

Dinner Choices

(All dinners include a mixed greens salad, tortellini with vodka sauce, and warm apple cobbler for dessert)

A. Baked Scrod and herbs:

Herbed bread crumbs and lemon wine sauce

B. Chicken Marsala: Sauteed boneless breast of chicken, mushrooms, and Marsala Wine Demi Glace

C. Vegetarian Dish Available by request

Names: *Choice*

HMLA Activities

Spring and Autumn Dinner Meetings

held at local restaurants. Each meeting provides networking opportunities and features a guest speaker, covering diverse and timely topics. Our speakers are local colleagues and scholars.

The Distinguished Service Award is an annual award which recognizes a local individual or institution that has made outstanding contributions to the profession.

In HMLA's Newsletter

You'll read about local library news, program announcements, member news, relevant legislative concerns, and other topics.



Hudson Mohawk Library Association



**April 17th, 2009
Dinner & Program
Italian American
Com'ty Center
Washington Ave. Ext.**

**An evening with
PAUL GRONDAHL**

**Featuring Paul Grondahl
Times Union Reporter, Author and
Professor.**

Paul Grondahl is an award-winning journalist and author. Grondahl has been a staff writer at the Albany Times Union since 1984, where his assignments have taken him from the Arctic to Antarctica; from Northern Ireland to Africa; and across New York State, from Ground Zero on 9/11 to the Adirondack wilderness.

The author of four books, Grondahl also was named Albany Author of the Year in 1997 by the Albany Public Library and Notable Author of the Year by the Guilderland Public Library and East Greenbush Public Library, both in 2004. He has been featured on C-SPAN's "About Books" and "Book TV."



Paul will be speaking on a variety of topics including local history, politics and the Obama Inauguration. He has produced a DVD about the inauguration which will be available for purchase at \$10

**Hudson Mohawk Library Association
2009 Spring Dinner Program --
Friday, April 17th**

If you can attend, please send your dinner choice(s) and a check for \$25, made out to:

Hudson Mohawk Library Association
And mail to:
Rob Carle, HMLA treasurer
Upper Hudson Library Assoc.
28 Essex Street
Albany, NY 12206

Schedule

- 5:30 *Social Hour (Cash Bar)*
- 6:30 *Annual business Meeting*
- 6:40 *2009 Distinguished Service
award: John Vallely*
- 6:45 *Dinner*
- 8:00 *Program*

Italian American Community Center
is located at :
257 Washington Ave. Ext
Albany, NY 12205.
Their web site at:
www.italianamerican.com and
their phone number is: 456-0292

**We are also pleased to
extend an invitation to
join HMLA.**

Please fill in the form below and send a check, **made out HMLA**, for \$10.00 to:

**Rob Carle, HMLA Treasurer
Upper Hudson Library System
28 Essex Street
Albany, NY 12206**

Name: _____

Title: _____

Institution: _____

Preferred Mailing Address:

__ Home __ Work

Work Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____