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A Message from National President Nancy DiFiore Quinn





Hello my Brothers and Sisters,

The old saying that "time flies" is certainly true! Here we are into September 2020 and hopefully looking forward to a new vaccine that will end this COVID issue.

Fall is a time for renewal. Let's continue to make sure that we make every effort to fight to keep our beloved Columbus statues and our very own holiday "Columbus Day". We can't let our guard down until every state in our country is assured of our shared heritage issues.

This is also the time to look ahead to the upcoming holidays. Thanksgiving will be especially significant this year ... as we look back on all the things we can be thankful for. The Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America is "alive and well" and even though we cannot visit one another in person ... good things are going on. Our weekly interviews from "Season One" were a huge success and we should all be looking forward to the start of "Season Two"! Our State Presidents are working hard to keep their membership interested and focused on the future of our Order. Thank you to all our members and our staff for "Keeping the Lion on the Move"!

Nancy DiFiore Quinn National President Order Sons & Daughters of Italy in America® .2 of 7



OSDIA Slogan Contest!



Calling all creative minds, advertising copywriters and wannabes! OSDIA is sponsoring a contest that is open to all OSDIA members to develop a fresh, new, edgy slogan for our Order. Entries should be 20 words or fewer (shorter is preferred), conveying the essence of OSDIA and what it means to be member. Ideally, we use it as a hashtag.

The winner will be determined by a vote of the members of the Technology Committee and will receive special recognition in "Italian America" magazine along with a \$200 cash prize. The winning slogan will also be transitioned into a custom logo, and will be used on a unique T-shirt that will be available for purchase.

The contest closes at midnight October 31, 2020. All entries or questions should be emailed to membership@osia.org and include your name and your lodge.

Buona Fortuna!



OSDIA Interviews LIVE!: Season 2 Premiere

Join us for the first episode of *OSDIA Interviews LIVE!*: Season 2, next

Wednesday (9/9) at 7pm EST/4pm PST

on Facebook Live





Our hosts Lisa Marie Falbo and Clarissa Burt will be joined by Italian American world-renowned singer, actress and best-selling author, Deana Martin!

Don't forget to tune in and leave your questions for Deana to be asked during the live show!





Columbus Under Attack



The Commission for Social Justice® (CSJ) is the anti-defamation arm of OSDIA and has led the charge in defending Columbus and our heritage. They have taken a front line approach with communities and politicians while also trying to educate on the history and importance of Columbus.

If you have been upset and disturbed by the recent damage to Columbus statues around our great nation, please consider DONATING to defend and protect our heritage!

To stay up to date on CSJ's fight to preserve our Italian American heritage, follow their <u>Facebook Page</u> and check out their <u>Website!</u>



Member Benefits



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OSDIA Members Save 10% off Back to School Essentials

It's Back-to-School Season! Which means it's time to start shopping for school supplies. Save more this year when you shop in store or online at Office Depot OfficeMax with your member discount. OSDIA members can save an additional 10% off their qualifying regularly priced purchase now through September 30th.

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Make sure to follow the Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America® on Social media to stay up to date on all things OSDIA, three advertising levels to choose from.

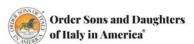
All proceeds raised from the business directory will directly benefit the Commission for Social Justice.

For more information, click here.

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