



## Italian American Heritage Club Of Hunterdon County

KEEPING OUR *Pride*, CELEBRATING OUR *Culture*, REMEMBERING OUR *Past*

### Program Notes for June: Dan Torrone, aka “Doctor D” and Scholarship Awards Night



Dan Torrone, who is also known by his stage name of “Doctor D”, is an Entertainer extraordinaire. He is dedicated to his career and his community.

Doctor D may go to more parties than anyone else in Hunterdon, the county he calls home. He is a fixture at weddings, school dances, sweet 16 parties, community day events, grand openings, and family reunions to name a few. Music, dancing and fun are always present wherever you find him.

So how does a party animal like “Doctor D” get named Clinton’s 1990 Citizen of the Year or 1996 Chamber Golden Award winner? It’s easy. First he gives up weekends and nights at home to set up his music and sound system where the action is. Then Doctor D sets aside the business time away. A drug-free dance for kids? He will be there. An event to provide drug and alcohol-free celebrations for graduating seniors? He will be there. Kids throwing a party to raise money for a special cause? He will be there.

In 2003, he was named Hunterdon Municipal Alliance Volunteer of the Year, 2004 The Hunterdon County Gala Emmanuel Award for his tireless dedication to the community. He has lived the majority of his adult life adhering to the moniker, “Service above Self” the motto of Rotary International, of which Doctor D is a member.

Additionally, Doctor D has received many awards including: Senate Resolutions; Gubernatorial Citations; Mayoral Proclamations; Rotary’s Highest award - The Paul Harris Fellowship; The Youth to Youth International Founders Award; ... and the list goes on.

Doctor D volunteers with the County 4-H and Agricultural Fair Committee, The North Hunterdon Rotary Clubs Skylands Triathlon, Hunterdon and Somerset Community Dispute Resolution and The Great Clinton Christmas Parade.