

## 8° TROPHY “ BALTO “ SLEDDOG

**BABY - JUNIOR MUSER - Memorial LUCA VUERICH**

**Sunday 21 FEBRUARY 2016 h. 10 a.m.**

**International Mushing School (S.I.M.) Centre**

**FUSINE in VALROMANA – TARVISIO (UD) ITALY**

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### PRESS RELEASE

It will take place Sunday 21 February 2016 starting at 10 a.m. anticipated by the **participants meeting at 9 a.m.** .. the “8° TROPHY BALTO SLEDDOG Baby – Junior Musher” at the Fusine Flats on the **International Mushing School SIM trail in Tarvisio** directed by **Ararad Khatchikian & Monica D’ Eliso**. The competitive teams of the mini “mushers” (the sled and Dogs drivers !), expert children and absolute beginners between 5 and 14 years of age, will challenge each other with 2, 3 & 4 Dogs each, in the Km. 1,6 trail of the International Mushing School SIM of Tarvisio – Fusine.

Beyond all the numerous musher students of the International Mushing / Sleddog School SIM directed by Ararad Khatchikian & Monica D’ Eliso, will participate also rookie mini “mushers” of other Provinces of the Friuli Venezia Giulia Region, Carinthia (Austria), Slovenia and the nearby Veneto with their own Dogs or even provided by the International Mushing School. The Race is sanctioned by the **Italian Federation Musher Sleddog Sport, Friuli Venezia Giulia Region, the Tarvisio Municipality** and is dedicated to the memory of the brave and much beloved Tarvisian mountain climber and active guide of the International Mushing - Sleddog School, **LUCA VUERICH** who suddenly passed away in a Ice climbing ascension in Slovenia in 2010. A numerous, happy and curious crowd of people is awaited to qualify this event unique in its kind in the WORLD ! An unexpected success for this Race which has witnessed in the past editions the excellence of the youngest future athletes of the Sleddog / Mushing Sport with their loyal 4 legged Friends even when provided by the International Mushing School of Tarvisio

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