



CAPE FEAR REGION

Italian Heritage Society

Membership Newsletter
(IHSscapefear.com)



Our Country



Our Heritage

April 2007

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Monthly Meeting

No meeting in May. Instead we will have our Spring Picnic at Empie Park



IHS Picnic
Empie Park
Sunday
May 20
Noon – 5:00
Adults \$10
Under 12 \$5
Under 6 Free



ATTENZIONE!

Our new web site is up: IHSscapefear.com

! Planning for our Spring Picnic is underway !

Camaraderie, Music, Drawings, Bocce and Food will be abundant.

Taste of Italy will cater and Chicken Francese will be added to our menu of Sausage & Peppers, Eggplant Parmingiana, Rigatoni, Salad and Bread.

Everyone is encouraged to bring a dessert to share.

Italo & Louise Sacco are coordinating this year and can be reached at 383-0887.

Please contact them with any questions or offers of help.

It is important we have an accurate count by May 15th. Please send you check to Italian Heritage Society, P.O. Box 299, Carolina Beach, NC 28428

Our singing group – the **Cantiamo Italiano** Entertained the crowd at the Azalea Festival again this year.

They will be at the **Silver Coast Winery** Sunday, April 29th during a book signing by **Mark Gordon Smith**. All are invited!



COMMITTEES & GROUPS

All members are encouraged to join at least one committee that interests them.

MEMBERSHIP: Chair – Francis Esposito. Please pick up an extra application from Fran to carry with you and give to any potential new member.

PROGRAMS: Chair – Regina Grimes. Thanks to Richie Martino for the great idea of having our own members be presenters on the Regions of Italy and stepping up and doing the first talk. Richie spoke on his "hometown" region, Naples and we have two speakers confirmed to speak on the Piedmont and on Sicily. Please call Regina to volunteer for your own Regione...before they are all gone!

PUBLICITY & RECRUITING: Chair – Joe DeMichino. Our goal is to make everyone of Italian heritage aware of our society. Look for our signs around town about our frequenting certain establishments. Please pick up a framed sign to have displayed in your favorite establishment.

BENEVOLENCE: Chair – Sal Carrera. Please contact Sal whenever a Get Well or Sympathy card should be sent to any member or family member.

CANTIAMO ITALIANO: Chair – JoAnn Toscano. Our singing group continues to entertain and brighten the days of everyone who hears them. Singers and musicians are always welcome and experience is not a prerequisite.

DINNER GROUP: Chair – Open. The group is divided into groups of 4 couples who meet in each other's homes five or six times a year.

BOCCE: Chair – Marco Zaza. The transition kids program has begun and play is every other Tuesday from 11:00 to noon at Empie Park. Please contact Marco for the schedule or just come to the Empie Park courts on alternate Tuesdays. Anyone who can help is welcome – no ability necessary.



Weekend play and social time is every Saturday morning at 10:00 am at Empie Park. Everyone is invited and welcome. Our club gets wonderful publicity with anyone happening by and watching us enjoy the game and each other's company.

NOTES FROM THE BOARD

Our planning schedule for the year is as follows:

- * April - Azalea Festival, No Meeting.
 - * June 24 – Meeting
 - * August - No Meeting
 - * October – Picnic, Empie Park
 - * December 8 – Dinner/Dance
 - * May 20 Picnic, Empie Park
 - * July 15 – Meeting
 - * September 16 – Meeting
 - * November 18 – Meeting
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