

2026 DFW Italian Festival Cultural Tent Schedule

Saturday, October 10

*Italian Heritage Wall (all day)

12:00: Giovanni Lanza on The Sicilian Project

1:00 Chef Matteo Cina, Cina Family Sauce Co.: Sauce-Making Q+A & Food-Prep Demo

2:00: *Gondoliere* Greg Mohr, President of the Gondola Society of America and Owner of Gondola Adventures on “The Art of Gondolas and Gondoliering”

2:45: Histories of Italians in Texas Project with Dr. Paola Bonifazio and UT-Austin students

4:30: Italian and Texas, Italian Texans: An (Almost) 500-Year History? with Anthony Nussmeier

Other entertainment and activities: *Madonnaro* Santos Lozano

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Sunday, October 11

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10:00-1:00: Italian Car Show presented by SupercarsInDallas

12:00: *Gondoliere* Greg Mohr, President of the Gondola Society of America and Owner of Gondola Adventures on “The Art of Gondolas and Gondoliering”

1:00: Aldo Bove, Founder of Above Wines, on “The Five Senses and Drinking Wine”

2:00: Chef Jen Bajsel Cooking Demo (*pasta all’assassina*)

3:00: Donald Ray Photography on “Unique Fine Art Italian Photos”

4:45: Grand Prize Raffle Drawing (2026 Vespa) **[Main Stage]**

Other entertainment and activities: Italian supercar show, Italian National Women’s Rugby *Le Azzurre*