#### ROMA LODGE NEWSLETTER



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#### **OCTOBER 2021 ISSUE**

# MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Roma Lodge Brothers,

I hope this letter finds you all safe and healthy.

I want to begin by apologizing for the confusion regarding the Members Dining Room. Our plans were all set until we found ourselves short on staff. This is something every business has been dealing with. The Dining Room did reopen on September 17th with a new limited menu highlighting some of the new items that will be on the full menu when we are able to fully reopen. Even though we are still having diners order at the bar, everyone I talked to was very happy with the quality of the food. Please stop on out and try some of the new items. I think you will be pleased.

The Wednesday night buffet will continue to be open. I want to thank Ron and Pat Lucas and Linda Talek once again for volunteering their time over the summer for the buffet. They will be leaving in October so if anyone is interested in volunteering, even once a month, please contact me. Reservations are always recommended as this helps us plan for staffing and food preparation. Pricing is \$9.50, \$8.50 for seniors 55 and older and \$6.50 for kids.

Our carryout/curbside service will continue to be available to

the public on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays as well as Café Roma on Friday nights. Please remind your friends that these are available to them.

Bingo is back at Roma Lodge and participation has been excellent! Bingo has always been an important function here at Roma Lodge and requires many volunteers. If you have the time to volunteer, please contact Jim Faraone or Mike Peratt.

The next Roma Lodge Membership meeting is scheduled for Friday, October 8th at 7:00 PM and will be our normal social meeting to wrap up the festival. We will be having the top gun awards for those that sold the required number of books to be eligible. The next Roma Lodge Board of Directors meeting will be Tuesday, October 5th at 6:30 PM. We will continue to do everything we can to keep our meetings as safe as possible for our members.

Che Dio vi benedica! (God Bless you all!)

Frank L. Bisotti

President

#### **OCTOBER 2021 EVENTS**

Tuesday, October 5 Friday, October 8

Saturday, October 9 Sunday, October 10 Monday, October 11 Wednesday, October 13 Saturday, October 16 Thursday, October 21 Sunday, October 31 Board of Directors Meeting
Members Social Meeting
(Bring your spouse or significant other)
Columbus Day / Wine Tasting Event
Roma Lodge Cribbage Tournament
Columbus Day
U.S. Navy Birthday
Sweetest Day
Back to the Future Day
Halloween



# Columbus Day / Wine Tasting Event Saturday October 9th. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM Members Restaurant



Tickets are \$25.00 and available at the Roma Lodge through Briana and her staff (262-886-3610).

The entertainment will be provided by Tradizione Vivente, The Italian Dance Group of Milwaukee.



This is a member/guest event. Please come out and support your club by attending and bringing a guest or two. You may bring up to eleven (11) guests



DOORS OPEN – 4:00 PM FOOD SERVICE – 4:45 PM BINGO START – 6:00 PM

We need help during October. If you would like to volunteer your time, please contact:

Jim Faraone: 262-657-1244 – <u>jfaraone@wi.rr.com</u> Mike Peratt: 262-942-1212 – <u>mperatt22@yahoo.com</u>

Rich Nygro (October Captain): 262-308-5758 - rnygro1@wi.rr.com

#### **NOVEMBER 2021 EVENTS**

Tuesday, November 7 Friday, November 10 Friday, November 10 Saturday, November 11 Thursday, November 25 Friday, November 26 Board of Directors Meeting Membership Meeting USMC Day Veterans Day Thanksgiving Black Friday



#### **Funeral Service Calling Tree Schedule**

The Calling Tree schedule includes those members whose names are listed on the Membership List between:

Suspended Until Further Notice

#### **OBITUARIES**

#### Frank William Aiello

#### November 5, 1935 - September 20, 2021



Frank William Aiello, age 88, a resident of Kenosha passed away on Monday September 20, 2021 at his home surrounded by his loving family. Born on November 5, 1932 in Kenosha he was the son of the late Louis and Chancey (Fumo) Aiello. He was educated in the schools of Kenosha and played key roles on

several winning football and basketball teams for Bradford High School.

Frank served in the military form 1952-1956 and achieved Navy 3rd Class status. He spent two years at Great Lakes Naval Base and was deployed for two years on the USS Philippine Sea (CV-47) aircraft carrier.

On June 6, 1959 he married Delores (Lori) Christman in Kenosha and they were happily married for more than 60 years.

Frank was employed for 42 years by Allstate Insurance Company and ran his own agency for the company in Kenosha for more than 25 years. Frank touched the lives of thousands of local customers during his tenure with Allstate, and many of those customers became friends. Highly respected in the community, he was a member of the Roma Lodge in Racine and a longtime active member of St. Mary's Catholic Church. He enjoyed attending his children's and grandchildren's sporting events, reading, and his trips to the casinos. In addition, Frank and Lori were avid travelers and spent time during many winters enjoying sunshine in the Sarasota, Florida area. While

back in Kenosha, Frank could often be seen out and about enjoying his time at local restaurants with either friends or members of his family. Both Frank and Lori always lived by the motto "Family First" and they have taken special care to make sure that approach is carried forward in their memory.

Frank is survived by his three sons, Bryan (Molly) Aiello of Peoria, Arizona, Michael Aiello of Kenosha and Andrew (Agnieszka) Aiello of Carmel, Indiana; four daughters, Virginia (Mark) Ebacher of Park Ridge, Illinois, Jayne Steinmetz of Kenosha, Karen (Dave) Parmentier and Shelly (Kevin) Peltier, both of Pleasant Prairie; fifteen grandchildren, Andrea and Sabrina (Nick Bocik) Aiello, Megan (Lance Palen), and Matthew (Kelsey) Steinmetz, Marisa (Danny) Simenson, Greg and Anna Ebacher, David (Bryanna), Jacob and Alex Parmentier, Grace and Luke Peltier and Aleksa, Avery and Austin Aiello; four great grandchildren, Kaiden and Lennon Steinmetz, Noah Palen, and Emmaline Parmentier; a brother, Richard Aiello of Kenosha; brothers and sisters in-law Ralph and Rosie Christman of Kenosha, Norm and Carol Christman of Menomonee Falls and Don and Mary Christman of Kenosha, all of whom are dear family; as well as nieces, nephews and many good friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents Louis and Chancey Aiello, his wife Delores Aiello, his sister Olivia Ruffolo, and his sister and brother in-law Jeanette and Richard Krause.

The immediate family wishes to thank all of those who cared for Frank during his last days including Shelley Flasch; the wonderful doctors and nurses at Froedert South Hospital, particularly Dr. Anna Silenzi and Kristen Kmetz; and many other friends and family members.

CASEY FAMILY OPTIONS FUNERALS AND CREMATIONS.

Our sincere condolences go out to Frank's family.

# Roma Lodge Golf Outing



Mike Peratt announced that after thirteen (13) years he will be stepping down as the organizer of the Roma Lodge Golf Outing. We want to thank Mike for all his years running the golf outing and for all the work he does for the club.

We are looking for someone to take over the golf outing. Mike is happy to talk to anyone interested and he said he has everything computerized, which will make the transition smooth.



You can contact Mike at 262-942-1212 or via e-mail at mperatt22@yahoo.com.

# Buon Compleanno e Tanti Auguri Happy Birthday to our Roma Lodge Brothers Born in October

October 1	Joel Beck	October 09	Dominic DaPra	October 24	Joseph Nemec
October 2	Paul J. Costanzo	October 12	Thomas Linden	October 25	Frank Maritato
	Frank Perugini	October 13	Tom Blise	October 26	Eugene (Gene) Perrelle
October 3	Ronald Ernst		Bernard Polzin		John Perugini
October 4	Albert Kosterman	October 20	David Donaldson	October 27	Randall Chiapete
	<b>Howard Olson</b>		Leonard Juliano		Richard Chiapete
October 5	Joe Jardina		Guy Schetter		Jason Johnson
October 7	Thomas Janikian	October 21	Randal M. Marvin	October 29	Alessandro Dal Vecchio
	Matthew Russell	October 23	James K. (Jim) Covelli	October 30	Charles Christiano
October 8	Frank Catrine		Angelo Sarto	October 31	John DeFazio
	David Hotchkiss	October 24	Dominic Anzalone		Joe DeRose

List compiled from the Roma Lodge Membership Files. Contact Mike Peratt, <a href="mperatt22@yahoo.com">mperatt22@yahoo.com</a> if corrections are needed.

#### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

The following gentlemen are scheduled to be voted on at the October 8, 2021 Membership Meeting.

Michael Harscher - Age 53 Lives in Kenosha, WI Born in Chicago, IL Former real estate broker Married (Dawn Marie) two children Mother is of Italian descent (Romano) Proponent: William Pucci Jr.

Michael Misna – Age 54
Lives in Racine, WI
Born in Czech Republic, came to the US in 1971
Owner of Liquid Product LLC
Married (Rachel Centrano Misna) four children
Wife is of Italian descent
Proponent: William Pucci Jr.

NOTE: Name pronounced "Molsa"

The following gentleman was screened and recommended by the Membership Committee for vote at the **November 12, 2021** Membership Meeting. The Board unanimously approved the recommendation at the September 7, 2021 Board Meeting.

Nick J. Chiappetta - Age 34

Lives in Kenosha, WI Married (Natalie) One child
Born in Racine, WI Father is of Italian descent (Romano)

Owner of Chiappetta Shoes in Kenosha Proponent: William Pucci Jr.



The last Coffee and Cars was held **Saturday**, **September 11<sup>th</sup>**. We had 91 vehicles show to end a great car show season. We hope to see you next year and remember our motto – "If it's special to you, it's special to us". Bring your "special" car for all to see.



1955 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery Owner – Blakely Hood



1934 Ford 5 Window Owner – Bob Blake



1960 Ford F100 Owner – Grant Evans



1970 Oldsmobile 442 Owner – Joe Nemec



1960 & 1968 Chevrolet Corvette Owners – Connie & Dick Krueger



1959 Ford Edsel Owner – Rebecca Feehrer



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#### SEPTEMBER CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT

The September tournament was held on Sunday the 12<sup>th</sup>

1st Place: \$5, \$10 \$15 pool - Terry Kueker 2nd Place: \$5, \$10 \$15 pool - Pat Diem 3rd Place: \$5, \$10 pool - Eric Litrenta 3rd Place: \$15 pool - Mark Mano



# CRIBBAGE Is Back



# Roma Lodge Tournaments OPEN TO MEMBERS, SPOUSES AND THEIR GUESTS Cost \$10 per Person

Format: 6 games against 6 different individual opponents

**CASH** drawing at start of tournament!

**NEXT TOURNAMENT IS** 

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 10TH** 

SIGN UP AT 12:30PM

**TOURNAMENTS START AT 1PM** 

**OTHER PLANNED DATES:** 

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 7TH
SUNDAY DECEMBER 5TH

Contact Mark Mano 813 523-7052

with questions.

Come have fun and enjoy the competition.

# Roma Lodge Members Restaurant Menu

#### **Appetizers**

Antipasti tray 12.50

Arancini (4 risotto balls) 10.50

Calamari (served w/ Roma Red sauce) 9.99

Bruchetta (served w/crostini and Balsamic glaze) 7.99

Mozzarella Sticks (6 pc w/ side of Roma Red sauce) 5

Chicken tender basket (3 strips w/french fries & ranch or BBQ sauce) 4.99

Fried Ravioli (8 pc w/side of Roma Red sauce) 4.99

Eggplant Fries (w/Roma Red sauce) 4.99

Fries 2.50

 $\underline{\textit{P\'izza 16}"\textit{round}}\text{w/cheese (additional toppings 2.00 ea.) 11.95}$ 

pepperoni, sausage, tomato, peppers, mushrooms, black olives, onions

**Sandwiches** (all sandwiches served w/ side of fries)

Open face Sirloin Sandwich (sautéed mushrooms & onions, tomato & provolone cheese) 12.95 Chicken Caprese Sandwich (tomato, basil, mozzarella, and balsamic glaze) 10.95

**Pasta Entrees** (all pasta entrees served over a bed of pasta w/ salad, & breadsticks)

Lasagna 11.95 Chicken Parmesan 11.95 Eggplant Parmesan 10.95

#### **Buíld Your Own Pasta** 8.50

(Includes salad & breadsticks)

#### Pasta

Angel Hair Spaghetti Penne Bowtie

#### Sauce

Roma Red sauce Creamy Alfredo Pesto Garlic & Oil

#### Add Protein

Meatballs (3 pc) 2 Italian Sausage (1link) 3 Chicken Breast (4 oz) 4 Shrimp (6 pc) 5

#### <u>Fish fry</u>

Fried Cod (4 pc) 11.95
Fried Perch (5 pc)
12.95
(Served w/ coleslaw, tartar sauce, lemon wedge& fries)

#### <u>2 Grilled or</u> <u>fried</u> Pork chops 11.95

(Served w/2 sides)
(Add peppers & onion 1.50)

#### <u>Sídes</u> Add side for 2.50

Italian rounds
French fries
Side Salad
Breadsticks (4)
Apple sauce
Vegetables (seasonal)

All pricing subject to 5% sales tax.

<sup>\*</sup>Consuming raw or under-cooked meats, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness.



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# Roma Lodge Dine-in Menu

Friday's from 4pm-8pm

For reservations, please call 262-886-3610 SPECIALS

Grilled Chicken Sandwich w/ Fries - \$8.95

Topped w/ lettuce, tomato & garlic aioli

Pizza Burger w/ Fries - \$8.95

Chicken Caprese Sandwich w/ Fries - \$10.95

Grilled Chicken Breast topped with tomato, basil, mozzarella, and drizzled with Balsamic Glaze.

# PIZZA

16" Cheese - \$12.95
Additional Toppings - \$2.00
Toppings Include: sausage, pepperoni, green peppers, giardiniera, mushrooms, onions, tomatoes, & black olives.

### CHICKEN

4pc Chicken Plate - \$10.95 Served w/ potato, coleslaw, & bread.

# <u>SANDWICHES</u>

Meatball Bomber w/ Fries - \$6.95 Served w/hot/mild giardiniera + Mozzarella Cheese - \$1.00

# <u>FISH</u>

Fried Cod (4pc) - \$12.95

Fried Cod (All you can eat) - \$14.95 Fried Perch (5pc) - \$13.95 Fried Perch (All you can eat) - \$15.95 \*ALL include: Choice of Potato, Coleslaw, Tartar Sauce, & Bread

# PASTA

Mostaccioli & Meatballs Plate - \$8.95 Served w/ Bread House Lasagna - \$12.95 Served w/Salad & Bread Sticks

# DESSERT

2 Mini Cannoli - \$3.00 Vanilla Ice Cream (Pint) - \$3.00 Spumoni (Pint) - \$3.00

# **EXTRAS**

Large Salad - \$3.95 Mozzarella Sticks (4) -\$4.95 Fried Meatballs (8) - \$7.50 Bread Sticks (12) - \$7.95



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# Roma Lodge Carryout & Curbside Menu

To order please call 262-886-3610 Thursday's - Saturday's 4pm - 8pm

Grilled Chicken Sandwich w/ Fries - \$8.95

Topped w/ lettuce, tomato & garlic aioli

# Chicken Caprese Sandwich w/ Fries - \$10.95

Grilled Chicken Breast topped with tomato, basil, mozzarella, and drizzled with Balsamic Glaze.

Pizza Burger w/ Fries - \$8.95

# PIZZA

16" Cheese - \$12.95
Additional Toppings - \$2.00
Toppings Include: sausage, pepperoni,
Green peppers, giardiniera, mushrooms,
Onions, tomatoes, & black olives.
Family Pizza Dinner - \$39.95
2-16" 1-Topping Pizzas, ½ Pan of Salad
and 12 Bread Sticks

# **FISH**

Fried Cod Plate (4pc) - \$12.95
Fried Lake Perch Plate (5pc) - \$13.95
Fried Cod Family Dinner (10pc) - \$29.95
Fried Perch Family Dinner (12pc/1 lb) - \$31.95
\*\*\*Pasta served w/bread
\*\*\* ALL include: Choice of potato,
Coleslaw, tartar sauce, & bread.

# DESSERT

2 Mini Cannoli \$3 Vanilla Ice Cream (Pint) - \$3 Spumoni (Pint) - \$3

# CHICKEN

4pc Plate w/Potato, coleslaw, & bread. - \$10.95 8pc Bucket -\$13.95/ Family Dinner - \$19.95 12pc Bucket-\$17.95/ Family Dinner - \$23.95 16pc Bucket-\$22.95/ Family Dinner - \$28.95 \*\*\* Dinners include: Choice of potato, Coleslaw, tartar sauce & bread.

# <u>SANDWICHES</u>

Meatball Bomber w/ Fries - \$6.95 Served w/hot/mild giardiniera +Mozzarella Cheese for \$1

# <u>PASTA</u>

Mostaccioli & Meatballs Plate – \$8.95 / Family - \$19.95 served w/Bread House Lasagna - \$12.95 w/ Salad & Bread Sticks

# **EXTRAS**

Bread Sticks (12) - \$7.95 Large Salad - \$3.95 Mozzarella Sticks (4) -\$4.95 Fried Meatballs (8) - \$7.50



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**Deadline for information for November 2021 Newsletter is October 20, 2021**. Comments, suggestions, and articles of interest to our members are welcome at <a href="mailto:roma.secretary.jam@gmail.com">roma.secretary.jam@gmail.com</a>.

Jon Morelli, Roma Lodge Secretary