

## Scopo

Lo scopo principale del Club italiano e' di promuovere la conoscenza di, e l'interesse per la lingua, la cultura, e la storia, italiana. Fondato nel 1922, il Club al momento ha piu' di 150 membri, uniti nella loro eredita' italiana e nel loro entusiasmo di sapere, quanto piu' possibile, in riguardo all'Italia. L'organizzazione e' stata unica nella zona di St. Louis per la sua concentrazione e la sua enfasi sui tutti aspetti della cultura italiana.

Ogni anno il Club presenta una varietà di programmi e attività in relazione della cultura italiana, che include cene mensili con le presentazioni formali di soggetti italiani, oltre che i seminari della letteratura classica italiana, e parecchi seri di film e d'opera. Ogni mese il Club pubblica un bollettino, "La Rondine." Tutti i programmi sono condotti in inglese, pero c'e' ampia opportunita' ad ogni evento a parlare italiano se uno preferisca. Per incoraggiare e riconoscere lo studio della lingua italiana al livello universitario il Club anche assegna primi monetari agli studenti eminenti delle scuole diverse della regione di St. Louis.

Per ottenere altra informazione, per piacere telefonate a Marie Cuccia Brand, il Presidente, a 314-993-2252, o per posta elettronica a [mcucciasbj@aol.com](mailto:mcucciasbj@aol.com) oppure anche potete visitare il nostro sito internet: [www.italiausa.com/italianclub](http://www.italiausa.com/italianclub).

## ITALIAN CLUB OF ST. LOUIS APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth (if Italy, please list province, region and town) \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about the Italian Club? \_\_\_\_\_

**The by-laws of the Italian Club of St. Louis require that members be of Italian descent. Please provide information explaining basis of Italian descent (please include the province, region and town where your family is from, if known)** \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail your application to Debbie Monolo, 4800 Idecker Ridge, St. Louis, MO 63129, or bring it to the next meeting. The annual membership dues are \$40. You will be billed after acceptance into the Club. Dues are prorated based upon the month of your acceptance to the Club.

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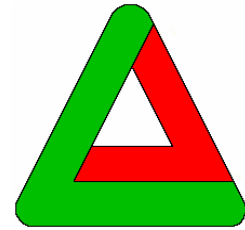
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## Purpose

The major purpose of the Italian Club of St. Louis is to promote knowledge of and interest in Italian language, culture, and history. Founded in 1922, the Club currently has over 150 members united in their Italian heritage and enthusiasm to know as much as possible about Italy. The organization has been unique in the St. Louis metropolitan area for its focus and emphasis on all aspects of Italian culture.

Every year, the Club presents a variety of culturally-related programs and activities, including monthly dinners with formal presentations on a broad range of Italian related topics, as well as, seminars on classical Italian literature and several Italian film and opera series. It also publishes a monthly newsletter, *LaRondine*. All programs are conducted in English although there is ample opportunity at every activity to speak Italian, if desired. Also, to encourage and recognize the study of Italian language and literature at the college and university level, the Club annually awards monetary prizes to outstanding students at various schools in the St. Louis area.

For further information, please call Marie Cuccia-Brand, President, at 314-993-2252 or by e-mail at [mcucciasbj@aol.com](mailto:mcucciasbj@aol.com) or visit our website at: [www.italiausa.com/italianclub](http://www.italiausa.com/italianclub)



# Italian Club of St. Louis

**Founded 1922**

## ***Membership Application***

### Officers

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