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MAY 2022

Keeping our Membership up to date  
on current happenings



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## GENERAL MEMBERS' MEETING

TUESDAY, MAY 31, 2022 – 7:30 pm  
FAMÈE FURLANE TORONTO – CANADA RM

For those who cannot attend in person, or wish to participate via ZOOM, please click on the following link to register no later than 5:00 pm Tuesday, May 31. <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAlfu6rqDsIHNOwEhb8UTeu3Jqvp6RLw57O> or visit our homepage at [www.fameefurlane.com](http://www.fameefurlane.com) and select *Zoom Registration*. Please submit any questions prior to the meeting.

## BUILD BACK A BETTER FAMÈE FURLANE!

The Club is changing, and we need member input. What would you like to see? Focus Groups to address the FFT's future direction will be held from **May 15th to June 10th**, will be 1 hour long and will be conducted in person at the club or via Zoom. Call the office at 905-851-1166 or [reception@fameefurlane.com](mailto:reception@fameefurlane.com) to sign up. Your participation in these focus groups is your opportunity to help plan for the FFT's new future. Let's Build Back Better Together!!



## CERAMIC PLATES READY FOR PICK UP STARTING WED. MAY 18.

Finished plates are available at the Famèe for anyone who participated in our May 1st Paint and Cocktails event. Please call to arrange pick up during office hours Tuesday-Friday. Alternatively, they will be available at the members' meeting on Tuesday May 31st. *They all look Fantastic!*

## LET'S WINE TOGETHER: THURSDAY JUNE 9 – 2022

**Members: \$55 Non-Members: \$60**

Join us as we visit one of the oldest wineries in Niagara-on-the-Lake – Inniskillin Winery. Donald Ziraldo (a fellow furlan) and co-founder of Inniskillin, joins us on our tour of his winery as he shares the history along with a few laughs (English or possibly even Furlan).



Our visit will include wine tasting and charcuterie specialties. Our day will start at the Famèe at 9:30 am for a "good morning coffee kick-off" before we go and then proceed to the winery from the Famèe at 10:30. Carpooling arrangements are being made to accommodate everyone. A short documentary on Donald Ziraldo – "Back to the Roots" can be found by clicking the following link: <https://youtu.be/tS5qxxbewEc>

## MAY'S WALK INTO THE PAST...

*With Primo Di Luca, the catalyst, after much bureaucracy and red tape, permissions were finally granted to the Famèe Furlane Toronto, in June of 1973, to proceed with construction of a banquet facility at 7065 Islington Avenue. The first ever general members meeting held in our building, even though the big hall was half-finished, took place on March 3, 1974. The official opening of the building took place on Saturday March 15, 1975. The ceremonial ribbon cutting ceremony included then Premier of the province, William Davis, Ente Friuli nel Mondo president, Ottavio Valerio, President of the FVG Region, Antonio Comelli and Eddie Del Medico, Famèe Furlane Toronto president and Primo Di Luca its then Treasurer. Excitement and celebrations continued for days, and almost official unveilings and presentations, the celebration was also commemorated with a specially commissioned Furlan "bocal del vin".*

Spaces are limited, so please contact us as soon as possible to purchase your tickets either by phone 905.851.1166 or [reception@fameefurlane.com](mailto:reception@fameefurlane.com). **Deadline for purchasing tickets is Thursday, June 2.** Payment can be made by cash, cheque, or etransfer ([reception@fameefurlane.com](mailto:reception@fameefurlane.com)).



The FFT is only possible with the support of hard-working volunteers! Help make our events a success! With the variety of roles that assist with all facets of our events, there are so many ways volunteers can get involved! As a volunteer at the FFT, you will be signing up for optional volunteer roles best suited for you and be supported by a team leader. We hope to see you partake in our community!

If you are interested in volunteering on any of the above teams or in general, please let us know by sending an email to [volunteers@fameefurlane.com](mailto:volunteers@fameefurlane.com) or calling 905-851-1166.

### **VOLUNTEER POSITION #1 - GRASS CUTTING AT THE FAMEE FURLANE**

Are you cut out for it??? We can schedule you in! Please contact the office at 905.851.1166 to sign up.



The lawnmower is at the Famèe, full of gas, blades sharpened, and ready to go thanks to the generosity of members Bruno & Bruna Granziera.

### **FAMEE FURLANE MOVIE NIGHT**

**SATURDAY JULY 9 – 7:00 PM Colossus Movie Theatre**

**Featuring “DIABOLIK” - \$23.00 + HST**

Filmed in Trieste. The dark and romantic story of the first meeting between master thief Diabolik and Eva Kant, set in the fictional state of Clerville in the late 1960s. Inspector Ginko is on the hunt for the criminal, trying to stop his evil plans.

*Genre: action, crime, and mystery.*



Directors: Antonio Manetti and Marco Manetti

Cast: Luca Marinelli, Miriam Leone, Valerio Mastandrea, Claudia Gerini, Alessandro Roja, Serena Rossi

Trailer: [DIABOLIK \(2021\) - Manetti Brothers - HD Trailer - English Subtitles](#)



Call the Famèe Furlane for tickets: 905.851.1166 We accept: Cash, Cheque, E-transfer ([reception@fameefurlane.com](mailto:reception@fameefurlane.com))

### **MEMBERSHIP**

We are delighted to inform you that our Famèe has a few new members. It has been a long road for all of us and adding new faces to our family will give us more hope that not all is lost. We hope that the trend will continue which will give our present members a more hopeful future for our club. We appreciate your continued support and encourage any member who has not renewed their membership to do so as quickly as possible so that they can participate in the ANNUAL GENERAL MEMBERS MEETING on June 28. Remember that we have the FURLAN spirit and heart, and together we can do anything.

### **FOGOLÂRS 2022 in FRIÛL**

Reminder that FOGOLÂRS 2022 in FRIÛL from July 26-31 inclusive is fast approaching. The Fogolârs Federation of Canada would like to encourage everyone interested in attending to register quickly as hotel and airfares are booking up.

For further information on registration costs, hotels, etc.; please visit [fogolarsfederation.com](http://fogolarsfederation.com) or email us at [info@fogolarsfederation.com](mailto:info@fogolarsfederation.com)



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