



STACIE DOW

LOOKING GOOD AND FEELING FABULOUS ...

"THAT'S what I want for all women to say after leaving my shop," says Stacie Dow the owner of Amelia-May Italian.

The new boutique women's clothing shop located at 131 Dee St offers the latest in natural fibre Italian clothes.

Stacie's desire to open her own Italian clothing shop came from her love of Italy.

"We had travelled there multiple times over a three year period," Stacie said.

"Every time we returned I fell more in love with the country and their incredible style.

"Italians have a passion for looking good and the attention to detail in their tailoring is unparalleled. Italians are all about street wear, looking good and being sophisticated while feeling comfortable."

Stacie began importing and selling her Italian wear back in 2016, mostly concentrating on markets and building

her businesses slowly.

The shop is her first brick-and-mortar store and so far the experience has been great.

"I am very lucky," she said, "I have a great landlord that has been very helpful and accommodating and I feel good to fill an empty shop.

"I'm a great fit for the neighbouring businesses and hope that we will all feed off each other attracting more customers and foot traffic.

If you're looking for something unique, sophisticated and colourful make sure to pop into Amelia-May Italian or visit the Facebook page to see what new and exciting items Stacie has in her shop.

One thing is for sure, you'll feel welcome and leave feeling good and looking fabulous.

A GIANT SMILE AND A GREAT ROAST MAKE IDEAL COMPANIONS

INVERCARGILL is now home to the first fast food roast restaurant called Timaru Roast.

When you enter the restaurant you are greeted by big smiles and very friendly staff.

The brainchild of Jack Chan and Stan Tsoi, Timaru Roast offers healthy and fast roast seven days a week.

Originally from Hong Kong, the pair met after studying in New Zealand and opened their first restaurant in Waikato, eventually moving south opening their first roast restaurant in Timaru just over two years ago.

Jack said he loves living in New Zealand and he prefers the lifestyle here, noting the further south he has moved the friendlier the people were.

When they looked to expand Invercargill seemed like an ideal location.

"The weather in Invercargill is perfect for serving roast," Jack said.

"There was nothing like this in Invercargill and we wanted to offer people the option of having a healthy fast food meal that is hearty.

"Our meals are served fast enough to enjoy your meal and still have time to shop or enjoy a coffee."

The pair said they wanted to be located in the CBD so that they would be able to capture the lunch time workers, and shoppers in town.

Having opened just three weeks ago, they are confident that they have made the right decision on location.

Timaru Roast is located at 33 Tay Street, and is open Monday to Sunday 11am till late.

They also provide catering and can take care of all your roast needs, including Christmas dinner.



STAN AND JACK



The CBD has been experiencing a lot of road works due to some very necessary infrastructure projects. This means getting to your favourite shop or restaurant may be a bit harder than usual but we want you to remember that the businesses along Tay and Kelvin Street are still open! We would greatly appreciate you supporting them during the road works and will keep you informed of changes and detours, via our Facebook page www.facebook.com/InvercargillWordontheStreet



Event CALENDAR

APRIL

SRI LANKAN NIGHT
Social Multicultural Society hosts Sri Lankan Night, \$5 pp or \$10 family.
6.00pm, 133 Tay Street

SOUTHLAND ARTS FESTIVAL HAPPENINGS:

SOUTHLAND PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY
Featuring a variety of photographic images.
6 April-20 May
E Hayes, Invercargill

C. S. ART ANNUAL EXHIBITION
27 April-18 May
Opening night: 6pm
SIT Raw Gallery, Don Street
Invercargill

OLIVE COPPERBOTTOM
A new musical by Charles Dickens and Penny Ashton.
14 April, 7pm
Repertory House, Invercargill

BEHN QUARTET
Chamber Music New Zealand.
27 April, 7.30pm
Victoria Rooms, Civic Theatre,
Invercargill

SCARED SCRIPTLESS: SOUTHLAND EDITION
28 April
6pm Family Show
8.30pm Adults' Show
SIT Centrestage Theatre

SANS SOUCI: A TRIBUTE TO EDITH PIAF
Featuring Rachel France and Tom Callwood.
29 April, 3pm
Repertory House, Invercargill

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