



July 2026 Newsletter

Dinner Together at Franks on Brambleton, August 9

Join us for dinner together at Frank's on Brambleton Avenue at 4:00 pm on Sunday August 9. Contact Jim Privitera by August 6 to reserve your seat.

Special Event Luncheon in Christiansburg, August 31

We will meet for lunch at Sandro's Italian Restaurant and Pizzeria (2775 Market Street, Christiansburg) on August 31 at 12:30 for a lunch in the New River Valley, to give those interested in the club at Virginia Tech and the New River Valley an opportunity to learn about the club. Club officers will be there. If you can participate in this special event, contact Jim Privitera by August 27 to reserve your seat.

Dinner Together, July 12

Twenty-six club members and friends dined together at Momma Maria's on Sunday July 12. We were entertained by Michale Sollicito, crooning in the best tradition of Dean Martin, Frank Sinatra, and Tony Bennett.



Sunshine Committee

Remember Joanna Colosimo and family during her medical treatment. Lucy Burke is in the rehab center at Our Lady of the Valley.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Teresa Birmingham, Nancy Canova, Linda Claussen, Joanna Colosimo, Tricia Chopski and Louise Tablett celebrate birthdays in July. Donn Esposito, Rosemarie Novotny and Cecilia Stoutamire will celebrate birthdays in August. Mike & Teresa Birmingham, Donna Esposito & Joe Rossman, Al & Pat Marraccini, and Jim & Clare Privitera celebrate anniversaries in July. Leo & Anna Hoffman and David & Tricia Chopski will celebrate anniversaries in August.

Club Dues

If you have not yet paid your 2026 dues, mail your \$20/member check, payable to the Italian American Heritage Club, to Treasurer Ed Tablett.

Da Porgy e Bess. E' bello in l'Italiano

L'estate, e la vita e facile, i pesci saltano e il cotone e alto. Tuo padre e ricco e tua madre e bella, quindi stai zotto piccolo bambino non prangere.

