



THE ALBANY CLUB

Where Canada's Conservatives Connect | A Platinum Club® of the World

June 2018



THIS MONTH'S NEWS

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MEMBERSHIP UPDATE!

In a continued effort to introduce new members to the Albany Club, the Membership Committee is collecting potential new members' names in order to invite them and their sponsors to attend select Albany Club events in 2018.

We ask that you take a few minutes to recommend three potential new members and write their names & emails that can be sent to Khrystyna, our Membership Director.

Please email: membership@albanyclub.ca to submit.

We will use your name as a reference when we initially contact them.

Should they indicate a desire to join our Club, we will then ask you to draft a proposal letter. The potential new members will be sent a proper invitation by email with an RSVP request to an upcoming prospective member event. As a sponsoring member you will be advised of the date of the event which you may wish to attend as well.

What's On at the Club

Our Club culture fosters face-to-face relationship building, the key to staying connected in a digital world. Whether you're looking to meet like-minded Conservative individuals for social or business reasons, you will have plenty of opportunities to network at the sixty plus Club events we organize per year.

Join us at these two upcoming highlighted events!



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Friday, June 15th, 2018

Reception: 11:45 am | Lunch: 12:15 pm

Member & Spouse: \$38pp | Guests: \$48pp

NAFTA: Where are we now and what comes next?

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Business Leaders Series Luncheon: Shenglin Xian

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Reception: 11:45 am | Lunch: 12:15 pm

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A Canadian First Generation Immigrant to a Selfmade Billionaire... Shenglin's keys to success "integrity, a dream to pursue, and dedication"

Mr. Xian is a renowned successful Canadian entrepreneur who has been working in the financial service industry for 26 years. Mr. Xian, personally, and Shenglin Financial Group Inc. both remained on the list of London Life Top Producers for 6 years.



Upcoming Events

Prospective Member Event: Craft Beer Tasting on the Rooftop Patio!

Tuesday, June 12TH, 2018

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Join us for a Prospective Member Event on the Rooftop for a beer tasting with Amsterdam Brewery. Limited space available!

RSVP is required – please email:

membership@albanyclub.ca

Sixth Annual Spring Walk Around

Thursday, June 14TH, 2018

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Don't miss out on our Sixth Annual Spring Walk Around – one of the last gatherings before summer! Members: \$49pp Guests: \$62pp

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Cuban Ambassador Rum & Cigar Night on the Rooftop Patio

Monday, June 18TH, 2018

Start time: 5:30 pm

Please join Her Excellency Josefina Vidal, Ambassador of Cuba to Canada on the patio!

Members: \$38pp Guests: \$48pp

Special Patio Preview Party!

Wednesday, June 27TH, 2018

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

We are excited to announce a special preview event of our summer rooftop program on Wednesday, June 27th beginning at

5pm! Please join us for a taste of what you can expect all summer long at the Albany Club. Walk-ins welcome. Space is limited.

Weather permitting. No cover charge.

Pitt Society: Maxime Bernier on the Rooftop Patio

Thursday, July 12TH, 2018

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

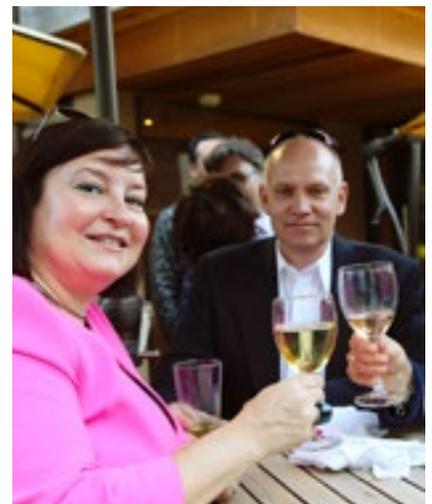
Drop by after work for a fun & social event with the Pitt Society members & Mr. Bernier on the sunny rooftop patio. All of this is paired with food & drink specials from our summer rooftop menu! No cover charge.

Pitt Society: Tasha Kheiriddin on the Rooftop Patio

Tuesday, July 17TH, 2018

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Join Tasha Kheiriddin on the patio as she talks about Ontario's New Government: Challenges and opportunities. Ms. Kheiriddin is one of Canada's best-known writers and broadcasters. Today she hosts the Tasha Kheiriddin Show daily at noon on Global News Radio 640 Toronto. No cover charge.



**Plus taxes & house charges*

A Message from John Capobianco, the Albany Club's new President!



On May 8th, I had the distinct honour of being named the Albany Club's new President. I am humbled and grateful to be able to carry the title which has been shared by so many other dedicated and distinguished members.

First and foremost, I would like to thank Meg Sintzel for her two years of service as President and I look forward to continuing our partnership.

Politically, we look forward to positive changes as Conservatives seek victory in the provincial and federal elections. The Albany Club has been the home for Canada's Conservatives since 1882 – a fact and value we will continue to preserve in the years ahead.

Yet, the Club is also much more than just a place for Canada's Conservatives to gather. It is also a place for business and social events, for quiet afternoons and annual black tie celebrations. With a third of our membership under 35, we are also a home to many millennials who continue to bring new energy and new programming to suit their needs. Most of all, the Club is a place to connect, and I hope we can continue to encourage these connections by recommending new members, being involved on a Committee, or attending some of our 70+ events.

During my own tenure, I have my sights set on the future. Vision 2030 is a strategic planning process which will insure a renewed commitment to our heritage and a blue print to the future. This analysis should shape what we do and our vision for the Club which will in turn insure our sustainability and viability.

Thank you for your support over my 30 years of membership and now presidency and I look forward to working with all of you to further the values, goals and legacy of our great Club.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Capobianco". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

John Capobianco
President



Recent Events at the Albany Club!



Conservative Conversations



**Business Series Luncheon:
Blockchain, Bitcoin & Cryptocurrencies**



Annual Mother's Day Brunch



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**Prospective Member Event:
Summer Cocktails & Mocktails**

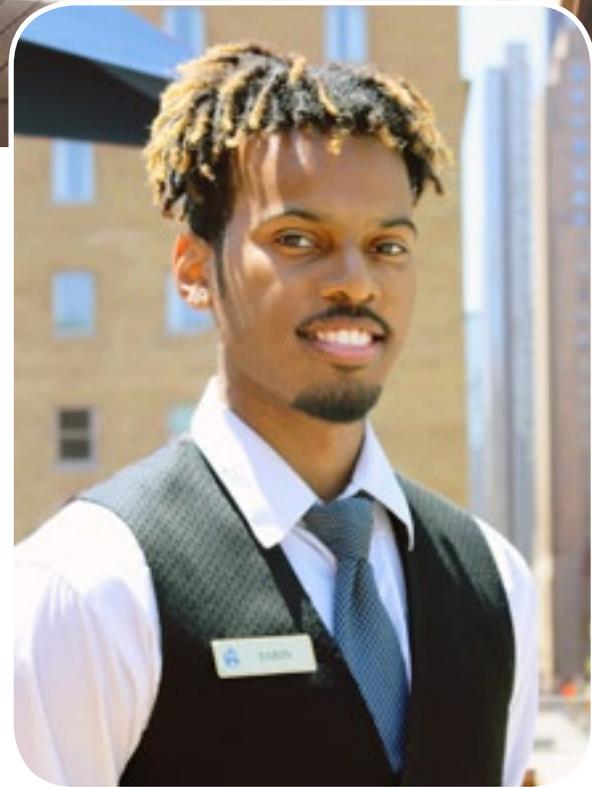


**Author Series Luncheon: Joe Martin
on "From Wall Street to Bay Street"**



Meet Tarin.. ONE OF OUR NEWEST TEAM MEMBERS!

Tarin is one of the newest members of the Albany Club team. He strives to deliver exceptional service in the Main Dining Room and Rooftop Patio during lunch and works in private dining on the third floor during the evenings. Tarin enjoys getting to know the members at his new work place and looks forward to serving you the next time you are in the club.



COCKTAILS!

Enjoy Cocktail of the Week specials on the Rooftop Patio every Monday until July! These cocktails are specially curated by yours truly, Head Bartender Andrei Starostenko. This week, try the Mojito style cocktail with a mint garnish from our very own cocktail garden pictured on the left!



TRY THE NEW JUNE MENU WITH THESE GREAT BEVERAGE PAIRINGS!



prosciutto caprese piadina

Old tomorrow Track 85 Lager

Sometimes it's the simplest things that are the best! This great summer pairing uses great ingredients to create a perfect match. Simple Italian inspiration and a fantastic craft beer are all you need!



prosciutto and fior di latte salad

Andriano Pinot Grigio

This Pinot Grigio is a gorgeous example of great wine making. Providing fantastic texture, melon and citrus fruits and beautiful match to a classic dish.

Great Lakes brewery octopus wants to fight ipa

A perfect match for any burger is a great beer. The bright and flavourful octopus wants to fight from GLB will compliment the wonderful vegetarian option provided by Chef Jay.



gourmet vegetarian burger on charcoal bun

Meldville sauvignon blanc

The lively acidity and subtle fruit of this Sauvignon blanc would be of great foil to the creamy sauce and assertive flavours of this great summer pasta dish.



gluten free penne with smoked salmon & spring vegetables

Gerard Bertran rose

This beautiful summer salad finds its perfect complement with a classic rose from the south of France. The Gerard bertran express subtle red fruits and bright acidity as it foils the richness of the beautifully.



warm smoked brome lake duck breast

RECIPROCAL CLUBS TO VISIT...

Enjoy the splendor of the Toronto Islands and visit the RCYC this August. The **Royal Canadian Yacht Club** was founded in Toronto in 1852 to serve both as a recreational yachting club and, in the British tradition, as an unofficial auxiliary of the Royal Navy in the defence of the waters of Lake Ontario. *Albany Club members can enjoy the RCYC during the month of August.*

Travelling to Halifax for the 2018 CPC Convention? Make sure to book a visit at The Halifax Club.

The Halifax Club offers its members and their guests fine and casual dining options and a variety of social activities. It is also a place where professionals can arrange business meetings and personal functions with respect to convenience and privacy.

Heading to Europe this summer? The Circulo Ecuestre offers a wide range of function rooms that can be adapted to meet all your needs. From facilities to cater for any reunion and services for the business world, it becomes the ideal centre for organizing conferences, meetings general, symposia and seminars. With rooms and suites available, The Circulo Ecuestre is your go-to in Catalonia.

Dine in style overlooking the impressive Hong Kong Central District skyline. Visit **The American Club** for social, recreational, and business activities in a distinctive American atmosphere! The American Club has two locations in Hong Kong, The Town Club & Country Club, which are both committed to delivering world-class products and services to their guests.

Making a trip down under? Tattersall's Club in Brisbane, Australia offers a choice of 18 spacious suites available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, located in the heart of Brisbane's CBD. The Club also has an abundance of fine dining, classic and modern options for Members and their guests.

