

# Alfa Piccola Notizia

Newsletter of the **FLORIDA ALFA CLUB**  
Tampa Bay Area, Florida

**Monthly Meeting Thur. February 10th**  
**NOTE! Paradise Restaurant - 443 Main St.**  
**Safety Harbor, FL**

## **Events on the horizon...**

**February - Sarasota Polo Club - 11:30 - 3 PM Sunday Feb 20th** - Our usual Polo match event, drive on the field at halftime of this 6 chukker match. Always fun for us with our cars parked on the mound. Get tickets at January or February meeting.



**March 11-13 Amelia Island!!!** Alfa Romeo is the featured marquee with cars planned from the museum! Further, a special Alfa tent on the field has been acquired, and Delmas and Joost are working on a special Friday evening event - a special AROC members, and Alfa exhibitors gathering!

**New Web Site** - We have obtained our own URL, and the new site is listed below! The new interface will allow officers and administrators to easily update information so we can keep it fairly current, or update information at the last minute if need be. Designed to look similar to AROC site.

*New Meeting Place on the horizon - but nothing confirmed yet.  
Keep your eyes open for any new sites.*

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**FAC Meeting Minutes, January 13, 2005**

In attendance, Linda & John Rady, John Picot, Chip Denyko, Polly & Delmas Greene, Lou Dougherty, Graham Spencer and NJ member Frank Nunziata.

Meeting called to order 7:30 Polly gave the Treasurers report. The Yalaha event went well, and everyone enjoyed the drive and the Yalaha bakery. This is an "in the middle of nowhere" location where droves of people stop by. Outdoor music, great food made this wonderful drive, and John lead the group on the back roads for this great event. Along this path is also the Lakewood winery, which we plan to make an event.

On upcoming events fronts: Sarasota Polo Club event is Sunday February 20<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 to 3. A six chukkar match with a drive around the field, fantastic horses, lots of fun!; February meeting will be at the Paradise restaurant on Main Street in Safety Harbor. On January 27<sup>th</sup>, the British club is hosting a car club planning session. This meeting is 7 PM. Mid Florida is already working on Celebration for November; Amelia Island – This event is shaping up very nicely with a special event on Friday to introduce the Alfa exhibitors and AROC members, along with dignitaries.

Our new web site <http://www.FloridaAlfaClub.com>  
 We haven't had T-shirts for a while, so we are working on getting some new designs to review.  
 Chip will contact Marc Mosko and see if we can coordinate a Collier Museum event. - Adjourned 8:55 PM.



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**Monthly meetings are held the SECOND THURSDAY of each month at Varoius Locations. Check the web page for the most recet update, or call one of us listed above. Meetings begin at 7:30 PM, but you are always invited to meet there early for dinner or just to chat about your latest Alfa adventure!**

# FAC & Other Events

## Sarasota Polo Club at the Lakewood Ranch

When: Sunday February 16th, Noon until about 3 PM

Where: Sarasota Polo grounds at the Lakewood Ranch.

Notes: We drive on field at half time. Bring your picnic or purchase at clubhouse.

Directions: From I-75, in Sarasota, take University Parkway exit and proceed East 3.5 miles to Lorraine Road.  
Turn Right and entrance is on your Right. Please call Polly for tickets ahead.

## Amelia Island Concours

March 11-13<sup>th</sup>, 2005

The Florida Alfa Club has once again reserved a block of rooms at the Holiday Inn (I-95 & Airport Road) for Saturday night (March 12<sup>th</sup>). We also have reserved a room at the Holiday Inn's restaurant (Montego's) for everyone to meet and have dinner. This Holiday Inn is located on the North side of Jacksonville, just off I-95 (around 20 miles from Amelia Island). For reservations, call: 904-741-4404 or 1-800-HOLIDAY. Ask for "Florida Alfa Club" reservations and the rate will be \$72.00 / night. They will also honor this rate for those wishing to stay more than one night.

We will meet for dinner at 7:00 PM. On Saturday night. (We are ordering from the menu and have individual checks) Please see, call, or E-mail Delmas and Polly if you plan to have dinner with us, as we need to let the restaurant know the approximate number of people to seat. Phone: 727-799-1486 (home) or 727-439-2019 (cell)

E-mail: [alfagreene@earthlink.net](mailto:alfagreene@earthlink.net)

Please visit our new Florida Alfa Club Website at <http://www.FloridaAlfaClub.com> for updates and changes.

We look forward to seeing all of you.

Polly and Delmas Greene & the FLORIDA ALFA CLUB

Please note that the featured marque at this year's Amelia Island event is Alfa Romeo. Unique Alfas from all over the world will be displayed, including some from the Alfa museum in Italy. Most of us plan to attend the Auction on Saturday and, of course, the "Concours d' Elegance" on Sunday. For more information about the Amelia Island event, check their web site.



February Meeting Location

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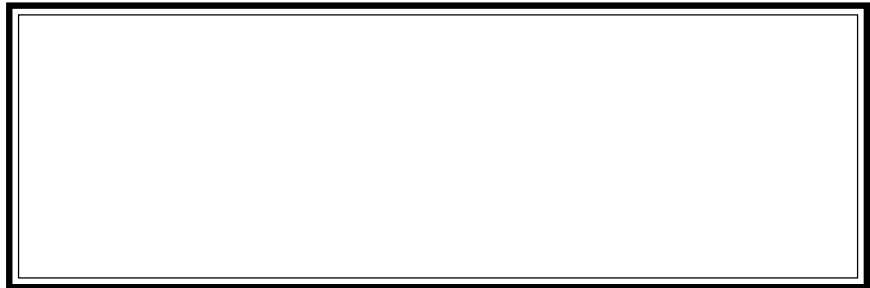
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*Dinner & Meeting Location*  
**Paradise Rest. - Safety Harbor, FL**  
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