

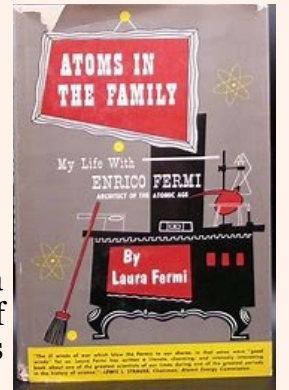
Amicizia Programs for 2024-2025

November 18, 2024 at Bayside Restaurant 11:30 AM

Atoms in the Family: My Life with Enrico Fermi by Laura Fermi-

Presenter Christina Walden

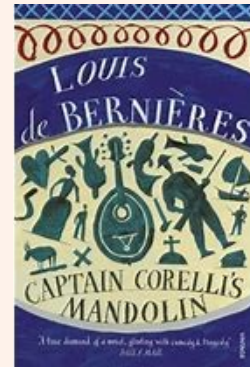
My life with Enrico Fermi. In this absorbing account of life with the great atomic scientist Enrico Fermi, Laura Fermi tells the story of their emigration to the United States in the 1930's-part of the widespread movement of scientists from Europe to the New World that was so important to the development of the atomic bomb at Los Alamos. **by Laura Fermi presenter: Christina Walden**



January 20, 2025 at Moorings Golf & Country Club Noon

Captain Corelli's Mandolin by Louis de Bernieres **Presenter: Aannalinda Ragazzo**

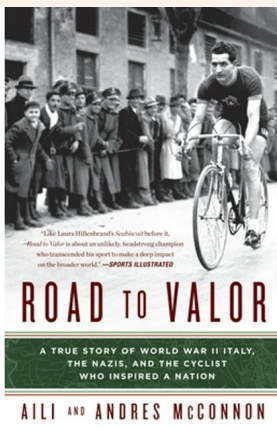
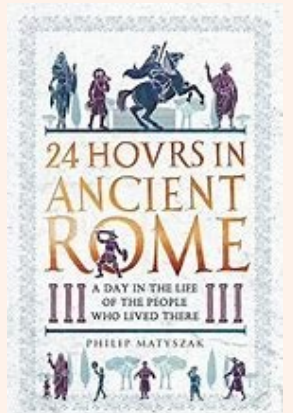
The acclaimed story of a timeless place that one day wakes up to find itself in the jaws of history: "An exuberant mixture of history and romance, written with a wit that is incandescent."



February 24, 2025 at Moorings Golf & Country Club Noon

24 Hours in Ancient Rome by Philip Matyszak

In this entertaining and enlightening guide, bestselling historian Philip Matyszak introduces us to the people who lived and worked there. In each hour of the day we meet a new character – from emperor to slave girl, gladiator to astrologer, medicine woman to water-clock maker – and discover the fascinating details of their daily lives.



March 24, 2025 at Moorings Golf & Country Club Noon

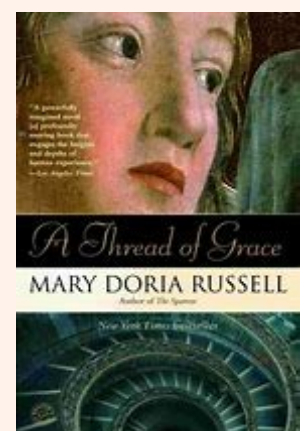
Road to Valor by Aili and Andres McConnon **Presenter: Tom Pirro**

Gino Bartali is best known as an Italian cycling legend who not only won the Tour de France twice but also holds the record for the longest time span between victories. In *Road to Valor*, Aili and Andres McConnon chronicle Bartali's journey, from an impoverished childhood in rural Tuscany to his first triumph at the 1938 Tour de France. As World War II ravaged Europe, Bartali undertook dangerous activities to help those being targeted in Italy, including sheltering a family of Jews.

April 14, 2025

Moorings Golf & Country Club Noon **A Thread of Grace** by **Mary Doria Russell**

"**A Thread of Grace**" by **Mary Doria Russell** is a historical novel set against the backdrop of World War II. The story revolves around a network of Italian citizens who courageously saved the lives of over **43,000 Jews** during the war's final phase. The narrative follows a community of uprooted Jews in southern France who flee across the Alps to Italy after the Italians sign the armistice.



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Wine Tasting



STORYTELLING



Sunset with a Twist