



Welcome to the family! (Benvenuti nella famiglia)



As soon as you walk into our restaurant we hope you feel like you are on holiday in Italy, but more importantly we want you to feel welcomed as part of the family. In 2001 our dream came true when we opened our very own restaurant – Fresco Fresco which means “fresh fresh”, faithfully we ensure all our produce and ingredients are fresh, locally sourced wherever possible and of the highest quality.

Things I bet you didn't know!

- All our vegetables are grown to order in Zio Paolo's (Uncle Paul's) market garden down the road in Parbold. Zio Paolo is now 80 years old and from Calabria (You can visit his families shop in front of his land at 16 Lathom Avenue, Parbold, WN8 7DT). Zio Paolo recently attempted to grow the longest green beans as part of a world record attempt!



- The Iozzi family are from the small fishing town of Cetraro near Cosenza in Calabria (the region at the toe of Italy).



Maria Immacolata our Mamma and our Papā Ermanno had 10 children together: Sergio, Lucia, Enzo, Carmela, Leo, Giovanni, Franco, Ottaviano, Gianluca and Erica. Did you know that 'otto' means eight, so as Ottaviano was the eighth child this is why he was given his name!



Our cousin Eraldo grew up with us and is like a brother - he now lives in Glasgow and is an architect.



- Giovanni, Franco and Ottaviano all attended catering school from the age of 14 in Guardia, Calabria. They all decided to study different areas of the hospitality industry in the hope that one day they could open a family restaurant together. Giovanni wanted to be a chef, Franco front of house and Ottaviano a waiter.

- Ottaviano makes his famous Tiramisu fresh every day - we have his recipe if you would like to make it for yourself! – just ask a member of staff.
(subject to availability)



- Fresco Fresco hosts special events throughout the year such as live singers, wine tasting, charity evenings, regional speciality evenings when we can show case the regional dishes from a particular region/island. Check out the events section of our website: frescofresco.co.uk for future events.



- We cater for all dietary requirements and food allergies. Please let us make something especially for you!
- We also have a varied selection of Italian wheat free pasta displayed near the bar for sale.



- What ever the occasion: Wedding, Naming Ceremony, Birthday Party, Anniversary, Fresco Fresco can ensure you have the best possible celebration. We can tailor a menu to suit your taste and budget. Please don't hesitate to discuss your forthcoming celebrations with us.
- Let us know if it is someone's birthday in your party as we will play you our crazy Fresco Fresco birthday song, put the birthday hat on you and the staff will come out of the kitchen singing and playing the pans!! if you are lucky Ottaviano will blow his trumpet for you!

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