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Presidents Message

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I would like to begin this message by wishing all a happy and healthy New Year in 2007. December was a busy month at the lodge.

On December 2nd the children's Christmas party was held at the lodge. Thank you Sr.'s Lillian Ceriello, Janis Ceriello, Antonetta Sclafani, Br. Saverio Gallace and Santa Claus for providing a fun filled afternoon for the children. On December 4th the ladies of the lodge celebrated their own annual Christmas party at Epiphany restaurant. I hear a fun time was had by all. Thank you Sr's Lillian Ceriello and Janis Ceriello for a job well done.

On December 10th we had the privilege of honoring our Immediate Past President Angelo Grande at Leonard's of Great Neck. This well attended affair was a wonderful honor to Br. Angelo for his continued commitment to OSIA and Loggia Glen Cove. Thank you to our Dinner Dance Chairman Tony Ceriello, his Co-Chair Kathryn Grande, Journal Committee Sr. Antonetta Sclafani, Sr. Janis Ceriello Br. Tony Sclafani and our advertisers. Please support them. Sr. Janis also serves as our corresponding secretary. BRAVO for all your hard work.

On December 14th the men of the lodge held there Christmas party at the Downtown Café. The food was great and plentiful with many members in attendance. Br. Rocco Cangero chairs this annual get together and does a great job. I hope to see many of you at our January membership meeting.

At our January meeting the nominating committee, chaired by Br. Tony Ceriello, will present the slate of officers for 2007. If you have any questions or would like to serve as an officer please see Br. Tony before our January meeting.

On Monday January 22nd and Tuesday the 23rd 2007 Br. Larry Martone will conduct an AARP Driver Safety Program at the lodge starting at 6:30 PM. The class is limited to thirty five people. There are no cash payments. Payments must be made by check in the amount of \$10.00 to AARP prior to Jan. 22nd or at our next membership meeting Jan. 3rd.

GOD BLESS OUR TROOPS IN 2007

Sempre Avanti

Jim McAleer

President

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Italian Culture

In Italy La Festa di San Silvestro is celebrated December 31st on New Years Eve. Families and friends get together for a huge meal. Fireworks lighting up the skies and dancing continue through the night until morning. Of course plenty of *spumante* or *prosecco*, Italian sparkling wine, for refreshment is enjoyed by all.

Did You Know ?



Italian Culture

Lenticchie Stufate di Capodanno

Lentils are traditionally eaten on New Year's Day in Italy as a symbol of good luck and prosperity; their round shape, reminiscent of coins, is supposed to ensure riches for the coming year. The accompaniment of choice for lentils is *cotechino*, a mild-tasting, slow-cooked pork sausage.

Presidents Message - Italian Translation

Cari Fratelli e Sorelle,

Primo di tutto vorrei augurare a tutti un buon anno nuovo 2007. Il mese di dicembre è stato un mese occupato di tante varie di attività'.

Dicembre 2 alla nostra loggia si è festeggiato la festa di natale per tutti I bambini con grande successo. Ringrazio al comitato: Lillian Ceriello, Janis Ceriello, Antonetta Sclafani e Saverio Gallace e la presenza di Babbo Natale. Un pomeriggio di allegria e festività'.

Le nostre sorelle, per le feste natalizie, hanno festeggiato una sera di cena verso il ristorante Epiphany con tanto divertimento. Grazie alla sr. Lillian Ceriello e Janis Ceriello della loro coordinazione.

Dicembre 10 abbiamo con privilegio di onorare immediatamente passato scorso, Angelo Grande verso Leonard's di Great Neck. Questo avvenimento onorare, Angelo Grande per la sua dedizione e lavoro per ambidue il Gran Lodge e la nostra Loggia. Vorrei estendere al comitato la graditudine del lavoro ben fatto. Direttori della sala Tony Ceriello e Kathryn Grande. Comitato giornalistico di Antonetta Sclafani, Janis Ceriello, Tony Sclafani e tutti loro che hanno aiutato con la pubblicità'. Dinuovo, grazie, Janis Ceriello della sua coordinazione, brava, di un grande lavoro ben fatto.

Dicembre 14 l'uomini della nostra nostra loggia, si anno riuniti, come sempre annuale per la festa di natale, verso il Downtown Caffè'. Grazie dinuovo a Rocco Cngero di avere organizzato questo evento.

La riunione generale del 3 gennaio, Tony Ceriello e il suo comitato, presenterà la nuova lista elettorale per l'anno 2007. Interessati a partecipare in una posizione ufficiale, chiamate a Tony Ceriello 516-671-2388.

Lunedì gennaio 22 e 23 Larry Martone conduce delle classe AARP di guida cautela. La classe è limitata a 35 persone. Il costo è di \$ 10.00 a persona e si deve pagare solo con assegno. Il pagamento farlo ad AARP prima di gennaio 22 Oppure alla riunione generale di gennaio 3, 2007. L'orario delle classe si svolge alle 630 PM.

Una benedizione e preghiera alle nostre truppe militari di servizio.

Sempre Avanti



**Jim McAleer
Presidente**

January 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 HAPPY NEW YEAR	2	3 MEMBERS MEETING	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 OFFICERS MEETING	11	12	13
14	15 PRESIDENTS MEETING	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 AARP COURSE	23 AARP COURSE	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

**Dates to Remember
in January**

January 1
New Years Day

January 3
Members Meeting

January 10
Officers Meeting

January 15
Presidents Meeting

January 22/23
AARP Drivers Safety Program

Good and Welfare of the Order

Thank You's:

- ◆ Br. Tony Sclafani for Italian translation of my Presidents message.
- ◆ 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. Angela Grande Wasserman and her husband Phillip on the birth of their son Gabriel Frank on Thursday December 7th and congratulations to the proud grandparents Sr. Kathryn and Br. Angelo Grande.
- ◆ The proud parents Joseph and Christin Cerullo on the birth of their daughter Olivia Kaitlin Cerullo and proud grandparents Br. Lee Cerullo and Sr. Maria Cerullo.
- ◆ Sr. Lillian and Br. Mike Ceriello on the birth of their granddaughter Natalie Catherine.
- ◆ Br. David DeBlasio who is recently engaged to Lidia Moccia. An April '08 wedding is planned.

Condolences to:

- ◆ Family of Sr. Caterina Capobianco

Get Well to:

- ◆ Br. Michael Ceriello who is recuperating at home

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 Sarah Green

Please bring any used eyeglasses to the 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. More information may be obtained by calling Br. Vito Greto at 747-8694.

MEMBER NOTES

Continue to send me any information of any member or family member who's celebrating a birthday, anniversary, graduation, upcoming marriage, let Ann Anderson, myself or any lodge officer know so we can put it in the newsletter.

AARP Driver Safety Program

On Jan 22/23, 2007 Br. Larry Martone will be conducting an AARP Safety Driving Program at the Lodge, 6:30pm. Cost is \$10. No cash payments. Make checks payable to AARP. Payment due prior to class start. Contact Larry Martone at 676-5482 or Jim McAleer at 676-7439.

Membership Dues for 2007

Membership dues are due in payable for your membership in 2007. If you do not pay your dues, you are not a member in good standing. Please send a check payable to: Loggia Glen Cove #1016. Please use the form below to send in your dues.

2007 INVOICE

Name _____ **Telephone #** _____

Amount Enclosed _____

Regular Member **\$45**

Social Member **\$45**

Exempt Member :
(must be a member for 30 years) **\$20**

Students: **\$20**

50 year members **\$0**

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

If you have not paid past dues that were payable you may also use this invoice to payment.

AARP Driver's Safety Course



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Photos of our December 10th Dinner Dance at Leonard's of Great Neck.



I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my brothers and sisters and their friends who attended the dinner dance in my honor. It was a special day that I will never forget.

I would like also like to thank all of the members and friends of the lodge who solicited or took out Ads.

Thank You again. Angelo Grande, Immediate Past President



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LODGE CALENDAR FOR THE UPCOMING YEAR 2007

Lodge Officers Installation	MARCH
St Patrick's Parade	MARCH
St Joseph's at Lodge	MARCH
Memorial Day	MAY
Place Flags at Cemeteries	MAY
OSIA State Convention	JUNE
Scholarship Awards Night	JULY
Macari Wine Vineyards Trip	JULY
Ernest J. Pascucci Golf Outing	AUGUST
Lodge Picnic	AUGUST
OSIA Membership Month	OCTOBER
Columbus Day Parade	OCTOBER
Memorial Mass for Deceased Members	NOVEMBER
87th Annual Dinner Dance	DECEMBER
Children's Christmas Party	DECEMBER
Ladies Christmas Party	DECEMBER
Men's Christmas Party	DECEMBER
New Years Eve Party	DECEMBER

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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.