



FOGOLÂR NEWS

FOR MEMBERS & FRIENDS

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Upcoming Events

MARCH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Sunday, March 24 at 2:00 PM

EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, March 31 at 2:00 PM

ANTIPASTO EXTRAVAGANZA

Saturday, March 31

EASTER BRUNCH

Sunday, April 8

BRISCOLA GARA

Friday, April 27

SPRING MEMBER'S BANQUET

Saturday, April 28

APRIL GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Sunday, April 29 at 2:00 PM

Friday Specials

FRIDAY, MARCH 2

Fish and Chip Dinner: Battered Haddock with Home Cut Fries

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

Frittura Mista: Breaded Shrimp, Breaded Smelt, Breaded Pollock

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

Breaded Basa Fillet served with Rice and Vegetables

FRIDAY, MARCH 23

Osso Bucco served with Polenta

FRIDAY, MARCH 30

Stuffed Beef Tenderloin & Seafood Pasta

FRIDAY, APRIL 6

Chicken Parmigiana with Ravioli

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

Veal Saltimbocca

FRIDAY, APRIL 27

Sauteed Breast of Chicken topped with Eggplant & Cheese

FRIDAY, MAY 4

Tour of Italy: Gnocchi, Breaded Ravioli and Veal Parmigiana

Friday dinners cost \$15 and are served from 5-10pm in the Dante Costa hall. Each dinner comes with bread & salad. All you can eat pasta is available for \$9 for adults and \$7 for children. Pizza is also served on Friday nights. Call the office to make reservations.

President's Message

Bon di a ducju.

For those who did not attend our last General Assembly meeting where we viewed and passed the 2011 Financial Statement, let me say that the business and financial condition of our Fogolar has turned the corner! This is all thanks to our managers, Lou and Tim, and the kitchen, office, bartenders, and janitorial staff who have worked diligently towards this goal. Having said that, however, there is always room for improvement. We must strive to reach the next level of success for our Fogolar. Both the Board and our management personnel will continue to work towards this end.

Our big project now is the renovation work that we will undertake on our halls. Once reviewed by the General Assembly, we will begin the work. If there are volunteers who wish to help, do not hesitate to contact Enzo Mio or our Fogolar office. They will give you contact numbers to call. Remember that "giving to or participating in" something is a very positive emotional feeling. "Being part of" rather than "just belonging to" is where it's at!

The Hunter's 42nd Annual Banquet is coming up on February 25, 2012 and as of this date we are sold out! What a successful banquet this has always been. Almost all those who are attending have been repeat patrons year after year--this is a sign that our Fogolar is doing something right.

Let me leave you with a thought:

Do something good or nice for someone



2012-2013 Fogolar Furlan Windsor Board of Directors (from left) Enzo Nadalin, Enzo Mio, Pietro Moro, Cesare Pecile, Fausto Volpatti, Cristina Kerr, Angela Volpatti, Tina Perissinotti, Luciano Sovran, Valerie Ferraro, Maria Vitale, Gigi Diamante

today--but do not tell anyone about it--and feel the inner joy of giving.

I want to thank you for your time in reading our newsletters.

Mandi,
Cesare Pecile

ATTENTION: MEMBERSHIP DUES

Annual dues of \$60 were due as of January 1st for **ALL MEMBERS**. It is your responsibility to make payment in order to keep your membership intact. If total payment of **\$60** has not been received by **February 29**, your membership will no longer be valid. If you have not yet paid please do so at your earliest convenience to avoid penalty. If you have any questions as to how much you owe, please speak with Angie in the office at 519-966-2230.

NOTE: This policy applies to all members. Members over 65 with 10 years of service are exempt from paying dues.



Here is our
Opportunity
to Save Lives



If you were asked to save one life, would you take that challenge? Did you know that by

giving 1 Unit of blood you can save up to 6 lives? If you were in an accident and needed blood, do you know what your blood type is?

If you are between the ages of 17 and 61, you may be eligible to be a first-time donor.

*46% OF CANADIANS ARE TYPE O
*42% OF CANADIANS ARE TYPE A
*9% OF CANADIANS ARE TYPE B
*3% OF CANADIANS ARE TYPE AB

WHAT Blood Type are you ?

At our General Assembly on February 26, Maureen from CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES explained the importance of donating blood, and the many lives that are saved through blood donations.

Our Fogolar is now an official "partner for life." We are encouraging all eligible members to donate blood on behalf of our Fogolar during a special blood drive on March 3rd.



Maureen & Jon from the Canadian Blood Services share their stories with the membership.

For more information please contact Maria Vitale through the Fogolar office at 519-966-2230 or by email at mpvitale@fogolar.com.

2012 Fogolar Spring Member's Banquet

Saturday, April 28, 2012

Menu includes:

Dinner Wine
Assorted Breads
Crab Supreme with roasted vegetables and cheese
Risotto with wild mushrooms and asparagus
Romaine and Radicchio Salad
Stuffed Chicken with Parisienne potatoes
Veal Marsala with green beans and baby carrots

Tartufo
Fruit platter
Coffee & Tea

Assorted sweets at 11:00pm
Coffee Station

Live Music

Tickets cost \$45 each and go on sale starting Monday, March 26. Please contact the office to purchase your tickets.

NOTE TO VOLUNTEERS:

We would like to recognize those who generously donate their time to volunteer at our Club at our Spring banquet held on Saturday, April 28, 2012. If you have volunteered 16 hours in 2011 and have not received an invitation by Friday, March 23, 2012, please contact avolpatti@fogolar.com

Thank you,
Angela

EFASCE Italy Experience

Our Fogolar has been involved with the EFASCE Italy trip since 2007 and has sent students every year. The program provides all meals for students during the week. Italian language classes are normally in the morning, with guided tours in the afternoon. All transportation during the week is provided.

EFASCE Progetto Giovani 2012
July 14, 2012-July 31, 2012

For students:
15-18 years
Descendants of Friuli Venezia Giulia
Should have a basic knowledge of Italian
Interview with Windsor EFASCE Segretariata
Limited to 5 students from Windsor

Cost is \$1550 which includes:
Flight Toronto-Venezia return
Room & Board at Ostello in San Vito al Tagliamento (Mon-Fri, weekends w/relatives)
Adult Supervised
Insurance
Italian language classes
Guided tours of Region

Application Deadline - 1 March 2012

For more information and forms and to arrange an interview call or email Segretariata EFASCE Windsor - June Morasset 519-969-5439 jmorasset@hotmail.com

EFASCE Progetto "Young Adults" 2012
July 14, 2012-July 31, 2012

For "young adults"
19-40 years
Descendants of Friuli Venezia Giulia
Copy of application to office of EFASCE Windsor
Limit of 24 participants world wide

EFASCE provides:
Room & Board at Casa Madonna Pellegrina in Pordenone
Italian language course
Guided tours of Region
Insurance through EuropAssistance "ViaggiNoStop"

Individual Expenses:
Flight to and from Pordenone
Any stay before or after program
Any personal or travel expenses

Application Deadline - 15 April 2012

For more information and forms call or email Segretariata EFASCE Windsor - June Morasset 519-969-5439 jmorasset@hotmail.com



News from around the Club

Fogolar Furlan Women's Association

The Women's Association will be celebrating International Women's Day on Thursday, March 8, 2012 with dinner and entertainment to follow after the dinner. Doors open at 6 pm with dinner to start at 7 pm. A prize raffle will also be held. Tickets are \$35.00 per person and are available in the Fogolar office or by contacting Vanna DeZorzi at 519-969-7098. Please join us for an evening of women honoring women.

The association's next dinner meeting will be held on April 26, 2012 at 6:30pm. A reminder to all members that dues must be paid by April 30, 2012.

Youth Bocce

This year's season of the the youth bocciola is underway. If you are interested in registering your children from upcoming seasons or if you would like to help out please contact Luciano Sovran at 519-737-1238.

Thank You

Dear Fogolar Furlan Club Members,

Thank you for the beautiful floral arrangement which you sent when Eddy passed away. Thank you for the honour guard and the club crest at the funeral home. Eddy was proud to be a Friulano and loved Friuli so much that it will be his final resting place, among the mountains.

Yours very truly,
Linda Manzocco and family

Antipasto Extravaganza

Saturday, March 31, 2012

Doors open at 6 PM; Dinner from 7 to 9 PM

Menu includes over 30 items!

Beef Wrapped Tenderloin, Beef Skewers, Prosciutto with Grissini, Mini Spicy Meatballs, Shrimp, Tuna Stuffed Tomatoes, Oysters, Bacon Wrapped Scallops, Bruschetta, Stuffed Jumbo Olives, Shrimp Deviled Eggs, Theives Bags, Stuffed Mushrooms, Spanakaptia, Antipasto di Mare, Sauteed Calamari & Shrimp, Chicken Skewers, Celery with Anchovies, Mozzarella Sticks, Mini Quiche, Assorted Cheeses, Stuffed Peppers, Stuffed Artichokes, Grilled Red Peppers

plus tossed salad, coffee & tea and dessert
Dinner Wine included!

Cash Bar Live Entertainment

Seating is Limited. Tickets cost \$65.

Call the office for reservations.

519-966-2230

Congratulations

Congratulations to David Cimino who placed first in the Red Bull Crashed Ice qualifying sessions held in February at the WFCU centre. David now moves on to compete in Quebec City where the race draws up to 100,000 fans!

Children's Choir

All children 5 years and over are welcomed to join the Fogolar's Children's Choir "Gotis di Rosade." If you are interested please call Maria Sovran at 519-737-1238.

In Memoriam

Our condolences go to the family & friends of the late Elvino Campana (member since 1970 and Ernesto Del Bel Belluz (member since 1967). Our prayers are with you during this time.

EASTER EGG HUNT

The Fogolar's Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on **Saturday, March 31, at 2 pm.** All children 10 and under are welcome. The cost is \$2 per child. The event will be held rain or shine (children 3 and under will be indoors). Don't forget your Easter Baskets and picture for the colouring contest!

CARNEVALE

Thank you to all the parents and grandparents who brought their children to participate in Carnevale. Thank you also to all the volunteers who helped out. Without the volunteers the event wouldn't have been possible!

Fogolar Easter Brunch

Sunday, April 8, 2012

Doors open at 11 AM; Lunch from 11:30 - 2:30

Risotti with Asparagus
Gnocchi with Meat Sauce
Pasta & Fagioli Soup
Salad Bar
Egg & Omelet Station
Breakfast Sausages and Bacon
Hash Browns
Beef Carving Station
Grilled Lemon Chicken Fingers
Mussels Marinara
Assorted Breads, Coffee & Tea
Assorted Dessert Station
Full Cash Bar

Tickets on sale starting March 8th

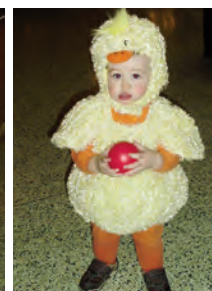
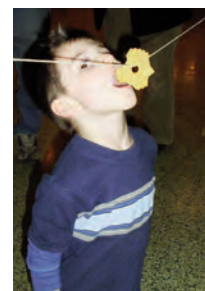
Adults \$24, Children \$15

Kids under 3 eat free

Tickets must be purchased in advance

Book of the Month

Storia del Friuli dalle origini alla caduta dello stato patriarcal by Gian Carlo Menis. Prehistoric times to 1797 with some photos dispersed throughout. Italian.



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May/June Newsletter Deadline is April 22, 2012

Bocciofila Corner

The 2012 Men's Bocciofila committee has been elected and is comprised of the following individuals:

President: Amelio Chiandussi
Vice President: Ferruccio Modolo
Treasurer: Carlo Zorzit
Secretary: Tita Piasentin
Counselor: Pietro Gatto

Gara 15 Gennaio 2012

Una gara di tradizione che tutti i soci partecipano perché tutti ricevono un premio. I primi il premio e grosso e i ultimi più piccolo si tratta di salami e cotecchini. Quindi bisogna ringraziare i volontari che anno fatto sicuro che sia per tutti i classificati.

- 1) Cesare Turrin e Dolores Todero
- 2) Armando Passino e Renata Pontoni
- 3) Anibale Biasutti e Chiara Tesolin
- 4) Jerry Nardiello e Luisa Nardiello

Gara 5 Febbraio 2012

Sponsored by "Dean Chudleigh"

- 1) Guido Iseppi
- 2) Sergio Pontoni
- 3) Amelio Chiandussi
- 4) Carlo Zorzit

The 2012 Women's Bocciofila president will be Alba Modolo. She will be forming a new committee in the coming days.

2011 Outstanding Player is *Dolores Todero*

2011 Official Gara Results (Fogolar Players)

Fogolar Furlan Gara

- 1) Ada Pizzolitto & Maria Centis
- 2) Chiara Tesolin & Luisa Nardiello

Roma Club Gara

- 3) Dolores Todero & Gina Turrin

Ciociaro Club Gara

- 1) Alba & Mirella Modolo
- 2) Ada Pizzolitto & Connie Guglieotta

Verdi Club Gara

- 1) Dolores Todero & Gina Turrin
- 2) Angela Chiandussi & Angelina Baggio

Caboto Club Gara

- 1) Renata Pontoni & Maria Centis
- 2) Dolores Todero & Gina Turrin

Our 2012 season will begin on February 18th with a mini tournament. If you are

interested in joining the Fogolar Furlan Ladies Bocciofila and would like more information, please call the Fogolar Furlan at 519-966-2230 or Alba Modolo at 519-966-5376. All players young & old are very welcome! We play year round from January to December.



The "Battle of the Brains" fundraiser for the Alzheimers Society was held on January 20, 2012 at the Ciociaro Club. The Fogolar sent a team of young minds to compete against nearly 300 other competitors. Although they didn't take first prize, good times were had by all! Pictured are Diana Volpatti, Katherine Cukovic, Randy Borean, Angela Volpatti, Sandra Bortolin, Erica Pecile, Tina Perissinotti, and Dante Pecile.

GET YOUR OWN GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS CERTIFICATE!

If you would like your very own copy of the Guinness World Records "Largest Polenta" certificate, please fill out the following form and return it to the office by fax (519-966-2237), in person, or by email at info@fogolar.com. The standard certificate costs \$20, or get a personalized certificate for \$25. Shipping extra.

NAME: _____ QUANTITY: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____ EMAIL: _____

NAME YOU WISH TO HAVE ON CERTIFICATE: _____



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