



IAC News

Italian American Club of Mahopac

March 2016

President's Message

Dear members, family and friends, I hope you all had a "Buona Pasqua" and I like to wish everyone a Happy Spring! This is our first newsletter of 2016 and as you can see it has a different look. Continuing our efforts started in 2015, we have completed many improvements and updates to the club's infrastructure from a brand new kitchen to a brand new website. The redesign of this newsletter is just another step in our multi-year plan to revitalize our club.

Every year the Italian American Club chooses a Charity to sponsor. I'm happy to inform you that the IAC has chosen **Drug Crisis in Our Backyard** as the Charity to sponsor in 2016. This organization fights addiction through awareness and educational programs and we look forward to our fundraising activities to support their cause. Please participate at these events!

Giulio Cefaloni

What's been happening

This year we hit the ground running with so many events:

Jan 30 – Installation of Officers and Workers Dinner. Congratulations to all the new Officers and members of the Board of Directors. Thank you to Linda and Giulio Cefaloni & team of volunteers for organizing the event.

Feb 6 – Poker Tournament. Thank you Frank Giordano, Tom Phelan & team.

Feb 7 – Super Bowl Party. Thank you Linda and Giulio Cefaloni and team.

Feb 28 – Putnam's Got Talent Show and Competition. Congratulations to Amara Valerio, Amanda Eppolito and Emma Lubbers, for winning 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Thank you to all the talented contestants for participating and to Nick Scafidi & team for organizing this new event for the IAC.



March 12 – Poker Tournament. Our second fun and friendly game of poker this year for card playing enthusiasts. Thank you Frank Giordano, Tom Phelan & team.

March 13 – Home Made Wine Tasting & Competition.

Congratulations to Alfonso Santaniello for winning 1st Place & Ladies Choice, Michael Mascara for 2nd Place, and Maria Crecco for 3rd place.



March 18 – San Giuseppe Mass at St. John's The Evangelist Church. Thanks Linda & Giulio Cefaloni & Team.



Italian Language & Colture Classes. Very successful program. Most likely we will offer classes again in the Summer.



Dates To Remember

- ✓ **April 15 – Scholarship Applications** due. Call Giulio Cefaloni on (845) 745-2655. **LAST DAY!!!**
- ✓ **Friday, April 22, 7:00 PM – Painting Party**
– At Club – Check our website or call Giulio Cefaloni (845) 745-2655
- ✓ **Friday, April 29, 7:30 PM – Estate Planning Seminar** – At Club - Call Giulio Cefaloni (845) 745-2655.
- ✓ **Saturday, April 30, 7:00 PM – Poker Tournament** - Call F. Giordano (914)400-6751 or Tom Phelan (845) 628-5909
- ✓ **Sunday, May 1 at 9:00 AM – At Club – Spring Expo** – Call Nick Scafidi on (914) 843-2153
- ✓ **Saturday, May 14 at 7:00 PM – Poker Tournament** - Call F. Giordano (914) 400-6751 or Tom Phelan (845) 628-5909
- ✓ **Monday, May 30 – Memorial Day Parade** - Call Giulio Cefaloni (845) 745-2655.
- ✓ **Friday, June 3 at 7:00 PM – At Club – Columbus Pageant** - Check our website or call Giulio Cefaloni (845) 745-2655.
- ✓ **Saturday, June 4 – at Mahopac HS – RELAY FOR LIFE!!!! COME ON OUT AND SUPPORT US!!!**
- ✓ **Friday, June 10 at 7:00 PM – At St. John's The Evangelist Church – St. Anthony & St. Pio Mass** - Call Linda or Giulio Cefaloni (845) 745-2655.

Members Corner

- **April 15 – The 2016 Dues** are due to Joe Coretti-(845) 628-0045. **LAST DAY!!!**
- **May – BOCCE TOURNAMENT BEGINS- Get Ready!**
- **Wednesday, May 4 at 7:00 PM at General Meeting – Mother's Day BBQ – Come!!!**
- **Wednesday, June 1 at 7:00 PM at General Meeting – Father's Day Party – Come!!!**
- **Sunday, June 18 – Dedication of the St. John's Church Prayer Garden - To which we contributed. All Welcome.**
- **Call Linda Cefaloni to update your membership info.- (845)628-1641**

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