



SONS & DAUGHTERS OF ITALY



Watsonville Lodge #2016

January 2024

Buon Capodanno ~ Happy New Year!

Here we are starting a new year, where has the time gone? We celebrated the holidays at our December dinner meeting with a fantastic dinner and raffle. It was nice to see so many members and their family.



We also sponsored the Ag History Holiday Lights at the Santa Cruz County Fairgrounds. This year the displays were endless, the drive through the fairgrounds amazed me.



SCHOLARSHIPS



Our Lodge looks forward to awarding students scholarships every year. Now is the time to have your graduating high school family members read and complete a scholarship application. It will be available on our website. www.watsonvillesonsofitaly.org Note: the last date to file is April 12, 2024 at 5:00 p..m.

If you have any questions, please contact Michelle Cecchini at 831-818-44450 or 831-684-1665 or at mcecchini@baymoon.com



Our menu for January 18 will be
Chicken Cacciatore with Polenta
(chicken breast, mushrooms, bell peppers, zucchini, onions, kalamata olives in marinara sauce)
Herb rolls
Salad
Dessert
reservation made....is a reservation to be paid.
Members \$20 ... Guests \$25

RSVP by Sunday, January 14! You will receive a courtesy reminder call before that Sunday. Please make sure that you respond. **If you make a reservation and do not attend, you will be charged and asked to refund the Lodge for your order. Call Cheryl at 831-578-2376 or Silvia at 831-722-6279 or Martha at 831-722-1869**



1200 41st Ave., Suite B, Capitola, CA 95010
831-435-6411 <https://www.busybeescatering.com>

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Membership Dues

Its time to pay your membership dues. The dues will remain the same for 2024 \$100 per member. Junior members are free. Please make your check out to Sons & Daughters of Italy Watsonville Lodge #2016. You can pay at the dinner meeting or mail it to P O Box 1438, Watsonville, CA 95077. If you have already sent in your check, Thank You!

What's Happening

Thursday, January 18 SDOI Dinner Meeting Doors open at 5:00 Dinner served at 6:15.
12 Brennan St., Watsonville, CA 95076



Melissa is our Sunshine Lady, if you know of a member who is under the weather, or needs a card to perk them up, please let her know 775-846-6529
She is also asking our members to send her a brief family history and recipe(s) they enjoy making so we can have a collection to share with each other.

Sons & Daughters of Italy Watsonville Lodge #2016 Officers

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