

ITALEO AGENDA
October 25, 2022
Bella Pasta

6:00pm: Sign in and collect \$10.00 dollars from each person at the door- Zona

6:00pm: Sell 50/50 Raffle Tickets- Sam Meloni

6:20pm: Call to Order- Welcome Everyone- DiFante

6:20pm: Pledge of Allegiance/ Grace- Father Joe

DINNER

6:45pm: Meeting Minutes from September- Bernabei

Motion to Accept: Mark D'Angelo

Second: Lou DiPrima

All in favor say "I": AYE

6:50pm: Treasurer Report- Zona

Motion to Accept: Dick Rozzi

Second: Ellie Bonagura

All in Favor say "I": AYE

6:55pm: Membership Report- Franco

193 total members

7:00pm: **Old Business-**

• **Christmas Party for 2022**- Sign up is now available online. We don't plan to send out mailers since everything is online. If you wish, you can print off the application form and send it in with a check to the PO Box. Were booked for Saturday December 3rd. Applications are on the tables.

* Give out Promotional/Retirement certificates

* Scholarship award

* Check presentation to Mazurkiewicz family

* Officer of the Year award-

* Life Saving Award-

* 2022 Businessperson of the Year-

• Washington DC for police week in May 2023. Tomesha Angelo is continuing to help plan. Email with details to go out to membership. (Bus Trip - \$360/person package deal; reach out to Jess Franco if interested)

• We had a good showing of ITALEO members at the Columbus Day Luncheon (Indigenous People Day!)

- Rose- talk about ITALEO newsletters/ Feedback received from members. We are trying to get recipes to put together an ITALEO cookbook. (Asked for stories & recipes)

Upcoming NON-ITALEO Events:

Halloween party – Sat., October 29th at Italian American Sports Club. Finger foods/Cash bar. It begins at 6pm.

Irondequoit Rotary Pasta Dinner at BK on Sunday Nov 6th from 12-5pm. Tickets are \$10. Raffle off tickets.

Annual Back the Blue Trunk or Treat event- 10/28/22 5-9pm 4230 Shortsville Rd. Flyers with details on the tables.

7:15pm: New Business:

* Selling new slate ITALEO coasters made by FingerLakes Mercantile: Veteran owned business. They are \$10 dollars apiece. I'm going to be placing an order tomorrow for hooded sweatshirts; Long sleeve shirts and soft-shell jackets. We also have a sign up for Christmas Ornaments. We have to put all orders in ASAP to ensure we receive them by Christmas. Payment will be due upon delivery. My hope is to have them by the Christmas party.

* Keep checking out our website. Julia and Rose do an excellent job making sure we are putting out as much information as possible about ITALEO events, other events, pictures, meeting minutes, newsletters, merchandise for sale etc.

* If for some reason you are not receiving emails from us, please let us know so we can update our spreadsheet with the correct emails.

* We are not going to have a November meeting since the Christmas party is the same week. We will be taking off the months of January and February but have intentions of doing another Comedy show Fundraising event in February.

New venue: Talk about feedback from members. We hold a lot of events on the west side of Town. We have been trying to find a location that is more neutrally located. I want to thank Judy Dipaola for researching this opportunity for us. She spoke with the manager from Capones Bar and Italian Eatery- located at 1517 Empire Blvd. The price will remain the same at \$10 dollars per person. This will include everything we currently have except for salad. We had to exclude the salad in order to keep the price at \$10 dollars per person.

* We are going to start collecting Membership Dues in February for the year 2023. We are planning on giving members in good standing a membership card. With our new bylaws our fiscal year starts in March.

* Frank Diprimo- AAA course being offered...

How many Irondequoit Residents? Talk about SMART Camera program tracks where cameras are located. Also tracks parolees, probationers, and sex offenders.

The September newsletter had a link to questions related to the updated gun laws. Difficult keeping up with since laws keep changing Concealed carry Improvement Act- requires people seeking concealed carry permits to show they have good moral character, provide character references, contact info of family members/people they live with, social media accounts. There's now a requirement effective 09/01/22 if you leave your gun unattended in a vehicle it must be unloaded and in a fire impact and tamper resistant storage box that is not in plain view. This doesn't include a glove compartment or glove box.

Recently, A Federal Judge in NY temporarily blocked parts of the state's revised carry gun laws finding that it was too strict and should not have barred weapons from being carried in areas like public playgrounds, health care facilities, libraries, and houses of worship.

Most importantly, make sure everyone GET's OUT AND VOTES!!!!

• **Open up Floor to Members –**

50/50 winners' results: Linda Borden - \$70

Guessing Game: Joe Cimino (guessed 130) – actual amount 143/gave back \$14

Give away Tickets to Pasta Dinner for Irondequoit Rotary

1. Sharon Rivaldo
2. Sam Meloni
3. Mark D'Angelo
4. Frank DiPrimo
5. Shirley Steele

Next Meeting: March 28, 2023, 6 PM; location TBD

Motion to adjourn: Mark D'Angelo

Second: Joe Picciotti

All in favor: AYE