



# ACTIVO - BIKING TOUR 2024 - Northern Tuscany From the sea to "Chiantishire" on two wheels - 6 Days

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- Visit Pisa, Lucca and San Gimignano in one trip
- Enjoy sampling local Chianti wines & delicious home-made ice cream
- Take a detour to the sea and relax on the beach

## 1 Arrival in Tuscany

#### 2 Pisa and the Tuscan coast

- We begin our day in Vicopisano, a village filled with medieval treasures and make our way along the Arno River towards Pisa
- Here you can admire no fewer than 13 well preserved towers, ancient churches and palaces as well as a castle designed by famous architect Brunelleschi
- In Pisa we will see up close the iconic Leaning Tower and other important sights with our knowledgeable cycling guide
- We continue on to the coast to the resort of Marina di Pisa to relax by the sea

Distance covered: about 45 km
Vertical height difference: 50m ⊠⊠
Degree of difficulty: easy to middle

## 3 In and around Lucca

- A relaxing cycling tour to Lucca amidst the green fringe of the typical gently rolling Tuscan landscape nach Lucca
- Having left the stunning beauty of the Tuscan countryside behind us, we undertake an urbane tour of the birth town of composer Giacomo Puccinis
- We complete a circumnavigation of Lucca's mighty fortified walls offering views across the rooftops, before some free time to discover the pretty town centre

Distance covered: about 40 km
Vertical height difference: 400m ⊠⊠
Degree of difficulty: middle

#### 4 On the trail of Leonardo da Vinci

• A wonderful cycling experience through the rolling Tuscan hills to Vinci

## The tour includes:

#### Inclusions

- 5 x nights accommodation with buffet breakfast
- 1 x welcome cocktail
- 4 x 3-course dinners with set menu
- 1 x 4-course Gala dinner Salad buffet at every dinner
- 1 x visit to the Leonardo Museums in Vinci
- 1 x wine tasting and snack at a winery
- 1 x Ice cream at the world famous "Gelateria Dondoli"
- 4 x English-speaking bike guides
- E-bike hire included throughout
- Bike transfers as per programme

# Additional Services:

Single room suppl.

99€

## Prices:

04-01-2024 - 05-09-2024 - Hotel Villa delle Rose 4\*

p.p. in a twin/double room per person in double room WITH GROUNDED TRANSPORT 649 € 864 €







- We arrive at Vinci, birthplace of Leonardo and pay a visit to the museum, where we will learn all about the life and works of this genius
- We make a stop at a beautiful winery to refresh ourselves wwith a wine tasting accompanied by local snacks

Distance covered: about 45 km
Vertical height difference: 380m ⊠⊠
Degree of difficulty: middle

## 5 A tour through the Chianti vineyards to the town of San Gimignano

- A picture postcard cycling tour via Certaldo to San Gimignano sprinkled with avenues of cypress trees, vineyards, country houses, castles and medieval villages
- Take an interesting stroll through the narrow streets of San Gimignano admiring the medieval towers accompanied by our cycling guide
- Enjoy a refreshing ice cream in the world famous "Gelateria Dondoli"

Distance covered: about 35 km
Vertical height difference: 390m ⊠⊠
Degree of difficulty: middle

# 6 Departure



