



Fr. John Papallo Lodge #2684



Dear Members,

Hope this finds you well, and enjoying sunny weather.

The Delegates, the Immediate Past President, and I returned from the Conference which was inspiring: it made me proud to be part of this organization. It was wonderful to be reminded of all the good work OSIA does state wide and nationwide. Thanks to ongoing fund raising, we OSIA have funded the research for Cooley's anemia and we are so close to a cure for these young patients! Gift of Sight, The Helen Keller Camp for children, Alzheimer research and Autism support for families, we should be proud of all the good we have done and continue to do. I hope to do some fund rising for these worthy causes over the next year so that I can present a nice check in the name of the Fr. John Papallo Lodge next year!

Speaking of good we do, I had the great honor of presenting our Lodge scholarships the other night to: Alexandra Ambrosio, Ryan Madrose, and for Excellence in the study of Italian Language Thomas Liguori. Ann Galligan is also a scholarship recipient but lives out of state. I hope you all come to our next general meeting on June 17 to help celebrate these four young recipients and their accomplishments thus far.

Also at the next meeting we will be crowning our Lodge Queen. Hope to see you all there!

Ciao for now

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Upcoming Events:

June 17 General Meeting at Smithtown Landing @ 7:00

June 20 -Show and Dinner – at Engelmann Theater (Sold Out)

June 21 -Fantini e Cavalli, Night at the Races at the Brush Barn, \$15 per person includes food and beverages contact- Nick at 631 698 1272 before 6/18

June 24 – Italian Night at Eisenhower Park in East Meadow @ 7:00 Free bring a chair and enjoy.

June 28 – Bingo at Perry Como Lodge; contact Charlie @ 631 261 1989

July 8 – Perry Como Golf outing contact Carmine @ 631 754 7811

July 22 – General Meeting- Calling all Scoba players, bring your Italian cards and knowledge so we can all learn how to play this card game.

July 26 – Fr. John Papallo Bowling Night! - \$20 per person covers games, shoes, snacks and beverages. Contact Rosmarie Madrose @ 269 9650