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Grand Hotel Villa Tuscolana in Frascati A royal stay



The region of the Alban hills, surrounding of Rome, has always been a favourite holiday resort to have some relax outside the city of Rome. Magnificent villas have been built in this wonderful hilly setting on the orders of noble families, cardinals and popes.

The 4* Grand Hotel Villa Tuscolana was built in 1564 by Rufini Cardinal on the remains of the ancient house of Marco Tullio Cicerone in Frascati. Since then a number



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of owners have run the hotel: the Aldobrandini, Lancellotti, Sforza, Savoia, Borbone and Bonaparte.
The villa is immersed in a spectacular park and has 110 fully equipped rooms. The hotel wine bar provides an enchanting historic ambience.



The restaurant "La Ruffinella" serves international and Italian specialties. The staff is very professional.

Prices 2006 – 2007:

BB per person in Dbl from 25 persons from Eur 43,00 per night
Surcharge for American breakfast buffet Eur 11,00 per Person

With different kinds of yogurt, cheese, ham, cold cuts, eggs, Pachino tomatoes, champignons, grilled vegetables, pastries, different kinds of bread, fresh fruits, croissants, cornflakes, jam (also for diabetics), orange juice, butter and hot drinks (milk, tea, German coffee, espresso, cappuccino).

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Some suggestions for a nice excursion...

National Park Circeo and Sabaudia



A wonderful park with walks that let you discover the rich flora and fauna. Within 2-3 hours we get from here to Paola Lake. The park has picnic areas and is open to everybody. The paths are not difficult, on the contrary, they will make you enjoy cheerful and restful walks. You do not need any kind of equipment. In the "Selva del Circeo" you can see wild boars, fallow-deers or you can penetrate deep into Italy's biggest forest.

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Ninfa Oase



For centuries Ninfa has just been a mysterious, dead city. It was plundered and completely destroyed in the 14th century. Only at the beginning of the 20th century it began to flourish again, thanks to the Castani Family and two women who joined the family, one Englishwoman and one American.

They restored the walls around the castle, tended the park, planted gardens with selected colour-range, combined various blooms and fragrances and created a corner with a sophisticated play of lights and shadows. Today, the park hosts 154 animal species and is surrounded by a natural protected area of almost 2000 ha. In this way it has become a real Garden of Eden, just 70 km away from Rome.

Park of the Monsters – Bomarzo (Viterbo)

In the middle of the 16th century the count Vicino Orsini created on his estate in Bomarzo of symbolic characters, where you can walk around and even lose your way, regarded with suspicion by huge stone statues and monsters. After Orsini's death the park overgrew. Only centuries later it was restored thanks to the Bettini Family, the current owners. Writers, artists and travellers come here again from all over the world, in order to admire this unique work of art.





Alban hills

Driving along the Appia Antica, the roman consular road rich in pine trees, cypresses and tomb remains, takes us to the Massentius Circus and the grave of Cecilia Metella up to Castel Gandolfo, the papal summer residence.

From here we go down to the Alban Lake, a volcanic lake where you enjoy the stunning view of the various medieval towns with castles. On the slopes you see the famous wine resort Frascati.



Tivoli

Tivoli, the ancient Roman Tibur, is approx. 30 km far from Rome. Since Roman times and during the Renaissance it was a favourite summer resort. In Tivoli we visit the Villa d'Este, built in the 16th century for the cardinal Ippolito d'Este. Particularly renowned is the wonderful garden full in century old trees and wonderful fountains. Later we stop off at the restaurant "Antiche terme di Diana in Tivoli" for a light appetizers-based lunch with water and wine.

Squares and fountains of Rome



Rome has a great number of fountains and squares. Your tour starts in Piazza della Repubblica with its Naiadi Fountain. Not far away stands Moses Fountain while the Fountain of Dioscuri is on the Quirinale Hill. Atop of the hill stands the Quirinale Palace, the presidential residency. From here we reach Trevi Fountain, Rome's most renowned fountain. According to tradition, if you throw a coin into the fountain, one day you will return to Rome. Not far away are the famous Spanish Steps. You cross Piazza del Popolo, with three churches devoted to Maria: S. Maria in Montesanto, S. Maria dei Miracoli, S. Maria del Popolo and the Flaminia city gate. In Barberini square is the Triton Fountain by Bernini. From here we reach Piazza Bocca della Verita, with the church S. Maria in Cosmedin where the famous mouth of truth is housed. Finally we reach Navona square with Bernini's famous Fountain of the Four Rivers.



Ancient Rome



Our tour through ancient Rome starts off in Piazza Venezia and then takes us to the Campidoglio. The Roman Forum with the Imperial Forums was the centre of the ancient city. In the Colosseum, the Flavian Amphitheater, gladiatorial combats took place. Our tour goes on with the Arch of Constantine, a Roman water-lifting machine and the Palatine Hill with the remains of the Imperial Palaces. Very interesting is also the Circus Maximus, where chariot races were held. From here we head to the Pantheon.



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Antico Caffè Greco

The Caffè Greco compares to the Caffè Florian in Venice or the Flore in Paris. You should not leave Rome without stopping off here.

The ancient café of the city with red wallpaper and dark red armchairs numbers among its guests Stendhal, Leopardi, Ungaretti and Guttuso. Today, between the many tourists, you can see here famous local personalities.



Ristorante Alfredo alla Scrofa



Pretty restaurant located in the renown via della Scrofa a few steps away from Navona square and the Pantheon.

Numberless actors and VIPs have sampled the traditional fettuccine in the friendly ambience of this restaurant



**Rome from the sky:
an emotional trip on Air balloon over the roof of Rome**

The Aerophile 5500 airship is the biggest tethered air balloon in the world. It only flies fastened, which means it flies from a fixed platform and it is permanently tethered to the



ground by means of a stainless steel cable. It carries up to 30 passengers to 150 meters above the ground and brings them back down after fifteen minutes.

Unlike hot air balloons, the Aerophile 5500 uses no flame and its hydro-electric winch is operated by an electric motor, which is noiseless and fully environment-friendly.

Rides take place daily at the Villa Borghese runway from 9:30 am to sunset.

Flying is only possible on good weather conditions. When the wind is particularly strong, the air balloon cannot fly.



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