



ett (english theater torino)

ett newsletter - July



ett president, Connie Quercetti
and Cristina Burdett-Ferrari

Last month's high spot was Cristina Burdett-Ferrari's fabulous fund raising luncheon and pool party.

Over 30 guests gathered in Cristina's gorgeous garden for an afternoon of food, wine and sunshine (thank you, weather!).

And all these generous people enriched ett's coffers by the really stunning sum of €640. As it costs around € 2000 to put on a major production, this really means a lot to us. So a great big **thank you** to Cristina and everyone who attended.

PS to those of you who expressed an interest in joining ett – don't forget us over the summer! We'll be meeting for Wednesday evening rehearsals at the Carlo Alberto on Corso Casale until July 21st and then from early September.

And speaking of new recruits, we're thrilled to report that our plea for more men has been answered: our male contingent now numbers four. But we are never satisfied - the more members we have, of either sex, the greater the range of plays open to us and the more productions we will be able to put on.

We're also over the moon that another of our wishes has been granted. Thanks to the efforts of Maria-Teresa Grimaldi, we have found rehearsal space for Friday mornings too. And we'll be putting it to good use because we've really got going with rehearsals for the female version of "The Odd Couple" – and finding it every bit as funny as the male version, in fact some of us think it's even funnier. We haven't yet fixed our performance dates so watch this space ...

As even the most enthusiastic thespians need a holiday our next newsletter will be in September ... so Happy Holidays to everyone from all at **ett**