

YOUR VACATIONS AT B&B PRICE IN CASCINA MACONDO'S GUESTROOMS "TIZIANO TERZANI"

CASCINA MACONDO ASSOCIATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF SOCIAL ACTION

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DECLARES FOR THE YEAR 2012 THE 10TH INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF HAIKU POETRY IN ITALIAN

every author can send a maximum of 3 classic Haiku (5 -7 - 5 syllables) in Italian

**PAY ATTENTION: HAIKU ALREADY PUBLISHED, NOT WRITTEN IN ITALIAN,
NOT SYLLABICALLY CORRECT, NOT SENT BY THE AUTHOR THROUGH
THE PROPER FORM IN OUR WEBSITE, OR ARRIVING AFTER THE DUE DATE,
WILL NOT BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION**

INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPATION

Foreign poets send their haiku in **Italian** and in their **mother-tongue**
Italian poets can also send their Haiku translated in a dialect

COLLECTIVE PARTICIPATION

reserved to Italian and foreign schools of every kind, to voluntary associations working with disabled and handicapped people, to structures or institutions working with groups of people

**The Haiku have to be sent EXCLUSIVELY by e-mail, filling in the form in the website:
<http://www.cascinamacondo.com> NOT LATER THAN MAY 31, 2012**

*For the counting of syllables and Haiku characteristics please read
"The Manifesto of Haiku Poetry in Italian" in Cascina Macondo's website*

PRIZES

**57 Haiku of the INDIVIDUAL section + 57 Haiku of the COLLECTIVE section
will be published in the series "HAIKU" edited by Cascina Macondo - Edizioni AlbaLibri**

**THE FIRST TEN CLASSIFIED IN EVERY SECTION
WILL RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE OF MERIT AND A HAIKU ANTHOLOGY**

1st, 2nd, 3rd prize INDIVIDUAL SECTION: a precious hand-manufactured RakuHaiku earthenware

1st prize: a one week stay for 2 persons in **CINQUE TERRE area – Villaggio La Francesca (Bonassola-SP)**
2nd prize: a one week stay for 2 persons in **ZIO JOHN CASA ALPINA - Prati del Vallone (CN)**

**1st, 2nd, 3rd prize COLLECTIVE SECTION: a precious RakuHaiku plate to the school or Institution
Haiku anthology also to the teacher**

All the Haiku sent and composed with the criteria indicated in the Manifesto will be visible
in Cascina Macondo's website. The public can express its appreciation with a vote
(The vote of the public is a useful parameter for Haiku that received the same vote by the jury)

NO READING FEE IS PROVIDED FOR

the judgment of the jury, composed by

*Alessandra Gallo, Annette Seimer, Antonella Filippi, Arianna Sacerdoti, Domenico Benedetto,
Fabia Binci, Fabrizio Virgili, Floriana Porta, Oscar Luparia, Pietro Tartamella Terry Olivi
is unquestionable*

Honorary Members of the Jury

*Ban'ya Natsuishi (Japan), Danilo Manera (Italy), David Cobb (UK), Jim Kacian (USA),
Max Verhart (Holland), Visnja McMaster (Croatia), Zinovy Vayman (Russia)*

PRIZE-GIVING CEREMONY AT CASCINA MACONDO ON SUNDAY NOVEMBER 25TH, 2012

mazzetto di fiori
ho raccolto anche il volo
delle farfalle
Pietro Tartamella

bunch of flowers
I picked up also the flight
of butterflies
translated by Antonella Filippi

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(Thank you for having hung me here in this sacred space of yours)