

JANUARY 2022

Newsletter



Happy New Year



Executive Secretary Corner:

Bernice Armas-Martinez

Attention Councils:

Any outstanding Council Official Visits, please send in your Response Form found on page 4.

Secretary Workshop:

Be on the lookout dates to be determined soon!

Attention:

Enter to win a **\$25.00** gift card by submitting your email address to mypfsa@mypfsa.org. Get the latest council news and activities! Email addresses will be provided to your Council Secretary.

Scholarships:

2022 Scholarship applications are available for Members between the age of 16 and 18.

Feedback:

The Home Office is always working towards improving our services. If you have any suggestions on how we can improve, please email suggestions to mypfsa@mypfsa.org. Positive feedback is also welcomed!

QR Code:

QR code is a scannable pattern, that contains various forms of data, like website links. Grab your phone and try out the PFSA QR code below.



ATTENTION COUNCIL SECRETARIES

Official Visits:

Council Secretaries please send to the Home Office your Official Visit Invitation.

PRODUCTS:

Call the PFSA Home
Office to learn more
about our new
Universal Life product
Which has an interest
rate of 3% and is one
of our most flexible
products.

New Members

Council and City	Total Members
1- San Diego	2
7- Gustine/Newman	3
12- Oakland	2
13- Tracy	1
26- Stevinson/Turlock/Hilmar	4
38- Modesto	5
66- Concord	1
69- Manteca	3
138- Stratford	1

January 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 New Year's Day
2	3	4 World Braille Day	5	6	7	8
9 Law Enforcement Appreciation Day	10	11 National Human Trafficking Awareness Day	12	13 Korean American Day	14	15 National Bagel Day
16	17 Martin Luther King Day Civil Rights Day	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 Opposite Day	26 International Customs Day	27	28	29
30	31					

PFSA Supreme President Charity

Most children entering foster care receive just two trash bags for their belongings, but they deserve more! We are dedicated to change this but we need your help!

Sweet Case is a duffle bag for foster kids.

Each Sweet Case comes packed with a teddy bear, warm blanket,
hygiene kit, fun activities and a new duffle bag.

TWO WAYS TO ORDER Call Hannah

(714) 386-9007 (direct line)

(714) 784-6760 (office number)

Email:hannahr@togetherwerise.org

MAKE SURE TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

Name • Phone Number • Shipping Address

Event Date • Number of Sweet Cases Needed

Order at least 1 week prior to your event Order in sets of 10 \$250 for each 10 pack













Official Visit Form

Date				
Fraternal Council No	_ City			
Date Requested	Time			
Alternative Date	Time			
Please list a contact person with daytime and evening phone number. Fraternal Council Contact Person				
Title				
Daytime Phone No	Evening Phone No			
E-Mail Address				
Form Submitted by	Title			

MAIL FORMS TO
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December Council Challenge

Council 46, Tulare



Council 20, Merced



Council 1, San Diego



Council 12, Oakland



December Council Challenge

Council 38, Modesto



Council 26, Stevinson/Turlock/Hilmar



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Council 18, Stockton

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December Council Challenge

Council 44, San Jose



Council 138, Stratford

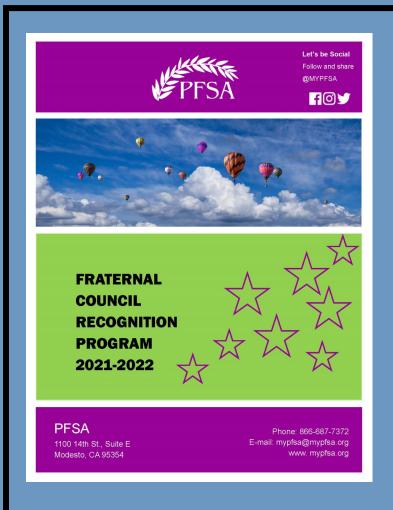


Council 7, Gustine/Newman



PFSA New Year's Resolution





2021 - 2022 Council Recognition Program

Program updates will be coming soon!

Updates will be sent to

Council Secretaries





Scholarship Foundation

Education, Inspiring Our Youth's Future

Scholarship and Grant Applications Now Available Online

PFSA members graduating from High School throughout the United States who meet the eligibility requirements may apply for the four-year or two-year scholarships.

Deadline March 1, 2022

Education Grants

PFSA members that are enrolled at an accredited University, College or Vocational/Trade School Program

For More Information call

1.866.687.7372

or

visit our website at

www.mypfsa.org





Welcome
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to the PFSA
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Thank you for all you do Karen Mello Jensen

More to come about this amazing charity

Kruisers for Kids



PFSA Council Challenges



Please email photos, event date council city and number to sandra.crivello@mypfsa.org

Don't forget to post and tag us on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter



In Memoriam

Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day. Unseen, unheard but always near, still loved, still missed.

COUNCIL	NAME	
12- Oakland	Tony D. Vargas	
12- Oakland	Lucille D. Perry	
13- Tracy	Alexander August	
17- Fremont	Vermilda Sylva	
23- Antioch	Joseph C. Fraga	
44- San Jose	Felicitas Hortencia Nieto	
76- Artesia	Antonio Coelho	
118- Elk Grove	Manuel A. Medeiros	
138- Stratford	Melvin C. Cotta	
138- Stratford	Maria D. Aurora	
138- Stratford	Ralph Perry	



Protection • Fraternalism • Sociability • Assistance

PFSA offers financial services to protect members an their families and provides cultural, social, educational and charitable activities

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Visit our Home Office, PFSA Museum and J.A. Freitas Library

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