

Irish Celebration @ HIL



Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 15th, because the Italians are celebrating the Irish in style! Come on down and get ready for a fun evening featuring all your favorite Irish food and drinks. Our kitchen will be serving up hearty classics like Corned Beef and Cabbage, stick-to-your-ribs Bangers and Mash, rich Guinness Stew, and the ultimate comfort food, Cottage Pie! We'll be pouring Irish Car Bombs, mixing up Irish Cola Floats, and much more from the bar. To keep the party rolling, we'll have DJ Tony Bennett spinning tunes in the dining room from 2-5 p.m. Keep an eye on your email and Facebook for more details and the full menu!

BAR

Daily Bar Specials/ Happy Hour

Happy Hour: Monday-Friday,
4-6 p.m. 50¢ off all drinks

Monday: Miller Lite Pint \$2.75

Tuesday: House Wine \$4.25
(Cabernet or Chardonnay)

Wednesday: House Vodka \$3.75

Thursday: Miller Lite Bottle \$2.50

Friday: Stella Pint \$3.75

Saturday & Sunday: Lager Pint \$2.75

Spice up your winter! We are excited to announce the launch of our new seasonal cocktail menu, featuring fresh and festive drinks perfect for the season—come on in and try one of our new concoctions today!

HOURS OF OPERATION

Main Bar:

Sunday Through Thursday 12pm-11pm

Friday & Saturday 12pm-12am

Dining Room:

Monday-Sunday 12pm-10pm

FOR RESERVATIONS or TAKEOUT

CALL 717-534-1765 OPT 1

BETWEEN 12PM-10PM. Please do not leave reservations on voicemail.

ENTERTAINMENT

All shows are held in the dining room from 7-9 p.m., unless otherwise noted.

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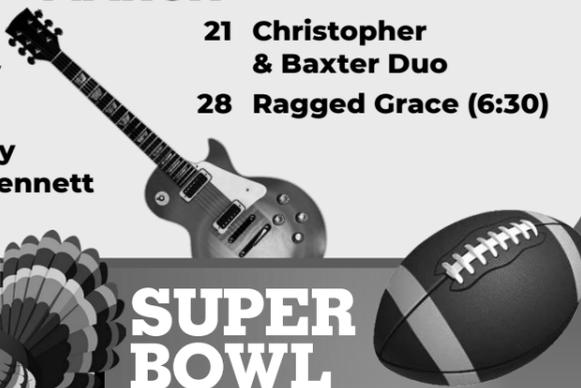
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| 3 Ragged Grace (6:30) | 17 Corinna Joy |
| 10 The Neighborly | 30 Alyssa Marie |
| 16 Karaoke with Big John | |

FEBRUARY

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| 6 Dave Kelly Duo | 28 Adam Blessing |
| 21 Alonso & Gevers Duo | |

MARCH

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| 7 Sherri Mullen | 21 Christopher & Baxter Duo |
| 13 The Neighborly | 28 Ragged Grace (6:30) |
| 14 Quiet Soul | |
| 15 St. Patrick's Day with DJ Tony Bennett (2-5 p.m.) | |



TURKEY CASH RAFFLE WINNERS

Cash Winners

- \$1000 - Ginny Hess, Harrisburg
- \$500 - Jim Gould, Hershey
- \$250 - Ralph Zerbe, Palmyra
- \$200 - Wendy Nunemacher, Harrisburg
- \$150 - Pamela Moore, Hershey
- \$100 - Mary Coleman, Hershey
- \$50 - Ralph Picarelli, Camp Hill
- \$50 - Luther Stone, Annville
- \$50 - Jeff Huzvar, Hershey
- \$50 - Jon Shimp, Palmyra

\$25 Gift Card Winners

- Faye Betsker, Mechanicsburg
- Mark Pierce, Hummelstown
- Tisha Mills, Steelton
- Alicia Luciani, Hershey
- Joseph Snyder, Harrisburg
- Linda Risser, Manheim
- Lillian Drayer, Hummelstown
- Larry Zimmerman, Sr., Hummelstown
- Holly Pofi, Harrisburg
- Jeffe Gettle, Lebanon

SUPER BOWL

Get ready for the biggest game of the year! Come watch the Super Bowl with us on Sunday, February 8th, with kick-off scheduled for 6:30 PM, and enjoy our food and drink specials, including 10 wings for \$10 (dine-in only) and 2 large pizzas for \$25. If you're hosting a party, let us do the heavy lifting! We can handle all your game-day takeout needs—wings, bolis, hoagies, pasta, and more—just call 717-534-1765 to place your order, and remember that all take-out orders must be placed by Tuesday, February 3rd.



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WINTER 2026

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From the President & the Executive Board

Dear HIL Family Member,

Welcome to 2026! I hope your holiday season was filled with joy and quality time with loved ones. It was a whirlwind of a season here at HIL, and we loved seeing the club so full of life—from our sold-out Thanksgiving feast and bustling dining room to our banquet rooms, which were alive with non-stop holiday parties and special events. Between the festive energy of our Sip & Shop and our wonderful member Christmas Eve party, the spirit of the club has never been stronger. While we've enjoyed celebrating these traditions, our focus remains on the future. We are constantly working to elevate the HIL experience and have some truly exciting projects in store for the year ahead!

Your dining experience is getting a fresh update! Starting in January, look for a refreshed menu featuring creative new additions alongside those all-time member favorites that have become a staple of your visits to the club. To make your 2026 dining even more rewarding, don't forget to pick up our new 2026 Coupon Book. It's an incredible value—offering \$60 worth of savings for just \$20—the perfect way to enjoy our new dishes and classic favorites all year long!

Elevate your cold winter evenings with our 2026 entertainment lineup! Join us for live music on select Friday and Saturday nights, now featuring updated performance times of 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. The fun continues with Music Trivia with Ffrej on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month, and the return of Karaoke with Big John on January 16 (plus dates throughout the year). Because these nights are member favorites, we strongly recommend booking your reservations early. For the full schedule of performers, please refer to this newsletter, our digital advertising TV, or your Constant Contact emails.

We are incredibly proud to have Ashley Crilley as our new Bar Manager; she has already made a fantastic impact and is a wonderful addition to the HIL team. Be sure to stop by the bar to see what creative seasonal cocktails Ashley is mixing up throughout the year. Whether you're looking to try something new or simply want your go-to favorite poured to perfection, our HIL bartenders are ready to serve you with a smile!

Don't forget to host your 2026 events at the Lodge! We pride ourselves on offering high-quality service and flexible pricing for every occasion. To get started, contact our Banquet Coordinator, Melissa Miller, at 717-534-1765 (Option 2). Let's make your next event a success together.

Don't miss out on the Luck of the Irish Cash Raffle! Be sure to send in your enclosed tickets for a chance to win cash prizes on March 15, 2026. Best of luck, everyone!

Venite e divertitevi alla Societa' Italiana di Hershey, dove tutti sono una famiglia!
Ieri, Oggi, Domani, Sempre Fratelli

(Come and enjoy yourselves at Hershey Italian Lodge, where everyone is family!
(Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow, Always Brothers)

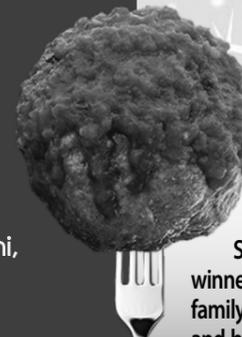

John Marcucci, President

Shout it Out!

Want to make someone's special day extra memorable? You can now celebrate a friend or family member's big moment right on our club's digital TV screens! Whether it's a birthday, anniversary, wedding, graduation, or any other special occasion, we can display your custom message. For just \$10, your celebration will be featured for five full days. Contact John Marcucci at 717-576-8447 today to schedule your message!

2nd Annual Meatball Cook-Off

Calling all amazing home cooks! Do you think you have the best meatballs around? Now's your chance to prove it! To celebrate National Meatball Day (which is Monday, March 9th), HIL will host its 2nd Annual Meatball Cook-Off on Sunday, March 8th from 12-3 p.m. Last year was a huge success with 22 incredible entries—congrats again to our 2025 winners, Joseph Teverna (1st), Nancy Garver (2nd), and Gina Marcucci (Voter's Choice)! To join the fun and enter your secret family recipe, email hill@hersheyitalianlodge.com to get all the yummy details about the competition, where HIL gift cards and bragging rights are at stake! And for those who love to eat meatballs but not make them, you can purchase a ticket to enjoy meatball heaven! Keep an eye out for more entry and ticketing details coming soon in-club, on Facebook, and via email.



2026 Coupon Book



Welcome to 2026! It's the perfect time to start taking advantage of your new HIL coupons to celebrate the new year with great food and great savings! This winter, you can enjoy \$5 off a comforting bowl of pasta in January, treat yourself to \$5 off a hot, ooey-goey pizza in February, and sink your teeth into \$5 off your favorite cheesesteak in March—just remember to bring your coupon to the club to receive your discount! If you haven't bought your 2026 coupon book yet, stop in the club and grab one today; it only costs \$20, but with a \$60 value in monthly coupons, you triple your money and get savings all year long, so hurry in before they sell out!

Pool League News

The Winter Pool League is mid-season, and it's still anyone's game!

With seven teams battling it out (four players per team), the competition is seriously heating up. The competition has been great partly because the tables were re-covered before the season kicked off—that smooth surface is making for some killer shots and close matches. Keep an eye on the Spring Newsletter — it'll have all the info you need for the Summer Pool League sign-ups!

Music Trivia

Ready to show off your musical knowledge? Join us for Music Trivia with Ffrej on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month from 7-9 p.m.! Gather your smartest friends, grab a cold drink, and get ready for a blast of great fun. Ffrej covers every genre and decade, so there's truly something for every music lover. These nights are popular and tables fill up fast, so be sure to call 717-534-1765 ahead to reserve your spot!

HIL SOCIAL

Don't forget to check out our website at www.hersheyitalianlodge.com

Never miss out on what's happening at the club! Be sure to check our website at www.hersheyitalianlodge.com for all the latest news, and upcoming entertainment. You can also stay up-to-date by following us on Facebook or joining our email list. If you aren't currently receiving our email updates, simply send a quick note to office@hersheyitalianlodge.com to have your email address added to our mailing list today!

Membership Renewal

If you haven't renewed your club membership for 2026 yet, please do so now to maintain all your privileges! You have three easy ways to renew: you can stop in-club, go online to www.hersheyitalianlodge.com/members, or mail your dues along with the renewal card sent in your fall newsletter. Remember, your membership must be up-to-date to continue enjoying all member benefits, including playing the Daily Book. Please keep using your current membership card as we will not be sending out new ones; if you have lost your card, we can provide a replacement for a \$5 fee.

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(From the kitchen)

Weekly Specials

(Available 4 p.m. Monday–Friday, All day Saturday & Sunday)

- Monday – Liver & Onions
- Tuesday – Tacos (chef choice ingredients)
- Wednesday – Homemade Lasagna
- Thursday – Juicy Pork Chops (1 or 2)
- Friday – Prime Rib & Fried or Broiled Fish Dinner
- Saturday – Baby Back Pork Ribs (1/2 or Full Rack)
- Sunday – 10 for \$10 Wings (dine-in only)



Take time to celebrate your love with a delicious Valentine's Day dinner.

On Saturday, February 14th, HIL will feature a special 3-course meal that includes an appetizer, entrée, and dessert for \$55 (price does not include tax & gratuity).

Plan to enjoy one of the following amazing entrees:

- Perfectly seared filet mignon topped with crab meat and hollandaise
- Seafood Valentino – lobster, shrimp, and crab over fettuccini topped with a silky blush sauce
- Chicken Riggies – chicken breast and vegetables in a savory cream sauce over rigatoni
- Ravioli Primavera topped with a lemon garlic sauce

Sip on one of our featured cocktails while you dine. Prefer not to have a big meal? We will have a limited selection of offerings at the bar. A complete menu will be shared in email and on Facebook. Dinner will be served starting at 4 p.m. Reservations are preferred. Call 717-534-1765 to reserve your table.

Valentine's Day

Luck of the Irish CASH RAFFLE

Your tickets for the Luck of the Irish Cash Raffle are enclosed! Be sure to fill out your tickets and return them to the club (in person or by mail) before March 15th for your chance to win a piece of the \$2,650 in total cash and gift card prizes! We will be drawing the 20 winners live on the evening of our Irish Celebration in the dining room at 5 p.m. Get your tickets in for a chance at some easy green!



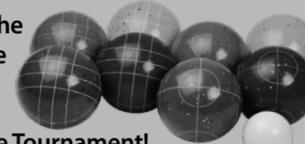
Y.e.\$ Savings Program!

Great news, HIL members! We're excited to remind you that the Your Exclusive Savings (YES) Program is ready for you, offering deep discounts on practically everything you purchase! You can look forward to saving big on travel, hotel stays, rental cars, admission to theme parks and attractions, concert and sports tickets, movie admissions, and general shopping. There truly is something for everyone, making it easy to save money on activities and items you already enjoy!

Ready to start saving? Sign up today! Visit <https://yourexclusivesavings.com/> and use Discount Code HIL to get your Special Member Price of \$35 for the entire year! That's an incredible savings of \$164.95, as the regular price for this program is \$199.95! For more information or assistance, please contact **John Marcucci** at 717-576-8447.

Italian Festival BOCCE WINNERS

A huge congratulations goes out to the High Rollers team—made up of Steve Schell, Brian Daniels, JT Schildt, and PJ Carilli—for taking home the title at the recent HIL Italian Festival Bocce Tournament! It was a fantastic day of competitive bocce play that brought together talented teams from the Hershey, Linglestown, and Reading Bocce Leagues.



NEW MENU

As we kick off 2026, we are planning to introduce an updated menu during the first quarter of the year. Our goal is to bring you some fresh options and maybe shake up a few of your long-time favorites. We are currently in the early stages of planning and look forward to sharing more details about the new menu items as we finalize them. Keep an eye out for more information soon!

CORNHOLE UPDATES

Get ready to throw some bags because the 2026 HIL Cornhole Season kicks off on Monday, January 12th! Sign-ups ran the month of December. We're keeping the schedule the same as before, running games on both Mondays and Tuesdays with start times at 6:30 PM and 7:00 PM. A huge thanks goes out to league player Tim Smith who is working hard on getting us some awesome new boards for the season! All players must have your 2026 membership paid up before that first game on the 12th!

Function Referral Program

All members are likely to know a friend that may book a gathering. Please contact that friend and make them aware that the Hershey Italian Lodge may be a great option for their next function. If you submit your name and their name for recording in the lodge office. There will be no sales calls and no pressure to book an event, but if they do, you will receive a finder's fee in the form of a gift card.

The brochure enclosed is your sales aid to provide an overview of our club facility. Each member of record that finds a contact that ultimately books at the club will receive a 5% reward in the form of a gift card. A member may not be awarded for the function of another member, but members that have a function for their family (where they are the principal contact booking the function) will receive a 5% reward gift card. The process that will lead to your reward is simple:

1. Send an email to: Sales@HersheyItalianLodge.com
2. Subject: Member Registration
3. The body of the email is to contain information about the group you found: contact name, group name, phone number, email, address, HIL member name, and member number. Note: You will receive a return email confirmation that your registration has been received. If you contact additional groups simply follow the same procedure to be recorded as the function finder.

RULES:

- The reward is based on the total food and beverages. (does not include fees, taxes or gratuities).
- The members listed as the associate must have their dues current and be a member for at least 1 year, prior to the date of the function.
- New functions qualify for the reward if they repeat and all rules are satisfied.
- Functions already booked do not qualify as new business (unless the date of the function is after June 1, 2026).
- Calls into the club do not qualify as commissionable unless the function contact is on file and all other rules are satisfied.
- Commissions are only paid if the food and beverage total is greater than \$500.
- Take-out orders and platters are commissionable if processed through the club (contact email received at least 2 weeks in advance) and greater than \$500 for food.
- If duplicate groups/contacts are submitted the first recorded will be noted as the finder.

Hershey Area Women's Connection

Discover delightful afternoons with the Hershey Area Women's Connection this winter! Join us for a delicious buffet and engaging programs every second Wednesday of the month from 12–2 pm for an inclusive cost of \$23.

Here's a peek at our upcoming gatherings:

January 14: "Be Safe" – Luncheon buffet featuring Derry Township Detective Officer Leiss discussing Scams and Good Internet Practice. Enjoy Heidi and Harper Brubaker, vocalists from Lebanon and hear Speaker, Liz Bryant from Falls Church, Virginia share what she has learned from collecting, not counting... Sheep!

February 11: "Dough It Yourself" – Luncheon buffet featuring Angela Gualtier, Pasta Artisan from Lala's Pasta Company in Camp Hill. Musicians Marie Wilson, Guitarist, and Sharon Jones, Violinist from Harrisburg and Palmyra will entertain us. Speaker, Ginger Lawrence from Burlington, Virginia will share a riveting story of coming back from the dark rage of war to finding peace, life, joy and forgiveness.

March 11: "Fashion Forecast" – Luncheon buffet featuring a Fashion Show from "Three Little Birds Boutique" in Hershey, PA. Speaker, Shirley Ryder from Front Royal, Virginia will tell us how to enjoy peace despite the difficulties of life.

To reserve your spot a week before each luncheon, please call Verna at 717-838-0707 or Fae at 814-571-0054, or email faefunston@gmail.com. The Hershey Area Women's Connection is affiliated with Christian Women's Clubs of America. No membership fees or dues are required. Gluten-free meals are available upon request with reservations. Kindly note that cancellations must be made by Monday noon prior to each luncheon, or the reservation must be paid in full.

CELEBRATE TIMELESS TRADITION AT THE HERSHEY ITALIAN LODGE

- WEDDING RECEPTIONS
- ANNIVERSARY PARTIES
- BABY & BRIDAL SHOWERS
- CLASS REUNIONS
- BUSINESS PARTIES
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