

North Haven Sons & Daughters of Italy Lodge #2805
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NORTH HAVEN SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF ITALY LODGE # 2805

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

**** NEXT MEETING OCT 2****



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LODGE CALENDER

Oct 8 – Columbus Day
Oct- 28 Fashion Show
Nov 4 Columbus Luncheon
Dec 9 – Kids Christmas Party
Dec 15- Sat- Lodge Christmas party
Jan 11 2019 Happy Anniversary
Jan 12 2019 Sat – 15 year Lodge
Anniversary Party



The North Haven Sons &
Daughters of Italy, Lodge 2805
Presents
Our 7th Fall Fashion Show
and Luncheon
Sunday, October 28, 2018
12 Noon to 4 PM

Presented at
Il Monticello
577 So. Broad Street
Meriden, CT

Reserve your
table now!

Ticket Price \$40.00 Cash Bar

- Enjoy viewing the colorful fashions for the Fall and Holiday collection of clothing, jewelry and accessories by
- Carol's Creations
- of North Haven, CT



Please contact Regina, Committee Chairperson, at
203-376-8524 for more information and tickets or visit
our website to view pictures of previous years

www.northhavenlodge2805.club .

Grand Lodge Columbus Luncheon

At Il Monticello

Sunday Nov 4 2018

12 pm Hot and Cold hors d'oeuvre

followed by Lunch

Antipasto, Salad, Pasta, Chicken, Potatoes Vegetable Coffee and
Dessert.

Wine and Soda at bar included

\$40.00 per person

Honoring

Lodge Meritorious Member

Mark DeFranco

and Good Citizen Recipient

Sue Velleca

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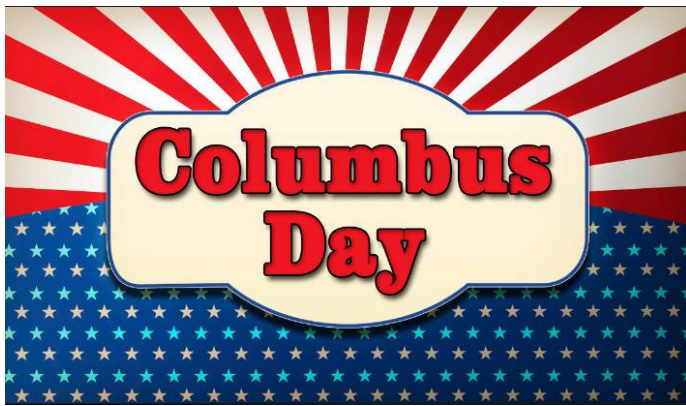
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Friday PM Domino's Girls

Anne/Ann Marie/Angie

Camille /Carol /Marie

Melinda/Nancy/Peachy



**Columbus Day is
Monday,
October 8, 2018**

This statue of Christopher Columbus, dedicated by Italian-American residents in New Haven, Conn., was erected in 1892 in Wooster Square Park. In 2004, restoration of the statue was partially funded by the Knights of Columbus



A RENEWED DEFENSE

According to Royal, arguments against Columbus by modern critics often constitute a “new, contemporary form of the ‘Black Legend’” — anti-Spanish propaganda dating back to the 16th-century that stereotypes Spanish explorers as uniquely cruel and abusive.

Once the target of anti-Catholic sentiment, Columbus is often slandered by those who misrepresent his legacy

Driven in large part by political correctness and partisan academics and activists, it has become fashionable in recent years to criticize Christopher Columbus and the holiday named in his honor. A closer look, however, reveals the famed explorer to be a man of faith and courage, not a monster.

Many of Columbus' modern critics rely on a warped and politicized reading of history, and it is not the first time the explorer has endured such attacks. When a resurgence of anti-Catholic bigotry erupted in early 20th-century America, Columbus was a favorite target then as well.

Despite animus among some groups today, the majority of Americans view the explorer positively and with pride. In a K of C-Marist poll from December 2016, 62 percent of Americans expressed a favorable opinion of the explorer and 55 percent said they were in favor of Columbus Day, the holiday named for him. By contrast, fewer than 3 in 10 view Columbus unfavorably and only 37 percent oppose the holiday named for him.

Nonetheless, there have been political efforts to strip Columbus of honor, and the question of whether to continue to recognize Columbus Day is under review in many places. Some states and municipalities have removed the explorer's name from the holiday or eliminated the observance entirely.



An 1846 painting depicts Christopher Columbus and members of his crew on a beach in the West Indies after arriving on his flagship Santa Maria Oct. 12, 1492. The work was commissioned by the U.S. Congress and installed in the Capitol Rotunda in 1847. Landing of Columbus, 1846, by John Vanderlyn