The Association

Founded in 2003, "**La Grande Famille de Procida & Ischia**" is a non profit French association that gathers together the descendants of this region of Southern Italy. In fact, since the 19th century, a large part of the Italian migrants were coming from the islands of the Naples area. Fishermen, tradesman or farmers, they populated the French North Africa and the United Stated, others chose France, Argentina or Australia. Today their descendants are spread all over the world.

Through digitalization and computerization of registers, the Association actively leads and promotes the **preservation of the historical and family archives** of the islands and cities of the Gulf of Naples and in particular Procida and Ischia, Ponza and Ventotene but also Monte di Procida, Capri or Torre del Greco. Since 2013, the mission of the Association has been enriched with a **cultural dimension** in order to promote and preserve the historical, cultural and natural heritage of the Phlegrean and Pontine islands, strengthening the attachment to our roots and our story of migration.



Procida and Ischia

The islands of Procida and Ischia are located in the north of the bay of Naples. They belong to the Phlegrean Fields of which the volcanic activity was at the origin of these islands.

Procida is a cut shaped island of 4,1 km² and includes the neighboring small island of **Vivara**, today a natural reserve. The island features fishing ports, marina, cliffs, creeks and sandy beaches. The island peaks at 91 meters with the medieval village of Terra Murata, a fortified place that includes the former Spanish castle reconverted into a prison by the Bourbons and the Saint-Michael Abbey.

Ischia is a volcanic island of 47 km² formed by the lavas of the Epomeo that peaks at 780 meters and of which the eruptions went on until the 14th century. The island of Ischia benefits from a rich and varied agriculture, numerous thermal stations and attracts the tourists looking for relaxation and walk trips in magnificent landscape.

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The Wall of Migrants
Inaugurated on May 3, 2022

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Since 2003, the Association aims to **preserve** the historical, civil and parish archives of the islands of the Gulf of Naples, and beyond. Thanks to its digitalization and indexing activities, members can easily **find** their ancestors through our online search engine, **obtain** a digital copy of documents (such as birth, marriage, death, censuses, abandonment, maritime registrations, etc.). They may also **exchange** messages, **attend** various events including our General Meeting every two years, and **honor** their ancestors by registering them in the **Wall of Migrants**.

Membership Form 2027

La Grande Famille de Procida & Ischia

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I the undersigned ☐ **Mr.** ☐ **Mrs.** ☐ **Ms.**

Surname: _____

First name: _____

Born: ____/___/_____ **in**: _____
dd/mm/yyyy

Full address:

_____

_____

Postcode: _____ **Country**: _____

City : _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Having read the Articles of the Association (available on the website) and agreed upon their terms, I request my admission to the Association "La Grande Famille de Procida & Ischia" for the year 2027 (1) as a:

☐ **Regular Member** (40€) ☐ **Benefactor** (60€)

(1) Membership runs from 1st January until 31st December

☐ **First membership**

☐ **Renewal** _____

I indicate my membership number

My family comes from the island of:

☐ Procida ☐ Ischia ☐ Capri

☐ Ponza ☐ Ventotene

On the island of Ischia, from the town of:

☐ Barano/Testaccio ☐ Casamicciola ☐ Forio/Panza

☐ Ischia/Campagnano ☐ Lacco Ameno ☐ Serrara/Fontana

My family comes also from:

☐ Monte di Procida ☐ Naples ☐ Pozzuoli ☐ Torre del Greco

☐ Algeria ☐ Morocco ☐ Tunisia ☐ Egypt

☐ Other: _____

I agree to:

☐ Have my name and email address included in the members list on the website of the Association.

☐ Join the "cousins" automatic detection project on the website.

☐ Confidentially communicate my profession in case it can be useful in the future:

_____

I subscribe on top of the annual fee a credit(2) for:

☐ 10 points (15€) ☐ 30 points (36€) ☐ 50 points (50€)

(2) Points are necessary for ordering records or documents, translations or additional services (specific research for example).

At the end of the year, the remaining points cannot be reimbursed but will be automatically carried forward to the next year membership.

I pay the amount of _____ € by:

☐ Currency transfer

Payable to "La Grande Famille de Procida"

☐ Cash (only in person)

☐ www.paypal.com ("Family and Friends" option)

Payable to "info@procida-family.com"

In: _____ **Date**: _____

Signature:

_____

(if you are under 18 years old, signature of parent or tutor)

According to the article 34 of the French law of 6 January 1978, you have the right of access and rectification of data relating to you (directly on our web site or by writing to us at the below contact details).

Thank your for returning this form to:

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