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Mark your calendar to help us make cookies for Festa! On Aug 7th and 21st, which are Sundays. Saturday Aug 27th we will make pizelles! Contact Gloria Marano at gmarano66@gmail.com or 937-361-9013

First Annual Sellaro Fundraiser results as of 7.19.22 Our Lodge is in the top 5 for money and # of donations!

BUSINESS TIP OF THE MONTH...

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Congratulations to the winner of the July 50/50 raffle was John Guastaferro, he won \$89.

The charity was Day Break

This month's 50/50 on August 2 goes to Life Connection of Ohio and on Aug 30 the 50/50 goes to Greene County Foodbank (money and or canned goods)

ITALIAN FALL FESTA - 2022

Important Dates:

Booth Chair Meeting: Tuesday, July 26; 7:00 Festa Set Up: Saturday, August 27; 9:00-12:00 Festa Set Up: Saturday, September 3; 9:00-12:00 Festa Set Up: Tues Sept. 6 -Thurs. Sept. 8; 9:00-8:00

FESTA FRIDAY LUNCH Friday, Sept. 9; 11:00-1:00

FESTA Friday, September 9; 6:00-11:00

FESTA Saturday, September 10; 12:00-11:00

FESTA Sunday, September 11; 12:00-8:00

Festa Clean-up Monday, September 12; 9:00-4:00

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

1st Tuesday Membership Meeting 7:00 pm
3rd Tuesday Council Meeting 6:30 pm
August 2 Membership meeting 7 pm
August 15 Social Committee Meeting 6:30pm
August 16 Council Meeting 6:30pm

August 30 this is the September member meeting The small house will be voted on at this meeting!

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

SOCIAL COMMITTEE:

Maria Doepker.....937-603-1569 Belinda Ferrara.....937-286-1172 Kay Trombino.....937-306-8000

Chislaghi at 937-426-4494.

If you know a Lodge member who has been hospitalized or in need of a get well card, please contact Rita

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

AUGUST 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 Men's Bocce	2 Membership Meeting 7 pm	2 Men's Bocce	4 Women's Bocce	5	6
7 Cookies for Festa! 10 am	8 Men's Bocce	9	10 Men's Bocce	II Women's Bocce	12 Poker night	13
14	Social Committee Meeting 6:30 pm	16 Council meeting 6:30 pm	17 Men's Bocce	18 Women's Bocce	19	20
21Cookies for Festa! 10 am	22 Men's Bocce	23	21 Men's Bocce	25 Women's Bocce	26 Poker night	27Cookies for Festa! 9 am
28	29 Men's Bocce	30 Membership meeting- small House vote				

SCHOLRSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Incoming University of Dayton juniors and seniors may apply for a scholarship award up to \$2000. Students apply through Academic Works; the deadline is August 1, 2022. For more information, contact Gloria Marano at 937-361-9013 or gmarano66@gmail.com

Incoming Wright State University students may apply for a scholarship award up to \$1000. Students apply through the University Center for International Education; the deadline is October 14, 2022. For more information, contact Dr. Peter Carusone at 937-436-2112 or peter.carusone@wright.edu.

Wine tasting Event Saturday Oct 8 2022

This is a wine tasting event held by Tenuta Torciano Winery which is located in the Tuscany area of Italy. The event will be held at the Sparks Farm located at 2915 Sears Rd. in Spring Valley. The cost is \$10 per person. You will be able to signup at both August member meetings! Any questions please contact Belinda Ferrara at 937-286-

The Huber Height Cultural Festival

Thanks to all who came out and helped.

Jack Giambrone, Charlene Madafer-Meegan, Patrick Meehan, Belinda Ferrara, Bonnie Shane, Gloria Marano, Nico Schrenk, Tim Schrenk, MaryAnne Chadborne, and Maria Napier

We gave out a lot of applications for membership and shared about the upcoming Bocce Classic and Festa.



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Call to order: Jack Giambrone called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

Guests: none

John Guastaferro is a new member attending for the first time. He was a member in 1967.

Principles of the Order: Jack Giambrone stated the principles of the order. Open prayer: Jack Giambrone lead us into prayer.

Pledge of allegiance: Rosie Nickleman led us in the Italian pledge.

Induction Ceremony will be moved to the Aug 2 2022 meeting. 3 members introduced themselves. They were Jacob Lacon (Jeff Lacon's son) Jessica Harvey (Jeff Lacon's daughter) and Carla Banks.

Roll call: All other council members were present except Gloria Marano, Nicoletta Serenata, Larry Skapin & John Fantauzzo.

Approval of minutes: minutes were accepted into record

Correspondence: Rebecca Seagraves donated \$100.00 to the lodge in memory of Edward Guerriero and the Dayton Foundation thanked us for out gift of \$110.00 in tribute to Mike and Jane Balsamo.

Financial secretary report & applications for membership: Don Chislaghi reported we currently have 494 members. We have two applications to approve for membership: Aaron Bratka and Alexandria Sillato. Don explained a little about each. Jack Giambrone asked for a motion to approve these 2 as members. Stan Palmere seconded the motion. A votes was held and the motion carried.

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

Social: Tonight's **50/50** is for Greenebucs and this organization was explained by Belinda Ferrara. The steak and wine dinner is full. Doors open at 6 on July 23, 2022. We have a new grill that was bought at the council meeting. There is a new event which is a wine tasting it will be off the property on October 8th. More information and sign up at next meeting.

Jack Giambrone spoke about new flags and banners

Sunshine: Rita Chislaghi reported. She sent get well cards to Mary Lou Diaspro, Helen Longo and Mark Kollmorgen. Sympathy cards were sent to Colleen Militello and family for the death of her parents. Also a sympathy card was sent to Lou Vision and family. Rita also reported on the Charities Committee. They have picked 6 local charities to support with \$500.00 each. There was discussion about the \$1,000.00 scholarship that was approved.

Bocce Leagues: There were no updates. Kevin Sorice spoke about how we used to have a scholarship at the Bocce Classic and urged us to consider bringing it back.

Unfinished business.

Website: Marcus is working on it. Some of the items that it will have was mentioned by Jack Giambrone. Open to Floor no further unfinished business was mentioned.

Bocce classic: Elaine Long said the classic is going on this weekend. We have 29 teams if you are not volunteering or playing come out and support the lodge. She thanked everyone who helped her. She solicited Rosa Nickleman to sing the Italian anthem at the beginning of the game.

Volunteering for Festa- Rosie Nickleman sent out her request early and has only hear back from 2 people. Please remember to respond ASAP to your chairman when the request you to volunteer. It was also mentioned that all booth chairs should have sign ups soon. July 26th is the booth chair meeting at 7 pm. Charlene Madaffer- Meehan reminded all the cutting of Peppers and onions at 9 am on September 8th. New Business



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Masters of Ceremony: Tim & Nico Schrenk

Carillion Park visit and tour. Details to come in a future meeting.

Well fare of order: nothing was mentioned

Pirelli was adjourned at 7:25 pm.

SOCIETÁ DI MUTUO SOCCORSO MEETING CALLED TO ORDER at 7:25 p.m.

Approval of Minutes: Minutes were accepted into the record.

Communications: none

Treasurer's report: Kay Trombino reported the balances and listed any major expenses for SOCIETA DI MUTUO SOCCORSO. Fran Franchina asked about the investment. Tony Lacon explained about the investments. Building & Grounds: Scott Davis said the new flags and lighting are up check them out. The banners are awesome. There was a great turnout for the bocce court repair. Mark Warner was recognized for removing and replacing pavers. Mark also found the belt needed for the bocce court sweeper. The courts are now clean and according to Mark they were swept toward the East. Don Chislaghi will have a work party for fixing the benches soon. Tony Lacon and crew put the new grill together and they had no leftover parts. They tested it and it works. Joe Baldasare asked about the status of the brick and the answer was after Festa. There was more discussion on bocce courts. Fran Franchina asked for a light for the display case.

Festa – news: No reports tonight.

Lodge Rentals Vince says the keep calling and more rentals are coming.

Lodge council meeting Items from the council meeting were gone over. A new grill was purchased for \$503. Jack Giambrone explained about the pasta cooker board. Member will have to vote on the repair with will be a total of \$2,200.00. There was discussion. Mark Warner made a motion to repair the pasta cooker board for \$2,200.00. Vince Trombino seconded the motion. A vote was held and the motion carried. Kevin Sorice asked about the emergency repair fund for the Festa and this was explained by Jack Giambrone that there is \$1,000.00 Huber Height event was not the world affair but we did get out name out. Jack Giambrone thanked all who came out to support Andy and Coleen Militello for the loss of Collen's parents. The State Lodge will meet in September. The 4th of July Picnic was nice.

Unfinished Business:

Home on Property —members read the hand out then Jack Giambrone took questions from members. Kevin Sorice thinks the home is an asset. Another member asked for no trespassing tape and signs to be put up. Linda Fischbach thinks the house should be saved as a museum. She explained her concept. Leo Anticoli wants to know how much to fix it and how much to tear it down. We are not voting tonight. Fran Franchina agrees with Linda Fischbach. Dan Bruno agrees the house should be saved and he would volunteer to help with the repairs.

There was very much discussion! It was decided that we will vote on the small house August 30th.

Kitchen report. No report

The 50/50 raffle winner John Guastaferro our new member at meeting for 1st time and he won \$89!

Closing Prayer: Jack Giambrone led us into prayer.

Next Council Meeting – July 19, 2022 @ 6:30pm

Next Membership Meeting – August 2, 2022 @ 7pm

Also last Tuesday August 30th will be the member meeting for September.

Linda Fischbach wanted to know about absentee voting for the house. We don't have that ability. Società was adjournment at 8:44 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Maria Napier Acting Recording Secretary

The lodge has a new grill assembled by Vinnie Trombino, Chuck Lambright, Fred Ferrara, Steve Fleury and Tony Lacon. Missing from the photo is Tim Sease who took the picture. The grill will get its first workout at the Steak/ Salmon & Wine event.



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