



#### **WINE TASTING 4 MARCH 2014**

Some 25 members and their guests enjoyed a delightfully informal yet informative and very entertaining tutored wine tasting on 4 March. Held in the Library, they were led through the five wines kindly provided by Guido Alleva, an Italian member of the Club, from his vineyards in Grazzano Badoglio in Piedmont and his daughter Giulia who runs the winery. With tasting notes provided and Francisco Cali, an experienced Italian sommelier (who works in London) on hand as well, the distinctive and unique bouquet and flavour of a delicious Salidoro 2012 white wine found favour with everyone, leading into four equally individual red wines ranging from a silky and elegant Arlandino 2012 to an intense and fragrant Barbera Setecapita 2009. Delicious canapés made by Paul Elliott, the Club Chef, were sensibly served after the tasting. Commander Malcolm Fuller and Food & Beverage Manager Antonio Vigorito are to be congratulated on setting up this splendidly enjoyable evening for the members.