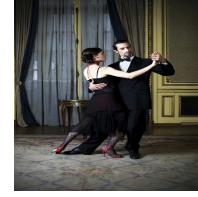


"Fed-Nite" 2010



Mark your calendars for this very special night, **Friday, June 11, 2010** at the **Hanover Manor**, 16 Eagle Rock Ave, East Hanover. It will be the Paterson Federation's "**Second Annual Fed-Nite**" dinner dance. It is a very special night for several reasons. First, due to the state of the economy, it was decided to forego the Flagship Ball fund raiser for a couple of years as it has been difficult to get corporate backing for this function. This leaves "**Fed-Nite**" as the only fund raiser that we, as a group, can support to raise money for our **scholarship program**. The scholarship has been raised to two recipients this year and will be awarded that evening so we truly are in need of your support.



Secondly, it will be the "kick off" of a new program that was launched by the Federation, the "**Chairman's Distinguished Council Awards**". As you all are aware, this award will be given to a member council who fulfills the most activities as set forth by the Federation guide lines. Based on the responses and reports coming in to us, the councils have embraced this new program and we thank you for that. The intent is to recognize and reward our **own** councils for their involvement in the many functions and charitable things that they participate in.

So far, many council's have been sending in their forms for this program and their activities have been recorded on a master spreadsheet. If you have not done so, it is not too late as balloting will close on **May 15th**. Observing so far, the many things that the councils are doing is making the scoring system very tight and close and the decision will not be easy. As a result of this, it has been decided that, not only will there be a main Chairman's award, but there will also be additional "runner-up" awards, given out that evening! Perhaps there will be as many as five depending on the final results.

Remember to keep sending us all your updates and participation so that we can tabulate everyone fairly. This is not recognition of any one individual but your **entire council**.

Frank A. Manganelli
Federation Chairman