



Last Sunday we celebrated Euskaraldia as part of our “Euskal Brunch,” in San Francisco. ‘Euskaraldia’ is an initiative of the Etxepare Basque institute to promote the use of Euskara. This project’s goal is to get more people speaking Euskera, and will take place mainly in the Basque Country in December. Anyone who speaks Basque will identify himself or herself as such, and the people who interact with them will know that they can talk to them is Basque.

In San Francisco, as in other parts of the world, we wanted to give support to this project. We are aware that still today only very few people speak Basque in the world, just around 700,000, making it so important to keep it alive everywhere there is a Basque community. We can achieve that by trying to use it with our friends and family, teaching it to our kids, and creating Basque language schools in our clubs.

To celebrate Euskaraldia we got together for brunch, as we do every few months, so we can chat in Basque as we socialize. Afterwards, we went to Chrissy Fields, near the Golden Gate Bridge, and took a group picture. We invite every Basque speaking person in America to do the same!

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