



Dear Friend,

I am tremendously proud to celebrate the Italian American Police Society of New Jersey's 25th Silver Anniversary this year. It seems like it was only yesterday that I met with the Bergen County Police Columbus Society to take over their charter and create a statewide organization of Italian American law enforcement officers. I can remember sitting with a small group of the founders of our organization wondering if such a group would have a draw throughout the state. I can remember our organization's first meeting at the Roma Restaurant in North Arlington which was charged with energy and enthusiasm. That night created a bond between many of us that has lasted for twenty five years. I can remember the energy that evening as we enjoyed a meal together and left as friends.

Over the years our organization has developed its mission to serve the changing needs of our State's Italian American law enforcement community while always being mindful of the rich heritage and core values that we share as the children of immigrants. Our organization has developed a strong reputation in Trenton and has enjoyed the support of eight New Jersey Governors as well as a host of legislators. The Italian American Police Society of New Jersey has served as the nexus for uniting other Italian American law enforcement organizations in various parts of the region. Our organization has developed a long standing friendship between us and the New York City Police Department Columbia Association which has resulted in collaboration on mutually important issues. Our Society also enjoys the support and respect of the NJ State PBA, NJ State FOP, Police Honor Legion of NJ, many professional organizations and chief's associations and the NOBLE Northern NJ Chapter.

The primary reason for our tremendous success is the high caliber of our members. Our organization is truly fortunate to have the most dedicated Executive Board of any law enforcement organization in our state. The men and women of the Italian American Police Society of New Jersey's Executive Board work tirelessly throughout the year to raise money for charities, volunteer to organize events, mentor children, sponsor cultural events, provide scholarships to children of police officers, provide community service and many other difficult tasks. It is one of the greatest accomplishments of my life to have founded this world class organization and it is a tremendous honor for me to continue to lead it into the next quarter century. I look forward to improving upon our continued success and expand programs and services. I dedicate our organization to continue to support the recruitment and advancement of Italian American law enforcement officers into leadership positions in the coming years. I also intend on expanding the organization's role in the education and policy development of issues that concern the law enforcement community. I look forward to seeing you at our 25th Anniversary Silver Celebration at the NJPAC in Newark.

William Schiavella



The Italian American Police Society of New Jersey
Presents Their 25 Year
Silver Anniversary Celebration

Date: September 10, 2010

Place: Newark's Performing Arts Center – Outdoors at the Theatre Square Grill

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$100.00

Dress: Business Casual

Featuring: Wines of the World paired with a menu including; Chef Carved Roasted Tenderloin of Pork & Flank Steak, an Antipasto Station with Assorted Italian Cheeses, Meats, Roasted Peppers, Olives, Artichokes, a Brick Oven Personal Pizza Station, Table Side Caesar Salad, A Pasta Station including Shrimp Scampi & Linguini with Clams, Espresso, Coffee, Tea and Chef made Biscotti dipped in Chocolate!

Cigar Roller ❖ DJ for Dancing Under the Stars ❖ Cash Bar for Liquors

Silver Anniversary Commemorative Items

For Tickets Contact:

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