

WHO IS SHE?

La Bella 'Mbriana is a benevolent spirit who lives in the homes of the Neapolitans bringing them luck and coexists with the Munaciello, of which she is the antagonist.

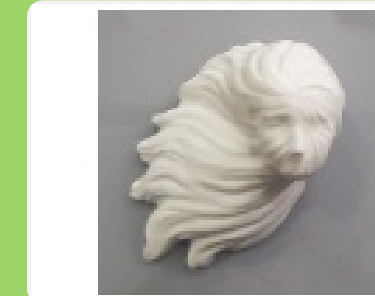


Bella 'mbriana



THE LEGEND

According to the legend, Bella 'Mbriana was a beautiful princess who lost her love and, alone and desperate, begins to wander around the city. The king, her father, asked her subjects to open the doors of their homes to welcome her. That is why it is considered the spirit that protects the home.



HOW DOES SHE LOOK LIKE?

Its appearance is not known precisely because it appears in passing during the brightest hours or in the early afternoon and when you spot it it magically transforms itself into a gecko, an animal considered to be a lucky charm.



THE ANTAGONIST OF MUNACIELLO

The munaciello or monaciello is a legendary sprite of Neapolitan folklore. A spirit of both benevolent and gaudy nature, he is usually represented as a deformed boy or a person of short stature, dressed in a robe and silver buckles on.

