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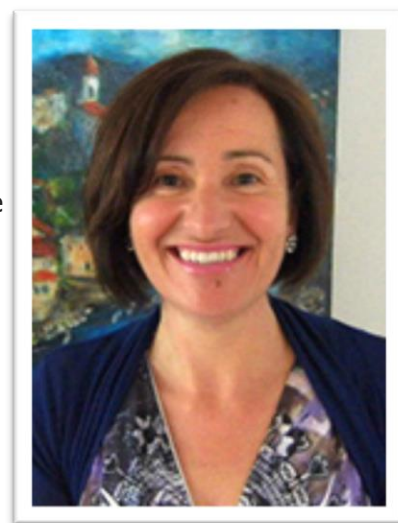
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Note from the President

Benvenuti

We celebrated Italian National Day on Sunday 2 June at the Club (photos at the end of this newsletter) and it was a great evening out. Sixty-three people turned up and enjoyed plenty of good food, good wine, fantastic entertainment and wonderful company. Our guests included Ambassador Fabrizio Marcelli and his wife Carole; and Chris Monigatti (Circolo Italiano President). This year we were happy to have the pleasure of hosting Francis Miccio and his partner Ms Fiona Gower. Francis is the Vice President of Club Italia, Nelson and the main organizer for the Annual Football Match between both Clubs. Our thanks go out to Francis and Fiona for making the trip up to Wellington.

That same evening Amb. Fabrizio presented a Cavaliere Award and Medal to long-time Club member, Rex Da Vanzo. Below is a small snippet of Rex's CV which helped make the decision for this Award.



"Rex was Awarded Life Membership of Club Garibaldi in August 2009 for his outstanding services to Club Garibaldi". As you are aware, prior to owning this building we owned the premises at Wakefield Street. Rex, alongside other members was instrumental in the sale of Wakefield Street and the purchase of our Tory Street premise – he undertook all the legal work free-of-charge. In fact, since 1968, any legal procedures that the Club has been involved in, have all been undertaken by Rex gratis. Rex was also heavily involved in the Italian food Festivals back in the day – he is also involved with the Club Benefit Series which have taken place at our club since 1992. He is dedicated to keeping our Club and the Italian culture alive in Wellington."

On behalf of Club Garibaldi, thanks Rex for all your efforts throughout the years, and Congratulations on such a well-deserved Award.



As promised at the beginning of the year, we plan to offer a lot more events this year. To that end, Alfonso will be cooking us a treat on Friday 12 July at the Club. This is open to members and friends/family. More details below. Make sure you RSVP early, as seats will be limited.

If you haven't already done so, don't forget to pay your subscriptions, and please let us know whether you require a car sticker. Thank you.

Ciao for now

Linda

Family and Friends Night Out at Club Garibaldi – Friday 12 July

Alf will be preparing a 2-course meal on Friday night 12 July at the Club, so all you cook's at home – take the night off!

Come and join us from 6.15pm and bring your family and friends. A cash bar will be available. Members prices are \$10 pp; Non-Members \$15pp. Children 6-10 years \$5pp and under 5's Free of Charge.

Please note you must RSVP to either Josephine (934-8720) or Maria (383-8620) to book your table - seats will be limited.

So, we look forward to seeing you there!



Club Garibaldi Facebook page

Please check it out and "Like" it.

<https://www.facebook.com/ClubGaribaldi/>



Welcome to our new member

Over the past month the Club has welcomed the following new member:

Victoria Caccioppoli of Stokes Valley.

Welcome Victoria, we hope to see you at a function soon.

Annual Subscriptions Now Due

Attached to this newsletter is your Membership Renewal form. Please pay your subs promptly so you don't miss out on our newsletters and information. For a mere \$50 per couple or \$30 single, you certainly get good value in return! Our annual picnic (*where the Club provides meats and fruit and prizes*); National Day celebrations (*Club provides refreshments and entertainment*); our Annual Football Match with Club Italia, Nelson; Senior's Christmas Lunch and Children's Christmas party (all paid for by the Club)– which are our regular features. And of course, we have the extra events throughout the year.

Please note: Those new members who have joined over the past 3 months do not need to pay again until next year.

Club Car Parks

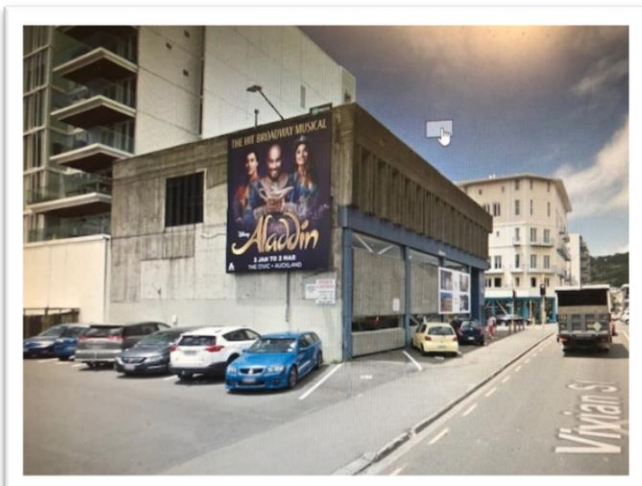
The only car parks available for financial members are in the **Vivian St Car Park**, numbered **1 to 13 only**, after 6.00pm Monday to Friday, and all-day Saturday & Sunday and Public Holidays.

The other car parks on the Vivian and Tory St footpaths are leased to private clients at all times.

The car parks are now monitored by the individual car park users, therefore, if you are illegally parked, your car will be towed away at your expense.

The Club takes no responsibility if you ignore this notice.

A current window sticker (2019-2020) must be attached visibly in the rear window of your vehicle.



Upcoming Circolo Social Event

Thursday 20 June 2019 – 7.30pm at

Club Garibaldi

Meet our Italian Ambassador, His Excellency Mr Fabrizio Marcelli. Find out what happens at the Italian Embassy and what the role of the Italian Ambassador to New Zealand entails.



The Ambassador will give a brief introduction to the relationship between Italy and New Zealand and then start a questions session. We are very grateful to the Ambassador for agreeing to come along to speak to us.

Club Garibaldi Subscription Fees Due for year ended 30 June 2020

(You are no longer required to fill in a form).

Member and Spouse: \$50 per couple
Single (18 years and over): \$30
Full-time Student: \$20
Over 70 and a financial member for the past 5 years: Free.

New members joining after the age of 70 shall be required to pay subscription fees for FIVE consecutive years before obtaining this benefit. The no charge privilege does not apply to the spouse of a member over 70 who is not yet 70.

Payment Methods:

1. Directly into the Club Garibaldi bank Account at ANZ Account No. 06 0513 0005579 00. **Include your name in the reference.** Please inform the Secretary at clubgaribaldi1882@gmail.com only if your address details or email address have changed.
2. Post a cheque to 118 Tory Street, Te Aro, Wellington 6011, made payable to Club Garibaldi and include your name and address.

Photos Of The Past

Fisherman at Island Bay in 1957.

Do you know who? Let us know.

Do you have an old photo you would like to contribute each month to the newsletter?

Please email - clubgaribaldi1882@gmail.com

Credit: - Colourised By Brendan Graham 2017 from an original black and white image courtesy of the Alexander Turnbull Library.



Dates for your Diary



Thursday 20 June

Circolo event – Ambassador

Friday 12 July

Family and Friends Night Out at Club Garibaldi

Italian National Day on Sunday 2 June 2019 at Club Garibaldi

