



# GURE CLUB'EKO BERRIAK



May 2015

Club Website: [www.utah-basque.com](http://www.utah-basque.com)

Twitter: @UTBasqueClub

## Next Basque Club Meeting

Date: Friday, May 29, 2015

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Mary & Jean's home  
449 Shamrock Drive  
Murray, Utah

Topics: Report on the Living Traditions Festival, the summer picnic and the dancers.

Bring your favorite snack and plan to attend!



## Upcoming Events

June 4 ..... National Cheese Day

June 14 ..... Flag Day

June 18 ..... Ramadan Begins

June 21 ..... Father's Day

June 21 ..... Summer Solstice

June 28 ..... Club Picnic

July 4 ..... Independence Day

July 24 ..... Utah Pioneer Day

July 28 - August 2 ..... Jaialdi

August 7 ..... Cross Quarter Day (Lughnasadh)

September 7 ..... Labor Day

September 25 ..... Club Meeting

## Living Traditions Festival

For the thirtieth year, the Basque Club of Utah participated in the Living Traditions Festival in downtown Salt Lake City at Washington Square. The weather was cool and it rained heavily on Saturday but Sunday turned out to be a nice day. Everyone loved the Churros, Chorizos and Ham Croquetas. We did a brisk business when it wasn't raining.

Our club was also featured on the program.



Thank you to all who helped to make the dough and croquetas, to load and unload the trailer, set up, serve and cook and to all who came and cleaned up after.

Special thank you to Rhonda Spivey and Catherine Barajas for all of there efforts on behalf of the club.

The dancers gave an outstanding performance on Sunday. They are wonderful representatives of our club.

Look for pictures in this newsletter. Thanks, again.

## Club Picnic is June 28

The annual club picnic will be held on June 28. It will be held at Union Park in Midvale. Mass will start at noon.

Look, in the mail, for a flyer with more information on the picnic.



## Club Holds Annual Mus Tournament

The Basque Club of Utah recently held its annual Mus tournament.

The first place winners were Marcel Gaztambide and Dan Aguerre.



The second place winners were Sean and Phil Archibeque.



The club will be represented at the National Mus Tournament in Homedale, Idaho by Daniel and Marcel. Good Luck!

## Follow the Club on Twitter

Have a Twitter Account? Be sure to follow the club's twitter account @UTBasqueClub. This account has the latest updates on the club and all things Basque.

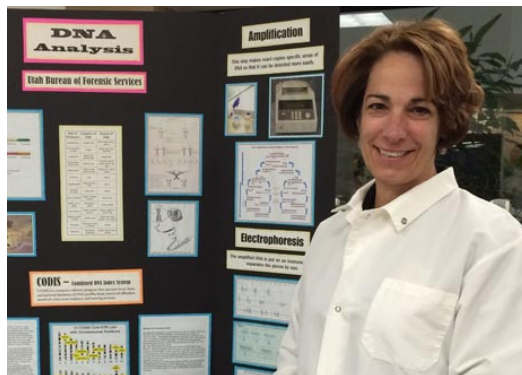


Don't have an account? Use the web page.

[www.twitter.com/utbasqueclub](http://www.twitter.com/utbasqueclub)

## Member featured euskalkultura.com

Basque Club of Utah member, Pilar Sangroniz Shortsleeve, was recently featured in an article on euskalkultura.com . The article was titled: Pilar Sangroniz Shortsleeve, Forensic Scientist: "We try to find DNA and fingerprints but we aren't policemen."



In the article, Pilar discusses her daily work as a criminalist Chief Scientist at the Utah Bureau of Forensic Services located in Salt Lake City. Read the rest of the article here:

<http://bit.ly/1K94n17>

euskalkultura.com consists of a bulletin and webpage that specializes in Basques, Basque clubs and Basque culture outside the geographical limits of Euskal Herria. It was created to serve the Basques in the Diaspora, as well as the greater Basque world, in order to aid the recognition of Basque contribution from "the outside" pertaining to the larger global Basque community.

## Croquetas for Sale

We have quite a few of our delicious croquetas left over from the Living Traditions Festival. If anyone wants to buy some please contact Catherine Barajas at 801-244-2508 or [cbarajas5@msn.com](mailto:cbarajas5@msn.com).

They are frozen and uncooked and come in bags of 30 for \$20. Just thaw them, deep fry them for about 5 minutes and they're ready to enjoy!

# NEWS

## **Congratulations to:**

- **Jordan Hulet**, who graduated from the University of Utah.
- **Madeleine Gaztambide**, on her 8th grade graduation.
- **Phil and Jennifer Archibeque**, on their recent marriage.
- **Cristina Sangroniz and Curtis Padjen**, on their recent marriage.
- **Marcel Gaztambide**, who graduated from the University of Utah.
- **Stephanie Archibeque and Whit Taylor**, who are expecting their first child.
- **Adrian Berriochoa and Kaitlyn Woolf**, who will be married on May 30th.

## **Get Well to:**

- **Mary Gaztambide**, who was diagnosed with a brain tumor and is currently at IMC
- **Asun Castanon**, who is recovering from hip replacement surgery.

## **Welcome Home to:**

- **Bryan Osoro**, who returned from Nepal.

## **Good Luck to:**

- **Amanda Maxfield**. on her summer mission program to Panama.
- **Daniel Aguerre and Marcel Gaztambide**, who will be representing our club at the NABO Mus finals in Homedale, ID.

## **Special Thanks to:**

- **All the volunteers**, who helped at the Living Traditions Festival.

## **Dancer Update**

Our Basque Club of Utah dancers, Utah'ko Triskalariak, performed at the Living Traditions Festival. It was an outstanding performance and the crowd loved them!



The dancers continue to practice. They will be dancing in Winnemucca, Gooding and at Jaialdi in Boise, this summer.

The dancers have their own email address: [utahbasquedancers@gmail.com](mailto:utahbasquedancers@gmail.com)

Thanks for representing our club!

## **Member Featured in Basque Youth Spotlight**

Every month the blog, Hella Basque, features interviews with remarkable young Basque Americans as part of its Basque Youth Spotlight series. The site is edited by Anne Marie Chiramberro.

Recently, Anne Marie did an interview with Basque Club of Utah member Cirbie Sangroniz. Here is a link to the interview:

<http://hellabasque.com/utah-basque-dance/>

Congratulations, Cirbie.



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