



The Victor Zando Foundation Newsletter 2014

Our Mission: The Victor Zando Foundation has been established as a not-for-profit corporation to preserve the memory and spirit of Victor by engaging in the types of activities that marked his quiet, extraordinary life. Victor gave his time, energy and resources and touched the lives of so many people. Our goal as an organization is to continue to do good works in his memory.

Throughout the years we have received many wonderful letters from our scholarship recipients. It is so gratifying for us when we receive a letter like this from a student who truly appreciates the meaning of the award.

It is you, the members of the VZF, who have made it possible for us to provide this opportunity to a student in Victor's name. As always, we thank you for assisting us in keeping Victor's memory alive. We are honored by the recipients who have reached out to us to say thank you and for all of you who keep Victor in your prayers.

Dear Mrs. Laura Zando,

Please accept our heartfelt appreciation for bestowing the Victor Zando Memorial award for achievement to our son Stephen Crowley. We are grateful and humbled by your family's thoughtful consideration.

At the graduation ceremony, we were surprised and delighted at the announcement. Victoria's presentation was beautiful and poignant. She is exceptionally articulate and a lovely young lady. I know that you must be exceedingly proud of her.

We now enter Monsignor Farrell High School with a heightened sense of purpose and resolve to honor this wonderful endowment. Stephen understands his duty and responsibility to respect himself and the memory of your husband by making worthy this award.

Thank you. God bless you and the entire Zando family.

With warm regards, Josephine, Colin, Colleen, Angela, Joseph and Stephen Crowley

Colin, Josephine, Joseph
Colleen, Angela, Stephen Crowley

CONGRATULATIONS!

Six outstanding graduates received the VZF Memorial Award and Scholarship in 2014. We wish them much success in their future endeavors.

Msgr. Farrell High School
Paul Pizzo

Mater Dei Prep
James Curti

St. Clare School
Stephen Crowley

Blessed Sacrament School
Olivia Sweeney

St. Leo the Great School
Ryan Alkin

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel
School, Asbury Park**



Taste the Future of Italian Wine!

Have you ever tried
Gaglioppo? Fiano? Lacrima? Aglianico?

The "bottom of the boot" offers incredible diversity and an amazingly rich collection of traditional grapes.

Join us for a walk-around tasting to explore the undiscovered charm of 5 wine regions of sultry Southern Italy—Basilicata, Calabria, Campania and the dramatic islands of Sicily & Sardinia.

Sample Red and White wines expertly paired with regional cuisine.

Featuring Deb McCole of Wine Girl

Saturday, March 14, 2015
Casa Belvedere—The Italian Institute
Grymes Hill, Staten Island, New York

Formal invitation to follow

Monmouth Park Fundraiser

September 6, 2014

Our annual fundraiser was another fun day with family and friends—old and new! We had a large turnout once again, braving the hot sun and then the rain. Thanks to all who donated baskets for the raffle table and congratulations to all the winners.



A special
Thank you
to
Susan & Brendon
McKibbin
and
John & Kelly Ward
for their
continued
support and
dedication to the
success of the
foundation



As we all pause to give Thanks,
The Victor Zando Foundation

*would like to thank you for your
continued support of our organization
and for allowing us the privilege of
keeping Victor's memory alive.*



Thanksgiving circa 1971



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*We wish you and your family a
Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year!*



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