</sup> place. The final decision was that Lowell won the overall competition, with Galileo in second place.

## **SPRING SPORTS**

### **Badminton Record: 10-6**

After winning the championship in 2011, the badminton team missed the playoffs in 2012 and 2013.

### **Baseball Record: 8 - 6**

The Lion's baseball team claimed 4<sup>th</sup> place in Division A in the AAA standings, finishing two games ahead of Lincoln for the last playoff spot. Although they easily defeated Marshall in the regular season (3 - 0), in the playoffs Marshall, who placed first in Division B, pulled off the upset against the Lions (7 - 5), ending their season.

### **Fencing Records: Boys 6 - 2 Girls 7 - 7**

The boys' fencing team finished 4<sup>th</sup> in league play losing only to the top 2 teams, Stuart Hall and Urban, while the girls finished 2<sup>nd</sup> behind only Lowell who went undefeated.

### **Boys Golf Record: 10 - 6**

After a rough start at the beginning of the season, they improved with each match as the season progressed. In their last game against Marshall, the boys finished with 254 strokes. Only three of the team were seniors, so the team will be more experienced next season.

### **Girls Softball Record: 5 - 8**

After making the playoffs two years in a row, the Lady Lion Softball Team fell one game short this year behind Mission in the A division.

### **Boys Volleyball Record: 13 - 1**

The Boys' Volleyball team reached the championship game for the third consecutive season, but lost a heart breaking game to Lowell in the championship with a 15 - 7 in the fifth set. With an experienced team, the Lions finished the season strong, giving them an easy route to the playoffs. During the playoff game, the team out beat Balboa High School in three straight sets (20 - 25, 16 - 25, 17 - 25) leading then to the championship game.

### **Track and Field Record: 10 - 6**

The Track and Field teams participated in the all city trials on May 18<sup>th</sup> and the All City Finals on May 25<sup>th</sup>. The Track and Field teams placed third in the All City Finals, with over 100 Galileo students participating, both from the Varsity and JV teams.

### **Swimming 4<sup>th</sup> Place Overall**

Despite a lack of seniors, the team met their expectation, placing 4<sup>th</sup> place out of 6 overall. They look forward to next season.

### **Flag Football Record: 2 - 2**

In the first season that girls' flag football has been an official sport in the AAA, the Lady Lions finished their regular season with a record of 2 - 2, losing to Mission and Lincoln, the two teams that reached the championship game.

**Let me know what you'd like to hear/read about at Galileo. Bettie on the Beat will be happy to answer your questions and handle your requests.**

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## LE COIN (THE CORNER)

By S.D. Hart

On a recent trip to Paris, my first, I happened upon a bistro called the Corner in the 9<sup>th</sup> arrondissement. I had finished having lunch in the Left Bank and set out to look for a certain landmark. The taxi took me to the Right Bank and dropped me in front of The Corner. I decided to go in and see what all the commotion was about. The Corner was a small, crowded place with three open doorways in the front. There were no doors or windows. In the event of rain or snow, heavy clear plastic are lowered down to protect the people inside. Steel doors roll down when they close the place in the early hours of the morning. A rear hallway leads into an office building. It is located on one of most highly trafficked areas of the city. Various contraptions hang from the ceiling. There was so much activity going on inside that I could barely get in. I wiggled my way to the “bar” which was a counter with 3 or 4 stools. The place sold papers and magazines but was not a bookstore or newsstand. It is not a cigar store though it sells cigars. It has food but is not a restaurant. It has spirits but is not a beverage store. And, of course, they serve coffee, but it is not a coffee house. What it is is a gathering place for locals and tourists alike, a place where business people get a quick drink and a small bite before going back to the office. A place where people mingle rather than watch others pass by. A magnet for tourists and curious people as it was for me. Eight different streets feed into the large round-about. The semi-circular structure is like the corner it’s on. The unique feature of The Corner is that an attractive waitress passes through the crowd offering tiny bites of food, especially to drinkers. While I was there I saw her carry some small fried dumplings in a large clam-shaped tray. Other items usually served are sliced calamari, mussels, and other appetizing bites. The specialty of the house is a salad of very finely chopped dark green lettuces, tomatoes and 7 herbs. Occasionally they add one inch cubed chunks of cooked ham. Before 11 AM they bring around bite sized squares of pain perdu, which go well with morning coffee. You can tip the waiter, but it’s not mandatory; the regulars usually leave a tip when they leave.

The Corner reminded me of the eclectic mixture of people at San Francisco’s Buena Vista Café and the complimentary food served at some suburban Mexico City cantinas where you buy a beer and they serve you some local food. The place barely has enough stools to accommodate the customers. The proprietor, a small man in an open-necked white shirt, is constantly present, speaks little English, but tried to direct me to the landmark I was seeking. He says The Corner has been there for over a hundred years, but used to be a coffee house, then a café. When the building was remodeled, The Corner as it is today emerged as a unique establishment.

Since I had my lunch already, I ordered a coffee, took a bite of the fried dumpling and stood at a tall but small table in the center of the bistro and watched people coming in and going out. I made a mental note to come back one morning during my visit and have my breakfast of pain perdu and coffee. I gestured goodbye to the owner, and as I walked around the corner, all I heard was the loud roar of vehicles on the Paris streets.

**Note:** The Corner does not exist except in my imagination. It was created during a dream I had the other day. However, there is a restaurant called Le Coin on a corner in Paris. I have not been there, but I hear the food is very good. I must try it on my next trip to Paris.

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## LETTERS

*I have lost contact with all the guys I played basketball with. I graduated from Galileo High School in June of 1951. Fred Tooker, Frank Pavich, Francisco Rico, Vince Gomez. I was in Heart Mountain Relocation Center during World War II, and that is where I got a magpie bird as a pet. I named this bird Maggie, and the first words she said were "Hello, Maggie." A book was written by Barbara Bazaldua, "A Boy of Heart Mountain," and you can see it at the Paper Tree Store at Sutter and Buchanan Streets, along with another book. At this time you can see the greatest origami display by Linda Mihara. – Shig Yabu*

Ed. Note: The above letter was edited for clarity. Shig Yabu's story and the book by Barbara Bazaldua will be reviewed in an upcoming issue of The Observer.

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## **MISUNDERSTANDING**

### **IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM THE GAA PRESIDENT**

**I have heard from several alumni that they receive the Lions Pride every Saturday morning via email, thinking the GAA publishes this newsletter. I would like to correct this immediately. The Lions Pride published by Phil Kaiser is in no way related to the Galileo Alumni Association's *Observer* newsletter or approved by the Board of Directors. It is also not endorsed by the Galileo Academy. We do not feel that Phil Kaiser's Lions Pride represents the best interests of the GAA.**

**We do not communicate with Mr. Kaiser or in any way support his criticism or negative writings. Our newsletter *The Observer* is published 4 times a year in January, April, July and October. I hope this clears the air for many of you and I hope Phil Kaiser will STOP harassing the GAA and put more energy in supporting Galileo.**

**It would be nice if Phil Kaiser would work with the GAA instead of against it. I don't understand why he has so much resentment, especially being an Alumni. I find it very sad.**

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# Obituaries

**Rich Barni** (see Tony Compagno's column).

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**Mary Perazzo** <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/sfgate/obituary.aspx?n=mary-perazzo&pid=165694302&fhid=3061#fbLoggedOut>

**Fred Setting (1950).** (See Bettie Grinnell's touching memoir in *Between the Lions*).

**Ida Sodo (1934)** <http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/sfgate/obituary.aspx?n=ida-sodo&pid=166100635&fhid=24159#fbLoggedOut>

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## Fred Setting Remembered at Memorial Lunch

A memorial lunch was held June 25<sup>th</sup> at Pompei's Grotto to honor Fred Setting (1950) who passed away recently. 73 persons – family, friends, classmates and teammates – including 5 former Galileo Student Body Presidents (Mario Lombardi, Joe Martino, Joe Passanisi, Seb Saia and Ernie Russo) attended. Fred was a friend of GAA, having briefly served on its board, and attended many football and baseball games, taking photos with his camera. He was a student, teacher, baseball coach, and a member of the Sports Hall of Fame. Several tributes and stories were told by his friends – a wonderful way to remember Fred.

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# GALILEO SPORTS 2013 HALL OF FAME INDUCTION DINNER



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Dinner includes: Salad, Antipasti, Pasta, Cross Rib Roast or ½ Roasted Rosemary Chicken (veggies/roasted potatoes) Dessert and Wine. For vegetarians Eggplant Parmigiana will be available. (Napoleon of Eggplant, Fontina Cheese, Basil, Tomatoes).

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October 25, 2013

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