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Sons of Italy

Trieste Lodge No. 4

May 2005



President's Message

On April 15, our Order had one of its most successful events ever, honouring one of our most distinguished members - Nicholas J. Zaffiro. It was truly a memorable evening celebrating his "Life, the Law and the Legacy". I would like to personally thank the committee, the chairman Lou Franciosa (hope you get well soon - we need and miss you!) and co-chairmen Tony Cipolla and Frank Raso who not only conceived of this event but also executed this successful event.

You and your committee should be proud of your accomplishment not only on a fabulous evening but also for raising funds for our Villa Italia. We are all anxiously awaiting your report. As previously mentioned, I will be accompanying our delegates to the Order Sons of Italy National Convention in Sault Ste. Marie. If you have any concerns in regard to the National Order, please contact myself or any of the delegates. We will gladly present them at the Convention.

It is imperative that you plan to attend the May general meeting since we have invited Mr. Bill Clemente, President of CIBPA, to speak about his organization. As previously discussed, the executive is exploring possible liaisons, which will be presented to our general membership at a later date.

Also, it's hard to believe that a year has gone by, and we need to prepare for our general election in June. Our immediate Past President Lou Serafini Jr. will be taking nominations from the floor to add to the election state. Anyone wishing to run for an executive position should contact Lou, either before or at the meeting.

Just a reminder to plan on attending our 33rd Annual Charity Golf Classic, it will be great to see you all there. Another reminder that the committee would greatly appreciate your prize donations and sponsorships. This event is a great contributor to our charity account. It's events like this that allows us to contribute to the McMaster Children's Hospital, Camp Trillium, Thalassaemia Foundation, Kids Help Line and Miles for Smiles. It is Brother Carmine Filice's goal (Charity Chairman) to raise our Charity from its present \$20,000 level and expand our charitable contributions in the future. The more successful events we have the more we can give!

Adesso non dobbiamo dimenticare che nel mese di Maggio si celebra la festa della Mamma - Otto di Maggio. Anche se tanti di noi non abbiamo più la nostra mamma la dobbiamo sempre ricordare nei nostri pensieri e nelle nostre preghiere. Se avete la mamma vicino - date un grande abbraccio e un bacio a questo gioiello della nostra vita. Non dimenticate di ricordare anche la mamma dei nostri figli. Un sincero augurio a tutte le mamme.

Respectfully submitted,
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Sons of Italy 2005 Golf Classic

Thursday, June 16 2005

The Sons of Italy is hosting our 33rd Annual Golf Tournament on June 16 at Glendale Golf & Country Club. We would like to begin by acknowledging the past support we received from our many sponsors, volunteers and golfers.

Without this dedication, we could not have contributed to worthwhile charities such as Camp Trillium, McMaster Children's Hospital, the Father Sean O'Sullivan Research Centre and Villa Italia. We hope you will consider supporting our tournament again in 2005 by golfing, offering to be a sponsor or donating a prize.

The cost of this year's tournament is \$200 per golfer for lunch, golf, cart, dinner and prizes. Hole sponsorship is \$150. Please make your cheque payable to the Sons of Italy. Thank you and we look forward to seeing you in June!

Given the number of golfers in the past, we can provide morning tee times between 7:00 am and 8:00 am. Please indicate your preference for the morning or afternoon and our committee will attempt to accommodate your group. The agenda for June 16, 2005 is as follows:

Registration	7:00 am morning groups	11:30 am afternoon groups
Golf-Shotgun Start	7:30 am morning groups	12:30 pm afternoon groups
Lunch	12:00 pm	
Cocktails	5:30 pm	
Dinner	6:30 pm	

Please provide the following information:

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Fax #: _____

We prefer to play golf in the Morning Afternoon

We would like to sponsor a hole for \$150 Yes No

We would like to donate the following prize(s): _____

The following people will be attending:

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May 20-23, 2005 - Sault Ste. Marie

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Upcoming Events

For those wishing to help with the following events, please see your Executive.

Spaghetti Supper - Wednesday, May 4th, 2005 - Our Hall

Golf Tournament - Thursday, June 16th, 2005 - Glendale

La Passegiata - Sunday, September 11, 2005 - Villa Italia

Thank you for supporting your Lodge.

Announcements!

- Anyone wishing to receive this newsletter electronically (by email) please contact Br. Carmine Filice at carm@greentario.com to be added to the list.
- Please support our twoonie drive at our general meeting. All monies will be forwarded to Food Share. Thank you to all who contributed.
- Congratulations to Br. Vito Sgro on his appointment to the Board of the Hamilton Port Authority.

New Applications for Membership

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Phil DiFrancesco	sponsored by Frank Raso
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Jason Pasqua	sponsored by Leo Zinga
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NEXT GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, May 10, 2005 at 6:30 p.m.



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