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**Merry Xmas and Happy New Year**

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# PALE A PRORA e BUON VENTO

by Francesco Boero

(To read the text in its complete original version go to the Italian site - La Carretta n.130)

## SUMMARY

Our President provides a detailed report about the *San Giorgio Awards Ceremony* and thanks all the people who contributed to its success.

He also reports about what he said at the ceremony. He is sure that the students have received an excellent tuition at school and hopes that it will contribute to their success in life even if the seafarers' future is uncertain.

Life at sea is changing with the advances in technology and it is essential for the young to keep up with the developments and never give up

The President stresses the importance of introducing a University Degree for Seafarers and the importance of reintroducing the Ministry of Transports. But things are moving slowly.

He also mentions the twinning with **Nautico of Imperia**. It had been planned for November but, due to several problems, it has been postponed to some time in spring. He apologizes.

He finally wishes Merry Xmas and a Very Happy 2018 to everybody

**"FORWARD ALL. GO AND HAVE A GOOD WIND!"**

**ZUMBAI**

**BAUER**

## Reports on Past Events

# SAN GIORGIO AWARDS CEREMONY

**Date: Saturday 14 October 2015**

**Time: 10:15am**

**Place: Salone del capitano, Palazzo San Giorgio – 2, via della Mercanzia –**

**This year, the 2017 San Giorgio plaque was given to Ing. Estelio Carpano of Fondazione Piaggio, for his outstanding activity in the maritime field.**



**Event organization: Comandante Ottavio Lanzola**

**Chairman: Chief Engineer Roberto Penna**

**Speakers:**

**Comandante Giovanni Lettich, president of Collegio Nazionale Capitani di L.C. e M.; Prof.ssa Angela Pastorino, headmistress of Istituto Tecnico Statale dei Trasporti e Logistica – Nautico S. Giorgio di Genova e Camogli; Ing Francesco Boero, our President; several city and church authorities and representatives of the maritime community**

**During the ceremony, plaques, scrolls and checks (the "*Pietro Giumarra scholarship*" and the "*Giuseppe Caso scholarship*" ) were given to some of the best students of *Istituto Nautico San Giorgio* and to the best Deck and Engine Cadet Officers of *Accademia Italiana Marina Mercantile*.**

**The room was crowded. The ceremony was attended by authorities and by several of our members.**

**Guard of Honour: some students of *Nautico San Giorgio* wearing the beautiful sweaters of the school, and some students of *Accademia Italiana Marina Mercantile* in their elegant uniforms**

**The ceremony was followed by an excellent buffet.**

## News on Upcoming Events

# Xmas Dinner

Our traditional Xmas dinner will take place at the *"FUORIGROTTA"* restaurant, *Corso Gastaldi 191 R (Tel. 010-5220171 or 010-5221761)* ) at 8:00pm on Thursday, 14 December. The dinner is , as usual, open to all members, their families and friends, and this year it is also open to *Collegio Capitani* and *Istituto Nautico San Giorgio*.

**Cost: (service and tips included) : € 32 per person**



## Menu



Aperitif, salami and cuculli

Starters:

Platter of cold cuts and mozzarella

Seafood savoyarde

First course:

Risotto Salernitan style

Paccheri with shrimps and artichokes

Main course:

Calf veal baked in the oven with potatoes

Grilled squids and totans

Dessert:

Fruit salad

Tiramisu

Lemon sorbet, water, wine, coffee, drinks.

**Booking deadline: 11 DECEMBER,**

**To book, please call one of the following numbers:**

- prof. Fioravanti: 339 7210618

- prof. Sartori: 342 1214372

- the Association mobile: 338 5993370 (from 10.00 to 11.30am Tuesdays , Wednesdays and Thursdays).

**Alternatively, you can send an email to: [armandofioravanti@fastwebnet.it](mailto:armandofioravanti@fastwebnet.it)**

**N.B.** If you book but, then, you cannot come, will you please contact the restaurant (tel. 010 580553) to inform them, otherwise the Association will have to pay for no-show expenses.

## NEWS about Nautico San Giorgio

by Virgilio Bozzo)

Last June, 131 students sat for their school-leaving exams, as follows:

DECK	56 students
ENGINE	27 students
NAVAL ARCHITECTS	12 students
LOGISTICS	36 students

This year the students enrolled are 1105. In the history of our school, the number of the school students was over 1100 only five times. The record was reached last year with 1146 students.

This year the number of non-Italian students is of 7,3 % with the Ecuadorians in the first place followed by the Rumanians.

The female students are about 10%.

## CORRIGENDUM

Dearest all,

I apologize for writing "Wellcome back"

instead of "Welcome back" in the title of my article published on the last Carretta.

The error, underlined in blue thrice, was pointed out to me by our "quota rosa" in the Council, Prof. Manuela Reguzzoni, who I think; if I had been her student, would have given me the mark **0+** (+ for encouragement). Unfortunately, I must confess that I often have problems with my English

Bauer



Consideration by Prof. Reguzzoni  
*"Actually I was not so strict !!"*



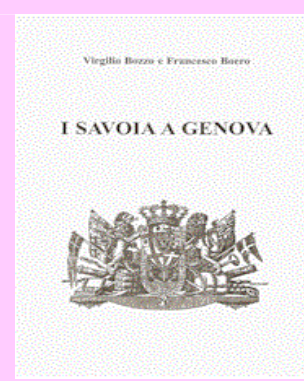
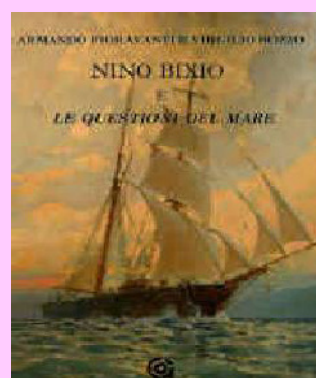
# Reminders

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 Association cap and the scarf
- 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
  - **"I Savoia a Genova"** by Virgilio Bozzo and Francesco Boero

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



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