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Bocce Classic is Back!



Contact Elain Long if you would like to help elainelongbellbrook@gmail.com or 937-829-3086

BOCCE CLASSIC is desperately seeking a bracket director for July 15 and 16. Position needs to be

July 15 and 16. Position needs to be filled by February 15. Other volunteer position include grounds, parking, raffle prizes, food and beverages. Please contact Elaine Long

(elainelongbellbrook@gmail.com, or 937 829 3086) or John Fantauzzo

(jFantauzzo@gmail.com, 937 470 4287).

Movie Night - Sunday, February 20th at 5:00pm **Moonstruck** (1987, rated PG)

No sooner does Italian-American widow Loretta (Cher) accept a marriage proposal from her doltish boyfriend, Johnny (Danny Aiello), than she finds herself falling for his younger brother, Ronny (Nicolas Cage). As Loretta falls deeper in love, she comes to learn that she's not the only one in her family with a secret romance. Popcorn will be provided, but BYOB (Bring your own beverage). RSVP to Nico Schrenk at nicholas.schrenk@gmail.com or 513-430-5080. We are asking that you RSVP so if we need to cancel the event due to weather, we are able to contact everyone interested in attending.

Remember that dues were to be paid by January 1, 2022. Make checks payable to John Pirelli Lodge for \$45.00 and mail to Don Chislaghi, 352 Aspen Trail, Beavercreek Ohio 45430. You can also pay at the February general membership meetings. Thanks to all for helping to keep our lodge active and vibrant!

Congratulations to the winner of the January 50/50 raffle was Frank Macharoni. The charity was The Dayton FoodBank. Thank you for all those you brought canned goods.

February charity is Hannah's Treasure Chest.

Save the DATE!

Euchre Night, Saturday, March 12. Details to follow.

Upcoming Social & Heritage Events - Mark your calendars...

1st Tuesday Membership Meeting 7:00 pm 3rd Tuesday Council Meeting 6:30 pm

February 1 Membership meeting 7 pm February 15 Council Meeting 6:30 pm

If you would like to receive emails regarding upcoming social events at Bella Villa, please request to be on the distribution list by sending an email to: bellavillasocialevents@gmail.com or maria.doepker@sbcglobal.net

Maria Doepker.....937-603-1569 Belinda Ferrara.....937-286-1172 Kay Trombino.....937-306-8000 Candi Meyer....937-266-1601

SOCIAL COMMITTEE:

Libby Balsamo.....937-287-7825 Rita Chislaghi.....937-426-4494 Jo Rocco.....937-350-7121 Tim Schrenk513-479-6938 Nico Schrenk513-430-5080 Lori Mackintosh....937-231-3793 Jan Holbrook.....937-427-3290 Kim Sease.....937-376-4845 Yvette Price.....937-974-0486

If you know a Lodge member who has been hospitalized or in need of a get well card, please contact Rita Chislaghi at 937-426-4494.

If one of our Lodge members has passed away, please contact our Chaplain Fran Franchina @ 937-298-4824.

La Cucina & CUPA Grazie!

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Grazie to La Cucina & CUPA:
Members at the Dec. meeting enjoyed
pizza by the slice and spirits. Molte Grazie to Scott Davis, Tom Toskin, and
Pasquale Cristiano for their help.
The winner of the La Cucina New Year's
Raffle was Charlene "Chuck" Levin. She
was very excited to get all the goodies! Thanks to the anonymous members
who donated some items. If anyone
would like to donate items for our raffle,
please contact me. I even accept Italian
"white elephant" donations.

John Fantauzzo LaCucina Manager We are attempting to up date our membership list and need your help.

Please forward any changes you have had to your address, phone number or email over the last year to Don Chislaghi at donald5148@att.net or call/text him at 937-422-5984.

FEBRUARY 2022

Hall Rental Contact Information

For hall rental, please contact Vince Trombino at 937-545-0331 Also, when renting the hall, please remember to make your check payable to Societa Di Mutuo Soccorso (not John Pirelli.)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Membership Meeting 7pm	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 Social Commit- tee 6:30 pm	II Poker Night	12
13	14 Happy Saint Valentine's day	Council Meeting 6:30 pm	16	17	18	19
20 Movie Night 5pm	21	22	23	24	25 Poker Night	26
27	28	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

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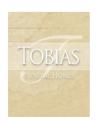
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Trustees: Steve Bertolo, Belinda Ferrara Jeff Lacon, John Fantauzzo & Wayne Fischbach
Master and Mistress of Ceremony: Steve and Page Gesualdo

Call to order: Jack called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. He welcomed everyone and whished them a Happy New Year.

Jack then informed us that Eldora Perfilio, State Vice President was in attendance along with Tony Perfilio, paste State President. No guests were in attendance

Special Annoucements: Gloria Marano won the Order of Sons and Daughter of Italy in America family photo contest. Gloria told us the photo was taken in 1947 at her grandparents' house in Brooklyn, New York. In the photo, they raise a toast as her uncle hoists a jug of her grandfather's homemade wine. Her father, Carlo F. Marano, Sr., was a freelance photographer and took the picture. Her mother, Marjorie Caudill Marano, is on the far left and eight months pregnant with Gloria's older brother, Alphonse.

Gloria Marano stated the principles of the order

Opening prayer: by Fran.

Pledge of allegiance & honor to the Italian flag: Jack Giambrone and Vince Trombino led us honoring both the American and the Italian flag.

Roll call: All other council members were present except, Wayne Fishbach, Steve and Page Gesualdo, Rosie Nickleman, and Nicoletta Serenata.

Approval of minutes: minutes were accepted into record.

Correspondence: Combat Outpost Robinson Inc thanked us for our cks of \$277, Secret Smiles thanked us for our check of \$118.00.

Financial secretary report & applications for membership: There are 3 new membership applications: Junior member Abigal Noss sponsored by Larry and Sandy Skapin. The other applicants are Tony and Mary Ann Rossi. They are sponsored by John Rossi. Don and Kay spoke about them. There are 499 current members. Jack called for a vote and all three were accepted as members. Don told us we now have 502 members but 27% have not paid their dues.

Treasurer's report: Kay Trombino reported the balance and listed any major expenses for John Pirelli. **Reports of officers and committee chairs**

Sunshine: Sympathy cards were sent to Betty Brewer and Chris Sloneker. Get well cards were sent to Helen Longo and Tony Rocco.

Social: Movie night January 23rd at 5 pm. We will have popcorn but you must bring your own drinks. Please RSVP to Nicholas Schrenk e-mail (<u>Nicholas.shrenk@gmail.com</u>) or phone (513-430-5080). The Open house went very well. Tonights 50/50 is for Dayton Food Bank.

Heritage: No formal report. Remember to get those scholarship applications in.

Membership: No formal report.

Bocce Leagues: No formal report.

Unfinished business: No formal report.

New business: Bocce Classic Elaine Long updated us on the new and improved Bocce Classic The committee have meetings. Dates for the classic are July 15th and 16th. To move forward we need all kinds of help. Please sign up. Contact Elaine with anything you feel you can do to help. There were questions and answers.

No other new business

Welfare of the order: Fran spoke about our club and the need of more youth involvement.

Steve Bertolo said there are things you can write for the newsletter like cultural items. Please, share by writing. Katie Swinger was thanked for being the youth director.

John Pirelli was adjourned at 7:29 pm

SOCIETÁ DI MUTUO SOCCORSO

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER at 7:29 p.m.

Approval of Minutes: Minutes were accepted into the record.

Communications: none

Treasurer's report: Kay Trombino reported the balance and listed any major expenses for Società.

Reports of officers and committee chairs

Building & Grounds: Scott Davis informed us nothing was going on. He may have a report in Febru-

ary.

Festa: nothing yet. Most like a report in February. Jim thanked all who helped.

Rental: no report

Unfinished business: Jack recapped some of the major decision the Council had approved:

Huber Height event may be on. The finance committee is preparing a budget for 2022. The World affair is still being discussed for May 2022. Festa 2021 meeting.

Tony Perfilio explained the letter they sent for social justice about Columbus Day. There will be a State meeting soon via zoom.

New Business: Council approved the purchase of an AED unit. Don told the name of the unit and that it came with an eight year warranty, a wall case that we can mount in the lodge. He said it was very easy to use. The cost is \$1,900. Questions were taken. Training will be done. One person will be the tester of the units operational functions. After more discussion Jack asked for a motion to purchase the AED for \$1,900.00. Gloria Marano stated the motion and Mark Warner 2nd it. A vote was held and the motion passed.

Kitchen report: John welcome everyone and thanked the kitchen volunteers. John told everyone to sign up for the Bocce Classic and to sign up a friend also. The kitchen raffle Winner is Chuck Levin.

50/50 Raffle: Libby told us that Frank Macharoni won the raffle.

Closing prayer: by Fran.

Next Council Meeting: Tuesday, January 18 @ 6:30 pm. Next Membership Meeting: Tuesday, February 1 @ 7:00 pm. Meeting of Società was adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

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Respectfully submitted,

Maria Napier

Acting Recording Secretary

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