



Notiziario for February 2012
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Sign up now for “Andiamo! Italian Classes for the Traveler”

Need just enough Italian to get by on your trip to Italy? Strengthen your language skills with a shorter commitment and no homework! **Register now on line as these popular sessions fill quickly.** Tuition for the 4-session series is \$40 for ICI members* or \$60 for non-members.

This is a four-week mini course from 3:30-5:30 p.m., Sunday afternoons March 4, 11, 18, and 25, at Highland Presbyterian Church’s Pleune-Mobley Center, 1011 Cherokee Road, Louisville, KY. Each session starts with refreshments plus time to socialize after a 1-hour interactive lesson. Sorry, no signups for individual sessions.

Salotto di Clara * February 16 from 7-9 pm at Clara’s home to converse in Italian in a social setting. Call 690-6404 for more information.

Biblioteca italiana * February 27, from 7-9 p.m., at Tom Van’s house to review **Anthony Everett’s Cicero: Life and Times of Rome’s Greatest Politician**. Participants are invited to bring snacks or wine to share. Call 458-4642 for details. **Future reading for March 26 is Federico Filini’s Filini on Felini & April 30 Leonard Sciascia’s Moro Affair.**



Carnevale

RSVP now for the Traditional ICI Member Appreciation Event

You will be treated to entertainment by the Louisville Mandolin Orchestra and enjoy a wonderful selection of antipasti, wine & the best Italian desserts at this year’s Carnevale on Tuesday, February 21, 2012,

from 6:30-9:00 p.m., at the Louisville Boat Club, 4200 River Road. Two authentic Italian masks will be awarded as door prizes. ***Carnevale* is free for ICI members, OR \$15 for non-members.**

Please make your reservations by February 16 via www.icilouisville.org or by calling 938-8830.



ICI's "Cucina - A Food Journey through Italy"

The January Cucina was another sold-out success as Teresa Crocco entertained with stories of growing up in Italy, as she demonstrated seven courses, accompanied by wine and a complete set of recipes. Thanks to the friendly folks at Cooking at the Cottage, in St. Matthews, and to Mary Ann Thoren who chaired the hard working committee that produced Cucina.

Photographer Patrick L. Pfister captured Teresa Crocco's enthusiasm for all regions of Italian cooking to a rapt audience.

SAVE THE DATE – "Italy in Film" This popular free film series will be held in the Chao Auditorium, Ekstrom Library, U of L, at 6:30 p.m. on the four successive Wednesday evenings of March 21, 28, April 4 and 11.
