

FRANCO'S NORMA JEAN'S B.B.Q.

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Franco's Norma Jean's will celebrate its 7-year Anniversary with a party at 8:00 p.m. on September 4th. Owner and operator, Ernie Sanchez, said a show and food will be a part of the festivities and that no cover will be charged. His bar, restaurant and disco is located in Castroville on Merritt Street.

Franco's will hold their Halloween Party on October 31st at 8:00 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to the best-costumed participants. First prize is \$100.00, second prize is \$50.00, and third prize is dinner for two.

Franco's Norma Jean's 4th annual BBQ fundraiser at Toro Park on Sunday, July 3rd raised over \$800.00. Ernie likes to produce this benefit because it creates a good mix-

ture of cultures. People of all cultures come together to help raise money in the fight against the spread of HIV/AIDS. The money will be used to buy condoms which will be given out at Franco's.

Franco's still sponsors Lesbian night every Friday, and Country and Western night on Sundays. Franco's also caters to Gay weddings or parties. They can host the party at Franco's or bring the food to your location. Information about any events can be directed to 633-2090 after 1:00 p.m.



"Ernie Sanchez at the 4th annual BBQ fundraiser."

Photo: B. Carlson and M. Friday



"The BBQ fundraiser was well attended."

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LESBIAN/
FORCE

FRANCO RESTAURANT

Norma Jean's Bar

Ernesto Bernal Sanchez

Lesbian Night - 2nd, 3rd, & 4th Fri of each month

Drag Show - Every Sat

Country Western - Every Sun, free dance lessons at 8 p.m.

Gay & Lesbian weddings

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