



Wilmington Sons of Italy
Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli Lodge

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September 2018 Newsletter

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**September 27, 2018 meeting - Dinner will be Chinese Food for \$5.00!
Please bring dessert!**

2018 Monthly Meetings - Fourth Thursday of the month (*unless otherwise noted*). Dinner is at 6:30 pm. Meeting is at 7:30 pm.

Location - St. Thomas' Villanova Hall

09/27/18 10/25/18 11/15/18(3rd Thursday) 12/27/18

Council Meetings - Every 2nd Thursday of the month at **7:00 pm**

Location - 4th of July Building (unless otherwise noted)

(Wed)10/10/18 - 6:30 Library(new) (Wed)11/07/18 6:30 pm (new) 12/13/18

Social Events

09/28/18 - **Wilmington SOI** Italian Heritage Golf Tournament (flier attached)

10/07/18 - Columbus Day Parade in East Boston

10/18 - Italian Heritage Month Events at Wilmington Library (calendar attached)

10/14/18 - Free Italian American Musical Extravaganza (flier attached)

10/21/18 - **Wilmington SOI** Memorial Mass

10/26/18 - *Grand Lodge* Halloween Costume Party (flier attached)

11/04/18 - **Wilmington SOI** Blood Drive

11/18/18 - *Grand Lodge* Meat Raffle (flier attached)

01/2018 - *Grand Lodge* Calendar Raffle

Donation request should be made using the form on the web site so that we have all the necessary information. Just click on donation request forms on the first page at <http://www.wilmingtonsoi.org>

September Events

Wilmington Summer Bocce End of Year Tournament - The Wilmington Sons of Italy End of year Tournament to crown a League Champion will be held on Saturday, September 22nd beginning at 9:30am at Jack Cushing's House on Middlesex Ave in Wilmington. **Contact Sue Connors 978-447-1343 or e-mail smc19thhole@comcast.net.**



Italian Heritage Month Kick-off event - On Saturday, **September 22rd** at the Watertown Sons of Italy - 520 Pleasant St - Watertown, MA. Dinner at 7:30. The cost is \$60.00 pp. Contact Kevin (978-657-7734). Our lodge will pay $\frac{1}{2}$ this cost.

Wilmington Sons of Italy Bowling - The Sons of Italy candlepin bowling league plays on Sunday, September 9, 2018 at the Woburn Bowladrome on Montvale Ave on Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm and the cost is \$18.00 per week. There are still openings so if **you would like to play**, please contact Lynne Martell Lynne_martell@comcast.net (978-694-1632) or Betty Aprile (978-658-9643) or bapr54@comcast.net.



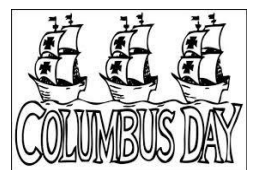
9th Annual Italian Heritage Golf Classic - will be held on **Friday, September 28, 2018** at **Merrimack Valley Golf Club** - 210 Howe St. **Methuen, MA 01844**. Registration at 7:30 am. Tee Time: 8:30 am. Shotgun Start and Scramble format. Cost is \$125.00 pp. for Continental Breakfast, sandwich at the turn, green fees, golf cart, gift, buffet lunch and prizes! Special prize for top team representing SOI lodges. Prizes for 1st place, 2nd place and 3rd place. Looking for people, families, companies, etc. to sponsor a hole (\$100.00) or a golf cart (\$50.00). Also, **scratch tickets, a bottle of cheer or monetary donations for scratch tickets for the raffles would be greatly appreciated. Help at the event is also needed.** **Contact Kevin Caira (978-657-7734).** Proceeds to benefit Italian Heritage Scholarship Fund, Cooley's Anemia Foundation and Alzheimer's Association. (see attached flier).



October Events

Italian Heritage Month Activities - will be held all month in October at the Wilmington Memorial Library. A calendar of October Events is on the last page.

Columbus Day Parade - will be held Sunday, October 7th in East Boston. Our lodge will have a trolley. It will leave the Town Common parking lot at 11:00 am. Be there by 10:45. Sign up in the book if you would like to ride the trolley. Sandwiches will be provided.



Grand Lodge Columbus Day Essay and Drawing Contest - As part of "October is Italian Heritage Month" and the celebration of Columbus Day honoring Christopher Columbus, the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts is sponsoring and **essay contest** for students in **Grades 5 through 8 and Grades 9 through 12**. The essay should be a positive tribute to "Cristoforo Colombo," the man whose discovery changed the history of the world, and his contributions to us. Prizes in two age groups will be \$50 - 1st; \$25 - 2nd; \$15 - 3rd. The essay should be typewritten and no more than 500 words. Submissions must be made **electronically** to: pguida@osiama.org and received by October 1, 2018. Children in **Grades K through 4** may enter the **drawing contest**. The drawing should reflect a positive image of "Cristoforo Colombo," his fleet of ships and/or his contributions to the "New World." Prizes will be \$50 - 1st; \$25 - 2nd; \$15 - 3rd. Mail to Grand Lodge of MA - 93 Concord Ave - Belmont, MA 02478. Winners will also ride through East Boston in the Columbus Day Parade on Sunday, October 7th.

Free Italian American Musical Extravaganza - Sunday, October 14, 2108 at 4 PM at the Quincy High School Auditorium - 100 Coddington St, Quincy, MA 02169. Featuring music by Tom Lamark Orchestra, Violin Virtuoso, Pei-Wen Liao, NEMPAC Singers, Greet Magic and Ray Cavicchio with Sharon Z. For tickets contact Marjorie Cahn - 617-285-6564 or djsaluti@aol.com. (Flyer attached)



Wilmington SOI Memorial Mass - will be held on Sunday, October 21st at 10:30 am at St. Dorothy's Church on Main Street in Wilmington.

Grand Lodge Halloween Costume Party - will be held on Friday, October 26, 2018 at the Watertown SOI - 520 Pleasant St - Watertown, MA. \$35.00 pp includes dinner - St. Louis ribs, jerk chicken, pulled pork, brisket and sides - DJ & costume prizes. For tickets - shop.osiama.org. Our lodge will pay ½ this cost. Sign up in the book.



November Events

Wilmington Sons of Italy Blood Drive - The Red Cross will run a blood drive on **Sunday, November 4, 2018** at St. Thomas' Villanova Hall from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. It is open to everyone so please invite your family and friends. Volunteers are needed to bake cookies. Greeters and people to register participants are also needed. Please sign up at the meeting. Contact Julie at sbracciamanos@comcast.net.



Grand Lodge Meat Raffle - will be held on Sunday, November 18, 2018 beginning at 1:30 pm at the Watertown Sons of Italy - 520 Pleasant St - Watertown, MA. Proceeds to benefit Cooley's Anemia. Flyer attached.

Sunshine - Report sunshine information to Joan Foresteire (978-658-6284)

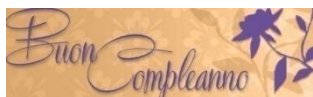


We send our prayers and *Get Well Wishes* Linda Fasulo, Mary Kiesinger, Lennie Malvone, Brian Caira and Irene Keating..



We send our condolences to Bob Fino and his family on the death of his daughter, Christalle.

Congratulations to Sara-Jean Caira on her Wedding!



We send our best wishes to our members with September birthdays and anniversaries!!

******* Note from the Recording Secretary** - Please **remember** to send e-mail or address changes to Lynne_martell@comcast.net or call me (978-694-1632) with any address changes if you do not have e-mail.

**Celebrate Italian American Heritage Month
at the Wilmington Memorial Library**

October 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Book Club Essentials of Classic Italian Cooking, Marcella Hazen 12pm	3	4 Steven Puleo, The Boston Italians 7pm	5	6
7 Columbus Day Parade 11:00am	8 <u>Columbus Day</u>	9 Chef Liz Barber, Italian Cooking 7pm	10 Council Meeting – Library 6:30pm	11 Dr. James Pasto - Boston’s North End 7pm	12	13 Cemetery Stroll 10am
14 Free Italian American Concert @ Quincy High School 4pm	15	16	17	18 Mel Simons, Strictly Sinatra 2:30pm Book Club Elizabeth St, Laurie Fabiano 7pm	19	20 Jenny Tonks, Italian genealogy workshop 2:30pm
21 Wilmington Sons of Italy Memorial Mass St. Dorothy’s Church 10:30am	22	23	24 Book Club My Brilliant Friend, Elena Ferrante 10am	Wilmington Sons of Italy monthly meeting 6:30pm	26 After Hours concert, The Boston Opera Guy 7pm	27
28	29	30	31 <u>Halloween</u>			

For the After- Hours Concert, 30 tickets have been reserved for Sons of Italy members. Contact Michele 978-658-8284. You can register for any of these events at

https://wilmlibrary.org/events/calendar_of_events/