

# NUTLEY UNICO

## September 2019

### NEWSLETTER

**Dinner Meeting**  
**Thursday, Sept. 5, 2019, 7:00 pm**  
**at**  
**Mama Vittoria (BYOB)**

**(Please remember to address your 2019-20 dues asap. You can bring it to the Sept. meeting.)**

#### **Chapter Activities**

##### National Convention

- Our Chapter donated to several Unico National initiatives; Columbus Day (\$100), Scholarship (\$1,000), Cooley's Anemia (\$250), Cancer Research (\$250) and Mental Health (\$250). Discretionary donation was made by president Lorraine Kucinski for anti-bias activities. Amount to be announce at the Sept. meeting.
- The Chapter received awards for Our Scrapbook of activities and .....

Christmas Eve in July – Dan & Cathy Marucci report that 95 people attended the event. After expenses there was a net profit of \$2,736.35. Not only did everyone have a great time, but the event turned into a great fundraiser.

Golf Outing – Wednesday, Aug. 21. Lunch was provided by Petracco and Sons' and dinner followed the outing at Naninas. Winners were Gerard Conforti, Dennis Nadzan, Chris Melone and Tom DiGiovanni.

Grant - The Chapter received a \$500 Grant from the State Farm Foundation Good Neighbor Grant Program.

We enter the new year with our new slate of officers. President- Lorraine Kucinski; 1stVP – Vito Maturro; 2<sup>nd</sup> VP – Dan Carnicella; 3<sup>rd</sup> VP – Danielle Manganello; Secretary – Catherine Marucci; Treasurer – Vito Scarpelli, Sgt.-at-Arms – Anthony “JR” Mascolo and Members at Large; Anthony Biondi, Lenny Guglielmello & Pasquale Pisani.

(1-meat; 2-Mt. Everest. It just wasn't discovered yet; 3. None. There is no dirt in a hole; 4-Incorrectly; 5-You can't take pictures with a wooden leg!; 6-Donald Trump was still his name in 1975; 7-second; 8-Neither. Yolks are yellow)

## Chapter Business

Cathy Marucci reports that we are entering the new year with 149 members, with several anticipated to join in September.

Tentative list of Committees and Chairs recommended by the President:

News Media & Newspapers – TBD  
Good & Welfare and Awards – Vito Matturo  
National Liaison – Dan Carnicella  
Speakers – TBD  
Website – Dan Friginals and Pasquale Pisani  
Family Picnic – Sal Ferraro  
Movie Night – Phyllis Coldebella  
Piccolo Breakfast – Frank Cocchiola, Jr.  
Newsletter – Frank Cocchiola, Jr.  
Parade – TBD  
Monthly Meeting set up – Art Tuosto and Bob Wallace

(Move the first letter to the end of the word, then spell the word backwards. It will be the same word)

## Upcoming Events

Sept. 5 – Opening dinner meeting. This is a good opportunity for you to bring a guest who may be interested in joining our club.

Sept. 12 – Executive Committee meeting

Sept. 24 – District VII meeting

Oct. 2 – Columbus Day Parade Dinner

Oct 10 – Monthly dinner meeting. **Please note, this is a change from the regular first Thursday of the month.**

Oct. 13 – Columbus Day wreath laying ceremony and Columbus Day Parade.

Oct. 14 – New York Columbus Day Parade.

Dec.3 – Chapter Christmas Party at Nanina's

Dec.7 – Christmas with Santa event. Site and cost per person to be determined.

Cathy Marucci will present the details re: several trips she has been working on; Long Island North Fork Winery (Nov. 9), Mystic Seaport (Spring 2020) and the NY Botanical Gardens Holiday Train Show .

## Good & Welfare

- Condolences are offered on the passing of:  
Louis Verrico, a former member of the Chapter, and cousin of Mario, Frank and Joanne Cocchiola and Judy (Verrico) Geltrude, at the age of 83 on Sunday, Aug. 18.

Philip Priola, the son of former member Mel Priolo on July 8

- Marie Solimo was installed as 1<sup>st</sup> Alternate District VII Governor.

- Carmen Lore is recuperating at home after surgery. He and Mary Ann's daughter Alisha and husband Joe Pagano presented them with their 10<sup>th</sup> grandchild, Samuel Edward, on July 15.
- Jim Mauro's son Nick and wife Dina had a little girl, the fifth grandchild, on July 9.
- Alex Borges and Chiara Borruso were wed in Italy on July 6.
- Don Russoniello's daughter, Marta, received her Masters Degree in Linguistics on July 16 from the University of Verona in Italy.

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Quiz:

1. There is a clerk in the local butcher shop. He is 5' 10" tall and wears size 13 sneakers. What does he weigh?
2. Before Mt. Everest was discovered, what was the tallest mountain in the world?
3. How much dirt is there in a hole that measures two feet by three feet by four feet?
4. What word in the English Language is always spelled incorrectly?
5. In California you cannot take a picture of a man with a wooden leg. Why not?
6. What was the President's name in 1975?
7. If you were running a race and passed the person in second place what place would you be in now?
8. Which is correct to say, "The yolk of the egg are white", or "The yolk of the egg is white"?

(Answers above)

OK, to all our intelligent friends: What do these seven words all have in common?

- Banana
- Dresser
- Grammar
- Potato
- Revive
- Uneven
- Assess

(answer above)

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