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Newsletter 2016/03

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Dear Members,

It was a great joy for the committee of the Swiss Circle to welcome 37 members and friends at the Restaurant Echo, Cinnamon Grand, for the traditional "Stammtisch" meeting!

Everybody enjoyed each other's company, good conversations and an excellent Italian Dinner Buffet in a nice and cozy atmosphere.



The President, Marina Fernando, and Vice President, Brigitte Badurdeen, announced a surprise... a raffle for two free dinners! The lucky winners were Denise Lanz and Emil Saladin who showed their appreciation for this unexpected gift with a radiant smile!



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Luck was not on your side this time? Don't worry... there will be another chance at the

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Please reserve the date:

Date: Wednesday, 22nd June 2016 Time: 7.00 p.m.

Venue: Hilton Colombo Residences, Restaurant Flow

Address: 200 Union Place, Colombo 02

This is an International Buffet Dinner with cuisines from around the globe

for Rs. 3'242.- (net) *

(* Subject to changes of Government taxes and levies.

Please make your reservation without delay, the latest by Sunday 19th June with Emil.
secretary.swisscircles@gmail.com, mobile: 0777 88 7659



The committee and a few members of the Swiss Circle followed Christopher Dabarera's invitation to commemorate the 5th death anniversary of his stepfather, Ricardo Bellvila, and the 30th anniversary of the Rico Shadow Guest House on Saturday, 23rd April. All the guests received a warm welcome and took part in the commemoration of Rico Bellvila. Afterwards Marina Fernando was declared chief guest and presented with a beautiful bouquet. She was asked to unveil a bust of Ricardo Bellvila and to release a bunch of pink balloons after a touching speech by Christopher's nephew, Rico. All the guests were then treated to an aperitif and snacks in the garden. Finally we enjoyed a scrumptious lunch buffet at the Surya Resort. Everything was well organised and the place was beautifully decorated. A big thank you goes out to Christopher and his team, we had a great time.

We would like to remind you that the Swiss National Day Celebrations



will be held on the beach
at the Tropical Hut of the Mount Lavinia Hotel
on Sunday 31st July 2016.

Please reserve the date. The program with more details will follow in the next Newsletter.

The committee is looking forward to seeing all of you on these occasions.

Diana Wijewardena

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