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# Club Garibaldi News

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## Note from the President

The AGM has been set for Sunday 2 October at the clubrooms starting at 7pm. More on this in this newsletter.

Members will note in this newsletter a reminder about the club's Remembrance Day to honour our parents and grandparents no longer with us.

We need you to get on to providing photographs of your loved ones which will be part of a special display at the clubrooms. You will be able to view everyone's photos at the Remembrance Day function on the afternoon of Sunday October 30. Further details are in this newsletter.

Subscriptions are due this month. We'd appreciate it if you could pay direct into our bank account and using your name as reference so we can update our database.

**Bank account details as follows:**  
**ANZ Bank - 06-0513-0005579-00**

The fees are very moderate \$50 per couple; \$30 Single and \$20 Student (university). Our annual fixtures are as follows:

- Picnic each summer whereby the Club provides all meats and fruit and games and prizes for all the family.
- Italian National Day – where all members are invited to celebrate Italy's independence. We always provide a great supper, entertainment and refreshments.



- Football match between Wellington and Nelson – the Club help subsidise the players when it's an Away Game.
- Children's Christmas Party – we put on a wonderful party for our younger members with lunch, entertainment and a visit from Santa each year. This is always a great day out.
- Senior's Christmas Lunch – Lunch is on us for our 65 years and older Members. We provide a 3-course lunch, entertainment and refreshments and it's always a lovely opportunity for everyone to catch up.
- And then we throw in an event for all members and friends during the year.
- And of course, we offer the carparks to members.

We estimate if you attend only one function that we hold, you've more than paid your subscription for the year – and of course you get to meet and catch up with each other throughout the year.

At this stage, we will be in the Club premises till at least December 2022 – we will advise you on any updates as they come to hand.

*Linda De Gregorio*

## Remembrance Day

Club Garibaldi is planning a special function to remember and honour members' forebears. The date of this memorial and celebration is Sunday October 30 2022, three days before the annual Catholic feast of All Souls Day.

The clubrooms will be open from 2pm to 5pm.



The focus of the day will be the liturgy led by a priest, starting at 2.30pm, the display of photographs and a special Italian themed afternoon tea.

This will be a great day for all members to remember our deceased fathers, mothers, grandparents and other family members.

**Note: There has been a change to the previous advice about this special day. We have decided against organising cemetery visits because it would have ended up being a long day for our older members. You are of course welcome to make your own arrangements to visit the graves either on the day or earlier.**

We will reflect on our loved ones with an exhibition of photos of our deceased displayed at the clubrooms. For this you will need to provide us with one photograph of each of your relative(s), who have been buried in New Zealand within the last 50 years.

### **Photo Details required (PRINT):**

Full name, dates of birth and death, places of birth and death. Add maiden name where applicable.

We would ideally like for the original photo(s) to be copied at the Warehouse Stationery or Harvey Norman, for a good quality print. These photos should be postcard size (6inchx4inch).

**Post:** Prints to Frank Basile, 25A Ngatoto Street, Khandallah, 6035. Alternatively, they can be emailed to this address: francisb43@gmail.com, no later than 31 August 2022. (Any queries Ph. 479-0077, evenings).

**Organising Group:** Paul & Maria Elenio, Larry Greco, Frank Basile, Vic Criscillo

## Wedding Congratulations

Congratulations to Antonia (nee Basile) and Ross Cooper on their recent wedding.

The couple got married in a lovely castle in Sorrento, Italy and celebrated with family and friends.

Antonia is the fourth daughter of Tony & Rosina Basile (Oriental Bay) and our congratulations also go out to Tony and Rosina.

We wish Antonia and Ross all the best for their future together.

## Baby Congratulations

The Club also sends congratulations to Chris and Lauren Di Leva of Island Bay on the recent birth of their new baby boy – Nico Ray Di Leva.

Nico was born in July and is their second son. Congratulations also go out to Nonni Joe and Maria Di Leva.

## “LAST NIGHT AT THE GARIBALDI”

The musical variety Benefit nights which commenced in 1992 at the clubrooms will come to an end on Friday 14th and Saturday 15th October 2022 ( postponed from 11/12 March due to Covid restrictions).

Ticket cost \$40 which includes a light supper. Cash bar. No door sales.

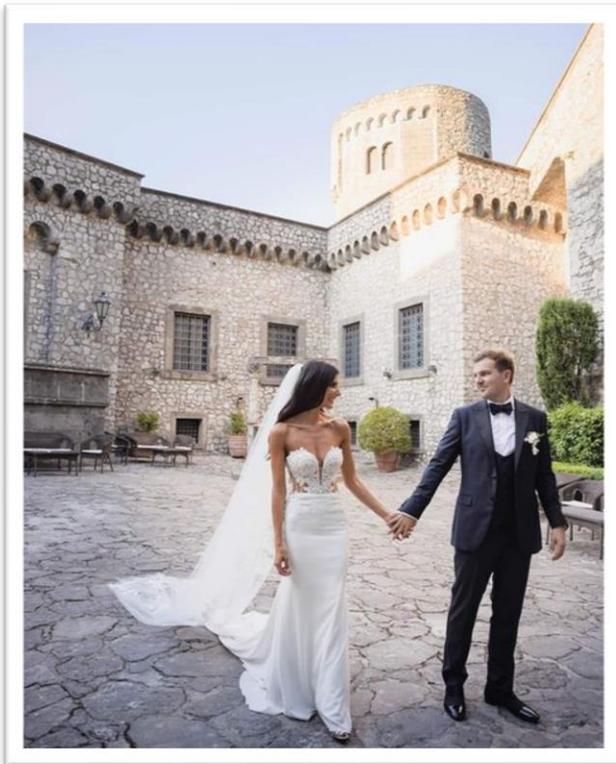
Priority booking extended to ticket holders for the postponed event.

Phone Rex Da Vanzo on 977 7609 for waiting list enquiries.

## Condolences

Sadly this week, Enzo Sante Viotto of Naenae, passed away.

Enzo was a long-time member of Garibaldi Club. Our condolences go out to his family – RIP Enzo



## **Aldo Cuccurullo Memorial Trophy – Football Game – Saturday 5 November 2022**

### ***Club Italia v Club Garibaldi***

The date has been set – Saturday 5 November and the venue, Club Italia, Trafalgar Street, Nelson.

If anyone wishes to play in the team who has never played before, please contact us via the Club's email and we will forward your details to David Da Vanzo, who is organizing the team.

As usual, the Club will subsidise financial playing members.

For those of you who have never come down to Nelson before for this event, please consider it. It's a fantastic weekend and Club Italia always put on a wonderful weekend for us. There are cheap flights with Air NZ at present. And I know our team would appreciate all the support.

### **Congratulations**

Congratulations go out to member Damian Hannah, Kitchen Designer, who has qualified as a "Finalist" at the SBID International Design Awards.

The SBID International Design Awards is one of the most respected industry awards for professional interior design excellence in the world, and Damian's kitchen design (Monarch Butterfly Quartzite), has beaten many entries and made the Finals.

Fantastic! The Awards will be held in London in October this year. We wish you all the best Damian.



### **Annual General Meeting**

The AGM will be held on Sunday 2 October 2022 at 7pm – venue: Clubrooms.

If you wish to nominate anyone for any position, please fill in the form attached and return to the Club email no later than 5pm on Friday 23 September 2022.

Please make sure you have their approval before you nominate. As usual, a light supper will be served after the meeting. We hope to see lots of members at the Club.

### **Local Italian in Wellington City Council Elections**

Club Member Paula Muollo is running for the WCC council elections this year. Paula is the second daughter of Josephine and the late Ruffy Muollo of Island Bay.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish Paula all the best for her campaign.



## Christ Church Taita's Cottage Museum Trust Building

Former Hutt City Mayor and MP John Terris has contacted the club to advise of a project that may be of interest to members and their families who grew up in the Hutt Valley.

John is secretary of The Christ Church Taita Cottage Museum Trust which is building a Visitor Centre for the church which was erected in 1854 by the first organised group of European settlers to come to New Zealand.

The estimated cost to establish the Visitor Centre is \$350,000. Half of this sum has been raised and a resource consent has been issued by the Hutt City Council.

The centre will attempt to record the stories of those who lived and worked in the Hutt Valley following the NZ Company' settlement of Petone in January 1840. Those settlers built the church 12 years later.

The new building will provide for a place for visitors to learn about the church, the local history it represents, and also to accommodate volunteer guides who can then provide tours of the church and graveyard. It will also provide space for small functions like weddings, and hospitality for visitors.

With the Italian settlement of market gardeners in Lower Hutt and the fishermen who were based at Eastbourne in mind the trust is appealing for donations so that the visitors' centre can be completed.

If you would like to support this project donations are being accepted through the dedicated Givealittle page or directly to the trust's BNZ bank account - 02-0548-0097223-025. Add your name and a receipt can be provided.



### Dates for your Diary



Now  
Sunday 2 October  
Friday 14 October  
Saturday 15 October  
Sunday 30 October  
Saturday 5 November

Club Subscriptions Due  
Annual General Meeting  
LAST NIGHT AT THE GARIBALDI  
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Remembrance Day  
Aldo Cuccurullo Memorial Cup Football



### CLUB GARIBALDI ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This year's AGM of the club will be held at the Clubrooms at 7pm on Sunday 2 October 2022.

**Motions:** Members wishing to submit motions for consideration at the AGM must do so in writing and send to Club's email: [clubgaribaldi1882@gmail.com](mailto:clubgaribaldi1882@gmail.com) no later than Friday 23 September 2022.

#### NOMINATIONS

Nominations for the 2022-2023 Executive Committee will be accepted up to 5pm on Friday 16 September 2022. Nominations should be made on the form below and can be sent by email (as above).

Only paid-up financial members who have members for a period of not less than 1 year are entitled to serve on the Executive committee. The President and Trustees must have been a member of the Club continuously for at least 3 years. Only financial members may vote/speak at the meeting.

One or more persons can be nominated for any position on the Executive Committee.

Please ensure that those you nominate have agreed to stand and serve on the Executive Committee and are current financial members and fall into the category above – otherwise the nomination will not be accepted.

Position	Nomination for 2022-2023	Agreed to stand (add word Yes)
President (2 year term)		
Vice President		
Secretary		
Treasurer		
Committee Member (under 30)		
Committee Member		
Committee Member		
Committee Member		
Trustee		
Trustee		

Name of member making nominations ..... (print clearly please)