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VISION STATEMENT The principle purpose of the ICHA is to improve the quality of life for the community by providing social and recreational activities for mentally & physically challenged individuals in Windsor & Essex County. Our goal of providing leadership is achieved through participation and commitment of our dedicated volunteers.

The roots of the ICHA were planted in 1977 at Glengarda School when Egidio Novelletto began a soccer program for mentally challenged individuals. The Association was granted charitable, non-profit status on July 22, 1987.



Since that time, the Association has taken on the responsibility of delivering a number of additional social and recreational activities. The ICHA Valentine's day, Halloween and Christmas dinner dances are filled with friendship, good food, dancing and fun. In addition to the soccer program, bocce ball, poly hockey (floor hockey) and basketball have been added to meet the needs and demands of these "special individuals"; the ICHA is also sponsoring a bowling league. These programs are currently run year round out of the Novelletto Rosati Complex on various weekday evenings. ICHA social members have participated in many out of town tournaments as available throughout the years and have experienced the pleasure of travelling as a group to such places as Cleveland, Ohio (clog dancing competition), the Thousand Islands, African Lion Safari and Canada's Wonderland.

The ICHA has established a fund to offer bursaries at both the University of Windsor and St. Clair College. Bursary funds are accessible to people with physical and mental disabilities. In recognition of an individual who contributed greatly to the early success of the ICHA, the Dario Rossi Memorial Bursary was established and is available to a qualified ICHA volunteer who is moving into a post secondary school environment.

Today the ICHA is one of the largest organizations of its kind in Ontario with a social membership of 200 individuals and a voting membership of 80. It is important to note that our Association is run entirely through the efforts of our volunteers. Our social members range in age from 10 to over 50, with the average age of 25.

Membership in the ICHA is open to all people with a physical or mental disability in Windsor and Essex County. In October of 2002, the ICHA opened the Novelletto Rosati Complex with the ultimate goal of providing a home base for all people with a physical or mental disability in our community. Through the generosity of all levels of government and the overwhelming support of businesses and individuals in Windsor and throughout Essex County, the ICHA was successful in this endeavor.

If you know of someone that could benefit from our programs or is interested in volunteering their service with the ICHA, please have them contact us. Inquiries can be sent to

ICHA, 3939 Carmichael Dr., Windsor, Ontario, N9C 0C3

in care of Egidio Novelletto, Founding President or Loris Sanson, ICHA President. Phone inquiries can be directed to the above parties at (519) 977-1209.

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GREETINGS FROM THE I.C.H.A. PRESIDENT

It is my pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all the participants, coaches, supporters and volunteers to the 2017 HandiCapable Indoor Friendship Soccer Tournament. The ICHA has proudly hosted this tournament every year since 1988 and we are pleased that the tournament continues to attract special athletes and many enthusiastic fans.

The ICHA is a volunteer based organization that supports disabled people through recreational and social programs through funds raised in the Windsor-Essex community. For twenty nine years this tournament has provided disabled athletes the opportunity to display their skills and talent

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in friendly competition. Our luncheons, banquet and award presentations have made each tournament a special occasion and pleasant memory for each participant.

Much work goes into the preparation of each tournament and we are indebted to all our loyal supporters and volunteers who contribute to the success of this event. We truly value their continuing dedication and commitment.

Best wishes to all our participants, families and supporters for an enjoyable and memorable tournament.

Share the Spirit,

Loris Sanson ICHA President

MESSAGE FROM THE I.C.H.A. FOUNDER

Dear Friends.

This year marks the 30th year of the ICHA's Indoor Soccer Tournament. Nine teams from across Ontario and Michigan will be participating. A special welcome to teams from Brampton, London, South Simcoe, and our teams from Windsor & Essex County.



To all athletes, you continue to inspire us with your enthusiasm, love of soccer and sportsmanship. We look forward to seeing many smiles, cheers and goals this weekend.

To all coaches and volunteers, thank you for continuing to carry the "spirit" of these games. Hosting an annual event like this could not be possible without your support and dedication to our shared cause. We are grateful for all you do!

Finally, I would like to thank our local friends & the business community for your financial support in making the ICHA Indoor Soccer Tournament a success.

Enjoy the Weekend!

Egidio Novelletto, ICHA Founding President



2017 HandiCapable Indoor Friendship Soccer Tournament SATURDAY MARCH 11, 2017 - NOVELLETTO ROSATI SPORTS COMPLEX

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Brampton Panthers
ICHA Sparks
London
South Simcoe Classics

Coaches Meeting

9:00

D DIVISION (GREEN GROUP)

Brampton Panthers
ICHA Centennials
London 1
London 2
South Simcoe Classics

9:30	F1	ICHA Sparks	VS	South Simcoe Classics
	F2	Brampton Panthers	VS	London
10:00	F1	Brampton Panthers	VS	ICHA Centennials
	F2	London 1	VS	London 2
10:30	F1	London	VS	ICHA Sparks
	F2	South Simcoe Classics	VS	Brampton Panthers
11:00	F1	South Simcoe Classics	VS	ICHA Centennials
	F2	Brampton Panthers	VS	London 1
11:30	F1	Brampton Panthers	VS	ICHA Sparks
	F2	London	VS	South Simcoe Classics
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1:00	F1	ICHA Sparks	VS	South Simcoe Classics
	F2	Brampton Panthers	VS	London
1:30	F1	ICHA Centennials	VS	London 1
	F2	South Simcoe Classics	VS	London 2
2:00	F1	London	VS	ICHA Sparks
	F2	South Simcoe Classics	VS	Brampton Panthers
2:30	F1	Brampton Panthers	VS	London 2
	F2	London 1	VS	South Simcoe Classics
3:00	F1	Brampton Panthers	VS	ICHA Sparks
	F2	London	VS	South Simcoe Classics
3:30	F1	Brampton Panthers	VS	South Simcoe Classics
	F2	ICHA Centennials	VS	London 2

F1 C Division 4 Teams

SATURDAY EVENING BANQUET AT COMPLEX - Time:4:30 pm Banquet NOVELLETTO ROSATI COMPLEX 3939 Carmichael Dr., Windsor, ON N9C 0C3 (519) 977-1209

F2 D Division 5 Teams

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on the occasion of its

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Windsor SPITFIRE Hockey Players visit the ICHA FLOOR HOCKEY TEAM @ The Novelletto-Rosati Sports Complex



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ICHA members, parents and guardians watch the Windsor Spitfires beat the Oshawa Generals 7-1 @ WFCU Centre.



















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Do you have a Special Needs family member and are looking for help or a night out? Why don't you join the ICHA bocce program.

> Our Bocce program has grown from 10 to 60 athletes per night. We promote exercise through games like King's Court and enhance social abilities through dancing. We have friendly, helpful volunteers and athletes of all abilities.

The Bocce program runs from 6:00 to 7:00pm every Monday night at the Novelletto Rosati Complex. The dancing portion follows and continues to 8:00 pm. Each year we attend a bocce tournament hosted by the Fogolar Furlan Club.

Our door is aways open.



To all our ICHA Volunteers, Guardians, Care-givers & Supporters



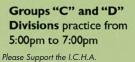
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The soccer program began in 1987 on the Glengarda School grounds.

Practices at the Novelletto Rosati Complex held every Tuesday include warm up exercises, skills development for the various abilities and competitive levels of the athletes.

Tuesday Nights from 5pm to 7pm







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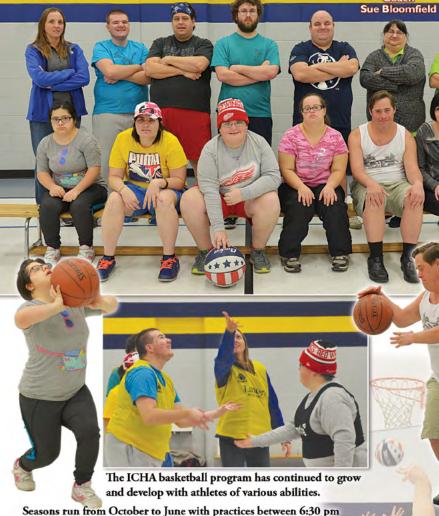
The I.C.H.A. Floor Hockey program was introduced in 2006 to provide our "C" level members another program to participate in. The floor hockey season starts every Wednesday after Labour Day, to the beginning of June.

Proper equipment & rules are mandatory. Practices take place Wednesday evening, 6:30pm to 7:30 pm.

If you know of someone who is interested in participating in the ICHA "C" level program or have any questions, please call the ICHA office (519-977-1209)



Leave your name and/or their contact information, where Earl Larking, floor hockey coordinator can return your call. Or email elarking@cogeco.ca.



to 8:00 pm every Thursday at an elementary school gymnasium. (Call for more information and directions to the school.)



The athletes enjoy learning and interacting with their teammates, coaches and volunteers.

Everyone works very hard to develop their skills and look forward to attending tournaments.

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10 Pin Bowling at the Super Bowl Lanes takes place Saturdays from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm located on Tecumsch at Forest Glade Drive. Our season runs from August to May. The program is open to anyone with a disability.





July 14, 2017

Fettuccine/Tomato Basil Mixed Salad Seafood Platter Chicken Parmigiana **Roast Potatoes** Green Beans **Bread & Butter** Coffee & Tea Dessert

> Maximum Two Bottles of Wine per Table













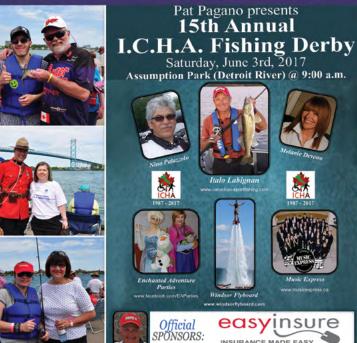




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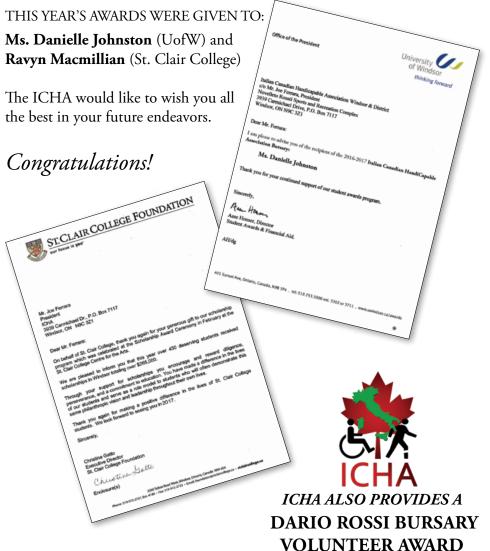




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Annual BUD ROBERTS AWARD

The Kiwanis Club has teamed up with the ICHA to make a special award presentation during the award banquet festivities. The "Bud Roberts Team Player Award" is presented annually to a local competitor who participates in the "C" or "D" level competition and who bests exhibit a "team" first approach to their play.

The individual may be chosen based on their play in the tournament, for cheering their team mates or simply being there for practices throughout the year. From learning from Bud Roberts achievements during his lifetime, we felt that he was truly a team player and that his trophy would serve as a legacy to the way he lived life.



2016 Award given to

Colin Hayes

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