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Message from the President

Roma Lodge Brothers:

My final Presidents letter! Amazing how fast four years flies by. It has truly been an honor to serve Roma Lodge as its 29th President. It's also been a humbling experience. I think anyone in this position wants to make everyone happy, but the reality is, it's impossible. The board and I have worked hard these last four years to keep Roma Lodge the great club that it is. I've seen so many step-up and give of their time for the betterment of the club. I want to thank them all individually but I'm sure I will forget someone. I first want to thank all the great men on the board who have served during my tenure. These men work tirelessly for the good of the club. I want to thank all the committee and event chairmen for the enormous amount of their own time they put in each month. I could not have done my job without you. Lastly, I want to thank all the members. Without you and your support, Roma Lodge would not exist. Grazie!

I want to congratulate Jon Morelli on being your next President. I know he and his board will continue to work hard for our great club. I know the rest of us will continue to support the club in any way we can. It's the reason Roma Lodge is the great organization that it is!

And now for the usual reminders.....

I want to thank all the members that are utilizing the members dining room on Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. We now have an expanded menu on the weekends and Michael will continue to offer a weekly special. The buffet continues to offer a variety of items. The food has been delicious. Please consider our dining room when making plans to dine out. We ask that groups of 6 or more on Fridays and Saturdays no longer request separate checks and those groups will have a 19% gratuity added to their bill.

Reservations are always recommended as this helps us plan for staffing and food preparation. The reservation line is (262) 886-8850.

When making reservations on a Saturday night, keep in mind that the weeks that the couples bocce league plays tend to be busier and most of the teams are trying to get their meals complete by 7pm. I suggest making reservations either early at 5pm or at 7pm or later for the best service.

Pricing for the buffet is \$14.00, \$13.00 for seniors 55 and older and \$8.00 for kids. Volunteer help on Wednesdays is always appreciated. Please contact me or Guy Schetter if you are interested in volunteering.

Bingo participation continues to be 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 Jon Morelli, Mike Peratt, or Dennis Porcaro.

I know I put this in the newsletter each month, but it is important. If you have some time to give to the club, please consider being a part of the many committees we have or helping organize and work on some of our many social events throughout the year. You can contact me or any of our board members if you have an area of interest. Our membership involvement and participation will always be the key to our success. A special thank you to all that contribute your time on a regular basis. Grazie!

The next Roma Lodge Membership meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 14th at 7:00 PM. The next Roma Lodge Board of Directors meeting will be on Tuesday, March 11th at 6:30 PM.

Che Dio vi benedica! (God bless you!)

Frank L. Bisotti

President



MARCH MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The March Membership Meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 14th.

Elections will take place 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM in the Hall of History.



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



If you would like to volunteer your time, please contact one of the following:

Jon Morelli: 262-994-2861 – roma.secretary.jam@gmail.com

Dennis Porcaro: 262-884-9121 – apprlservices@netscape.net

Inserted to the right is the table of Bingo Captains for 2025. We need people interested in being captains to volunteer. The empty months in the table need captains.

Each captain is required to secure volunteers to sell cards on the floor.

In addition to captains, we need volunteers to step up to learn the role of selling game cards (this job requires you to be at Bingo from 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM at a minimum. We can also use others to learn the other jobs of Bingo.

Please consider giving your time. Bingo is an important source of income for Roma Lodge.

BINGO CAPTAINS	
JANUARY	Ed Morelli
FEBRUARY	Ken Scolaro
MARCH	Don Vena
APRIL	Jason Evitts
MAY	
JUNE	Rich Nygro
JULY	
AUGUST	
SEPTEMBER	Jon Morelli
OCTOBER	
NOVEMBER	Frank Bisotti
DECEMBER	Jon Morelli

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

March 1	James Heck	March 11	Ernie Rossi	March 23	Louis Arnone
	Jeffery Wilkins	March 13	Edward Palladino	March 24	Pete Ciaramita
March 3	Brad Albee	March 16	Egidio Infusino	March 25	David Silvani
	Joseph Matson		David Porcaro	March 27	Kyle George
March 5	Donald Paar	March 18	Frank Angelini	March 28	Robert Holewinski
March 9	Rich Simpson		Michael Staeck		Gary Krause
March 11	Eric Litrenta	March 21	Nunzio Germanotta	March 31	James LaBelle

List compiled from the Roma Lodge Membership Files. Contact Pat Tierney, teamtierney@sbcglobal.net if corrections are needed.



Funeral Service Calling Tree Schedule – January through March

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

Adamowicz, Randy – DaPra, Dominic

If you are notified of a funeral during your scheduled three-month period, you are expected to attend to represent the Lodge. You are not required to attend every funeral; however, you are encouraged to attend at least one during the quarter. Other members are also encouraged to attend. There will be a special Roma Lodge sign in book at the service for members who attend to verify that they are fulfilling their obligation.



Sick and Shut-ins

On behalf of the members of Roma Lodge, the Sick and Shut-ins Committee sends flowers to the funeral of deceased members as well as “Get Well” cards to members who are hospitalized or ailing at home. If you know of a Roma Lodge brother who passed away or is hospitalized or ill at home, contact Steve Rawlinko, srawlinko@wi.rr.com or by phone at (262) 308-7997.

ROMA LODGE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WEEKEND DUTY SCHEDULE

February 28, March 1

Dave Chiapete

March 7, 8

Mike Garbo

The remainder of the schedule will be finalized in early March.



Bocce Schedules

To view bocce schedules please click on the following link:

<https://www.romalodge.com/members/league-schedulesroster-sheetbocce-rules>

MARCH 2025 EVENTS

Saturday, March 1

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Sunday, March 2

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Monday, March 3

Tuesday, March 4

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Sunday, March 23

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Monday, March 24

Tuesday, March 25

Tuesday, March 25

Thursday, March 27

Saturday, March 29

Sunday, March 30

Couples Bocce

National Peanut Butter Lover's Day

Kids Bocce – 12:00 PM

Read Across America

National Anthem Day

National Hug a G.I. Day

Mardi Gras

Paczki Day 2025 (Shrove Tuesday, Fat Tuesday)

Ash Wednesday

National Oreo Cookie Day

National Cereal Day

Employee Appreciation Day

Kids Bocce – 12:00 PM

National Meatball Day

Daylight Saving Time Starts

National Hug Your Dog Day

National Mario Day

Board of Directors Meeting – 6:30 PM

National Good Samaritan Day

National Popcorn Lover's Day

National K9 Veterans Day

Election – 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Members Meeting – 7:00 PM

Pi Day

National Potato Chip Day

Couples Bocce

National Corn Dog Day

Kids Bocce – 12:00 PM

Saint Patrick's Day

National Chocolate Caramel Day

Certified Nurses Day

St. Joseph's Day

Spring Equinox (Start of Spring)

Kids Bocce – 12:00 PM

National Chip and Dip Day

National Cocktail Day

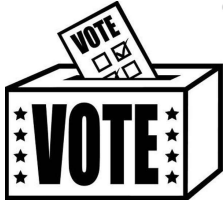
National Medal of Honor Day

National Physician's Week

International Whiskey Day

Earth Hour

Kids Bocce – 12:00 PM



2025 OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS

Nominations were made at the February 14, 2025, Membership Meeting. Elections will take place on Friday, March 14th from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM in the Hall of History. The office of Recording Secretary received no nominations. That position will be filled by appointment of the next President and approval by the Roma Lodge Board of Directors.

The sample ballot is shown below.

The candidate statements are printed on pages 6 thru 9 of this newsletter.

If you have question concerning the election or would like to request an absentee ballot please contact Jeff DeMatthew at dematthew@ameritech.net or 262-880-7474.

ROMA LODGE MARCH 14, 2025 ELECTION BALLOT

PRESIDENT

Jon Morelli

VICE PRESIDENT

- Bill Pucci, Jr.
 Dennis Porcaro

PARLIMENTARIAN

Guy Schetter

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY

Pat Tierney

TREASURER

Pat Diem

DIRECTORS (Vote for up to four)

- Matt Montemurro
 Steve Rawlinko
 Dave Silvani
 Keith Stannis

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

PRESIDENT

Jon Morelli



Fellow Roma Lodge Members.

I am Jon Morelli and I am honored to have received the nomination of the Roma Lodge Board to be your next President.

I have been a member of Roma Lodge since August of 1997. In March of 2020, I was elected to the board as a director. President Dave Chiapete appointed me to fill the vacancy of Recording Secretary in April 2020. I have served in that role for five years.

In addition to my Officer duties, I have served on the Festival committee since 2018. I have also worked the festival every year since I became a member of the Lodge with over fifteen years as “money runner” for the ticket and admission booths. I have worked as bingo chairman, caller, seller and callback for many years. For the past few years I have been co-chair of Coffee & Cars with my brother-in-law, Keith Stannis, continuing the position from Rick Bonanno. Also, I have been the captain of Grill One (The Morelli Family Grill) since Roma Lodge took over Pancake Day.

Roma Lodge has been an important part of my life for the past twenty-seven years. It has been a great place to meet new people with common interests and heritages. I feel that being a member of Roma Lodge is a privilege and a place where our members feel welcome and have enjoyable experiences. I value our members’ opinions and know that it takes all of us to make the lodge a successful club. I believe that when we hold our meetings we need to take care of business in a respectful and professional manner. It is necessary to keep members engaged with business that is being conducted during the meeting, while enjoying the social activities before and after the meeting.

We have many challenges ahead of us. I know we have the expertise within our club to move forward and meet those challenges. We need to tap into our membership, putting the most qualified members in position and/or on committees to help our club achieve our goals. We want our members to be involved and offer their talents to enhance and strengthen our club. Our future depends on it.

My professional career includes engineering, purchasing

and sales for Square D Company, Modine Manufacturing and Nexeo Plastics. Since my retirement in 2022, I have been working at Kortendick Ace Hardware as an assistant manager.

In the past, I have served as President of St. Andrew Lutheran Church for four years, served as the chairman of the Modine United Way Campaign for ten years, was President of the Horlick High School Soccer Booster Club for three years, was President of the Racine Area Running Club and have been involved in race organizations, serving as Race Director, timer and volunteer since 1990. I strongly feel that my professional life and my volunteer history benefit me with my role as the President of our great club. I know that we will need to work together to move our organization forward.

I have been married to my wife Patti for 42 years. Together we have raised two children, Danielle and Mitchell, and we have two grandchildren, Amari and Ariyah.

Lastly, I want to thank you for this opportunity and I am excited to begin this next chapter in my life.

Jon Morelli

VICE PRESIDENT

Bill Pucci

Brothers:



My name is Bill Pucci Jr. a candidate for the position of Vice President. I joined the Lodge in 2001 and was first elected to the Board of Directors in 2006. I’ve served on the board under three past presidents and Sergeant of Arms

under another.

Currently I’m serving on the RIWA committee and as chairman of the Racine Pancake Day these last 4 years. In the past I served as Chairman of the Social Committee responsible for the planning of many Lodge events, these included Members Christmas Party, Family Picnic, Columbus Day, Superbowl Party etc. I have volunteered to work our festival for more than 37 years, most recently I’ve been enjoying Bocce and Roma Golf league.

In the last few years I’ve been proud to sponsor 6 new members, one of those my son Will. I have worked with Jon Morelli, our apparent new President, on the board and as a Pancake Day committee member. I would be proud to serve under and alongside Jon. It’s not news that the

future of our lodge is tied directly to the success of the business/banquet side of the lodge. Bold moves and new thinking is required for the front end and while serving on the RIWA committee I'm hopeful and anxious to help turn things around.

I'm asking for your support so I can continue to help advance the progress and growth of the Lodge while honoring the Lodge's past and the past contributions of its members. With wise leadership I want to insure that my son's sons will have the Roma Lodge here to nourish his love of being Italian and what that all means.

Dennis Porcaro



My fellow Roma Lodge Members:

I am Dennis Porcaro and I'm asking for your support in the upcoming election.

I have been a member for the past 44 years.

I am a past Director and Vice President. I am currently the appointed Vice President. I would like to continue in this role to give my full support to the incoming President.

Over the years, I have been involved in most membership functions and activities. I presently serve on the Festival Committee and as booth captain for Café Roma during Festival. On Thursday night you will find me volunteering at Bingo.

I would appreciate your consideration for Vice President.

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Guy Schetter



As parliamentarian I will continue to keep the rules and by-laws up-to-date and available for membership to view. Will also fairly, and without prejudice, interpret and give opinions on the application of the rules and by-

laws of Roma Lodge.

My goal is to keep the rules relevant to today's lodge and to recommend to the board and membership changes that would be beneficial to Roma Lodge and the membership.

I anticipate continuing to participate in Bingo, Buildings and Grounds, RIWA and wherever else I can be of use. I

appreciate the trust and confidence many members have indicated to me and hope that number only grows through this next term.

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY

Pat Tierney



I have been a member of Roma Lodge for 29 years.

During that period, I have served the Lodge in the following areas:

- Membership Secretary.
- Director on the Roma Lodge Board of Directors.
- Membership Screening Committee (10+ years).
- RIWA Future Growth Committee.
- Coordinator for the Men's Golf League.
- Pancake Day Committee.
- Planning and Bylaws Committee.
- Festival preparation.

Over the past two years as Membership Secretary, the lodge has approved 31 new members, yet we are still challenged to have a net gain in membership. With the support of the Board, the membership approved a bylaw amendment to reduce the time it takes to become a member from three months to two months, which has assisted in maintaining membership momentum. However, we need to generate feedback from the membership to implement strategies that will move the Lodge forward. It is my belief that the Roma Lodge continues to be one of the best organizations in southeast Wisconsin and northern Illinois.

As Membership Secretary, I will utilize the resources we have available to us to initiate positive actions that will sustain the long-term growth of the Lodge.

TREASURER

Pat Diem



It is my pleasure to serve again as Treasurer of Roma Lodge and support the brothers of the lodge. I thank everyone for the support they gave the Lodge, all Lodge events, and the RIWA banquet business in 2023, 2024, and the start of 2025. I serve

on the Festival Committee and would like to thank everyone for your past support. We are starting to plan for this years festival, so please let me know of any ideas

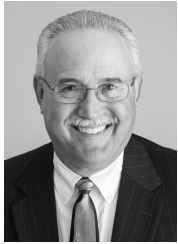
you have for this year. As Treasurer, I will continue to provide the financial results of the Lodge and RIWA and other responsibilities as outlined in the bylaws or defined by the Board of Directors.

Sincerely,

Patrick Diem

DIRECTOR

Matt Montemurro



My name is Matt Montemurro and I am honored to have received the nomination of the Roma Board for a Director position. I have been a member of Roma Lodge since 2013 and I currently serve as the Chairman of the Investment Committee.

I also served as a Director on the board from 2021-2023. I recently retired from the Racine Area Manufactures and Commerce (RAMAC) where I served as the President/CEO for the last 8 years. Prior to working at RAMAC, I worked for 37 years in the banking industry spending the last 20 at Johnson Financial Group as a Vice President in the Commercial Banking Division. I have had the privilege to work with businesses both large and small.

My background allowed me to be able to lead one of Racine's most successful nonprofit organizations that represents the business community here in Racine.

I feel my business background will be an asset to Roma Lodge and I look forward to serving the members in my directors position. Thank you!

Steve Rawlinko



I've been a member for 25 years. In that time I have only missed a handful of meetings and spent tons of time on many events. My intention is to keep Roma viable long term. On the Cares and Sick and Shut-Ins Committees I enjoyed my interactions with members. I

started the green energy fund, which has grown to \$557.80 dollars to bring our future energy costs down. I have 21 solar panels on my house and have cut my electric bill by 85%. We have a great campus for doing this. Our energy is approaching 60 KW a year. We have a 40 year-old building with many needs. I ask for the opportunity to continue with our traditions and remember all the great members who I've met and came before me. Thanks for considering me. Thanks, Steve Rawlinko.

Dave Silvani



I would like to introduce myself; my name is Dave Silvani. I've been a member since 2009. I have served on the board for eight years and volunteered for events including Italian Festival, Pancake Day, and Kids Christmas Party. I am currently the Bocce

Chair for Couples bocce, Kids Bocce, Kids Christmas Party and now Summer League Bocce. I am an active member of the lodge sitting on committees for RIWA, Pancake Day and Bocce. Outside Roma I continue to build great relationships with other clubs. I enjoy attending all the events hosted by Roma Lodge and have helped increase the attendance by promoting the events. I am grateful to be able to continue to be a leader and a voice for Roma Lodge and its members. I look forward to the next two years serving this great lodge and its members.

Thank you.

Dave Silvani

Keith Stannis



My name is Keith Stannis, and I am running for a position on the Board of Directors for Roma Lodge.

I have been a Roma Lodge member in good standing since 2004. I was given an opportunity to join Roma Lodge by my proponent, Robert Morelli, who sadly passed away a few years later. My wife, Lisa Morelli now Lisa Stannis since 2001, has encouraged and supported me to be a member of the Lodge, informing me that I should bond with her brothers creating a lifelong friendship, recognizing Italian heritage. So, since 2004, I have done just that.

My lifelong experiences as a Police Officer attaining the rank of Lieutenant of Detectives after (35) years of service, retiring in 2010, has taught me to review all of the facts of a case prior to making an informed and proper decision. I believe I have the skills to be fair and impartial on problem solving issues that arise while seated on the Board of Directors at Roma Lodge.

In 2011, I accepted the position of Deputy Medical Examiner, Racine County, however I recently retired from the Medical Examiner Office after (11) years of service conducting Forensic Investigator duties. I now have the time to move forward with community activities, utilizing the history of true-life experiences as my guide.

I am an avid Bingo volunteer on a weekly basis. I call-back Bingo player's alleged Bingo, validating the card on Thursday nights and paying the winners proper. I also coordinate the weekly bingo Call-Back volunteers' schedule. I believe Bingo is absolutely essential to create funds for the good and welfare of Roma Lodge.

I am a member of Pancake Day Grill #1, currently undefeated in the production of fast food, and the notorious Pancake Flip demonstration, inviting all other Grills to compete against the Morelli gang.

I have worked at the Roma Lodge Festival site since I became a member under the direction of Jeff De Matthew in food and beverage sales. Last year, I also volunteered to place and direct placement of the Signs at the Festival, just days prior to opening. Good Weather followed that made our festival a success.

I Co-Chair, Coffee and Cars, with Jon Morelli in the summer months that I truly enjoy, relieving Rick Bonanno who was the previous Chairperson.

The continued success of Roma Lodge lies with it's membership. The sons and grandsons of members must be coached and directed to the valuable lessons of Italian heritage at Roma lodge.

Current board members and the extended membership must make good solid financial decisions keeping in mind what could happen if another mutant Novel Covid-19

infectious disease would arise affecting the U.S again. This is something that we had no control over which nearly ruined us in 2020.

For the last two years, I have served Roma Lodge on the Board of Directors assigned to the Building and Grounds committee. As the building ages, costly repairs are required and will demand immediate attention. In 2024 and 2025, frigid inclement weather left us with frozen pipes that burst, water damage and cleanup on two occasions. Steel entrance doors gave way to oxidation that required replacement.

A new patio constructed on the east RIWA banquet hall kept water from flowing onto the dance floor in addition to an underground water shed from the rain gutters. Numerous other maintenance was completed however the cost is never economical.

I will continue to serve the Roma Lodge membership for the next two years on the Board of Directors with confidence addressing building maintenance issues as they arise.

I am proud to be a member of Roma Lodge. I would represent the membership of Roma Lodge with the highest degree of enthusiasm and professionalism on your Board of Directors.

Keith Stannis

THE TRADITION CONTINUES



69th Annual Racine Pancake Day

**SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH
7 AM TO 3 PM**



Tickets

ADVANCE SALE - \$10.00

AT THE DOOR - \$12.00

CHILDREN 5 & UNDER - FREE



FOR MORE INFORMATION,
SCAN THE QR CODE WITH
YOUR SMARTPHONE

**ROMA LODGE IS LOCATED AT
7130 SPRING ST, RACINE, WI 53406**

**CONSISTENT WITH THE PURPOSE OF THE ROMA LODGE, PROCEEDS WILL BE USED TO FUND
CHARITABLE, CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES IN OUR COMMUNITY**

If you are able to volunteer for Pancake Day please contact Bill Pucci at wmpucci50@gmail.com or Vicki Christensen at betchr2000@gmail.com

OBITUARY

Rosalbino Ammendola

August 16, 1939 – February 19, 2025



Rosalbino Ammendola, age 85, of Kenosha, Wisconsin passed away on Wednesday, February 19, 2025.

The full obituary was not available at the time of printing for this newsletter. When more information becomes available an email will be sent to the members.

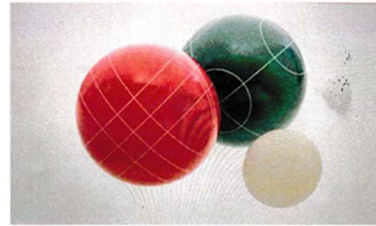
Roma Lodge 2025 Kids Bocce

Starts Sunday Feb 16

Banquet Sunday April 13th

Sundays from 12:00 until 2:00

Hot Dog concessions will be open each week



Come play the Italian traditional game of Bocce!!

Learn from our very own highly skilled players!

Ages 5 and up open to members

children, grandchildren and their friends!

2025 ROMA LODGE SOCIAL EVENTS

Saturday, April 26

Saturday, May 3

Friday, July 4

Friday, July 25

Saturday, July 26

Sunday, July 27

Saturday, October 11

Sunday, December 7

Saturday, December 13

Pancake Day

Kentucky Derby Party

Parade and Float

Roma Lodge Italian Festival

Roma Lodge Italian Festival

Roma Lodge Italian Festival

Columbus Day Celebration & Wine Tasting

Kids Christmas Party

Members Christmas Party

BUILDING AND GROUNDS ANNOUNCEMENT



The Buildings and Grounds committee has recommended the reroofing of the section of roof that currently covers the “Public” kitchen and the replacement of three (3) roof top units located on said roof. One (1) roof top unit was replaced last July as it had failed and was unrepairable. The three remaining units are of the same age and condition as the one replaced.

The roof will be taken off, any damage underneath will be repaired or replaced and the area (approx. 2,788 square feet) will be roofed with a new 90 mil EDPM product with a 30-year labor and materials warranty. This does not mean the roof will never leak, it means the product and the installation are warranted to be free of defect for 30 years.

The requested amount for this project is two hundred twenty-five thousand dollars. (\$225,000)

Per the by-laws of Roma Lodge, the project will be discussed at the March Membership Meeting and voted upon at the April Membership meeting.

ARTICLE IX – MISCELLANEOUS

Section 4: The President shall have the authority to approve expenditures of up to \$1,000.00. Any expenditure of \$1,000.00 or more, but less than \$3,000.00, shall require the approval by two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors. Any expenditure of \$3,000.00 or more shall be submitted to the general membership for approval.

A. In case of an emergency, the President may approve whatever monies are required to repair and/or replace items required to remove the emergency.

Respectfully submitted by Guy Schetter

APRIL 2025 EVENTS

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April Fool's Day
National Sourdough Bread Day
International Fun At Work Day
National Peanut Butter and Jelly Day
National Walking Day
Autism Awareness Day
International Children's Book Day
National DIY Day
National Chocolate Mousse Day
International Carrot Day
National Love Our Children Day
National Deep Dish Pizza Day
Kids Bocce – 12:00 PM
National Caramel Popcorn Day
World Health Day
National Beer Day
Board of Directors Meeting – 6:30 PM
Members Meeting – 7:00 PM
National Pet Day
Passover
National Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day
American Civil War
Kids Bocce Banquet – 12:00 PM
Palm Sunday
National Peach Cobbler Day
National Pecan Day
Assassination of Abraham Lincoln
Tax Day
Emancipation Day
Holy Thursday
Good Friday 2025
Holy Saturday
Easter Sunday
Patriots' Day
Earth Day
Take our Daughters and Sons to Work Day
Arbor Day
National Pretzel Day
National Superhero Day
National Shrimp Scampi Day
International Guide Dog Day
International Jazz Day

Roma Lodge Patio Brick Program

Become a permanent fixture at Roma Lodge!!

Consider the Roma Lodge Patio Brick Program

Some ideas are:

- Your name and when you joined.
- For deceased family members – when they were members.
- In memory of a loved one.
- All Family members names.
- Imagine a brick and add it to the patio.

If interested, please fill out the order form on the next page and return to Dennis Porcaro. You can also order by scanning the QR code below or going to <https://roma-lodge.square.site>

Orders taken will be completed and installed in the spring of 2025.



4" x 8" Brick
\$75.00



12" x 12" Brick
\$200.00



Roma Lodge Patio Brick Program

Bricks are available to members of both Roma Lodge and Vittoria Colonna.

Each brick serves as a testimony of your support and commitment to a lasting memorial to family and friends for generations to come

BRICK OPTIONS

4" x 8" brick consisting of three lines of type, 12 characters per line is \$75.00.

12" x 12" brick consisting of six lines of type, 15 characters per line is \$200.00.

Check must accompany your order

To purchase a brick please contact:

Dennis Porcaro

Phone (262) 884-9121 Email - apprlservices@netscape.net

4" by 8" Brick

NOTE: Spaces count as letters.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

12" x 12" Brick

NOTE: Spaces count as letters.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15

BRICKS WILL BE INSTALLED IN EARLY SPRING OF 2025

Buyer Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Roma Lodge Clothing Store

Members interested in ordering Roma Lodge clothing can now do so by directly ordering from **The Lettering Machine**.

TO ORDER FROM THE WEBSTORE:

Visit <https://theletteringmachine.com/RomaLodge/shop/home>

Feel free to call The Lettering Machine at (262) 652-4177 if you have any questions. Thank you for your business!



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