

Como Lake : Golf, fashion and lifestyle

Welcome to the wonderful region of Lake Como in Northern Italy. This place is known for its breathtaking landscapes and luxurious lifestyle. The lake is surrounded by picturesque towns and villages and is a popular destination for those seeking relaxation, outdoor activities, and shopping in nearby Milan.

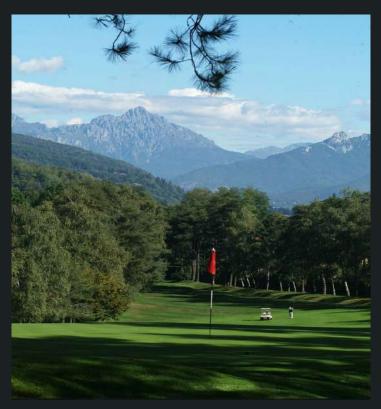
One of the favorite pastimes in this area is golf. There are several world-class golf courses located nearby, including the Villa d'Este Golf Club, which offers a breathtaking view of the lake and mountains.

But it's not just golf that makes this place special. Milan, one of the fashion capitals of the world, is just an hour's drive from the lake and offers numerous high-end boutiques and designer shops.

Italy4Golf and Essenza Escapes team up to offer the ultimate villa vacation experience. With Italy4Golf's expertise in luxury travel and Essenza Escapes' curated selection of exclusive villas, guests can indulge in unparalleled comfort and style.

Let Italy4Golf and Essenza Escapes elevate your villa vacation to extraordinary heights.

In conclusion, Lake Como is the perfect destination for those seeking a luxurious and unforgettable vacation, where golf, fashion, and lifestyle can be combined.





Program

- 8 nights in a selected VILLA
- One day Como lake cruise with personal guide with light lunch
- Visit to Franciacorta with lunch and wine tasting
- Visit to Milano with aperitif in down town
- 2 x 18-hole green fee at the Monticello Golf Club
- 1 x 18-hole green fee at the Vila D'Este Golf Club
- 1 x 18-hole green fee at the Pinetina Golf Club





Villa d'Este Golf Club

#1 BEST GOLF COURSE IN ITALY

Designed in 1926 by Peter Gannon, it covers a distance of 5760 meters for a par of the field of 69 shots.

18 holes, studded with carefully studied natural obstacles, which challenge the skill of enthusiasts and professionals, offering an unforgettable experience.

A naturalistic and landscape setting among the most evocative in the world: over 30,000 trees -pines, chestnuts, birches-, the Prealps in the background and glimpses of Lake Montorfano.





With its opening in 1926, the Circolo Golf Villa d'Este is one of the oldest golf clubs in Italy

Since 1928, the Golf Villa d'Este has been the stage of the Italian Open 12 times, boasting the merit of being the club of Italy with more editions played

Numerous editions of the international amateur championships, both male and female, held since 1932 contribute to the luster of the Golf Villa d'Este Como.





Monticello Golf Club

36 exciting holes at the gates of Milan.

The Monticello Golf Club offers two beautiful courses:

- RED course: fascinating, Par 72 of 6.410m, always in the highest positions of the Italian Ranking. It has
 hosted seven editions of the Italian Open, including prestigious winners such as Billy Casper, Sandy Lyle
 and Greg Norman.
- BLUE course: Parkland of great attraction that joins, without being less, the historic Red Course. Technical path, which gives players the opportunity to confront different game skills.



Monticello's international value was immediately recognized with the awarding and organization of the 1975 Italian Open, won by Billy Casper. In the following years the Italian Open was played six more times in Monticello and saw the affirmation of some of the greatest players in the world: Sam Torrance, Sandy Lyle and Greg Norman, who still holds the field record with 63 shots, along with Costantino Rocca.





La Pinetina Golf Club

A golfing pearl in unspoilt nature.

Course designed by the architect John Derring Harris, built on seventy hectares of greenery immersed in the Park Pineta of Appiano Gentile with its forests of Pines, Birches, Oaks and Chestnuts away from noise and everyday stress.

The course is divided into a wavy path with different game situations and offers enchanting new panoramic views: the Monte Rosa, the Lombard Prealps and the Apennines.





The 18 hole part 71 is a particularly challenging test for each player category.

The course is set in a continuous ups and downs surrounded by a continuous forest with green on several levels and narrow fairways.





DREAM VILLA EXPERIENCE ON LAKE COMO

Embark on a journey of luxury and elegance with Italy4Golf and Essenza Escapes as we unveil our exclusive collection of Lake Como villas. Carefully selected and meticulously vetted, our portfolio offers a plethora of options perfectly situated to immerse you in the beauty and charm of the region.



Moreover, select villas boast private piers, providing exclusive access to the tranquil waters of the lake. Whether you desire a leisurely cruise aboard a water taxi or wish to embark on your own aquatic adventure with a hired boat, our villas offer the perfect starting point for exploration and relaxation.











A Cruise day on lake Como

A unique experience: a boat trip on Lake Como to visit the most beautiful and particular places and the enchanting villas. We will depart early in the morning to fully enjoy the beauty of the lake when it is still quiet and peaceful.

We will visit Villa del Balbianello, famous for being the set of many Hollywood films, including "Casino Royale" and "Star Wars: Episode II - Attack of the Clones", located on the tip of a hill overlooking the lake.





The town of Bellagio, famous for its historic villas and wonderful gardens.

Then we will venture into the Lecco branch of the lake, less frequented by tourists but equally fascinating, where we will visit Villa Melzi d'Eril, a neoclassical villa located a few steps from the lake, surrounded by a lovely botanical garden.

This boat trip on Lake Como will be an unforgettable experience that will leave you with an indelible memory of the beauty of Italy.







A FULL DAY IN MILAN

Founded in the 6th century b.C., Milan is not only the main economic and financial centre of the Italian peninsula, but also one of the four fashion capitals of the world (alongside New York,London and Paris) as it hosts the Fashion Weeks, the events of major interest in this sector during which both established and emerging designer labels display their seasonal creations in sensational fashion shows.





Driven by a constant spirit of innovation and renewal, Milan is a cosmopolitan metropolis that has so much to offer, also in terms of architecture, art, music, cuisine and entertainment.





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Fashion Tours in MILAN

Traveling through Italian style is a unique and engaging experience that we are excitedly bringing directly to you with our Personal Shopping and Fashion Tours service!

Imagine having your own personal style consultant, ready to translate your preferences into a wardrobe that speaks about you. From casual to elegant, each piece is carefully chosen to express your authenticity.





Fashion addicted

The essence of Milan's fashion Capital' unfolds along the streets of the famous quadrilateral: Montenapoleone, Spiga, Sant'Andrea and Manzoni streets to visit the boutiques of the most famous brands: Gucci, Prada, Valentino, and others.

We will also visit high-end concept shops and carefully selected multi-brand shops.

Vintage tour

We'll take you on a tour of the city's best Vintage shops, to have fun discovering, among a careful selection of garments, bags and accessories, those things you've been dreaming of having.

All made in Italy

If you want to get to know and buy made in Italy, I know many areas in Milan where you can choose quality garments in small historic shops.

Artisan workshops

We are in Brera, the old Milan, with its alleys and craft workshops ready to welcome you into their intimate, artisan atmosphere.

Small realities that are true excellences of Made in Italy.

Old-time atmosphere

This route develops in the picturesque Navigli area where time seems to stand still.

Craftsmanship, uniqueness can be found in the numerous antique shops, art galleries aNd small boutiques where every object has its own story to tell.







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Franciacorta terroir : history and passion for wine

The cultivation of vines has ancient origins on the hills of Franciacorta, as evidenced by the findings of prehistoric grape seed and the writings of classical authors such as Pliny, Columella and Virgil.

Rich archaeological material dating from prehistoric times, such as the remains of stilt house foundations found in the bogs of Sebino, reveal how primitive populations settled here and gradually took over from the Cenomani Gauls, the Romans and the Lombards.

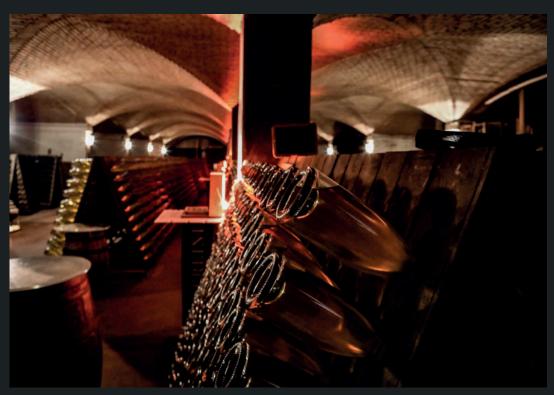
Vine cultivation has been a constant in Franciacorta, where grapes were grown from Roman times to late antiquity and the Middle Ages, thanks to its favourable climatic and soil conditions.

Enjoy the food and wine of the area is the time to complete the quality of a holiday, whether short or long.

Each area of our country offers wines and typical foods that vary further according to the seasons, also the location in the hills gives equal access to agricultural products of the plain to the south and the mountain behind us.

There really is something for everyone. Our aim iis to allow guests to get to know some of the most representative producers, both of wine and other specialties and taste together their products.

According to the established program, there will be a tasting dinner with pairings desined together with producers and restaurateurs to share with guests a complete proposal.







Lake Iseo and Franciacorta

The perfect harmony hides in the morainic basin overlooking Lake Iseo.

It was a certain Doctor Conforti, who in 1500, defined the wines of this area as biting.

In June of 2016, the artist Christo brought his visionary concept to the lake, transforming the territory with The Floating Piers, an installation that brought millions to the small area.

When the event came to an end, the stunning landscapes and the wines they produce remained, such as the Franciacorta cultivated along the slightly inclined terraces.



Terms and conditions

INCLUSIONS

- Private transfers with Mercedes VAN
- · City visits with Private Guide
- Guest support 24h
- Breakfast included in all the hotels
- · Green fees
- Winery Visit with Wine Tasting

PACKAGE EXCLUSION

- Meals and Beverages if not specified in the program.
- Items of personal nature.
- Optional Green fees & Buggies
- Travel Insurance.
- Gratuities
- Tourist taxes per person to be paid at the hotel
- · All items not included in the inclusions

The choice of the locations and any variations to the program are made by the management/organisation depending on the relative availability and/or in the event of bad weather conditions.

The program may be subject to change due to organisational logistics.

Please let us know if you suffer from allergies, intolerances or any other major medical conditions or follow any particular dietary regimes (vegetarian, vegan, etc.)

All the I4G Experiences have been conceived by Italy4golf yet are developed and managed by selected local tour operators to make sure you get the most out of your golfing holiday.

Booking & Payment (to be confirmed)

Confirmation by payment of 20% of the amount. Booking

Balance Within maximum 30 days from the beginning of the stay.

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