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ITALIAN AMERICAN CLUB of JACKSONVILLE



President's Message

Dear Members,

Hello to all and I hope this finds each and everyone of you in good health!

Things are still a little bit crazy around the club. We are still having our General Meetings and still doing Spaghetti To Go. Last month we sold out in about 80 minutes! People have been coming in droves! And they are not ordering just one or two meals, they are ordering 5, 6, 7 and 8 at a time! We ran out of meatballs and bread! But this time we're making 70lbs of meatballs. Let us see how that works out. Thank you to all those who have volunteered and made this event such a success.

As I mentioned last newsletter, we had to cancel our Halloween party and Festa but we will still do our Christmas Party. It will have to be handled a little differently. You will be welcome to sit inside or you can get your meal to go. It will be buffet style. As far as Pot of Gold tickets, we will sell 50/50 tickets for \$10.00 each. The tickets will be big enough to write your name and phone number on them. That way if you have to leave we can still contact you if you win. There will be more about that later on.

Our New Year's Eve party is still a go. We will start selling tickets for that at our General Meeting this month. Tickets are selling for \$35.00, the same as last year and we will have the same DJ as last year too! More information will be coming regarding that as well. Just remember if you want to attend the New Year's Eve party, get your tickets early!

Fund raising for Wreaths Across American will begin in October. Steve Verrini will be in charge of this fund raiser, so if you have any questions you can contact him. There will be a jar for donations at the bar.

Right before the newsletter was being distributed, Governor Ron DeSantis lifted restrictions and moved Florida into Phase 3 of reopening. While this is a positive for our upcoming events, remember that decisions for some events had to be made under different circumstances and also, things may shift depending on the results of entering Phase 3. Masks and social distancing are still recommended. Our members should do what makes them feel comfortable and safe.

Hopefully very soon we will be able to get back to normal. Don't forget to support your club as volunteers when we have Spaghetti To Go and our General Meetings.

Look forward to seeing you all on October 18th when we celebrate Octoberfest. Anne Stepp and Elizabeth Dore will be bringing us a great authentic German meal.

Ciao to all,

Melanie

OFFICERS

Melanie Matrascia
President
Vinny Zammataro
Vice President
Mike Matrascia
Treasurer
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MaryAnn Wetzel
Secretary
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Ann Clemente
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Joe Farina
Anne Stepp
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BIRTHDAYS
BUON COMPLEANNO!
October

Brian Fossa	6
Susan Fiorentino	10
Matt Fiorentino	15
Joey Gutierrez	16
Barbara Harrington	16
Wayne Oberti	20
Lucy Santos	21
Toni Bilello	24
Ray Register	26
Rose Ilardi	28



Spaghetti to Go!
Friday October 30th, 2020
5:00pm - 7:00pm:

Stop by the Italian American Club
on your way home from work
and grab some dinner for the family!

Pasta, 2 meatballs and bread!
Mangia for \$8 a Plate!

2838 Westberry Road,
Jacksonville, FL 32223



ANNIVERSARIES
FELICE ANNIVERSARIO!
October

Keith & Dina Kessler	2
Ray & Debra Register	10
Sal & De Santapola	10
Salvatore & Renee Dilorio	17
George & Maria Nicholson	18
Dom & Donna Addeo	24

Volunteer!



Have YOU Volunteered?
Get Involved!

Cooking, Serving, Cleaning,
Check in, Yard Work, Spaghetti to Go, Newsletter Con-
tribution, Set Up, Club Sitting and much more.

This is YOUR Club!!

Welcome New Members!



Darlene Verderane



Mario & Lucy Cortese

Pete Carroll



**Our thanks to
Precision Cuts Tree Specialists
for the excellent service
provided to our club!**

Thank you to Dolce's Pizza for providing delicious pizza for our August Bingo night!
For their full menu visit their website!
<http://dolcespizzajax.com/>



**THE ITALIAN AMERICAN CLUB PHONE NUMBER IS
(904) 586-2700**

October 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 Club Rented
4	5	6	7 Board Meeting 6:30 PM	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18 General Mtg 1:00 PM	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 Spaghetti to Go 5:00 PM	31



General Meeting/Dinner

Sunday, October 18th @ 1:00 PM.

MENU:

Pork Schnitzel with Mushroom Sauce, Spaetzle,
Red Cabbage, Cucumber Dill Salad,
Apple Cinnamon Bundt Cake

HOST:

Anne Stepp & Elizabeth Dore



DONATIONS:

Members: \$15.00 * Guests: \$17.00 * Children 8-17: \$8.00

* Under 8: Free



Please RSVP **no later than Noon, Wednesday, October 14th, 2020**

using **Evite** OR rsvp@iacofjacksonville.com OR call the Club at **904-586-2700**

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Board Meeting
Wednesday October 7th, 6:30 PM



General Meeting/Dinner
Sunday, October 18th @ 1:00 PM

Happy Halloween

