

# Norwood Italian Lodge #1235

## March 2024 Newsletter

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Dear Lodge Members,

Our next meeting is on **Wednesday, March 6th at 6:30 pm**. Note the earlier meeting time as we are having our Pizza & Salad prior to our meeting. **Cost is \$8 pp**. Please call or email Steve if you are attending. After supper, the agenda will move quickly so that we can get started with our first-ever cornhole event. We look forward to some fun, exercise and friendly competition! We also have five members taking part in the Grand Lodge's Corn Hole event on Feb. 25th at the Watertown Lodge. They can report back to us on how it went.

I am grateful to the many members who were able to show respect to the Mastandrea & DeFazio families upon the loss of our dear sisters, Betty Mastandrea and Louise Defazio, who were dedicated Italian Lodge members for many years. We will all miss their friendship. Please remember them and their loved ones in your prayers.

Please note that Andy Ciarletta, our Financial Secretary, is still awaiting some lodge members' annual dues of \$50. Please remit dues to him at the meeting or by mail to 506 Nichols Street, Norwood, MA 02062. Please make checks payable to Norwood Italian Lodge #1235.

Our Lodge will initiate two new members at the March meeting: Suki Vazquez and Carolyn Kennedy. Also attached with this newsletter, you will find a membership list for your reference.

Winter hasn't been too bad so far. Hopefully the weather will cooperate for our meeting in March. Our Council was able to meet in February—on Valentine's Day. We had some good discussions. We would like to do a wine tasting event at our April Meeting and we are looking for a volunteer chairperson for this.

Please continue to bring food donations for the food pantry if you can. The need is always great.

We look forward to seeing you next month!

*Steve Eosco, President*



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**Meeting 6:30 PM**  
**Wed. March 6, 2024**  
**VFW POST #2452**  
**193 DEAN ST**  
**NORWOOD, MA**

