



**Dear Norwood Italian Lodge #1235 Members,**

**JUNE 2015**

In an effort to get information out quickly, this newsletter is in an informal format this month. I thank all the members for their support of the newly elected board and for the outstanding attendance at Conrad's Restaurant for the installation ceremony. I hope everyone had a great time. I also extend thanks to George & Diana Franco for their outstanding leadership and to all who helped out for the installation ceremony. Summer comes quickly but not before some other important lodge events take place.

- I remind everyone to try and contribute if you can with the **yard sale, Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.** that is so generously being held again at the property of member, Fran Harwood, 407 Washington St., Norwood. If you can donate items, assist with set-up or clean-up, it would be so greatly appreciated. This event is a wonderful fundraiser for our organization. Call Fran at 781-762-1652 ahead of time if you are dropping off items for sale. (No electronics please)
- A great way to close our year is by attending the **Scholarship Dinner on June 2<sup>nd</sup>** at Bon Caldo's Restaurant. All the details are on the reverse side of this letter. Our two \$1,000 scholarship awardees this year are: Kara Shea, granddaughter of lodge member, Mary-Ann Naumann; and Amanda Springer, granddaughter of lodge members, Barbara and Frank Fruci. I thank the Scholarship Committee members: Barbara Campagna, Winnie Carfagno and Toni Eosco for their dedication and time to this lodge activity. Please send in your checks (or cash) as soon as possible.

During the summer months, the new board will meet to brainstorm ideas to hopefully develop a robust calendar to start in September. As delegates, my wife (Toni) and I will gather much information at the Grand Lodge Convention in June and report back to all of you. Meanwhile, consider asking some of your friends to join our lodge as well (regular or social members). If you have any suggestions or ideas that you would like to share, please contact me anytime by phone or via email at: [steve\\_toni@norwoodlight.com](mailto:steve_toni@norwoodlight.com) As always, please inform our **Sunshine Lady, Emily Malacaria**, at 781-762-5926 of any members who are seriously ill, recuperating, or in need of cheer. See you soon!

Steve Eosco, President (781-769-7865)

See installation photos on our website at: [www.norwoodsonsofitaly.org](http://www.norwoodsonsofitaly.org)