

**IPA ITALIAN SECTION**  
VII DELEGAZIONE TOSCANA  
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53047 SARTEANO (SI)



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**Ipa Toscana Est:  
35° Anniversary**

**TUSCANY**

**AND**

**UMBRIA:**

**“COLORS**

**&**

**FLAVORS”**

**Chianciano Terme  
23<sup>rd</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> MAY 2011**

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## **TUSCANY AND UMBRIA: "COLORS & FLAVORS"** **7 days/6 nights**

*Fascinating landscapes, enchanting views, small towns and famous cities of art in Umbria and in Tuscany: their colors and their flavors suggested us these thematic journey.*

*Every excursion is ideally characterized by colors, always different, which will accompany you in your daily trips.*

*You will discover the most interesting places of this area and taste its gastronomic specialities.*

### **1. Day - Monday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> of May 2011**

Arrival in Chianciano Terme, check in, welcome drink, dinner and overnight stay at the hotel.

### **2. Day – Tuesday, the 24<sup>th</sup> of May 2011**

#### **"THE GREEN UMBRIA AND THE ORCIA VALLEY"**



Breakfast in hotel. Today you will go to **Assisi**, the small town where St. Francis was born. You will be astonished by the green landscape in which the city is plugged, and by its inexplicable aura of peace and serenity.

You will visit Santa Maria degli Angeli and the Porziuncola, and, later, the historical centre. You will admire in a respectful silence the St. Francis Basilica.

Back to hotel for lunch.

In the afternoon, through the countryside of **the Val d'Orcia**, part of the UNESCO heritage, driving close to **Radicondani**, you will arrive at **Bagno Vignoni**, picturesque town known worldwide for its thermal springs coming out in the main square. You will surely not be able to resist taking a relaxing footbath in the hot thermal water.

Dinner and overnight stay at the hotel.

### **3. Day – Wednesday, the 25<sup>th</sup> of May 2011**

#### **"RED, THE COLOR OF THE LILY, SIMBOL OF FLORENCE"**



Breakfast in hotel. Today you will visit **Florence**, cradle of the Italian language. You will have a walk in the centre of this magnificent city and with a local guide you will visit its artistic treasures : Piazza della Signoria, Palazzo Vecchio, Loggia dei Lanzi, Ponte Vecchio and the jewelries, the Baptistery and the Duomo.

Lunch in a restaurant.

In the afternoon you will go to San Lorenzo Market, and have some free time for your shopping.

In the evening you will be back in the hotel for dinner. Overnight stay at the hotel.

### **4. Day – Thursday, the 26<sup>th</sup> of May 2011**

#### **"SIENNA"**



Breakfast in hotel. This morning, driving through the hills, after those the characteristic color is named, you will go to **Siena**, one of the most fascinating medieval cities in Italy. You will take a walk in the historical centre, close to the Duomo and in Piazza del Campo, where, two times a year, the well known Palio is contended.

Lunch in a restaurant.

After lunch you will visit **San Gimignano**, which was one of the unavoidable stopping places along the Via Francigena, and now is known as "the Tuscan Manhattan" thanks to its many brown towers.

In the evening you will be back in the hotel for dinner. Overnight stay at the hotel.

### 5. Day – Friday, the 27<sup>th</sup> of May 2011

#### YELLOW LIKE SUNFLOWERS AND THE TUSCAN SUN



Breakfast in hotel. During this excursion, driving through the Tuscan countryside, which in summer is yellow of sunflowers, you will visit **Cortona**, set of "Under the Tuscan Sun". You will stroll along the medieval alleys and will be astonished by the breathtaking views that open through the old city walls, over the gorgeous Tuscan Campagna.

Back in hotel for lunch.

In the afternoon you will visit **Montepulciano**, known as "the Pearl of the Renaissance", where the famous VINO Nobile di Montepulciano DOCG is produced. Not only. The topic scene of "New Moon" was filmed in the sunny Piazza Grande!

"Renaissance Evening" with typical local dinner. Flag-waving show of "sbandieratori" local performers.

Back in hotel and overnight stay.

### 6. Day – Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> May 2011

#### "BLU THERMAL WATER AND RELAXING SHOPPING"



Breakfast in hotel.

This morning you will have time for leisure and for visiting the spa town of **Chianciano Terme**: we suggest you going to the Archeological Museum and to the Contemporary and Modern Art Museum.

Back in hotel for lunch.

During the afternoon you will go to Bettolle: let's do some shopping in the many best Italian fashion brands shops in the **Valdichiana Outlet Village**.

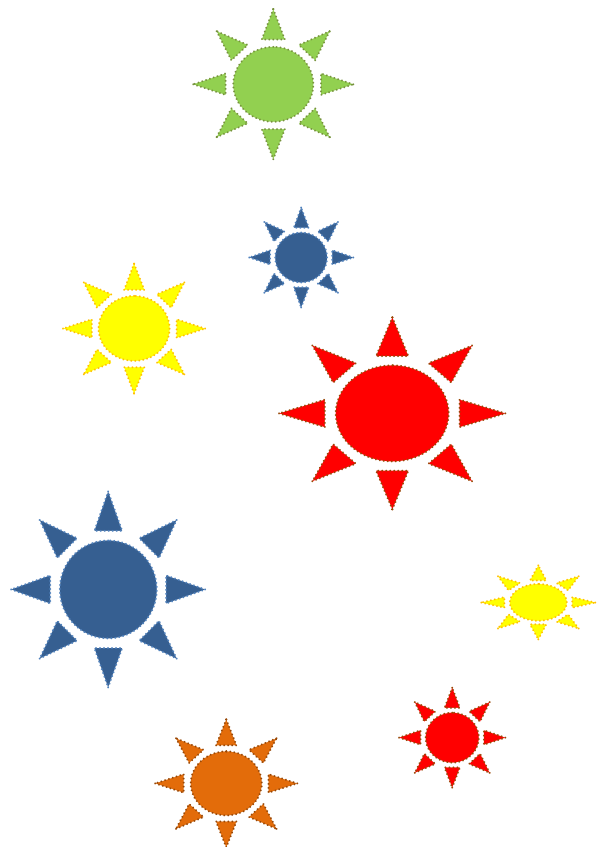
The evening will be devoted to greetings, buffet dinner and entertainment at the Terme di Chianciano.

Overnight stay at hotel.

### 7. Day – Sunday, the 29<sup>th</sup> 2011

Breakfast in hotel.

Departure. End of our services.



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Quote per person in double room:

**EURO 490,00**

The quote includes:

- Bus available as scheduled;
- Accommodation in good 3 star hotels in Chianciano Terme;
- Welcome cocktail;
- All meals as indicated, from dinner on arrival day to breakfast on departure day;
- Drinks included with meals;
- Tour leader for 5 whole days;
- Guide in Florence half day;
- Renaissance evening with dinner and show flags;
- Evening devoted to greetings, buffet dinner and entertainment at the Terme di Chianciano

In the quote it is not included:

- Single room supplement **€ 70,00** for the whole stay per person
- Discount for groups that have their own bus: **€ 50,00** per person

Confirmation booking deposit **€ 150,00** per person

For payment please use the following bank account:

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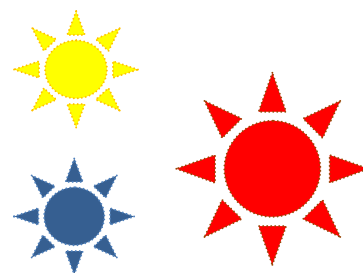
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**ADDRESSED TO TUSCANY TOUR**

The organizers reserve the right to make changes to the program, maintaining the quality of services offered.

Reservations will be accepted until free places are available.

Cancellation policy: the general regulation of the tour operator will be applied.



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