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# NEWSLETTER

# NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY June 05, 2012 @ 6:30 pm

# **CIBPA CENTRE**

### Windsor, Ontario

FUTURE MEET	INGS:	Sept. 06, 2011	Fogolar Furlan	Club	Oct	t. 04, 2011	CIBPA	Centre
		Nov. 01, 2011	Caboto Club		Dec	c. 06, 2011	St. Ange	la
Jan. 10, 2012		<b>CIBPA Centre</b>		Feb. 07, 2012		Ciociaro Club		
Mar. 06, 2012		<b>CIBPA</b> Centre		Apr. 03, 2012		Verdi Club		
		May 01, 2012	Roma Club		Jun	e 05, 2012	<b>CIBPA</b>	Centre
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Canadians of Italian Heritage Building Business & Professional Networks Across Canada



### Presidents Message

Until today I have never spoken on a personal basis, but now it will be nothing but

"I", from the heart.

The time has come for me to pass the baton and step back and say " thank you ". I am truly grateful for the wonderful memories, unforgettable experiences and personal satisfaction that I have received as President of CIBPA. My dedication and devotion working for the members and the CIBPA association was clearly demonstrated by actively participating and being involved with each and every committee that sometimes required Leamington-Windsor trips every day of the week.

I thank you and will forever be grateful for allowing me the flexibility to be creative, for the opportunity to think outside the box in order to fulfill the vision and for having the confidence in me to get the job done. The time, energy, dedication and commitment I devoted to our association was personally gratifying and the hard work was worth every sacrifice.

Everything that I have done was never for personal gain. I always had the best interests of CIBPA and members at heart. If every individual member, future board of director and committee truly work selflessly, then our CIBPA association will always remain strong and will always continue to thrive.

I can stand proud and say that I belong to the best association in the world. CIBPA members are Canadian Italian men and women, who have the integrity to excel in business and professionals who lead by example in our community. I am honoured to say that I am a member of CIBPA Windsor, the same association that Dr. Sergio Marchione and Al Pacino were honoured with life membership awards.

All of our accomplishments and successes were made possible by the commitment, dedication, support and endless work of the board of directors, committee members, volunteers and all CIBPA members. Thank you to each and every one of you. We have taken our association to a higher level and have made an impressive mark by continuously playing important roles in building and providing for our community. As a result CIBPA has gained the recognition, respect and acknowledgement of everyone in Windsor Essex.

All existing CIBPA members and every new member shall take the "CIBPA OATH"

"My Name is Carl Grossi and as a member of the Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association, I promise to promote and support our cultural, educational and charitable endeavours to create a legacy that will sustain the richness of our Italian heritage and culture for generations to come and to uphold the objects of our Association and the terms of our Constitution"

Being President of CIBPA Windsor has rekindled the passion of my Italian roots; enriched my life with knowledge, allowed me to become acquainted with powerful organizations, establish longlasting friendships with extraordinary people, made me a better person, and motivated me to be truly a proud Italian.

#### **Carl Grossi, President**

#### 2012 CIBPA CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC

Dear Members,

On behalf of the 2012 Golf Committee we want to thank-you all our members whom participated and sponsored this great and Annual event on Monday May 28, 2012 at Essex Golf & Country Club. We truly appreciated your support.

ENCLOSED: please see our Golf program and Sponsors.

#### Anthony Pupatello, Golf Chair

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

The 2012 Membership Directory is now available at the General Assembly please see Niva if you did not receive your copy.

Please extend a warm welcome to: New Member:

Paul Vincent DeMarco – Dentist – D.D.S. Dental Centre

John Paul Corrent, Membership Chairperson

#### **NOMINATING**

#### ATTENTION Membership...

Nominations must be in by the end of the June meeting. This is your chance to put forward names that will move our club forward... Thanks...

#### Lou Valente

Chair, Nominating Committee

#### **CONSTITUTION**

Our Constitution Committee worked very hard in coming up with a new and revised constitution that not only resembles many associations but also protects and promotes the best interests of the membership as a whole.

It has been presented and approved by the board of directors and ready for the review and approval of our Membership. I ask that you please carefully review all the new revised or added sections as well as the some of the old sections that have been rearranged in a more improved and easy to follow format that again resembles many other constitutions.

I would like to thank all the committee members who took a lot of time from their busy schedules for this important task. A special thanks goes to J P Corrent who once again has not only helped as a Member but also shared his valued expertise in law.

In conclusion I ask the Membership for the approval of our new constitution for CIPBA.

Sincerely

Joe Montaleone, Constitution Committee Chair

# JUNE MEETING IS A CLOSED MEETING PLEASE NO GUESTS

#### TO: All Members of Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association ("CIBPA") and CIBPA Windsor Charitable Endeavours Inc. ("CIBPA Charitable")

#### Dear Members

We have amended the Constitutions for both CIBPA and CIBPA Charitable. Below is a formal Notice explaining same. We urge you to read and seriously consider the changes made to update and make our Constitutions more relevant. The amendments were extensive and therefore to facilitate the comparison between new and old Constitutions, you will see beside each Article a reference of either, ("OC – Article 13") or (new)" meaning the following provision refers to Article 13 of the Old Constitution or is a new provision. Each member has a copy of the Old Constitutions. Early Notice has been given to all members of the changes so that there is plenty of time for review and discussion before the vote at the June meeting.

PLEASE PRINT out your own copies of the Constitution to save costs. If you wish, you can pick up printed copies from JP Corrent's office or from Dan Castellan. There will be a presentation at the May and June meetings. In accordance with the existing Constitutions the Constitutional amendments will be placed on the agenda at the next general membership meeting and to ensure that there has been sufficient time to review and debate a vote will be taken at the June general membership meeting.

THE PRESENCE OF ONE HALF PLUS ONE OF THE MEMBERSHIP SHALL BE REQUIRED FOR A QUORUM. TWO THIRDS OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT, IN GOOD STANDING AND ELIGIBLE TO VOTE MUST VOTE IN FAVOUR OF SAID AMENDMENTS FOR THE MOTION TO CARRY.

THANK YOU

John P. Corrent Constitutional Committee

#### NOTICE OF MOTION

#### TO All Members:

Following a series of meetings the Constitution Committee, seriously deliberated and considered amendments to the existing constitutions of CIBPA and CIBPA Charitable. The purpose of the Constitutional review by the Committee was to update, improve, organize, and clarify the Constitutions making them more relevant. The Constitution is also known as a procedural bylaw and has also been referred to as "Bylaw No. 1". We have also introduced Bylaw No. 2 to both Corporations being a borrowing bylaw. Final drafts were presented to the Board of Directors at its meeting on the 24th day of April, 2012. The Board of Directors passed a resolution approving the draft Constitutions, as amended.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Article 28 – "Amendments" of the CIBPA Constitution and Article 21 – "Amendments" of the CIBPA Charitable Constitution, TO ALL MEMBERS at the General Membership meeting to be held on the 5th day of June, 2012, at the CIBPA Centre located at 995 Howard Avenue, Windsor, Ontario at 6:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter, following discussion a vote will be taken on the following motion applicable to both CIBPA and CIBPA Charitable:

"WHEREAS it has been deemed expedition by the Corporation to amend Bylaw No. 1, its Constitution as hereinafter set out;

NOWTHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the previous Bylaw(s), also known as the Constitution of the Corporation, be deleted and in substitution thereof be the following:"

[As for CIBPA]:

[As for CIBPA Charitable]

Dear Members,

For over 60 years CIBPA has been recognized as the voice of the Canadian Italian business community. As CIBPA matured it expanded its scope and service to include investments in education and culture. As CIBPA looks forward to the next 60 years we felt it was important to ask our members and supporters for their input. Below is a link to a survey. We are asking for your honest opinions on our programs, events and future initiatives.

You have been included in this survey because you are either a current or past member or someone who has supported our efforts in the past. The survey is completely anonymous, easy to answer, only takes five minutes to complete and you can even do it from your smart phone.

We want to hear from you - let us know what we are doing well, what we could do better and what you would like to see as CIBPA embarks on the next 60 years. Your input is very important to us, let us better serve you.

#### https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/RXSMDKN

Please complete the survey at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Carl Grossi, Chapter President

## **INVITATION**

The Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association Celebrates Italian Heritage Month on June 2nd at Erie and Howard

# "FESTA DELLA REPUBBLICA"

On Saturday June 2nd CIBPA Windsor in conjuction with Il Consolato Italiano, Vice Console Lilliana Scotti Busi are inviting the Italian community and friends to celebrate this festival with a Flag raising ceremony featuring local Italian Cultural Groups.

The Festival of the Republic is taking place in Windsor's very own "Little Italy" and is a great opportunity to experience the areas restaurants, boutiques and cafes.

Date: June 2nd, 2012 Time: 11:00 a.m. Where: CIBPA Centre, 995 Howard Ave at Erie Street

Please pass this invitation on to family and friends; everyone is welcome to this cultural event. There will be a luncheon available at the Hall after the activities.

# MISS VIA ITALIA 2012

The Miss Via Italia Pageant Committee are looking for girls between the ages of 18-25 to compete in the MISS VIA ITALIA PAGEANT taking place during the weekend of

### Italian Village June 15-17.

To be eligible at least one of their parents must be of Italian origin.

Also we are looking for volunteers on the street, vendors to set up booths and musical and

dance performances for the stage for the weekend.

Please contact Nadia DiDomenico at italnad@hotmail.com or

(519) 564-2656 for more information.

# **CIBPA CENTRE**

## June Lunch Menu



All Prices Are \$10 Dollars

### ALL YOU CAN EAT PASTA AND BREAD AND SALAD BAR

#### OR

#### PANINIS WITH SALAD BAR

Chicken Parm:	Breaded chicken cutlet topped with sauce and smothered with mozzarella nestled between house baked Focaccia					
Assorted Italian:	Salami, Cappicollo, Proscuitto, Provolone, Shredded Lettuce, Red Onion, Tomato, Italian Dressing nestled between house baked Focaccia					
Veggie:	Roasted red peppers, grilled zucchini, grilled eggplant, provolone, shredded lettuce, tomato,					
	balsamic dressing nestled between house baked Focaccia					
June 1st: Veal Parm served with pasta			Breaded Pollock served with pasta			
June 6th: Grilled Quails served with pasta			Veg Lasagna			
June 8th: Chicken Parm served with pasta			Battered Cod served with fresh cut fries			
June 13th: Roast Quarter Chicken served with pasta			Eggplant Parmigiana served with Fresh Vegetables			
June 15th: CLOSED FOR CAROUSEL OF NATIONS						
June 20th: Pork Cuttlet A la Milanese Served with pasta OR			Manicotti			
June 22nd: Veal Parmigiana served with Pasta OR			Grilled Salmon served with pasta			
June 27th: Chicken Limone served with Pasta			Mushroom Rissotto			
June 29th: Chicken Parm served with pasta Ol			Seared Bassa served with pasta			

# GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING MAY 03, 2012 ROMA CLUB













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