

Mothers Day Review

It was a day that everyone who managed to get a reservation were all looking forward to. TEGSA hosted the Mother's Day event on Friday, May 11th 2018. The event was sold out with 200 members in attendance.

Each event seems to get better and better. On this occasion the men on the committee were the main facilitators for the evening. They did their best to give the mothers a relaxing evening apart from all the other men who were in attendance.

The evening began with Austin Pinto the Vice President giving an opening speech, reminding and enlightening us on the history and importance of this day. He encouraged everyone to spend the evening honouring these extraordinary women giving them the admiration they so much deserved. He wrapped up his speech with a Joke that put everyone in the mood to enjoy all that followed.

Bel Remedios said the grace before meals and the committee had two men on each side of the hall escorting the mothers from their tables to get a serving of Chicken Biryani, veal karahi, chicken tandoori, garden salad and naan, with rasmalai as dessert. The dinner was served by the men on the committee, smiling and serving each one with such hospitality.

Once everyone had enjoyed their meal, the celebration continued with Godfrey Cunningham who was the master of ceremonies for the evening, paying a tribute to mothers by reciting a poem. He had everyone reflecting on the words that brought about a sense of realization in the minds and hearts of all present, as to how much we owe it to our mothers.

Hubert Nazareth played his guitar singing a few beautiful songs that related to our mothers with a couple of men singing along as well. Godfrey then went on to conduct a march for all mothers to the tune of music played by D.J. Francis Dias, which was the highlight of the evening. Each mother received a hand crafted rose with a butterfly and danced and marched around guided by Godfrey in the lead. The evening continued to rock with everyone enjoying the music, dancing and mingling as well. Pompeii led the mothers in the dance to the tune of Cha Cha Slide and Y.M.C.A. The evening would not be complete without an action packed session of the popular line dances as well. It was soon time to play Bingo and end the evening with an event that left everyone happy, content and satisfied.

As members we all have to thank the wonderful committee for the splendid job they continue to do each time. The time, effort and love they put into all that it takes to make such events an enjoyable experience. On behalf of all the members of TEGSA we thank the committee for their efforts and love we so truly appreciate and are grateful for. May God bless the committee and their families for the good work they do.

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