

CARTE 2009 is pleased to invite all the participants to the Gala Dinner at the spectacular **Casina Valadier**, from where you can enjoy one of the most astonishing scenery of Rome.

Casina Valadier rises up on the ancient Collis Hortulorum, where in the past great Roman families owned the most sumptuous and vast gardens in Rome. It was built between 1816 and 1837 by Giuseppe Valadier, a well-known Roman architect. From the beginning, Casina was planned and built to be used as a meeting place after the manner of French Bistro. After the First World War did Casina become the most fashionable place in Rome, a haunt for artists, intellectuals and political figures of the world.



In Casina Valadier album of honour there are autographs of celebrated personalities such as Gandhi, King Farouk, Strauss, Pirandello and many more.

The Casina Valadier is located on the highest point of Pincio, in the heart of Villa Borghese. Near Trinità dei Monti and Piazza del Popolo, it is easily reachable from any part of the historical centre.

