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Presidents Message

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I start this months letter with thanks to Br. Tony Ceriello nominating committee chairperson and his nominating committee Brothers Michael Carrera, Lee Cerullo, Angelo Grande, Tony Sclafani and Sister Kathryn Grande for their work on the lodges 2008-2009 slate of officers. The 2008 2009 slate of officers will be installed at our March 5th general membership meeting.

I again want to take a moment to thank Br. Terry Tanzer for his work on the lodges website. Past and current issues of LaVoce can be found on the website and I encourage you to visit our informative website at www.loggiaglen Cove.org.

The 2008 Grant Application Form and 2008 New York Grand Lodge Foundation Scholarship Applications have been enclosed these past two months. These completed applications must be returned no later than March 31st to Scholarship Chairperson Br. Angelo Grande.

Monday night at the lodge has taken on a new wrinkle. BOCCE! The ladies have started teams and plan on having a Bocce Party March 30th at the lodge \$10.00 p.p. contact Sisters Nina Trolio or Ann Anderson. I stopped by to watch, guys, they have some pretty good players. As a footnote to bocce, plans are underway to replace the carpet on the court as we have had water damage and wear to the court.

On Tuesday February 12th OSIA's Annual Cooley's Anemia Dine A Round will be held at Verdi's of

Westbury. The affair will start at 7pm. \$45.00 per person. If you wish to attend see Br. Mike Santoro for reservations.

As always I look forward to seeing you at our February 6th Membership meeting.

Sempre Avanti,

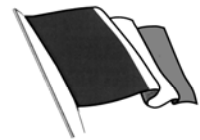
Jim McAleer, President



OUR COUNTRY



OUR PRIDE



OUR HERITAGE

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Did you know

Some Facts about our Italian-American Congressional Delegation.

~ Currently, 28 men and women of Italian descent are serving in the 108th U.S. Congress: five senators and 23 representatives.

~ Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi (D-Ca.), was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives. The highest post ever held by a woman, and by an Ital-American, in the history of the U.S. Congress.



~ The first Ital-American elected to the U.S. House of Representatives was Francis B. Spinola (D-N.Y.), a Civil War Union general, he served from 1887-1891.

~ The first Ital-American woman in Congress was Ella Grasso (D-Conn.) 1970-1975.

~ John Orlando Pastore (D-R.I.) was the first Ital-American senator (1950-1976). In 1995, Mary Landrieu (D-La.) was the first Ital-American woman ever elected to the Senate.

Presidents Message - Italian Translation

Cari Fratelli e Sorelle,

Comincio questa lettera mensile ringraziando Fr. Tony Ceriello, presidente del nominare commissione e la sua nomina commissione fratelli Michael Carrera, Lee Cerullo, Angelo Grande, Tony Sclafani e Sorella Kathryn Grande per il loro lavoro 2008-2009 ardesia di ufficiali. I nuovi ufficiali saranno installato alla nostra riunione mensile il 5 di Marzo.

Voglio prendere un momento per ringraziare Fr. Terry Tanzer per il suo lavoro sulla web-site. Potete trovare I giornalotti LA VOCE passato e presenti su questa web-site. Vi incoraggio di visitare la nostra web-site a questo indirizzo www.loggiaglencove.org.

Le applicazione per le borse scolastiche per 2008 del New York Grand Lodge sono state rinchiuse nei giornalotti di questi ultimi due mesi.

Ritornate queste applicazione completate prima del 31 di Marzo a presidente Fr. Angelo Grande.

Lunedì la Loggia, ha assunto una nuova ruga. BOCCE! Le signore hanno cominciato le squadre. L'ultima gara del Bocce sarà il 30 di Marzo alla Loggia. La celebrazione costerà \$ 10.00 pp. Chiamate sorelle Nina Trolio o Ann Anderson.

Sono osservati I giocatori, e sono giocatori meravigliosi.

Progettiamo di riparare il tappeto sul corso di bocce che fu rovinato dall'acqua.

Martedì 12 Febbraio OSIA's Annual "Cooley's Anemia Dine A Round" sarà al ristorante Verdi di Westbury. La vicenda comincerà alle 7pm. \$ 45,00 per persona. Se desiderate di frequentare, chiamate Fr. Mike Santoro per le prenotazioni.

Come sempre sono ansioso di vedervi alla nostra riunione mensile il 6 Febbraio.

Sempre Avanti



Jim McAleer, President

February 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5	6 Members Meeting	7	8	9
10	11	12 Cooley's Dinner	13 Officers Meeting	14 Valentines Day	15	16
17	18 Presidents Meeting	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	

Dates to Remember in February

February 6
Members Meeting
Ash Wednesday

February 12
Annual Cooley's
Anemia Dine-A-Round

February 13
Officers Meeting
Lincolns Birthday

February 14
Valentines Day

February 18
Presidents Meeting
Presidents Day

Good and Welfare of the Order

Thank You's:

- ◆ Sr. Grace Stanco, Sr. Rose Pascucci and all Sr.'s and Br.'s who help cook, serve, and clean during and after our meetings and social functions.

Congratulations to:

- ◆ Sr. Antonetta and Br. Tony Sclafani on the engagement of their daughter Diana to Giovanni Cangero son of Br. Domenico and Teresa Cangero.
- ◆ Brothers Rocco Cangero and Carmine Ricciardi on the celebration of their birthdays
- ◆ Sr. Kathryn Grande on celebrating her birthday on Jan 21st.

Condolences:

- ◆ Sr. Lucia and Br. Alberto Morra on the passing of Sr. Lucia's sister Giuseppina Grella.
- ◆ Sr. Grace and Br. Frank Stanco on the passing of Sr. Grace's mother.

Get Well to:

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Latest News and Info

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Sr. Janis Ceriello

All ladies are invited to come down to the Lodge on Monday evenings. It is a social night for the ladies. They play bocce, card games, watch TV and have coffee. More information may be obtained by calling Sr. Janis Ceriello at 671-2388.

HALL RENTAL

Br. Tony Ceriello, Br. Jim McAleer

If you wish to rent the hall you may call Br. Tony Ceriello at 671-2388 or Br. Jim McAleer at 676-7439.

GIFT OF SIGHT

Sr. Nina Trolio and Ann Anderson

Bring used eyeglasses to next meeting.

MEN'S NIGHT OUT

Br. Vito Greto

All men are invited to come down to the Lodge on Friday evenings. They enjoy playing cards, bocce, watching a movie and sometimes they do some cooking. For more information please call Br. Vito Greto at 747-8694.

****REMINDER ABOUT MEMBERSHIP DUES****

See below to complete form and keep your membership current and remain in good standing as a Lodge member.

Making Connections

Single? Widowed? Looking for some good friends from OSIA to pal around with? Do you like to dance? Do you like to eat? Do you like to laugh?

Call "New York OSIA's Singles" and see what they have planned for the upcoming months... You might want to join them! Contact Phyllis Cerullo, Coordinator OSIA singles at 516-759-9527.

Carnevale Celebration

Our Brothers and Sisters at the Cellini Lodge plan a Carnevale Celebration Tuesday evening February 5th at Marcus Christ Hall New Hyde Park. Admission is \$32.00 p.p. and includes hot buffet, music and prizes. Contact Angelina Spero @ 516-746-7140.

Notice for 2008 Membership Dues

We take pride having one of the largest memberships in Sons of Italy and hope that you continue to serve as a member of Loggia Glen Cove #1016. Please send your check payable to: Loggia Glen Cove #1016. Please use the form below to send in your dues. Thank You.

2008 INVOICE

Name _____ **Telephone #** _____

Amount Enclosed _____

Regular Member	\$50
Social Member	\$50
Exempt Member :	
(must be a member for 30 years)	\$25
Students:	\$25
50 year members	\$0

Mail to: Loggia Glen Cove #1016, P.O. Box #347 Glen Cove, NY 11542

ITALIAN LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIP (cont.)

☛ *Submit the following item for item #4 in the list of requirements for general scholarships:*

Submit a current resume outlining extracurricular activities, work experience, volunteer service and honors, especially as they relate to Italian language, culture and heritage.

☛ *Submit the following item for item #6 in the list of requirements for general scholarships:*

Essay: Submit a typewritten original essay of 500-750 words in Italian on why learning Italian is important in today's world and how you plan to use your Italian language degree.

Deadline: Deadline is the same as for general scholarships.

THE JOSEPH L. BRACONE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Established by family and friends of Joseph L. Bracone who served his country in Vietnam, earning a Silver Star and a Purple Heart.

Eligibility: U.S. citizen of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) enrolled in a four-year, accredited academic institution for the Fall 2008 term. Open to all liberal arts majors with preference given to those studying business, finance or pre-law.

Deadline: Deadline is the same as for general scholarships.

SONS OF ITALY FOUNDATION/ AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF ROME SCHOLARSHIP (ONE YEAR OF STUDY ABROAD)

Eligibility: U.S. citizen of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) who will enter their sophomore, junior or senior year of college in fall 2008.

Application & Requirements: AUR application + \$35 fee for those who are not current AUR students. Contact the SIF at 202/547-5106 or scholarships@osia.org.

SONS OF ITALY FOUNDATION/ GEORGE L. GRAZIADIO SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) who are students at the George L. Graziadio School of Business and Management at Pepperdine University in California.

Application & Requirements: Requires special application. Contact the Graziadio School of Business at www.school.pepperdine.edu or 310/568-5500.

SORRENTO LINGUE SCHOLARSHIP

Six months of Italian language and culture study in Sorrento, Italy from January - June 2009.

Eligibility: U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) in their junior or senior year of undergraduate study, or graduate study at an accredited academic institution. Basic knowledge of the Italian language preferred (Sorrento Lingue will accept students whose fluency in Italian ranges from beginner - advanced).

Requirements: Requirements are the same as requirements for general scholarships, with one exception:

☛ *Submit the following item for item #6 in the list of requirements for general scholarships:*

Essay: Submit a typewritten original essay of 500-750 words in Italian on why learning Italian is important in today's world and how you plan to use your Italian language degree.

Deadline: Deadline is the same as for general scholarships.

The 2007 scholarship winners at the 19th Annual National Education and Leadership Awards Gala on May 24, 2007 in Washington, DC.



THE SONS OF ITALY FOUNDATION

The Sons of Italy Foundation (SIF) is the philanthropic arm of the Order Sons of Italy in America (OSIA), the oldest and largest national organization for men and women of Italian descent in the United States.

The SIF is a private grant-making philanthropic institution. Contributions to the SIF are tax deductible under IRS guidelines.

Governed by a board of trustees, the SIF has initiated and supports various programs in education, medical research, cultural preservation, and projects of national and international significance.

The SIF is a member of the Council on Foundations.

NATIONAL EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP AWARDS GALA

Every year, the SIF honors accomplished Italian Americans by establishing and awarding scholarships in their names at a gala event held in Washington, DC. The 20th Annual NEIA Gala will be held on May 22, 2008.

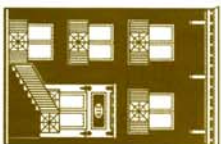
Now a tradition in the nation's capital, the annual NEIA is attended by the United States president, congressional representatives, foreign dignitaries, corporate and non-profit executives, celebrities and leaders from the Italian American community who support the SIF's efforts to promote educational excellence and the preservation of the Italian culture.

Hon. Robert A. Messa, President

Alfred A. Affinito, Chairman

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THE SONS OF ITALY FOUNDATION

2008 NATIONAL LEADERSHIP GRANT COMPETITION

*"We cannot teach people
anything; we can only help
them discover it themselves."*

Galileo Galilei

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP GRANT COMPETITION

Through its Sons of Italy Foundation (SIF) and more than 700 state and local chapters, the Order Sons of Italy in America (OSIA) has awarded nearly \$47 million in scholarships to date.

Each year, the SIF offers 10 to 13 merit-based scholarships, ranging from \$5,000 to \$25,000.

IMPORTANT: Applicants are screened by education professionals. Final selection is made by OSIA's National Education Committee. **Scholarship WINNERS ONLY will be notified by April 12, 2008.** Winners will be officially recognized in May at the SIF's National Education & Leadership Awards (NELA) Gala in Washington, D.C. **Monetary awards are presented directly to students' academic institutions in accordance with eligibility requirements.**

PLEASE NOTE: The SIF takes no responsibility for incomplete applications. Processing fees for incomplete applications will not be refunded. The fee includes a one year National At-Large membership to the Order Sons of Italy in America and a subscription to *Italian America* magazine.

SEND ALL COMPLETE APPLICATIONS TO:

National Leadership Grant Competition
219 E Street, NE
Washington, DC 20002

To expedite processing your application, please mail all materials in one packet and send via certified or express mail.

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program at a four-year, accredited academic institution for the Fall 2008 term. Previous SIF scholarship winners are not eligible.

All recipients of the NELA scholarship must be in a matriculated program of study either on the undergraduate or graduate level.

Requirements:

1. Cover Sheet: Cover sheet should include the following, in this order: Name; Address; Home, Cell & School Phone; and Email. Identify Italian Lineage by surname referencing whether mother or father's family. State your academic level for the Fall 2008 and list the scholarships you are applying for. Also include how you heard about the Sons of Italy scholarship. Send with self-addressed, stamped, standard business-size envelope for acknowledgment.
 2. Official Transcripts: Submit one official transcript from each academic institution attended through December 2007. All transcripts must be stamped by the institution and included in a separate, sealed envelope. You may submit transcripts with entire application package; however, we understand some schools prefer to send them separately.
 - ☛ High school students: transcripts should include class rank, class size and GPA.
 - ☛ Undergraduates: submit high school and undergraduate transcripts.
 - ☛ Graduates: submit undergraduate and graduate transcripts. If your first year as a graduate student is fall 2008, please specify.
 3. Test Scores: Submit copies of official results from all standardized tests (ACT, SAT, GMAT, GRE, LSAT, MCAT) taken during the past five years. Scores reported on official transcripts will usually fulfill this requirement.
 4. Resume: Submit a current resume outlining extracurricular activities, work experience, volunteer service and honors.
 5. Letters of Recommendation: Submit two letters of recommendation from teachers, professors or educational administrators.
 6. Essays: Submit a typewritten original essay of 500-750 words about a personal experience which demonstrated or generated their pride in your Italian heritage.
 7. Processing Fee: A non-refundable \$30 processing fee must accompany each application. **Only money orders will be accepted; no checks or credit cards** under any circumstance. Make money orders payable to the Sons of Italy Foundation. **Any application without the processing fee, or with the processing fee postmarked after the deadline will not be eligible.**
- Deadline:** The scholarship application consists of items 1-7, all required materials must be in one package and postmarked no later than **February 28, 2008**. Transcripts may be mailed separately but must be postmarked by February 28, 2008. Express mail, Federal Express or the equivalent is highly recommended for those sending applications in late February. Applications and required materials postmarked after **February 28, 2008, will not be accepted** under any circumstance.

GLOBAL EXPERIENCES ITALIAN LANGUAGE & INTERNSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

A 10 week program that consists of four weeks of Italian language training and a six week internship in Florence or Milan in one of the following: Internship sectors: Advertising/Marketing, Architecture, Fashion Business, Fashion Design, Fashion Merchandising/Marketing, Fine Arts/Museum, Graphic Design, Interior Design, Photography or Restoration.

Eligibility: U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) in their junior or senior year of undergraduate study for the Fall 2008 term, who have completed at least 2 semesters (or the equivalent) of university Italian language study. Previous SIF scholarship recipients are not eligible.

Requirements: Requirements are the same as requirements for general scholarships, with one exception:

☛ *Substitute the following item for item #6 in the list of requirements for general scholarships:*

Essays: Submit a typewritten original essay of 500-750 on the following topic:
"Italy's smaller contributions to everyday life are so numerous as to go unnoticed. There would be no pistols but for the city of Prato...no millinery but for the city of Milan; no blue jeans but for the city of Genoa. Genoa, where the blue cotton cloth was first produced...no Neapolitan ice-cream, no Roman candles, no Venetian blinds...Italians have discovered America for the Americans; taught poetry, statesmanship, and the arts of trade to the English; military art to the Germans; cuisine to the French; acting and ballet dancing to the Russians; and music to everybody" (Luigi Burgin, The Italians 1964).

How have the contributions of Italy affected your life? How do they directly relate to the internship area in which you are interested?

HENRY SALVATORI SCHOLARSHIP

Established by the late philanthropist and businessman for whom it is named, the Henry Salvatori Scholarship is a grant awarded to a college-bound high school senior who demonstrates exceptional leadership, distinguished scholarship and a deep understanding and respect for the principles upon which our nation was founded—liberty, freedom and equality.

Applicants for this scholarship are automatically eligible for a general SIF scholarship, but need to complete only the requirements for the Henry Salvatori Scholarship.

Eligibility: U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) in their senior year of high school and planning to attend a four-year, accredited academic institution for the Fall 2008 term. Previous SIF scholarship recipients are not eligible.

Requirements: Requirements are the same as requirements for general scholarships, with three exceptions.

☛ *Substitute the following item for item #5 in the list of requirements for general scholarships:*

Letters of Recommendation: Submit two letters of recommendation from public figures whose careers have demonstrated a commitment to the principles the scholarship embodies.

☛ *Substitute the following item for item #6 in the list of requirements for general scholarships:*

Essays: Submit a typewritten original essay of 750-1,000 words on the following topic: *The Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the Bill of Rights* are considered to be living documents by many historical and legal scholars. Discuss the relevance of these documents to the principles of liberty, freedom, and equality in the United States today.

☛ *Complete the following item in addition to all the requirements for the general scholarship:*

Cover Letter: Submit a typewritten cover letter of 150-250 words outlining your academic and professional goals.

Deadline: Deadline is the same as for general scholarships. All requirements must be met, or the application will not be considered for this scholarship.

ITALIAN LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility: U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian American grandparent) in their junior or senior year of undergraduate study for the Fall 2008 term, majoring or minoring in Italian language studies at an accredited academic institution. Previous SIF scholarship recipients are not eligible.

Requirements: Requirements are the same as requirements for general scholarships, with two exceptions:

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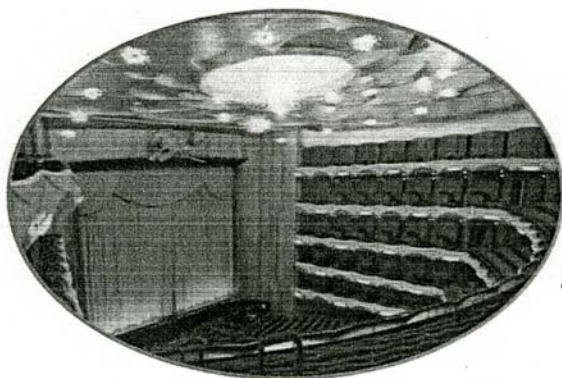
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Please Join District II CSJ

As We Present

A Day at the New York City Opera



\$115.00 per person

Includes round trip

coach bus

transportation,

admission to Tosca and

four-course

dinner in Little Italy at

Casa Bella Restaurant.

Bus Departs

Christopher Morley Park

Searingtown Road, Roslyn, New

York



at 11:30 AM SHARP!!

Tosca begins at 1:30 PM

Please join us for a day of culture

Please call for reservations as soon as possible as

Space is Limited to 50 people!

Contact Teresa Campano Jelinek

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The order of the Sons of Italy in America is the oldest and largest organization
of Italian American men and women in the United States and Canada.