



May 2025 Italian Film Festival,

Sponsored by:

Franklin Sons and Daughters of Italy, Quattro Eroi Lodge 1414

Franklin Historical Museum

Franklin Senior Center

The Franklin Historical Museum is honored to host a collaborative Italian Film Festival this May. The Museum, located in Franklin's Cultural District, will feature four films. The public is invited and the **events are FREE**.

The film schedule:

- **May 3 at 6:30 pm - *Roman Holiday*** (a classic 1953 romcom starring Gregory Peck and Audrey Hepburn, highlighting the beauty of Rome, 118 minutes)
- **May 10 at 1:00 pm - *Luca*** (Italian-themed 2021 Pixar animated film)
- **May 17 at 6:30 pm – *Cabrini*** (2024 biopic depicting the life of Catholic missionary Francesca Cabrini, and how she overcame barriers facing a woman trying to implement programs for the disadvantaged, 142 minutes)
- **May 31 at 6:30 pm – *The Italian Job*** (1969 British 'comedy caper' mostly set in Italy, 99 minutes)

All showings take place at the **Franklin Historical Museum, 80 West Central Street.**

ANDIAMO! FINDING YOUR ITALIAN FAMILY

- Presenter: Margaret R. Fortier, Certified Genealogist
- When: May 3, 2025 6:30-8:00 pm
- Where: West Side Social Club, 4 Harrington Court, Wakefield, MA 01880
- Free with Light Refreshments
- Please RSVP to: Marie Oliveira at olliem@rcn.com by April 26, 2025

Why did your Italian ancestor have five cousins all named Joe? Why did married Italian women travel under their maiden names? Was Sally in the US really Serafina? Why were Italians slow to naturalize? Why was food a source of celebration? This talk explores the factors that pushed and pulled Italians to emigrate, what they found when they arrived, Italian naming patterns and name changes, and how to start your search. Several examples of records are examined, step by step.

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**SUNDAY
MAY 04, 2025**



**\$45.00
PER PERSON**

2025 SPRING LADIES FUN FILLED DAY OF BOCCE



EVERYONE IS WELCOME

(TEAMS WILL BE CHOSEN ACCORDING TO SKILL LEVEL)

9AM START / NO REFUNDS

**8:30am-BREAKFAST PASTRIES/COFFEE/JUICES/TEA/HOMEMADE COOKIES
AND DELICIOUS LUNCH**

**50/50 RAFFLE TICKETS
&
BEST BALL COMPETITION**

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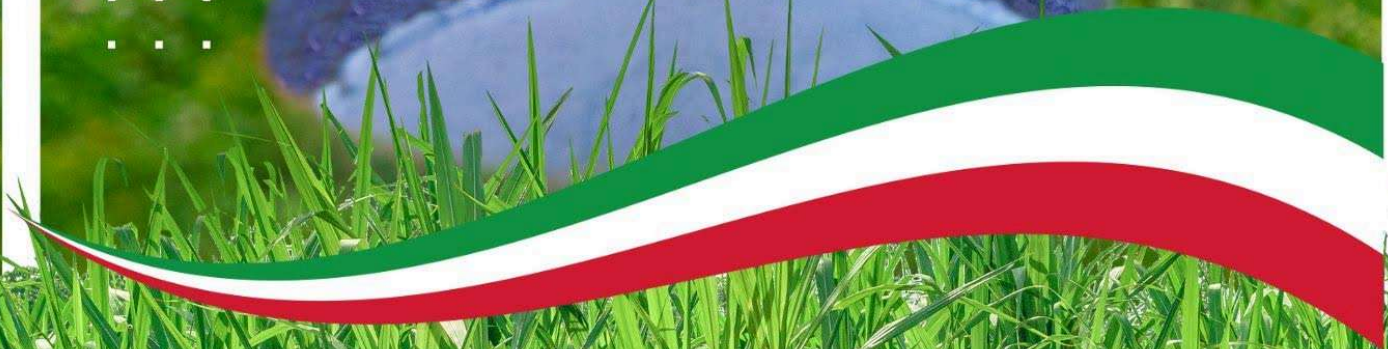
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Charitable works of the Sons & Daughters of Italy

25 AUGUST 2025 || 10:30AM

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