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AS USUAL WE ARE CLOSED IN JULY AND AUGUST

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Something new in sight

by Francesco Boero

Abstract

The article is about the Italian seafarers' problems and difficulties and a proposal for tax incentives for the Italian shipowners enrolling Italians only. An interesting but challenging initiative.

You can read the full article in its original version going to the Italian site - La Carretta n.128)

Reports on past events

Date: 24 March



Talk: "ANTARTIDE Laboratorio a Cielo Aperto della Scienza Internazionale"
Speakers

- Prof. Giovanni Capponi, professore ordinario GEO/03 – Geologia strutturale del DISTAV – Università di Genova
- Dott. Stefano Schiaparelli. Ricercatore Area
 05 Biologia e Responsabile scientifico del MNA

The speakers called Antarctica an open-air lab, a continent which is still largely unknown. They described how people staying there for a research period can adapt to extreme conditions and talked about their difficulties in reaching the bases, about the means and equipment needed to make life less difficult there and about the equipment for the collection of useful data.

The movies and the pictures they projected showed glacial landscapes and the local fauna (in particular penguins).

Date: 10 April



Presentation of the book "Gente di bordo. La vita quotidiana dei marittimi genovesi nel XVIII secolo" by prof. Luca Lo Basso, Docente associato presso l'Università di Genova e curatore del Laboratorio di Storia Marittima e Navale Speakers:

- prof. Antonio Musarra, Middle Ages Historian
- prof. Emiliano Beri, Genoa University

The event was supported by *Prof. Wladimiro lozzi,* former Headmaster of *I.T. Nautico S. Giorgio* of Genoa.

The talk focused on the life and career of the young seafarers on board sailing vessels when the power of the Genoese Republic was declining.

Date: 3/4/5 May

Event:

National Competition of *Istituti Tecnici Trasporti e Logistica* (Deck and Engine)

- 3 May- opening ceremony
- 4 May written contest in *Camogli*
- 5 May Practice Test in Genoa (deck on board the school sailing vessels, engine in the engine and electro-technical labs)

This is a yearly competition aiming at verifying the knowledge, skills and performance levels of the students and to promote an exchange of experiences between different socio-cultural realities

Since Miss. Arianna Carelli, a student of IV CI at Camogli, won the 2016 edition of the games for CAIM (Engine), Genoa was the seat for this year's contest.

Pupils of 19 maritime schools of our Peninsula who attend the IV year of course took part in the competition.

The representatives of the Municipalities of Genoa and *Camogli*, of *USR Liguria*, of the Command of the Harbour Master's Office, of the College of Captains, of the world of work and of our Association attended the event.

Date: May 2 to 11,

A delegation of ten students and two teachers from Guangzhou Maritime University of Canton (China) visited the school. The collaboration between the school and the Chinese University dates back to 2008 with the signing of the first protocol of intents aimed at developing ties of friendship between the two peoples, mutual cooperation between maritime training systems and mutual knowledge of the respective culture and language.

Date: 6 to12 May

A group of 10 students and a professor from Aboa Mare School, Novia University of Turku (Finland) visited the school on an Erasmus + MariePRO Student Exchange Project.

The exchange is aimed at sharing training paths and involved the creation of a mixed class consisting of 10 Italian students and 10 Finnish students attending innovative courses in Finland and Italy from 29 April to 12 May.

First, ten students from class V CNA C (deck) of Camogli attended a course in Finland on MRM (Marine Resource Management)

The MRM course made use of simulators to analyse cases of excessive confidence with navigation procedures likely to lead to accidents. It aimed at training the learners in situation awareness so as to prevent accidents due to human error.

The following week, 10 Finnish students came to Italy to follow a Marine Environment Awareness Course (MEA)

The MEA course focused on pollution prevention by using role playing and simulation.

The high quality of the courses, with simulations of situations similar to the ones that arise at sea, can develop awareness of what life on board is like and of its problems. It makes students face new and stimulating situations and can better prepare them for a future in a multicultural maritime environment.

News on Upcoming Events

End-of Term Time Lunch and Boat Trip

Date: Saturday, 24 June

To celebrate our 30th years of activity, instead of our traditional end-of-term dinner, we have organized a boat trip to Camogli with lunch at the restaurant_*La* Moreia ,Via G. Garibaldi 103, 16032 Camogli, tel. 0185 77605

As usual, the activity is open to all members, their families and friends.

Cost::

- Boat return trip and lunch: € 50 per person
- Lunch only:€ 35

Programme

8.30	Meeting at Calata Mandraccio Departure for Camogli on the boat					
9.00	"Città di Camogli"					
10.00	Arrival in Camogli					
	Possibile visits to Santa Maria Assunta Church, Teatro Sociale and Gio Bono Ferrari Maritime					
	Museum					
12.45	Lunch at La Moreia, on the promenade by the sea					
17.30	Departure for Genoa					
18.30	Arrival at Calata Mandraccio					

Booking deadline: 16 June

To book, please call one of the following numbers:

- prof. Fioravanti: 339 7210618 (till 3 June)
- prof. Sartori: 342 1214372
- prof. Mirella lacopi, Camogli 340 5971050
- the Association mobile: 338 5993370 (form 10.00 to 11.30am Tuesdays , Wednesdays and Thursdays).

Alternatively, you can send an email to: armandofioravanti@fastwebnet.it

Menu

Starters:

Platter of Seafood or cold cuts

First course:

Risotto with seafood or trophies with pesto

Main course:

Ligurian fish fillet with potatoes, pine nuts and capers or

Cut of beef with rucola and grana cheese

Dessert:

7iramisu

Water, wine, coffee.



The River Cruise IN RUSSIA

Departure: Monday 5 June

Time: 7.00

Place: piazza della Vittoria at INPS

Transfer: by private coach to Malpensa Airport with a Bubble Viaggi COURIER.

Details concerning the flights:

DATE	DEPARTURE	TIME	ARRIVAL	TIME	LIGHT N°
5 June	Milan Malpensa	12.15	Moscow	16.40	2411
16 June	San Pietroburg	09.20	Milan Malpensa	12.00	6673

All excursions can be booked on board the boat (with a small supplement) or at Bubble Viaggi when you collect your passport contacting Mrs Elisabetta,

Most participants have chosen the following trips among the ones not included

MOSCOW BY NIGHT (about 2 hours long)

€ 30,00



Visit to the main streets in Moscow, including Tverskaja and Nuova Arbat, and to the Red Square (the Cremlin and Saint Basil Church). View of Novodevici Monaster and the park with its lit fountains

PETRODVOREC PALACE - Peterhof (Saint Petrsbug) (about half day long) € 55,00

It is Peter the Great's Versailles on the shores of the Baltic Sea reachable by boat.

Imposing the Great Waterfall on terraces dominated by sparkling statues, not to mention all the water games in the park.

Beautiful the halls of the Grand Palace even though it was severely damaged during the German occupation of the Second World War



Reminders

If you wish to renew your association, as we hope, you can do it by paying the yearly fee of €20 in cash at our premises or by postal order (c/c n° 13793161 made payable to "Associazione ex allievi e docenti" Nautico S.Giorgio").

As a member you are entitled to request:

- the Association crest
- the Association tie.
- the scarf and the cap
- the Bicentenary postcards and booklet
- the books:
 - "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.
 - "I duecento anni dell' istruzione nautica statale a Genova", booklet by Virgilio Bozzo and Armando Fioravanti
 - "Navigando sul mare dei ricordi", stories written by our Members

N.B. All contributions will be devoted to our scholarships.







