



Hotel Byron

The special charm of Versilia







FORTE DEI MARMI

Forte dei Marmi is a small bijoux town, a fishing village which has become a fashionable high-end resort with beautiful mountains behind and lovely sandy beaches.

Visitors to Forte dei Marmi experience a special thrill, that of staying in a place of unparalleled elegance - complete with luxurious shops, beautiful golf courses, and the nightlife of legendary locales - while at the same time being in the perfect spot to discover some of the many wonders of Italy.

HOTEL BYRON

A special day at Hotel Byron.

It's the ritual that discreetly punctuates the day that makes a holiday at Hotel Byron in Forte dei Marmi unique.

Immersed in a setting in which there is a story behind each and every detail, the villa, now home to Hotel Byron, was built as the backdrop both for unforgettable summers and for the invention of a whole new style of living, by the will of José "Pepito" Ceferino Canevaro, Duke of Zoagli, a man of great sophistication. This style lives on at Hotel Byron for guests looking to enjoy the beauties of life in the privacy of a luxurious Art Nouveau setting.

The scent of harmony.

There's something unmistakably unique that makes a stay at Hotel Byron different.

Guests at Hotel Byron soon become experts of life's small pleasures - from breakfast in the morning shade to relaxing in our beautiful swimming pool which also sets the stage for dinner at La Magnolia, our Michelinstarred restaurant, or passing the time out on the beach, where sun and sea take on an otherworldly feel.

Everything, right down to the smallest detail, has been carefully selected to transcend mere comfort and to achieve true harmony.

Restaurant La Magnolia.

At La Magnolia, Hotel Byron's Michelin-starred restaurant, guests will find the same balance of tradition and modernity in a menu that makes the hotel unique.

Fresh ingredients, treated with care by Chef Cristoforo Trapani and his team, take diners on a voyage of flavor from Piano di Sorrento, the birthplace of Chef Trapani, to Tuscany.

Cristoforo Trapani's background is interlaced with the flavors and colors of his Campania homeland and of his hometown, Piano di Sorrento. From there, he developed his concept of simple cuisine that gratifies the senses.

The result is a creative blend of Campania and Tuscany, which Chef Trapani serves up each day at La Magnolia with the sole intent of pleasing his customers with the simplicity of tradition.

WHERE WE ARE

Located on the coast, Hotel Byron is in the heart of Forte dei Marmi, in Tuscany, Italy.

Our concierge is on hand to help guests who want to explore this area of Italy. In a very short time it is possible to get to the most beautiful sights of Tuscany: Florence, Pisa, Pietrasanta and Lucca for art and history, Cinque Terre for nature and scenery, the nearby mountains for hiking and cycling a for a visit to the marble caves alongside the beautiful hills full of vineyards.

This area also allows guests to practice many sports: watersports, riding, hicking trekking and cycling alongside with golf (3 golf courses nearby: 1 with 9 holes and 2 with 18 holes).

ROOMS AND STYLE

Like a home treated with the most loving care, each and every detail is a feast for the eyes. Byron offers a cherished experience for all our guests - the joys of a holiday in Forte dei Marmi with the sensation of being at home.

Designed and furnished with care, each room establishes the bond of time with those who reside within. Colors, materials, and style in every detail create their own, unique harmony. And this style lives on for guests looking to enjoy the beauties of life in the privacy of a luxurious Art Nouveau setting.

Hotel Byron has 28 rooms:

- 9 Classic (2 pax)
- 8 De Luxe (2 pax + 1 extra bed)
- 5 Junior Suite (max 4 pax)
- 6 Suite (max 5 pax)

Each room has an individual style: some are in modern style and some in Art Neouveau style, some have balcony and some have sea view, but all are extremely comfortable and equipped with all the modern conveniences.













Hiking in Versilia Area



Versilia is rich in structured trekking circuits, wanted and cared for by local governments or historical walking clubs. In addition to the dense network of trails identified by the unmistakable white-red stripes of the Italian Alpine Club, common to much of the country, it is worth pointing out a series of fact, more or less known and more or less busy, but always worthy to be discovered by all.







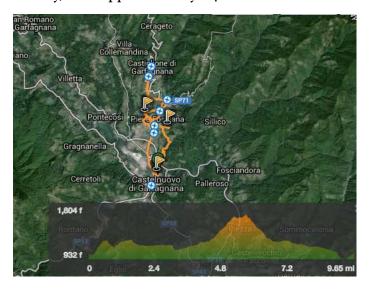


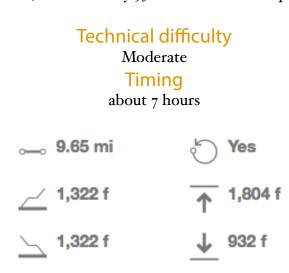
A trip to Garfagnana



Itinerary between grottos, underwater towns, medieval villages and ancient culinary recipes.

Garfagnana is a rich land of surprises, with ancient and bizarre bridges, fantastic grottos and ghost towns that rise from the water. La Grotta del Vento, visitable all year long, is about 13km from Barga, in the valley of the Turrite di Gallicano stream in the Apuan park. Here the atmospheric agents carve unrelentingly, sculpting and shaping the limestone rocks, giving rise to the majestic natural sculture. Another remarkable site is l'Antro del Corchia, among the largest caves in Europe, made up of numerous incredible mazes of tunnels and concretions, which can be visited from March to October. The Monte Corchia complex, which includes the Cave and the Fighiera and Farolfi abyss, is the largest Karst complex in Italy, with approximately 64 kilometers of known tunnels, of which only 53 are transcribed on paper.



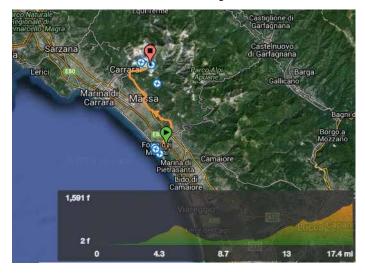


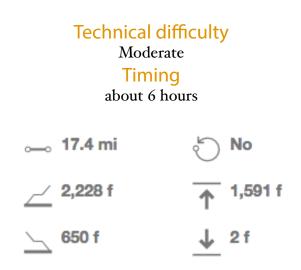
A trip to Garfagnana



A walk along the tradition and Tuscan cuisine.

Colonnata is an Italian ancient village and a hamlet (frazione) of the comune of Carrara, (Massa-Carrara, Tuscany). It is situated in the Apuan Alps, and is known worldwide for the pork fat delicacy Lardo di Colonnata, and for its marble quarries.







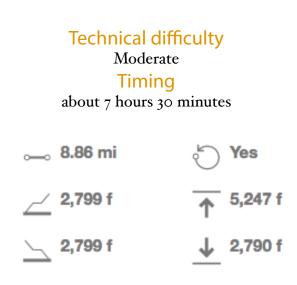
Pania di Corfino



A summary of centuries of history interwoven with harsh nature and human tenacity.

Very beautiful and scenic route, which brings you to a ring around the Pania of Corfino, not to mention the climb to the summit from which it is possible to see the entire chain of the Apuan Alps and the ridge of the Prado. The hike crosses different natural environments and landscapes: combining the historic village of Corfino with its equally old pasture, the net of hedges and fields around the village, the pastures of the Bandita, the limestone cliffs of Grottaccee the views from the white peak of Pania, the dark valley of the Wolves Buca, the huts of Pruno with the roof made of rye straw.





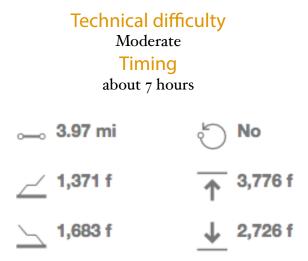
Rifugio Forte dei Marmi Baita dello scoiattolo



The area where the Rifugio is located is among the most famous area of the Apuan Alps.

The distinctive keep of Monte Procinto is a wonderful opportunity for rock climbing and the South-West face of Mount Nona is a classic route for mountaineering. Opportunities for walks and hikes with different difficulties do not miss: Monte Matanna (great views on the summit); Monte Nona, Monte Croce and Monte Drilled







Grotta all'Onda



The most important cave of all the Apuan Alps

It is located on the southern slope of Mount Matanna in the province of Camaiore and it consisted of a single space of about 60 meters which reaches a maximum height of 3 meters.

In the cave they were found the bones of extinct animals, or even present, human remains, ceramics, on blades of jasper, obsidian, of piramaca and bone ranging from the Palaeolithic to the Neolithic advanced. It seems that this cave was always busy though not inhabited continuously as has happened in the age at the Bronze and Iron Ages.









Technical difficulty

Moderate

Timing

around 4 hours 30 minutes

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Cycling in Versilia Area



There is no shortage of highlights to see on a visit to this beautiful region of Italy. Be sure to dedicate some time to Pietrasanta, Florence, the birthplace of Renaissance art and culture, and the well-preserved medieval city centers of Siena, Lucca, Pisa and San Gimignano.









Apuane: Vagli and Sumbra

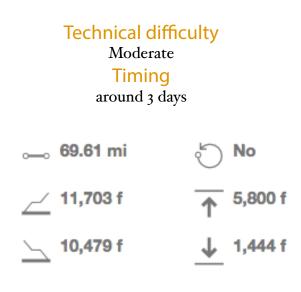


One of the most beautiful Apuan montains

The Sumbra (m. 1764) is one of the most beautiful of the Apuan mountains with his massive bulk dominates Lake Vagli.

It has singular forms: it rushes on the Passo Fiocca (m. 1560) with steep sides and angular slopes while in the east with a long ridge that juts out into the Garfagnana and the plateau of Careggine with all its villages. To the north the mountain is covered with forest with slopes that descend gradually towards Lake Vagli.









Forte dei Marmi, Monte Magno, Marlia, Pescia





A very broad tour in the province of Lucca

La strada che sale da Camaiore fino a Montemagno attraversa la valle spettacolare della Freddana e consente di ammirare splendidi paesaggi.

Il paese di Montemagno è un piccolo, grazioso borgo raccolto attorno ad una chiesa sulla strada per Lucca.





around 7 hours 30 minutes



Castelnuovo Garfagnana - Galleria del Cipollaio



A very broad tour in the province of Lucca

Uphill path along the valley of Turrite Secca from Castelnuovo up to the resurgences.





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HOTEL BYRON



Sophisticated ambiance in a Tuscan seaside villa.

Per informazioni o prenotazioni

For information and reservations

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