



The Gulf Coast Italian American Cultural Society & the Mississippi Society Of Italian Americans (MS SOFIA) present our

1st Annual "FESTA ITALIANA*"

Proceeds fund a SVDP School scholarship

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2018 NOON-6 PM

Holy Family Parish grounds (outdoors) & St. Vincent de Paul School gymnasium (indoors), 4321 Espy Avenue, Long Beach, MS

Dress Up and Join Our

"FAMOUS ITALIAN CHARACTERS PARADE"

The most authentic characters win!

GRAND PRIZE #1:

OVERNIGHT STAY FOR 2 at THE SILVER SLIPPER CASINO -dinner, overnight lodging & breakfast-

GRAND PRIZE #2:

OVERNIGHT STAY FOR 2 at THE PALACE CASINO & RESORT

BEST KIDS' COSTUME PRIZE ALSO!

First 25 parade registrants receive a FREE ITALIAN SODA (RSVP below)

DINNER: ITALIAN MENU

BAKED ZITI, 2 MEATBALLS, SALAD, ITALIAN BREAD, PIZZELLE, ITALIAN DRINK: \$12-adults, \$6-kids (ages 5-12)

entree/salad prepared by Silver Slipper Casino

A LA CARTE: MEATBALL SANDWICH - \$6

SELFIES WITH "ROCKY BALBOA"

BOCCE (learn & play)

ITALIAN WEDDING COOKIE CAKE RAFFLE & TARANTELLA DANCE

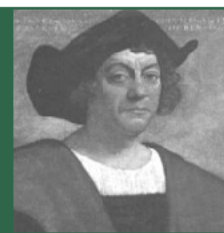
(taught by Sylvana Caruso Newkirk, USM Foreign Languages Instructor)

Plus! MS GULF COAST CORVETTE CLUB CAR SHOW



Just a few suggested Italian Parade Characters:

- ADRIAN/ROCKY BALBOA
- ANY ITALIAN POPE
- MARIE BARONE (Everybody Loves Raymond)
- AL CAPONE
- CHEF BOYARDEE
- FRANK COLUMBO (Columbo)
- CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS
- MICHAEL/SONNY/VITO CORLEONE (The Godfather)
- GEORGE COSTANZA (Seinfeld)
- LEONARDO DA VINCI
- LAVERNE DE FAZIO (Laverne & Shirley)
- CATHERINE DE MEDICI
- JOE DIMAGGIO
- LOUIE DiPALMA (Taxi)
- DOMINICK, The Italian Christmas FABIO Donkey
- ARTHUR "THE FONZ" FONZARELLI
- VINNY GAMBINI/MONA LISA VITTO
- GEPPETTO & PINOCCHIO (My Cousin Vinny)
- LA BEFANA (The Italian Witch)
- LADY GAGA/MADONNA
- JAKE LaMOTTA
- LIBERACE
- SOFIA LOREN
- TONY MANERO (Saturday Night Fever)
- MONA LISA (the painting)
- MRS. MANICOTTI (The Honeymooners)
- LUCIANO PAVAROTTI
- SOFIA PETRILLO (The Golden Girls)
- ROSEANNE ROSEANNADANNA (Saturday Night Live)
- FATHER GUIDO SARDUCCI (Saturday Night Live)
- FRANK SINATRA/DEAN MARTIN/TONY BENNETT
- "SOPRANO" FAMILY MEMBERS
- TOPO GIGIO or PEPINO, The Italian Mice
- CARLA & NICK TORTELLI (Cheers)
- STEVEN TYLER (Aerosmith)



PARADE RSVP: Nicole Miller (228) 365-6797

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FREE General Admission