

ITALEO Monthly Meeting Agenda

Date: March 3, 2026

Time: 6:15 PM

Location: Sicilian Sports Club

6:00 PM – Sign In

Collect \$10.00 per person at the door – **Zona / Hosbach**

6:15 PM – Call to Order

Welcome Remarks – DiFante

6:15 PM – Pledge of Allegiance

6:20 PM – Blessing

Father Joe

BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Jess, Tony, Ed, Charlie, Mark, Ellie & Rose

6:55 PM – Acknowledge any Special Guests in attendance

Virginia McIntyre & Megan Ferra

~~7:00 PM – Guest Speaker (DID NOT SHOW)~~

~~Kathy Crandall – Owner of United through Wellness – Retired MCSO Jail Deputy. Dedicated to supporting wellness of military veterans, first responders, retirees and their families. IPD recently brought Kathy in to do a Yoga class for the officers.~~

7:20 PM – Approval of October 2025 Meeting Minutes

Bernabei

Motion to Accept: **ELLIE BONAGURA**

Second: **STEVE GILIBERTI**

7:25 PM – Treasurer's Report

Zona

GENERAL FUND	\$28,757.73
SCHOLARSHIP FUND	3,856.76
ORF	25,749.36
SAVINGS	5.00
TOTAL FUNDS	\$58,368.85

Motion to Accept: **DICK ROZZI**

Second: **DAVE AMICO**

7:35 PM – Membership Report

Hosbach / Zimmer

147 PAID MEMBERS

- Acknowledge new guests? **2 NEW MEMBERS SINCE LAST MEETING**
- Reminder to pay dues
- Membership card distribution update.

FEEDBACK – ONE MEMBERSHIP CARD, NO DATE

7:40 PM – Old Business

Franco

- FBI National Academy- ITALEO Board continued working hard while I was away.
- Highlights from 2025 Christmas Party- Webster Golf Course
LIKE VENUE, ADD ENTRÉE, COMPLAINTS ABOUT WAFFLES
- Polar Plunge Event- Thank you to all the sponsors. It was a COLD event.

7:45 PM – Upcoming ITALEO Events

Franco

- 2026 Casino Night Fundraiser- **March 28th 2026**. We currently have **11 Sponsors** and around **28 Raffles prizes** to include: Massage certificates, Tv, Lou Gramm signed guitar; Suite for one home game, gift certificates to various restaurants, delta sonic etc. We are still looking for more sponsors and trying to get as many ticket sales as possible. We will be splitting the proceeds amongst the three RPD officers that were shot. We currently have RPD shirts for sale online and will be selling Italian RPD patches at the event. All proceeds are going back to the officers. Thank you to all the donors and sponsors.
- 2026 Annual Picnic – Looking to reserve the first or second Saturday in August– **SATURDAY, AUGUST 8TH**
St. Paul Exempts. North Coast Catering. Waiting to hear back.
FEEDBACK: ROZZI SAID NO BAND
- **We don't plan to do the Colonial Belle Cruise this year.** Feedback has not been positive. We will see about coming up with another Fall event.
- 2026 Christmas Party – **December 5th** – Webster Golf Course

Donations Made:

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- **RECLINER FOR SHINGLETON**
- Assoc of Chiefs of Police- Annual Golf Tournament: \$250 sponsorship
- Angels of Mercy- \$100
- Deputy Cain Wright- Ontario County Corrections officer seriously injured in a motorcycle crash on his way to work- donation- \$250
- Make a Wish Foundation- Police Officers Families- \$250 Donation for NA Auction
- Sick and Welfare: Purchased food for the Iacavangelo Family when Frank and Bernie's brother passed away. They were very appreciative.

Non-ITALEO Events:

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- Arpaler Police Memorial Ceremony – May 20th (Noon) – Locust Club
- Italian Heritage Night- Red Wings Event – August 11th
- Arpaler Picnic – July 22nd – Braddock's Bay Park

New Business / Law Enforcement News

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- Handgun owners with concealed-carry permits must recertify their permits every three years with the New York State Police — a relatively new requirement that is part of an ongoing effort to keep permit records current and accurate. Go online: www.firearms.troopers.ny.gov
- Lieutenant Joseph Banish Mental Health Act – Chapter 641 of 2025- Goes into Effect March 18th, 2026.

This law amends New York's Executive Law to formally establish law enforcement peer support programs. Named in honor of Lieutenant Joseph Banish, it recognizes the importance of officer mental health and peer support. The Act provides statutory confidentiality protections for communications within officially designated peer support programs, protecting discussions between officers and trained peer support members in most circumstances.

Open Floor

NONE

Announcements:

Next Meeting – April 7th 2026– 6:00 PM (Same Location)

50/50 Drawing (MEGAN FERRA DREW TICKETS)

Winner: **MARY GIORGI**

Adjournment:

Motion to Adjourn: **MARK D'ANGELO**

Second: **DICK ROZZI**

All in Favor: **AYE**