

The 2020 Emilia Romagna "Land of Motors" Tour is an escorted tour of northern Italy's famous Motor Valley—the home to Ferrari, Maserati, Lamborghini, Pagani & the annual Gran Premio Nuvolari Mille Miglia Classic Rally & Show in Siena—plus Florence & the Tuscany Riviera. Museums, private collections, factory tours, cooking school, plus legendary Italian cuisine & wine & shopping will be part of a full calendar of events.



2020 Best Classic ITALY TOUR

Milan • Maranello
Modena • Florence • Siena
with Tuscany side trip.

September 13 -23, 2020
11 Days / 9 Nights
(Includes 2 travel days)

13 SEPT
Day
1

Overnight Air France flight from Vancouver International Airport (YVR), leaving at 1:25pm, arriving in Paris at 8:15am, Sept.14. 3-hour changeover to Air France Paris-Milan (Malpensa Airport), Italy, departing Paris at 11:30am.

Arrival at Malpensa Airport, Milan (1pm local time) and transfer by private coach to Modena in Northern Italy.



14 SEPT
Day
2

Check in for three nights at the four-star Phi Hotel Canalgrande, an historic residence situated in antique Palazzo Schedoni and located in the heart of Modena's centre.

WELCOME DINNER with wine at the hotel's La Secchia Rapita restaurant.



15 SEPT
Day
3

Breakfast at hotel.

FERRARI MUSEUMS FULL DAY TOUR: Transfer first to Museo Casa Enzo Ferrari Museum (MEF)—Ferrari's birthplace museum (museomodena.ferrari.com), which includes an immersive video experience that tells the magical story of Enzo's nine decades.

At the end of the visit, we transfer to Maranello for **Lunch at Drake Restaurant**, before visiting the second Ferrari museum—Museo Ferrari Maranello (musei.ferrari.com/en/maranello).

This museum, visited annually by more than 200,000 people worldwide, is not just a collection of Ferrari's most famous cars and static objects, but is a dynamic exhibition that changes continuously over time.

Option 1: Guided tour, including track. Advance booking & payment required.

Option 2: Ferrari owners only; Ferrari factory tour. Advance booking and payment required.

Transfer back to Phi Hotel Canalgrande Hotel for **Dinner**.



16 SEPT
Day
4

Breakfast at Phi Canalgrande Hotel.

Choice of 2 1/2-hour walking tour of Modena with English-speaking guide or visit the Maserati factory for a Factory & Showroom tour (if renovations are completed) (maserati.com/maserati/international/en/brand/factory-tour).

Alternative to Maserati tour (if under renovations) will be a visit to the world-famous Imola racetrack.

Free time for lunch on your own.

Afternoon plans include visits to the Hombre and the Umberto Panini Collection (paninimotormuseum.it). At the end of the Panini tour, a tasting of Parmigiano Reggiano cheese will be included.

Dinner and last night in Modena.



17 SEPT
Day
5

Breakfast at Canalgrande Hotel.

Private transfer from Modena to San Gimignano with stops at Lamborghini Museum & Pagani Supercar Museum.

The Ferruccio Lamborghini Museum narrates the life of Ferruccio and includes his personal car collection. (lamborghini.com/en-en/experience/museum).

Free time for lunch and time to explore the hill town UNESCO World Heritage 13th century Tuscany village. We then proceed to San Cesario sul Panaro for a visit to the Pagani Supercar Museum.

Option Factory Tour of the new plant and showroom, which includes the Museum visit (pagani.com).

After the Pagani visit, we proceed to the Hotel Le Terre Rosse for **Dinner** and to spend 4 nights in the Tuscan countryside. (hotelterrerosse.com).



18 SEPT
Day
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Breakfast at Hotel Le Terre Rosse.

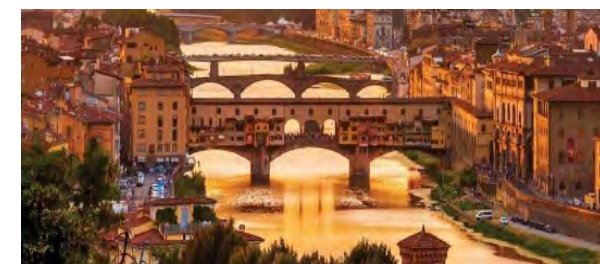
Transfer to Florence city centre for full-day guided tour (firenzeturismo.it/en).

Visit the Accademia, with its collection of Florentine paintings, dating from the 13th to 18th centuries.

Visit the Piazza del Duomo, the religious heart of Florence. Close by is the Ponte Vecchio, the oldest bridge which dates to Roman times.

Transfer to the Piazzale Michelangelo Square for an amazing view of Florence, a panoramic photo stop and **Dinner** at a local restaurant there.

Transfer back to Hotel Le Terre Rosse.



19 SEPT
Day
7

Breakfast at Hotel Le Terre Rosse.

Full day tour in Siena for a Cooking Class & meet up with Gran Premio Nuvolari classic car rally.

There are no requirements for the special cooking class with Chef Lella, other than the love and appreciation of good food! You will prepare the **Tuscan meal and enjoy it for lunch, along with a glass of wine.**

Afternoon: We will meet up with the **30th Gran Premio Nuvolari classic car rally**, held in the spirit of the world-famous 1000 Miglia (gpnuvolari.it/). These spectacular pre-1974 vintage & classic cars will be staged at Piazza del Campo, where you can get up close and personal with the cars & their drivers.

Transfer back to Hotel Le Terre Rosse for **Dinner.**



20 SEPT
Day
8

Breakfast at Hotel Le Terre Rosse.

We tour to the **Galerie Peugeot** of French classic cars and motorcycles—so prevalent in Italy—in the surroundings of San Gimignano, known as the Town of Fine Towers.

At the end of the Peugeot museum visit, there will be time to stroll around the medieval hilltop town and have lunch on your own.

In the late afternoon, we transfer to the **Tenuta Guicciardini Strozzi** in Cusoma for a private visit of the estate, which dates to 994 A.D., followed by a **4-course Dinner at the estate with wine pairing.**

Transfer back to Hotel Le Terre Rosse. Last night stay at this hotel.



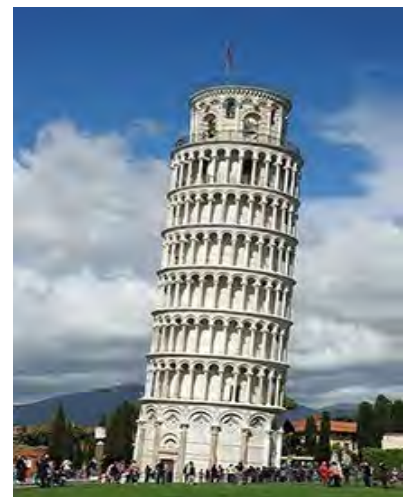
21 SEPT
Day
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Breakfast at Hotel Le Terre Rosse.

Transfer to Pisa for guided tour of Miracle Square. Lunch on your own in Pisa at a local restaurant and stroll around on your own.

In the afternoon, we transfer to Versiliana resort town of Forte dei Marmi on the Tuscany Riviera.

Check in for two nights stay and **Dinner** at the Hotel Mondial Resort & Spa (mondialresort.it). This hotel is less than one kilometre from the Ligurian Sea and close to a shopping centre.



22 SEPT
Day
10

Breakfast at Hotel Mondial.

Free time to relax and sightsee or enjoy beach time in Forte dei Marmi. An English-speaking tour escort will be available onsite all day.

Lunch on your own.

Optional: Classic car drive in rented cars for a full day, self-driving experience. Advance booking & payment required.

Optional: Guided day trip to Cinque Terre (Five Lands) clinging to the cliffs along the gorgeous stretch of the Ligurian coast, offering beautiful views of secluded beaches & grottoes.

Special Farewell Dinner with wine.



23 SEP
Day
11

Breakfast at Hotel Mondial.

Early morning transfer for coach trip to Florence International Airport for noon KLM departure flight via Amsterdam, arriving in Vancouver at 4:10pm.

OPTION: Extend your Italian visit to coincide with KLM return schedules, Metro Travel available to assist with your ongoing plans.

Cost: Accommodation & Ground Tour only (no airfare)

Double Occupancy: CAD\$4,995 per person (includes taxes);
Inquire about Single Occupancy Rates

Cost: Airfare, Accommodation & Ground Tour ex Vancouver

Double Occupancy: CAD\$6,195 per person (includes taxes);
Inquire about Single Occupancy Rates

Meals included highlighted in Yellow.

Use your points or preferred airline & meet the Tour Coach & the rest of the group on September 14, 2020, at Milan Airport or at the Canalgrande Hotel in Modena (for ground-only package booking).



Flex USA & Canadian airport departures available: Air France & KLM.

Extended travel dates allowed (additional charges may apply)

Trip Cancellation & Medical Insurance: Required

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