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OYEZ, OYEZ, OYEZ

Seven years have passed since the old premises in Piazza Palermo were abandoned. No more students' voices, no more bells to mark the school hours, the breaks, the beginnings and the ends of the school-days.

We remained there, in the old Piazza Palermo building for another three years. We remained there almost to guard and protect it. It was rather difficult and we finally moved to the premises opposite the new school building in Darsena.

We have always hoped that the old building, full of memories and history, a building that we still love and care for and which we left with regret, would be used again in a suitable way as a centre of culture, possibly maritime culture, or as a school to continue the Foce tradition.

Our hopes and dreams are probably coming true. In fact, we hear that the Piazza Palermo building will probably be restored and be used to house a school.

Probably, because you never know. But the work has been approved by the Town Council and should be carried out under the direction of archt. Tedeschi and ing. Fasce by archt. Rizzi, archt. Bracchi and geometer Molinari, who were my colleagues in the Town Property Maintenance Office.

We wish to thank them for what they will do.

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News on Upcoming Events

Annual General Meeting

Date: 7 May 2014

Time: 17:00

Place: Auditorium , I.T.N. San Giorgio, Calata Darsena

- ◆ ***Annual Report of the President***
- ◆ ***Annual Report of the Treasurer***
- ◆ ***Approval of the budget***
- ◆ ***Prof. Aurelio Banchetti commemoration***
- ◆ ***Any other business.***

All members are invited to take part

Mid Spring Cocktail Party

Date: 7 May 2014

Time: 17:30

Place: outside the Auditorium, I.T.N. San Giorgio, Calata Darsena

Our Members and their families, the School teachers and staff are invited to the traditional cocktail offered by our Association .



***Sangria, Parmesan, Raw ham
Langhirano culaccia,
stuzzichini and cakes.***

We are looking forward to seeing you all there.

News on Upcoming Events

A VISIT to 'PALAZZO DEL PRINCIPE'

Date: Saturday 17 May, 2014-04-28
Time: 3.30pm
Meeting place: *Palazzo del Principe* main entrance
Cost: € 9.00
Max. 25 people
Booking: call one of the following phone numbers
☐ Association 338 5993370) o a :
☐ Armando FIORAVANTI Tel. 339 7210618
☐ Luigi SARTORI Tel. 342 1214372

The visit will be guided, as usual, by Prof. Francesco Pivetta.

A TRIP into LANGHE



Date - Sunday 25 May, 2014.
Cost: € 55,00 all included (return journey by private coach, visits, lunch and tips)
Booking deadline: 10 May, 2014

You are advised to **book as soon as possible (50 being the places available)**, by calling either

- ☐ the Association (338 5993370) or
- ☐ Armando FIORAVANTI (339 7210618) or
- ☐ Luigi SARTORI (342 1214372)

THE *LANGHE* PROGRAMME



Meeting point	Piazza della Vittoria (INPS side)
Meeting Time	07.00 am
7:15am	Departure by coach (<i>Callero's</i> company)
9:30am:	Arrival at <i>Castello di Grinzane Cavour</i> , home of Camillo Benso Count of Cavour (who was Grinzane Mayor from 1832 to 1849)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Guided visit to <i>Museo etnografico</i> sulla civiltà contadina, con una sala con cimeli del grande statista.
10:00am :	<input type="checkbox"/> Visit to <i>Enoteca regionale Cavour</i>. (optional, non-guided)
11.30	Departure for <i>Murazzano</i>, famous for its production of <i>robiole</i> Lunch at '<i>Da Lele</i> restaurant'
1:00pm	[The Menu will include at 5 starters, 2 first courses, 2 second courses, different kinds of local cheese, dessert, local wine and coffee]
3.00pm	Departure for <i>Dogliani</i> Visit of about 40 minutes to <i>Cantina del Dolcetto di Dogliani</i>, guided by their commercial enologue.
4.00pm	After the visit, there will be a tasting of 4 wines with typical <i>salumi</i> and cheese. N.B. Wine bottles can be bought in their souvenir shop
6.00 pm	Departure for Genova
8.00pm	Estimated time of arrival in Genova P.za della Vittoria

Our 2014 Cruise

Our next cruise has been postponed to September /October. We are presently trying to organize it.

Info

The Historical Collection of ITN San Giorgio Students' Photos Set in Frames

About eighty historical photos of ITN San Giorgio's students and school-leavers are exhibited on the walls of ITN San Giorgio ground floor right-hand corridor. They have been reduced in size.

An explanation makes it easier to locate them. The work has been carried out painstakingly by our colleague, prof. Alessandro Fava, who is responsible for the Shipbuilding Workshop.

Photo n°. 1 featuring a group of first year's Marine Engineers is the oldest, dating back to 1919-1920, when the school was named 'Istituto Tecnico e di Marina Mercantile Vittorio Emanuele' and was located in Largo Zecca. The most recent photo dates back to 1979-1980 and features a class of school-leaving ship's masters.

The nice tradition of taking and collecting the students' photos lasted for 60 years- It is a shame that it was discontinued when cameras became common.

Unfortunately, several pictures- small but important mementos - are missing from the present collection.

If you happen to have photos that are not in the exhibition, we would be grateful to be able to add them to the existing collection.

A paragraph is devoted to these historical photos in the book *Storia del Nautico*.

The collection of photos of ITN San Giorgio's Teachers of 'lunghissimo corso'.

In our premises you can now see a frame with the photos and the names of the 42 teachers that taught in the school for at least 24 years, including, in a prominent position, prof. Aldo Marletta (teacher and headmaster for 42 years altogether), prof Francesco Cozzo (41 years), prof Roberto Parodi (41 years), prof Learco Ceresini (40 years).

The composition has been created by prof. Manuela Reguzzoni using the materials provided by Virgilio Bozzo.

Unfortunately we could retrieve only 18 photos. If you happen to have a photo that is not in our collection, we would be delighted to have it.

The list of the teachers that taught at ITN San Giorgio can be found in the book *Storia del Nautico*.

Reminders

The yearly fee to renew your association is of €20. It can be paid:

-  in cash at our premises or
-  by postal order (c/c n° 13793161 made payable to "Associazione ex allievi e docenti" Nautico S.Giorgio").

Please remember that our premises are now open on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday** from 10.00 to 11.30. For more information you can contact us at 338 5993370 (during opening hours)

As a member you are entitled to request:

- the Association crest
- the Association tie.
- the volumes:
 - *"La storia dell'Istituto Nautico San Giorgio di Genova"* (new edition) by Virgilio Bozzo and Armando Fioravanti.
 - *"Nino Bixio e le questioni del mare"* by Virgilio Bozzo and Armando Fioravanti.

All contributions will be entirely devoted to our scholarships.



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www.exsanggiorgio.it (Italian) and www.exsanggiorgio.it (English) .