



North Haven Sons & Daughters of Italy Lodge #2805  
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**NORTH HAVEN SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF  
ITALY  
LODGE # 2805  
SEPTEMBER - 2022 NEWSLETTER  
NEXT MEETING OCTOBER 4**

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- **Italian Heritage Month Celebration** - October 7 - October 15 in St Frances Cabrini Church Hall, See Full schedule
- **Fashion Show:** Regina – October 16, Contact Regina for information
- **Distinguished Citizen Dinner:** November 13 at Cascade in Hamden, Honoring Bernie and Lisa Gagliardi and Richard Branigan. Contact Gail Norup or Sue Velleca for more information tickets are \$65.00

**TICKETS TO ALL LODGE EVENTS WILL BE ON SALE AT  
THE LODGE MEETING AT THE BACK TABLE!  
AND BY CONTACTING THE CHAIRPERSON**

**Italian Heritage Committee** – Next meeting to be announced at the lodge meeting. See poster for information about Italian Heritage week and tickets. We have a few food demonstrations scheduled, if you would like to do a demo please contact Sueann Mentone.

**Fashion Show** Our fashion show is approaching and there are lots of things to do.

- I will need an update on ticket sales by the September meeting. If you need more tickets call me. If you think you won't sell your 10 tickets, i will take back any that haven't sold.
- Baskets - we continue to have the need for completed baskets, basket items, and/or anything that is used to make completed baskets. Our workshop will be on 10/6/2022 at my house beginning at 4:30 - 5:00. Directions to my house will be given at meeting. Food will be served.
- 3. Our next Fashion Show meeting is 9/21/2022, 6:30, my house.

Thanks to all of you for helping to make our fs a success.

REGINA

**\*\*A New Idea \*\***

**Angela Vitti** has coordinated a fun event for our Lodge. The Details will be worked out at the Lodge meeting.

Here's the basic idea; J Roo's is the Restaurant. We would pick a night (Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday from 4-9 pm) to do the fundraiser, circulate a flyer, invite friends and family to go on the day we select and we end up with a fun evening and 10% of what this brings in.

**\*\*LINE DANCE LESSONS\*\***

**Angela Vitti BEEN VERY BUSY! Thank you for this!**

**Angela is willing to teach us Line dancing. Its free to members  
Details at the October Lodge Meeting**

**\*\*Membership Drive and Community Outreach Program\*\***

**November 11 and 12 at St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish Christmas Bazaar. Santa will also be there! Bring the Kids or Grandkids and Community outreach will be collecting Mittens, Gloves, Scarves, and Hats for 'r kids Family Center**

# Community Outreach Committee

On our Meeting Night, we are making Gifts and holding a Potluck Supper at Lodge Meeting: We will be making a the craft/gift for the West Haven VA center. We hope to make approximately 50 gifts. The gifts will be made on the Lodge meeting night October 4<sup>th</sup>. We are also having a Potluck supper. Please bring a covered dish to share with all. This Starts at 5! Contact Lenny or Denise with questions.

Pictured from left to right are: Ralph Casciello, Tim Longo, Denise Krause, Georgianna Hull, Judy Feather, and Donna Casciello.



## Coming Soon!

We will partner with the American Red Cross to sponsor a blood drive at St. Frances Cabrini Church. Committee Chair Denise will be coordinating the details. The blood drive will be in January or February.

Possibly helping the VA hospital and/or Ronald McDonald House by cooking for them. They both accept meal donations. Hoping we can tap into some of the fine cooks in the Lodge! Georgianna will research Ronald McDonald House's policies and Judy will do the same with the VA. Once we know more, we will discuss the details, logistics, etc.

Committee Chair Denise Krause – 203-710-7397

Committee Members: Donna Casciello: 203-887-7308, Judy Feather: 203-909-5031, Georgianna Hull: 203-988-8006



**Community Outreach Committee is coordinating the collection of new winter outerwear items (mittens, gloves, scarves, hats) for all aged children supported by 'r kids Family Center.**

The 'r kids Family Center is a 501(c)3, Connecticut based non-profit organization committed to providing specialized, high-quality services to children in out-of-home care and their families; promoting permanency, safety and stability for children through services to their biological, foster or adoptive families.

We were founded in New Haven, Connecticut in 1996 by a grassroots group of concerned community professionals, foster and adoptive parents. The 'r kids Family Center is a licensed child placing agency through the state of Connecticut Department of Children and Families, and is credentialed through Applied Behavioral Health for a variety of child welfare related services.

**Please help us support the great work that 'r kids Family Center performs by bringing any new warm winter outerwear items (mittens, gloves, scarves, hats) to either the October or November Lodge membership meetings. Please include items for kids of all ages!**

**Additionally, we will have community collection boxes set up at the following businesses:**

Arnold's Jeweler's, 117 Washington Avenue, North Haven

Nick's Char-Pit, 22 Middletown Avenue, North Haven

Please contact one of our members for more information:

Georgianna: 203-988-8006 Denise: 203-710-7397

Donna: 203-887-7308 Judy: 203-909-5031



**North Haven  
Sons & Daughters of Italy  
Lodge #2805.  
Celebrating our  
Italian American Heritage**



**With a Full Slate of Events during Heritage Week!**

**Porketta Dinner \$30.00/ \$25.00 for Members**

**Porketta, Stuffed Shells Salad & Dessert.**

**Tickets must be purchased in advance. Email [sueann.mentone@yahoo.com](mailto:sueann.mentone@yahoo.com)**

**Sunday, October 9, 2022. 3:00**

**Author Joanna Leone "Slices of Life:**

**Italian American Stories!**

**Tuesday, October 11, 2022. 7:00**

**Author Rich Biondi - Italian American Experience in New Haven**

**Wednesday, October 12, 2022 7:00**

**Author Leo Marino "Amongst the Smoke Stacks in New Haven"**

**Growing up in Wooster Square!**

**Thursday, October 13, 2022 7:00**

*Light refreshments will be served following all author presentations!*

**Fried Dough Pizza Night. Enjoy fried dough pizza for just \$6.00 per pizza along with desserts and a free movie on our Italian**

**Heritage. Call Peachy at 203-239-2868**

**Friday, October 14, 2022 6:00 - 8:00PM**

**Cooking Demonstrations Saturday, October 15, 2022. 11:00AM to 2:00PM**

**Learn how our chefs make:**

**Amaretti Cookies, Ewanda, Chocolate Morsetts, Pizzelles & Artichokes**

**Coffee & goodies Available!**

**Author Presentations, Demos & Movie are all**

**FREE OF CHARGE!**

**View our numerous Italian American Posters**

**All above events at St. Frances Cabrini Church**

**57 Pond Hill Road, North Haven Ct.**

*Finish up the week at Il Monticello Banquet Facility in Meriden with a Brunch and Fashion Show featuring the fall and holiday styles of Carol's Creations in North Haven. October 16, at 11:30. Tickets are only \$45.00 per person.*

*Cash bar and plenty of great raffle prizes. Call Regina at 203-376-8524.*

**Bring your friends and celebrate your heritage with the North Haven Sons & Daughters of Italy #2805. [www.northhavenlodge2805.club](http://www.northhavenlodge2805.club)**



The North Haven Sons &  
Daughters of Italy Lodge 2805  
Presents

Our 8<sup>th</sup> Fall Fashion Show  
and Buffet Brunch

Sunday, October 16, 2022

11:30 AM to 3:30 PM

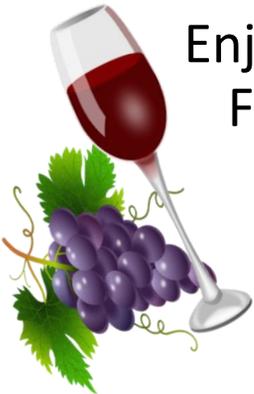
Presented at  
Il Monticello  
577 So. Broad Street  
Meriden, CT

Reserve your  
table now!

Ticket Price \$45.00 Cash Bar

Enjoy viewing the newest fashions for the  
Fall and Holiday collection of clothing,  
jewelry and accessories by

Carol's Creations  
of North Haven, CT



Please contact:

Regina, Committee Chairperson, at 203-376-8524 for  
more information and tickets. Visit our website  
to view pictures of previous years  
[www.northhavenlodge2805.club](http://www.northhavenlodge2805.club)

***A portion of all proceeds is donated to various charities***

# Fifties Dance

*Sponsored by The Sons & Daughters of Italy Lodge #2805*



**Saturday, October 29, 7-11 PM at**

St. Frances Cabrini Church Hall,

57 Pond Hill Rd. North Haven

**DJ Joe!**

**Dress to Impress!**

**Root Beer Floats, desserts, coffee**

**BYOB!**

**Dance Contest!**

**Prizes!**

**50/50 raffle!**



Tickets are  
\$15.00 for members  
\$20.00 for non members  
For more information  
contact Charlene at  
[charlog@comcast.net](mailto:charlog@comcast.net)

Or Call Charlene at 203-809-4564

**SANTA IS COMING  
SATURDAY  
11 AM TO 2 PM**



# Holiday

# Bazaar

Sponsored By



**ST. ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY PARISH**

**ST. FRANCES CABRINI CHURCH HALL**

**57 Pond Hill Road, North Haven**

**Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup> from 5-8pm**

**Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> from 9am-5pm**



**FEATURING:**

**A VARIETY OF ITEMS OFFERED BY OUR PARISH:**

- Items from Country Store Booth
- Bake Sale
- Christmas Items Table
- Book Sale Table,
- Yesterday's Treasures
- Religious Items
- Gently Used Costume Jewelry Sale

**ALSO VENDORS SELLING MANY ITEMS SUCH AS:**

- Candy Apples & Treats
- Scented Candles
- Lotions
- Soaps
- Christmas Decorations & Ornaments

***Come join us at our Church Kitchen for supper  
on Friday night and lunch on Saturday.***

***Featuring: Sausage & Peppers, Eggplant, and Meatball Subs,  
Hotdogs, Chips & Desserts.***

**Also take a chance on wonderful Baskets & homemade Afghans!  
You can also purchase a ticket for our Parish Benefit Raffle!**

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize: \$500 Cash prize, ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize \$300 Cash prize**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: \$200 Cash prize, ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Prize \$100 Cash Prize**

**And don't forget to purchase some  
DELICIOUS HOME BAKED GOODIES**

**Come for Bargains Galore and a fun time!**

