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UN RINGRAZIAMENTO SPECIALE AI MEMBRI DELLA GIURIA

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Thank You/GRAZIE
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ITALIAN LANGUAGE and CULTURE DAY 2019

PROGRAMMA DEL GIORNO

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
Check-In and Breakfast/Registrazione e colazione

9:30 – 10 a.m.
Greetings and Welcome/Discorsi di benvenuto

Cav. Mary Ann Re, PhD
Director
The Joseph and Elda Coccia Institute for the Italian Experience in America

Robert Friedman, PhD
Dean, College of Humanities and Social Sciences
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Silvana Berardo
President
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10 – 10:15 a.m.
The Italian and United States National Anthems—With Montclair State University Student Ambassadors

10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Student Presentations/Presentazioni degli studenti
Guido Morsella, Master of Ceremonies

12:30 – 1 p.m.
Lunch / Pranzo

1 – 1:15 p.m.
Awards Presentation/Presentazione dei premi

Gen Coccia Nicastro
Trustee
Coccia Foundation

Dominic Caruso, Esq.
Honorary Consul of Italy in New Jersey

1:15 – 2:30 p.m.
Music by “Legendery Entertainment”/Intrattenimento musicale con “L.E.”

PRESENTAZIONI

SCHOOL/SCUOLA
SKIT/SCENETTA
TEACHER/INSEGNANTE

Manalapan-Englishtown
Middle School
Dov’è il Davide?
Linda Schiano and Domenica Ryan

Holmdel
Middle School
La vita è bella allo stile di Hamilton
Colette Rafferty

Holmdel
High School
San Francesco- Il Cantico delle Creature
Elizabeth Maloeopsy

Lyndhurst
High School
Il Colosseo
Marcella Clatworthy

Frank J. Ciccarell High School
Attraverso gli occhi di Rita Levi-Montalcini (Nerve growth factor)
Guido Morsella and Lorraine Harwelik

Clifton
High School
Cinema Paradiso
Josephine Altherr

St. Peter’s Preparatory School
Il percorso di un patrimonio perfetto (UNESCO Sites)
Rosalie Romano

Allentown
High School
L’arte è viva...viva l’arte!
Anna Maria Di Gesù

AUGURI A TUTTI GLI STUDENTI E AI LORO INSEGNANTI!!