

Meet the Board



This is the second in a series of articles to introduce Italian Club members to our Board of Directors.

KEEPER OF KEY DOCUMENTS



Historian Will Crews

Organizer. Record keeper. Custodian. These are a few words used to describe a Board position that—although not as much in the forefront as an in the background—has a strong impact on the club’s operation. The position is club Historian currently held by Will Crews.

Starting as the historian in 2012, Will has carried out his official duties that include serving as the custodian of all the club’s records (except those specifically assigned to other board positions) and maintaining monthly records of board minutes, activities, publicity, the LHIC roster and Treasurer’s report.

But wait... there’s more! Will also maintains files of Letters of Incorporation, the club’s latest insurance policy, LHIC Bylaws and Policies, membership correspondence, current membership forms, lists of current and past Board members, letters of appreciation from charitable organizations, and the Annual General Meeting (AGM) meeting review.

For one to carry out these duties, organization is a significant skill—one which Will has acquired through his career; before his retirement, he worked as program planner.

“The historian’s job is a good fit for me,” Will said. “And, I’ve enjoyed it—being on the board and helping out.”

There’s a social aspect as well, Will adds: “My wife Judy and I have met a lot of people. We probably wouldn’t have the circle of friends we do if we weren’t active in the Italian Club.”

Will believes that the Historian position is a perfect way for a new member of the club to “get their feet wet” on the Board and learn what the club’s about.

You may not know that another of Will’s skills lies in the kitchen. He has participated in two Italian Club culinary contests—one, winning a cookie bake-off for his biscotti (wife Judy’s family recipe) and the other, sharing his Spicy Herb Pesto. Each recipe is sure to be a ‘keeper’!