

04/02/2024 ITALEO Agenda

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

6:15PM- Call to Order- Welcome everyone- DiFante

6:15PM- Pledge of Allegiance

6:20PM- Blessing- Father Joe

DINNER:

6:50PM- **Acknowledge Special Guests:**

6:55PM- **Introduce Board Members-** Heidi missing

7:00PM- **Meeting Minutes from March** - Bernabei

Motion to accept: Leon Hill

Second: Dick Rozzi

7:10PM- **Treasurer Report-** Zona

104.48	Savings
18,154.94	General Fund
4,236.76	Sharon Rivaldo Scholarship Fund
<u>21,236.68</u>	Officer Relief Fund
43,432.86	Total Funds

Motion to accept: All

Second: Dick Rozzi

(Charlie recently was made aware of fraudulent activity on his personal bank account. As a precaution we froze our ITALEO accounts and decided to transfer our money into new accounts. There were no unauthorized transactions on any of the ITALEO accounts. Julia is working on updating our website with our new accounts for Wix and PayPal.)

7:15PM- **Membership Report-** Hosbach

226 members, 44 Sworn, 11 new members since last meeting

* Acknowledge new guests in attendance: **Steve Gilberti** (owner of Absolute Construction) and **Heather Balcer** (licensed dog groomer)

7:20PM- **Old Business**

Comedy Show Recap- Great event. We had around 200 people in attendance. We raised \$5,000 dollars in sponsorships alone. Thank you to all our generous donors and sponsors. For anyone who was not in attendance the Comedians were Dan Viola and Todd Youngman. Our MC was Terry Clifford who recently retired from 92.5 WBEE. Co-host of the BEE morning coffee club.

Crime Stoppers Raffle Recap: We raised **\$5,305.00 dollars**. We got good press from this fundraiser. I did an interview with Channel 8 (WROC). The winner of the concert tickets was IPD Sgt. Kylee Nichols who is a member, and the winner of the guitar was Kimberly Hill who is a Probation Officer. She entered the raffle to win the guitar for her husband. Channel 10 interviewed him. Crime Stoppers is a great partner to Law Enforcement, and we look forward to teaming up with them in the future. We are splitting the proceeds 50/50 with Crime Stoppers.

* We would like to raise funds for the SanFrantello family. Sgt. Thomas SanFrantello was a 32-year veteran of the Genesee County Sheriffs Dept. And was killed on March 10th while working a special assignment at Batavia Downs. We are going to allow people to donate directly to the ORF and all proceeds raised will go to the family. Like what we did for the Mazurkiewicz family. We plan to take the money raised from the Crime Stoppers raffle to also put towards this effort.

Rose will be sending out the April Newsletter.

Ellie continues to send sympathy/thank you cards and tax letters. Do not hesitate to send us an email if you hear of someone passing away, getting sick or injured. We try and keep up with showing support to all our members and their close family.

Julia continues to keep up with our website

7:30PM: NEW BUSINESS

Upcoming ITALEO Events: Save the Date

Annual Picnic- **August 11th 12-5p.m.** at the St. Paul Exempts. Same price as last year (Members \$18/Non-members \$20/Kids 6-14 \$10 dollars/5&under Free. North Coast catering, Netsins ice cream truck. Annual Bocce and Cornhole tournaments.

Second Annual Sharon Rivaldo Colonial Belle Fall Cruise- **Saturday Sept. 7th from 12-2pm.** DiBella's sandwiches will be served.

Christmas Party- **Saturday December 7th 2024** at the IASC. (*Note: We are going to work with the Sicilian Club to plan a Breakfast with Santa event to keep that separate from our Christmas party*)

Non- ITALEO Events:

Italian Air Show- Italian version of the Thunderbirds will be performing at the Rochester Air show on August 3rd and 4th. We are still working on the specifics if we decide to team up with the Sicilian Club to do sponsorship. We would get a tent on the tarmac out of the sun. We are still trying to clarify how much the individual tickets would be and if anything, else would be included with the sponsorship.

May 15th at Noon, Arpaler will be hosting their **Annual Police Memorial Ceremony** at the Locust Club- Vote to donate \$100 dollars to show our support. **FREE LUNCH – all in favor: accepted**

ICL Bocce Tournament is Saturday June 15th at 9:00a.m at the IACC. Last year we had the fantastic 4- Lou D'Angelo, Mark D'Angelo, Dick Rozzi and Ed Bernabei.

LE News:

Everyone is preparing for the Eclipse-

We have been continuing to chase around the Kia Boyz who are stealing cars in broad daylight

Tony DiFante retired on March 30th after serving 28 ½ years in Law Enforcement. He started his career in RPD in 1995 and transferred to IPD in 2000 where he retired as an Investigator. Tony was one of the old timers that will be missed. I

7:40PM- Open the Floor

Lena Marinelli, Walk for Hospice on May 17th; taking donations & sponsorships

Next Meeting: May 14, 2024- 6PM same location

50/50 Winners- \$85; Nick Mangini (donated back – Sanfratello donation ORF)
Raffle Basket winner- \$40 worth; Gabby Amico

Motion to Adjourn:

Second: Dave Amico

All in Favor: Dick Rozzi