



CAPE FEAR REGION

Italian Heritage Society

Membership Newsletter
(IHSscapefear.com)



Our Country



Our Heritage

May, 2008

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Monthly Meeting

Our next meeting is Sunday, June 22 ; 3:00 – 5:00pm at the

Fellowship Hall at Moravian Church

(4126 South College Road)

[Feel free to bring snacks or dessert to share. Coffee from Port City Java]

Members Ritchie Martino and Regina Grimes will present a proposal for the future direction of our organization. An outline for the new structure will be distributed prior to the meeting.

ATTENZIONE!

Our new web site is up: IHSscapefear.com

Spring IHS Picnic

Empie Park

Friday, May 16

1:30pm – 5:30pm

Adults \$10

Under 12 \$5

Under 6 Free

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

Hamburger Joe's will cater our picnic;

All the food will be prepared at the picnic.

Menu will include Buffalo Wings, hotdogs, hamburgers, cheese burgers, French fries, baked beans, coleslaw, iced tea, lemonade, and lemon ice.

It is important we have an accurate count by May 14th.

Please send your check to

Italian Heritage Society, P.O. Box 299, Carolina Beach, NC 28428

COMMITTEES & GROUPS

All members are encouraged to join at least one committee of interest to them.

WINERY TRIPS: Chair – Conrad Roncati. We live within an hour drive to two very nice vineyards, Silver Coast Winery and Duplin Winery. Please contact Conrad for ideas.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Co Chair – Domenick Rella and Marco Zaza. Please contact Domenick or Marco if you have interest in becoming an officer of our club.

FLOWER FUND: Chair – Jeanne Ray. We have set up a special fund for when a flower arrangement is appropriate for our members or families (wedding, birth, death).

WINTER BALL: Chair – Open.

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 – Conrad Roncati. Our guest speaker for March is Joan Leotta, renowned spoken word artist and author. Joan will be speaking about Italian Folk Tales.

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.

BOCCIE: Chair – Marco Zaza. The transition kids program bocce play is every other Tuesday from 11:00 to noon at Empie Park. 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 2008 is as follows:

Jan 19 – Winter Ball	July 21 – Fellowship Hall (Moravian)
Feb 16, 17 – UNCW Intercultural	Aug – No Meeting
Mar 16 – Fellowship Hall (Moravian)	Sep 21 – Fellowship Hall (Moravian)
Apr 18 – Silver Coast Winery	Oct 19 – Fall Picnic
May 16 – Spring Picnic	Nov 16 – Fellowship Hall (Moravian)
Jun 22 – Fellowship Hall (Moravian)	Dec – No Meeting