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AMICI ITALIAN-AMERICAN BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION OF MONMOUTH COUNTY

Established in 2012, the Amici Italian-American Benevolent Association of Monmouth County is an organization of families, friends, and acquaintances committed to promoting the Italian-American culture, while dedicating their efforts to helping those in need. Charitable events and fundraisers are organized to provide assistance and foster community involvement. The association also awards scholarships each year for the advancement of educational excellence. Their goal is to help those in need while encouraging Italian-Americans to gather together, socialize, share personal experiences, and have fun. Club activities include bowling, mini-golf, Day at the Races, meetings, picnics, dinner dances, Casino Night, and more. One of the members researches interesting Italian facts and games, and another member teaches Italian to the children and grandchildren of other members. Recent charitable programs have included holding a car raffle to benefit a young boy with a rare form of cancer, collecting dental items for U.S. Marines serving in Afghanistan, donating proceeds from a dinner dance to aid a family with a sick child, purchasing Christmas gifts for a family whose home was destroyed by fire, providing a Thanksgiving dinner and Christmas gifts to a young war hero, who was injured in Iraq while he was on duty for our country, and more.

New members are welcome. The group meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Woman's Club, 164 Broad Street in Red Bank. To learn more, visit the website at www.amicinj.org, email info@amicinj.org, or look on Facebook for Amici Italian American Benevolent Association.