

October 1, 2021

Dear Branch Presidents:

Greetings to all of you! I hope that those of you who were able to join us at our Convention in Santa Clara enjoyed the experience and the camaraderie of being together as members of the Federation. Now, it's time to focus on selling our calendars.

This fundraiser enables us to fund many of our programs. These calendars are great gifts, great raffle prizes and offer our children's artwork to coincide with the theme "The Year of Hope" as well as an opportunity to win money. Please keep this in mind with the Holidays coming up.

We hope that you will appoint a Chairperson to handle the calendars and make sure to reach out to your members and friends and let them know that this can be an important fundraiser for our Branches and the I.C.F. as an organization. If you are unable to sell them, please mention this to your District Presidents to see if other Branches in your District are in need of calendars. If they are not, they can be returned to the I.C.F. Office. We try to do an accounting of all of the calendars allotted and we can use them for additional requests if Branches ask for more.

Please follow the procedure in place for the calendars sold and return the stubs and money by January 31, 2022.

We appreciate your continued support. Please know your loyalty means a great deal to the success of our programs. If you have any questions, please call the I.C.F. office at (510) 633-9058.

Many thanks, molto grazie.

Ways and Means Committee

Robert Basuino, Chairperson