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## Club Roma Gardens

*Come and Enjoy a Garden Party*

Club Roma Pavilion

Friday June 17 2011

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Profits to fund completion of the Club Roma Pavilion Garden



### Planting a Splendid Future at Club Roma

For more than a year, Club Roma members have been planting a splendid future for Club Roma in an Italian style garden to beautify the Pavilion. Pictured above on a sunny day in May, one of the work crews from the ad hoc committee takes a break to assess their progress. Shown here, from left, Frank Dottori, Gina Nardangeli, Gabriele Fiorino, Angelo Farese, and Vince Nardangeli. The work has also involved many other volunteers to support the project. The plants, benches, stones, and walkway will enhance the Pavilion perimeter and create a picturesque backdrop for functions in the gazebo.

Club Roma guests celebrating outdoor marriage ceremonies, wedding receptions, dinner dances, and corporate picnics held in the Pavilion will be impressed with the natural beauty of the garden. This beautification project will help enhance the experience of visitors and members enjoying the outdoor activities at Club Roma.

Phase one of the project is expected to be completed in June. In celebration of the new garden, a party will be held on June 17. Everyone is welcome to view the garden and enjoy a casual picnic style party. See details top page 5.

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St. Catharines, Ontario

June 2011



# Club Roma News

**Celebrating 50 Years of Italian Culture in Canada**



The President's Message

*By Robert Costantini*

Summer is quickly approaching and we have many outdoor activities planned as noted inside this bollettino. Please take the opportunity to join us with your family and friends. We will be re-launching the Villa Roma project at the June meeting. Please come out and learn more about this opportunity to be one of the first people to live in our very own Adult Lifestyle Residence. After the upcoming June General Meeting we will not have another General Meeting until September. On behalf of the Board of Directors I would like to wish you all a safe and fun filled summer.

### Night of Gold - June 11

Celebration of Club Roma's 50th anniversary will continue to mark the milestone with the Night of Gold dinner show and dance. The special event on June 11 features "The Golden Voice", Andrea

Many outdoor activities planned

### Special Notice

Villa Roma Opportunities



L'estate è alle porte e noi stiamo in precesso di organizzare molte attività all'aperto, come potete notare in questo bollettino. Vi incoraggio di frequentare il club, per goderci insieme tutte queste attività. Alla riunione di giugno, 2011, riproponiamo il progetto "Villa Roma". Allora, non mancate, così potete essere ben informati riguardo a quest'opportunità di essere i primi in assoluto a risiedere in questa magnifica futura residenza, che sarà costruita apposta per i nostri soci degli anni d'oro. Notate che dopo la nostra riunione di giugno non ci saranno riunioni generali fino al mese di settembre. Mi unisco a tutto il direttivo del club augurandovi una meravigliosa estate pieno di belle attività estive e buona salute.

Come out to the next General Meeting on June 29th to get the latest information on purchasing a unit in Villa Roma or making an excellent investment in the project.

The project is slated to commence construction in the late fall of 2011 and will be ready for habitation in early 2013.

This is your chance to be amongst the first to take advantage of "at cost" unit purchases.

Come out to find out more about this once in a lifetime opportunity.

Please note that this General Meeting will start at 7:30 PM.

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*Roma Events*

**Ballo Al Chiar di Luna**

Club Roma Outdoors Under the Pavilion  
Tickets on sale June 1st.

By Anna daSilva

With so few beautiful summer days we need to enjoy every one.

What better way to do so then having a delicious casual meal outdoors under the pavilion followed with dancing by the moonlight on Saturday, July 16 for the annual Ballo Al Chiar di Luna.

Your \$50.00 ticket will include: antipasto and rolls, pasta, grilled steak (chicken optional), vegetables in season, roasted potatoes, salad & dessert.

Admission also includes wine, beer, pop, water and coffee. What can be better than that? Seating is limited so don't be left in the cold, come out and have a great time!

Music by Rita Montero and G&M 2000 DJ.



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**Prince & Princess Pageant**



The Club Roma Prince and Princess Contest is a program to promote youth involvement in club events. Pictured above, Club Roma's royal couple, Jenna Orvitz, and Prince Matteo Costantini. Princess Jenna is the daughter of Club Roma members Barbara and Kevan Orvitz, and Prince Matteo is the son of Dino and Vesna Costantini.

The criteria for the contest is as follows: candidates must be between the ages of 6 and 10 years of age and live in Niagara Region

Registration forms are to be submitted in person on Sunday July 24, 2011 at the Ti Amo Festival. An announcement will be made during the Ti Amo Festival for drop-off location.

During their two-year reign, the prince and princess serve as Club Roma Ambassadors and will be required to attend select club events with one parent escort.

**Membership News**

General Meeting for Full Members

Wednesday, June 29 7 p.m.

- **Membership Drive** for the month of June: save the \$150.00 initiation fee. Consider the benefits of membership and share the good news with people you know would enjoy the fun at Club Roma. Members can participate and vote at monthly general meetings as Full Members; play in our Bocce leagues; join our Auxiliary groups at no extra fee, and qualify for money-saving discounts on private functions such as wedding receptions, or parties. Members also enjoy exclusive access to the Lounge in the evenings with special drink prices at the bar, play cards, and enjoy the fellowship in our fully licensed members lounge.

- We are looking for a volunteer to serve as the official Club photographer at member events. Hopefully, there is a paparazzi in the club to snap up this opportunity. Contact Pina Farese in the Club Roma office to apply for the position or obtain more details on the volunteer position.

**Prince & Princess Pageant Registration Form**

Name of candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: (d/m/yr) \_\_\_\_\_

**Gender** Male Female

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Mom's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Dad's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Are parents members of Club Roma? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, are you willing to join? \_\_\_\_\_

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*Roma Receptions*

**Third Annual Club Roma Soppresata Night**



More than 30 entries by soppresata makers from across Southern Ontario were submitted by contestants at the third annual Club Roma Soppresata Night on May 13.

The contest winner announced by the panel of judges was Marco Pace. The victorious soppresata earned top scores for colour, smell, and taste.

Marco says his secret soppresata recipe is based on an Italian family tradition. The soppresata champion received a 7.5 inch professional slicer as the grand prize.

**The Soppresata Night Team**

The Club Roma Soppresata Night was a success with more than 200 guests enjoying exquisite foods and wines. The third annual event was held in association with a group of wine and food specialists. Pictured here at the podium, from left, Paolina (Presenter / M.C.), Chef Leo Priore, Chris Colaneri (Colaneri Estate Winery), Giovanni Del Priore (Crivellers) and Oscar Turchi (Savoia Hors D'oeuvres).



**Soccer Wins with Soppresata**

The Soppresata Night supported the Club Roma Soccer. Proceeds of the 50/50 draw generated more than \$700 to the cause. Guest of honour, and coach of the Roma C.S.L. Wolves, Carlo Arghittu, left pulls the winning ticket with event organizer Giovanni Del Priore, from Crivellers.



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**CLUB ROMA EVENTS CALENDAR**

Night of Gold Saturday, June 11	The Golden Voice, Andrea Garofalo entertains with his Dinner Show and Dance featuring the best music of the past. Tickets \$40 per person. Deluxe dinner. Gold prize from Karat Jewellers.
Garden Party Friday June 17	Club Roma Pavilion, 4 to 7 p.m., porchetta, salad and casual barbecue, hamburgers, hot dogs, sausages, beverages at reasonable prices and a cash bar. Free admission.
Family Pasta Supper Friday, June 24	Eat in or take out available. Cavatelli pasta, meatballs, salad, rolls and butter, coffee & tea, \$10 Adults. \$5 for children 5 - 12 years. Kids under 5 free. 4 to 7 p.m.
Club Roma Wolves June 15, 22	Cheer for the Club Roma Wolves and be entertained to professional soccer action in Canadian Soccer League play. The Wolves play Toronto Croatia, June 15, and S.C. Toronto Portuguese, June 22. Game time 8 p.m.
Ballo al Chiar di Luna Saturday, July 16	Enjoy a dinner and dance under the pavilion. Antipasto and rolls, pasta, grilled steak (chicken optional), vegetables in season, roasted potatoes, salad & dessert. Includes wine, beer, pop, water and coffee. Music by Rita Montero and G&M 2000 DJ. Tickets \$50 per person. Cocktails at 6 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. Dress code is casual.
Ti Amo Festival Sunday, July 24	More details to be announced soon. Visit www.tiamofestival.ca and check the events calendar for updates.
Roma Food Festival Saturday, August 20	Eat in or take out available. Cavatelli pasta, meatballs, salad, rolls and butter, coffee & tea, \$10 Adults. \$5 for children 5 - 12 years. Kids under 5 free. 4 to 7 p.m.
Wine & Cheese Party Thursday, September 15	Save the date on your social calendar and plan to attend this special event in partnership with the Niagara Wine Festival. Join us at Club Roma as we taste a special selection of Niagara wines produced by Italian Canadian vintners matched with specialty cheeses.