

North Haven Sons & Daughters of Italy Lodge #2805 P.O. Box 193 North Haven, CT 06473

NORTH HAVEN SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF ITALY
LODGE # 2805
FEBRUARY - 2023 NEWSLETTER
RESCHEDULED FEBRUARY MEETING IS FEBRUARY 21
NEXT MEETING MARCH 7

## **2023 Lodge Scholarship Applications Available on Website**

northhavenlodge2805.club/scholarships

## **Dues Time is here again!**

Our yearly dues will once again remain the same for existing members. The Dues are \$45.00 per year. You can view, and or print a dues bill by clicking here if you need one. You may pay your dues at the January, February or March Lodge meetings.

Mail Dues Checks to SueAnn Mentone 22 Woodchase Lane, North Branford, CT 06471

Questions Call -203-710-4186

The deadline for payment is the March Lodge meeting. (March 7th)

Make Checks payable to North Haven Sons and Daughters of Italy Lodge 2805.

Dues for New members is \$60.00 which includes a \$15.00 1-time, OSDIA fee

#### **2023 Lodge Elections**

2023 is an election year for officers of our Lodge.

To hold an officer position you must be a member in good standing!

How this works is we have a nomination Chairperson. That Person is appointed by the Lodge President.

Anyone who would like to be an officer of our Lodge should have contacted the nominating chair by January 20, 2023

Nominations will be announced at the February Lodge Meeting.

If you are not nominated by committee, at the proper time at the February meeting, during the that announcement you may be nominated from the floor.

Then elections will take place at the March meeting. Elections will take place for any office that has more than one person seeking that position.

The nominating chair is Denise Krause,

# 2nd Annual Car Show

Saturday - August 12, 2023, Times: 9 AM - 2 PM rain date August 19,2023





\*\*LINE DANCE LESSONS\*\*

Taught by Angela, Its free to members Every other Friday night from 7-8:30 starting January 6, free

## **Golf Tournament Committee 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of 2023**

Is scheduled for Thursday February 16, at St Frances Cabrini 7 pm.

Anyone interested in helping to plan this event please feel free to join us at this meeting.

Anthony Tim Longo is the event Chairperson, please contact Tim if you have any questions. 203-843-7157 or 203-933-4462

Email longo.tim@gmail.com

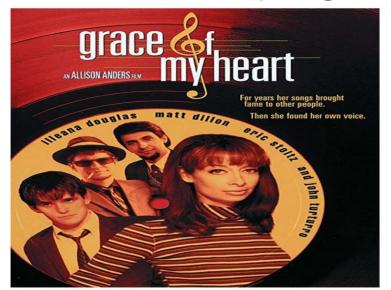
The Tournament will be Sunday September 24, at Hunter Golf Club in Meriden.

There will be a Luncheon and Dinner included with the golf.

You can also buy tickets for the Luncheon and or Dinner separately

Volunteers needed, Raffle gifts needed. More details will follow

#### North Haven Sons & Daughters of Italy, Lodge 2805



Watch a fifteen-year journey, from the 1950s doo-wop era to the psychedelic seventies. This story follows the struggles of a young singer-songwriter's life to become a sensation in her own right. You might even recognize true-life singers and groups, of the eras, played by great actors, and you will definitely enjoy great music. From Executive Producer Martin Scorsese comes a lyrical tale of a remarkable woman striving to find her

own voice in the male-dominated world of pop music.

RSVP Required
Contact Gale lannone
203-239-0454

## **MOVIE NIGHT**

MARCH at the Movies!!!

Saturday, March 25
6:00pm dinner
7:00pm movie
Raffle & 50/50
\$18.00pp

Menu is meatball subs and sausage & peppers subs, homemade chicken soup, salad, drinks, popcorn, and desserts.

#### FUN IS THE KEY WORD!!!



North Haven Sons & Daughters of Italy St. Frances Cabrini Church 57 Pond Hill Rd, North Haven, CT

#### "Our Fashion Show"

was a huge success! Because of all the hard work and effort from everyone, we were able to make a donation. I'm happy to say that on 1/18/2023 Georgianna and i met with the reverend Scott Morrow of the North Haven Congregational church and handed him \$500.00 for the town food pantry. See picture on next page.

The new year is here and we've started working on fashion show 2023. Join our committee. We need your help to make it another banner year. Thank you!"

The American Italian Women of Greater New Haven will hold its Scholarship Fundraiser Fashion Show on April 23, 2023 at The Woodwinds in Branford CT. Carol's Creations will do the Fashions. A sit down served dinner begins at noon with Hors'd'oeuvres until 12:45. Cost \$45. 3 new members of North Haven Lodge are AIW members: Fran Calzetta, Elaine Guerrera, Ceil Lamberti.

We thought because No. Haven Lodge does the Fall/Winter Fashion Show with Carol, some members might like to see her Spring showing. Elaine is taking reservations. Call her at 203-772-451: or Fran at 203-315- 3719. Choice of entree is Stuffed filet of sole, Stuffed Chicken and Eggplant Parmesan. Cash bar( using credit card ) Raffle gifts galore and a 50-50. Come and enjoy an afternoon of fine food, fine fashion, fun and new friends.

# **Community Outreach Committee**

North Haven Sons and Daughters of Italy's Community Outreach Committee is proud to announce they are coordinating a collection of non-perishable food items for distribution to the North Haven Community Services Food Bank. Items for this food drive can be dropped at the following locations by March 31st. If you represent a local business and would like to be added as a drop off location, or if assistance is needed in any other way, please call Denise Krause at 203-710-7397. Info about our Lodge can be found at <a href="https://northhavenlodge2805.club">https://northhavenlodge2805.club</a>. Arnold's Jewelers, 117 Washington Avenue, North Haven Hello Gorgeous Hair Studio, 460 Washington Avenue, North Haven Nick's Char-Pit Restaurant, 22 Middletown Avenue, North Haven Thank you to these local businesses and to the North Haven community for your ongoing support.

Mark was the person of the week January 24 North Haven Courier

# PERSON OF THE WEEK

Mark DeFranco has found friendship and family at Lodge 2805.



Joining the Sons and Daughters of Italy Lodge 2805 began as a family affair for Mark DeFranco. Mark, the group's treasurer, who joined in 2004 to be with his cousin and the group's founder Neil Velleca, Sr., saw it as an opportunity to socialize and work with other Italian-Americans.

"My cousin, Neil Sr., thought it would be a great idea to have a Sons and Daughter chapter in North Haven," Mark says. "I've been in there since the beginning. I've been the treasurer the whole time, the whole 19 years. I think because it's quite a bit of work."

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