



L.A.M.-VALLEY FORGE LODGE # 1776
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President's Message

Brothers and Sisters,

It's February already, can you believe it? For those who didn't make the January dinner our speaker, Carly spoke so well about her winery in Chadds Ford that we are looking into going there for our October trip. More to follow in coming months.

Our Charter night is coming up in April. It's always a great night at Presidential with great food and dancing to the music of the Ken Batista band.

We still have about 20 lottery tickets to sell at \$40 each. As a side note. So far in January our lodge has had 3 winners. If you are interested in a ticket give me a call at 484-433-1035. I will even deliver the ticket to you.

Hope to see you at our dinner meeting on the 12th. Have a happy Valentine Day!

GO EAGLES !!!!

Fraternally,

Bernadette

February Dinner Meeting

The February Dinner is scheduled for:
Wednesday 6:30pm, February 12th at Peppers by Amedeos Restaurant, King of Prussia.

Speaker: Dr. Anthony Colavita-Primary Care Physician

*******Please call Bernadette Wesler at 484-433-1035 prior to Friday, February 7th if you plan to attend, Cost for non-members-\$34*******

-Lottery tickets still available for sale.

Board Meetings

The next scheduled meeting will take place on Monday, February 24th with refreshments at 6:30pm and the meeting commencing at 7:00pm in the Holy Savior Church basement. Members are always welcome.

March Dinner

March 12th- Guest Speaker-TBD

Save the Date

Charter Night-Saturday, April 12th

Golf Tournament – Wednesday June 11th

January Dinner Speaker



Pres. Bernadette presented a certificate to the February dinner speaker Carley Razzi of Pennwood Winery in Chadds Ford.

Annual Dues

2025 annual dues notices will be sent out shortly either by mail or email. Please be prompt as we are seeking to have dues collected by the end of 1st Quarter 2025!

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Best Wishes & God Bless to all our February Babies:

Andrew Capone
Anthony Cucchi, Sr.
Kim E. DeHaven
Mirella Farrell
Brian Gianfrancesco
Lori Henry
Samuel Monastero
Christine Palladino Dylinski
Kenneth Palmieri
Frank L. Pellegrini
Adriano Perri
Luigi Santoro
Joseph Tarantino, Jr.
Richard Trombetta
James Wolfe
Rachel Zajick

Dante Scholarship

The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania awards scholarships to eighth grade students through the Dante Commission on Education/Culture. This year 14 grants of \$500 each will be awarded to Grand Lodge children who have been members for 2 years prior to application or whose parent(s) have been members for 2 years prior to application.

College Scholarships will also be awarded to high school seniors - \$2,000 each will be awarded per district to Grand Lodge children who have been members for 2 years prior to application or whose parent(s) have been members for 2 years prior to application.

Applications are due by April 30, 2025.

Sunday Italian Music-update

Melissa Cannavo-Marino, host and producer of “Viaggio Musicale” in cooperation with Associazione Regionale Abruzzese Delco can be heard Sundays at 2 pm on WWDB-AM 860/WPEN FM HD 97.5. Podcast of past shows are available:

<https://wwdbam.com/shows/viaggio-musicale/podcasts/>

Get Well Wishes

Anyone who may be aware of a lodge member suffering from an injury/illness or lodge member death can email Donna Marie Donahue at edmd50@verizon.net

In Memory

Condolences to Lou and John Bernardini on the recent passing of their father.