



## **National Capital District**

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Dear members of the Ottawa Italian Canadian Community:

Due to the worldwide daily escalation of Coronavirus Covid-19 and its ensuing uncertainty, following the advice of both health professionals and current information provided by the three levels of Government, the National Congress of Italian-Canadians (National Capital District) has postponed all of its scheduled upcoming events and activities.

The health and safety of the community is of paramount importance to the NCIC. Caution, therefore, is our guiding principle in taking responsible and proactive measures in coping with the current situation. In addition, most NCIC activities take place at the Italian Canadian Historical Centre, located next to Villa Marconi where vigilant measures are being taken to protect our loved ones.

As the Covid - 19 situation is rapidly evolving, for your easy reference, please find listed below the address of various websites designed to provide you with current guidelines to follow.

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/coronavirus-disease-covid-19.html>

[https://www.ottawapublichealth.ca/en/public-health-topics/novel-coronavirus.aspx?utm\\_source=OPH&utm\\_medium=Home\\_Page\\_Banner&utm\\_campaign=Coronavirus&utm\\_content=Home\\_Page\\_Banner\\_OPH](https://www.ottawapublichealth.ca/en/public-health-topics/novel-coronavirus.aspx?utm_source=OPH&utm_medium=Home_Page_Banner&utm_campaign=Coronavirus&utm_content=Home_Page_Banner_OPH)

<https://travel.gc.ca/travelling/advisories>

In solidarity and with deep commitment, let us work towards the well being of our Community.

Thank you for your understanding and collaboration.

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