

Club Garibaldi News

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Note from the President

I can't believe we are already month number five!

The year is flying by so quickly.

This is a reminder that there will be a lunch at the club on Sunday 21 May for members, family and friends.

We will celebrate Italian National Day on Sunday 4 June at the Clubrooms starting at 7pm.

We are also in the midst of arranging a Casino Evening in July/August, so watch this space.



SERIE A WIN for Team Napoli!

After 33 years Napoli finally won the Serie A Football league. Celebrations are going crazy in Naples and surrounding areas. Congratulations to the team, and to all the Neopolitans around the world who support the side.



Ciao for now

Linda De Gregorio



Sunday lunch at the Club - Sunday 21 May 2023

On Sunday 21 May there will be a lunch for members and families and friends at the Clubrooms. Alf will cook us up a delight and we hope to see as many members as possible come along. Please note the lunch is free for Club Members but there will be a cash bar operating, and non-members charge of \$15 per person. Note:

there is a limit of 100 pax (due to our Liquor Licence regulations) so first in, first served. Please reply to either Josephine 9348 720, or Maria - 3838476 to book your seat. Cash bar available.

Italian National Day Celebrations - Sunday 4 June at 7pm

Members are invited to the Club on Sunday 4 June to help celebrate the Italian National Day. As usual the Club will provide light supper and great entertainment. **Please note this event is for Financial Members Only** and there is a limit of 100 pax – so please reply to either Josephine 9348 720 or Maria 3838476 if you wish to attend.



Wedding Congratulations

Congratulations go out to Gemma (Aspell) and Caleb Smith who were married late last month Gemma is the eldest daughter of Everard and Antonella Aspell (Oriental Bay), and our congratulations go out to both Everard and Antonella as well. The weather was perfect for a wedding and the couple looked beautiful. The couple are now honeymooning in Europe – We wish you all the best for your future together.



Sunday fun day at Club Garibaldi - Sunday 11 June 2pm-4pm

Come to your Club Sunday 11th June 2pm to 4pm. Bring your family or bring your grandkids. Or just bring yourself. Table Tennis...Table Football...Indoor Bowls...you choose. Have a game of Cards? **SHOW US YOUR TALENT ENTERTAIN US**. Do you play the Piano, Violin, Guitar or Sing? Coffee, tea and cakes provided. Drinks and Chippies for the kids.

CONTACT Frank Basile 0279140253 if you are coming before 1st June.

Children's Italian classes continuing in Term 2 2023

Buongiorno. There are currently two groups of children enrolled in the combined Club Garibaldi and Circolo Italiano Italian language classes on Saturday afternoons. These are open to any children. They are held at the Garibaldi Club rooms at 118 Tory Street Wellington. The two age groups are 7 to 10 years (on Saturdays at 2–3pm) and 11 to 13 years (on Saturdays at 3–4pm).

Dates: Term 2 began again on Saturday 29 April to 24 June inclusive. **Tutor** Antonietta Demurtas said there is still time to enrol for this term — please contact Laura Binnie at Club Garibaldi email laurajbinnie@gmail.com phone or text 021 262 6530. Please spread the word if you know of any others who may be keen to join us. We intend to continue during the primary school terms for the rest of the year. **Fees:** Club Garibaldi and Circolo Italiano members: \$10 per one hour lesson (\$90 for all nine lessons with car parks available) Non-members: \$12 per one hour lesson (\$108 for all nine lessons) Fees are to be paid in advance and are non-refundable except in exceptional circumstances.

Dates for your diary

2023

Saturday(s) 29 April – 24 June Italian Children Classes

Thursday 11 May Circolo Italiano di Wellington — Meet Italy!

Sunday 21 May Club Lunch

Sunday 4 June Italian National Day Celebrations

Saturday(s) 10, 17, 24 June Advance Italian Conversation

Sunday 11 June Sunday Fun Day!





Advanced Italian conversation and coffee at Club Garibaldi — three spaces still available for last three sessions

Our advanced Italian conversation intensive course commenced on Saturday 29 April and was fully attended, with a convivial atmosphere and English was hardly spoken!

The first two classes are full but the last three sessions (on Saturday mornings from 10am to 12 noon) on **10 June**, **17 June and 24 June** have three spaces available.

You may wish to attend all or just some of the dates to suit — as long as enrolment and payment are made before the course commences.



Led by former Circolo Italiano tutor, Eleonora Bello, a Victoria University graduate currently employed as Team Leader, Student Success in the Faculty of Science, Health and Engineering at VUW.

Eleonora will focus predominantly on oral skills — speaking, listening, interaction and vocabulary building — all at an advanced level. Activities will include games, role-play, article reading, YouTube/social media/photos as prompts, etc ... You will be encouraged to take the lead in the discussions and to suggest topics.

Location Club Garibaldi level 2, 118 Tory St/cnr Vivian St Wellington

Fees per two-hour session Club Garibaldi and Circolo Italiano members \$30.00 and non-members \$40.00 (includes coffee/tea)

Parking

Club Garibaldi members may use the car parks 1–13. Parking for non-members available at CarePark 70 Tory St Wellington for \$6 a day on Saturdays.

For enquiries, or to enrol, please contact Phyllis Mossman by email phyllis@mossman.net.nz or phone 021 263 1319.

















Circolo Italiano di Wellington — Meet Italy! Thursday 11 May 2023 at 7.30pm

Our first movie night at the Club for 2023!

Welcome to students, tutors, Circolo & Club Garibaldi members & friends



<u>stuff.co.nz/taranaki-daily-news/news/99093811/acclaimed-pianist-flavio-villani-doesnt-disappoint</u>

Crossing Rachmaninoff

Directed by Rebecca Tansley
Starring Flavio Villani

This documentary, which met with a standing ovation at its first screening, follows Auckland-based, Italian-born pianist Flavio Villani as he prepares to play Sergei Rachmaninoff's demanding Piano Concerto No. 2 in Calabria, Italy — his debut performance as a soloist with an orchestra. Director Rebecca Tansley tails Villani from four months before the performance in Italy, immersing us in the challenges he faces in his life and career choices, and giving us a tantalising taste of Italian family life and food. Movie in English and Italian with subtitles. 52 mins.

We are fortunate that the protagonist of this film, Flavio Villani, has kindly provided us with a DVD for showing at the Club.

Garibaldi House Level 2, 118 Tory St/cnr Vivian St
Cash entry \$5 Circolo & Club Garibaldi members / \$10 guests
A drink in hand and slice of pizza on entry