



# CANADIAN ITALIAN BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

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## NEWSLETTER

**NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY January 07, 2014 @ 6:30 pm**

### CIBPA CENTRE

*Windsor, Ontario*

<b><u>FUTURE MEETINGS:</u></b>	Sept. 10, 2013	CIBPA Centre	Oct. 01, 2013	CIBPA Centre
	Nov. 05, 2013	Caboto Club	Dec. 03, 2013	St. Angela Centre
	Jan. 07, 2014	CIBPA Centre	Feb. 04, 2014	Fogolar Furlan Club
	Mar. 04, 2014	<i>to be determined</i>	Apr. 01, 2014	<i>to be determined</i>
	May 06, 2014	<i>to be determined</i>	June 03, 2014	<i>to be determined</i>

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**CIBPA WEB SITE:** <http://windsor.cibpa.com/>  
**WEB PAGE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY - MEMBER LOGIN**  
**USERNAME:** "windsor" / **PASSWORD:** "cibpa"



## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Dear members, welcome to the New Year 2014. I hope everyone had a joyous holiday season, spending quality time with family and friends. CIBPA's lifeline, like every organization, is its membership. Without dedicated board members, generous volunteers and involved members, CIBPA could not exist!

We had a few successful events this month, starting with our Children (new generation) Christmas party: There were 54 adults and 43 children whom were very excited with Santa Claus' arrival (Walter Riggi) and the gleeful clown's entertainment and the gifts that Santa delivered to each child. A special thanks to Niva Segatto and Linda DeLuca for organizing the children's Christmas party. I would also like to thank Dr. Paul DeMarco for all the toothbrush packages and Tony Pupatello for the early morning snow removal that made this event a success.

Another success was our Turkey donation to the Goodfellows on December 21st, again thanks to the donations from the following members, **Ralph Meo, Steve Riolo, Dominic Palumba, Joe Santarossa Jr., Frank Mancini, Frank Frabotta, Dr. Dante Morassutti and Frank Mocerì.** Please thank them when you see them. We made some less fortunate people in our community able to enjoy their Christmas. (See attached list for donations).

I would like to bring to Windsor a new membership classification from our AGM in Montreal. They call it the youth "OGGI Group" of members under the age of 35. It is to attract the younger membership to our association. It was recommended from one of members to call it the DOMANI group. More information about this group will be discussed at our next membership meeting. I cannot stress how important it is for us to bring in new members and also our next generation to our association. So let's try as each member to bring in ONE new member to join in the next three months.

I would like to thank our Charity Board for their hard work in trying to put our association back on track. On behalf of myself and the Board of Directors we fully support them.

Wishing each and every one of you a Happy and Healthy New Year.

**Frank Mocerì, President**



## GUEST SPEAKER

This month's speaker is **Mr. Benny Riggi, Manager of Investor Relations** for DTE Energy (A New York Stock exchange traded company). Benny is an Italian and lives in Tecumseh. He has contacts with the world's largest banks and bond holders in New York & Japan. He also teaches a masters of finance course at University of Windsor.



## MEMBERSHIP

**M**EMBERSHIP DUES: A reminder membership fees were due by October 31, 2013. Please make every effort to bring to the next general meeting to maintain your membership in good standing.

We would like to welcome new members:

- **Federica Nazzani**, President Capital Assist (Valuation) Inc.
- **Stephen DeMarco**, Owner - Promo Works Marketing
- **Jim Marcovecchio**, Insurance Broker, Ives Insurance

Member applications are available on our website or see Niva Segatto or Dr. Paul DeMarco.

**Dr. Paul DeMarco, Membership Chair**



## SPECIAL EVENTS

We have a number of events scheduled to be held at the CIBPA Centre. Please mark your calendars and share these dates with your friends and family.

1. Poker Night - Feb. 08, 2014
2. A Delectable Valentine's Day Dinner - Friday, February 14 at 6:30 pm ... stay tuned for more

details

3. Superbowl Night - Feb 02, 2014

We will be providing you with the flyers for the above events very shortly, however for any questions, please contact me.

**Ermmana Filice, Event Chairperson**



## CHILDREN CHRISTMAS PARTY

We would like to thank Tony Pupatello for cleaning the snow from the Centre parking lot early morning for this event. The families and children that participated were treated to a wonderful afternoon of entertainment, delicious lunch, and a visit from Santa.

Thank you to Dr. Paul DeMarco that donated the stocking gift of electric toothbrush with paste to keep the smiles white.

Thank you to all who participated with their families, volunteers to clean up the hall. See you next year.

**Niva Segatto, Chairperson**

## TURKEY GIVE-AWAY

### Expenses

Turkeys (\$1.49 / lb) x 150 =	\$2,355
Potatoes (10 lb) =	\$450
Soup (\$0.99 / can) =	\$150
Bread (150 loafs) =	Donated
Apples =	Donated
Coffee, Tim Bits, Hot Choc =	\$233
<b>Total =</b>	<b>\$3,188</b>

### Donations:

Steve Riolo (Turkeys) =	\$1,250
R. Meo =	\$1,000
F. Frabotta =	\$250
Dr. D. Morassutti =	\$500
Joe Santarossa Jr. =	\$500
Dominic Palumba =	\$200
Goodfellows (Apples) =	Donated
Coffee, Tim Bits - F. Mocerì =	\$200
F. Mancini (Italia) (Bread) =	Donated
Zhers (Tec & Lauzon) =	\$150
<b>Total =</b>	<b>\$4,050</b>





CANADAIN ITALIAN BUSINESS AND  
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION  
**SUPER BOWL XLVI  
PARTY**



**Sunday February 02, 2014**

**CIBPA CENTRE**

**995 HOWARD AVE., WINDSOR, ONT.**



**LARGE PROJECTION TV**

**SUPERBOWL DINNER**

**HALF TIME SNACK**

**FOOTBALL POOL**

**CASH BAR**



**\$20:00**

**TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FROM ANY CIBPA BOARD MEMBER**

**CALL CIBPA CENTRE 519 258 7293**

**OR**

**EMAIL: ERMANNA FILICE <EFILICE@WEAREUNITED.COM>**

**DOORS OPEN AT 4:30 PM**



1<sup>st</sup> Annual CIBPA Windsor  
**Charity Poker Tournament**  
Saturday, Feb. 08, 2014 @ 5:00 pm

**Open to First 30 Players who Register**



**CIBPA Centre**

(corner of Erie & Howard)

- **Donation Fee of \$75/player**
- **Includes Delicious Buffet Dinner**  
Pasta; Salad; Ribs & Chicken; Potatoes; Vegetable; Dessert
- **Prizes Awarded**
- **Free Tournament Chips**
- **Charitable Receipts available**

To Register: Contact Corey Castellan @ (519) 903-4020 or  
email @ [corey\\_castellan@hotmail.com](mailto:corey_castellan@hotmail.com) OR  
Angelo Martinello @ (519) 252-3221 or  
email @ [angelo.martinello@rbc.com](mailto:angelo.martinello@rbc.com)

**Fee must be received by February 03, 2014**

**Anyone is permitted to play in this Poker Tournament without charge**  
**Net proceeds to benefit CIBPA Charitable Endeavours**

*Canadian Italian Business &  
Professional Association Presents . . .  
A Delectable  
Valentines' Day Dinner*

**Friday, February 14 at 6:30 p.m.**

**C.I.B.P.A. Centre (Howard & Erie)**

*A Delectable Menu  
Is being finalized and  
New Flyer will be sent out!*

**Live music will entertain you!**

**Tickets \$75.00/person**

**May be purchased by calling:**

**Ermanna at 519-982-0817 or any CIBPA Board Member**



visit us at [windsor.cibpa.com](http://windsor.cibpa.com) or





FOR MORE INFORMATION COME BY  
**THE C.I.B.P.A. CENTRE**  
**Sunday Feb 9th 2014 2pm-4pm (3pm talk)**  
**CORNER OF ERIE ST. & HOWARD AVE.**  
Program director Giovanni Pasotto from the Language School-Urbania Italy  
will be speaking! Come grab a hot drink and a biscotti to say...

# ANDIAMO!

## SUMMER LANGUAGE & CULTURE PROGRAM

**MAY 3-18, 2014 URBANIA, ITALY**

*Spend two weeks in Italy and immerse yourself in a language study program  
& cultural tour of Italian gems.*

*Discover the beauty and essence of great Italy with a sensational journey  
through history, art, culture, food, and language.*



### PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Daily conversational Italian classes at the prestigious Centro Studi Italiani international language school
- Housing in the most desirable furnished and fully equipped apartments in picturesque Urbania (single or double room occupancy)
- Custom weekend trip to culinary rich Emilia Romagna Region (pasta, prosciutto and cheese factory tours)
- Escorted cultural half-day trips to historic magnificent Urbino & Gubbio
- Escorted full day trip to glorious Florence
- Heavenly gastronomic experiences: cooking class, wine tasting & fresh seafood dinner on the breathtaking Adriatic coast
- Exciting ceramics class on traditional Renaissance Maiolica clay modelling and decoration
- Final weekend trip to the Eternal City of Rome



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## TURKEY GIVE-AWAY

DECEMBER 21, 2013  
CIBPA CENTRE













## CHILDREN CHRISTMAS PARTY

DECEMBER 15, 2013

*CIBPA Centre*





## GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING

*DECEMBER 03, 2013*

*St. Angela Centre*















