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HISTORIC HOUSES AND CASTLES





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THE CHARM OF STAYING IN PRESTIGIOUS PLACES

Friuli Venezia Giulia is a region on the border of Italy full of hidden treasures that will amaze visitors due to its many different landscapes, intertwining cultures, and ancient traditions.

The Historic Houses & Castles of Friuli Venezia Giulia let you discover the originality of this enchanting region through its unique scenery and places where you can enjoy relaxing, pleasant moments.

Splendid manors harmoniously blend with the most fascinating tourist areas of the region, while historical villas are surrounded by verdant hills and beautiful scenery, sit on the outskirts of an ancient village or enjoy breathtaking views of the Gulf of Trieste and are adorned with gardens, vineyards, and striking centuries-old parks.

ROMANTIC MOODS: HOSPITALITY, ELEGANCE AND EXQUISITE DETAILS

Staying in a castle, savoring the unique and elegant atmosphere of a historical residence and being welcomed according to the traditional art of hospitality are what all the marvelous venues in this brochure offer for an enjoyable, relaxing vacation.

Browsing the pages of this catalog, you'll discover enchanting places that are the perfect settings for the exclusive wedding of your dreams.





HISTORIC HOUSES

The historic houses of Friuli Venezia Giulia are perfectly preserved or restored in respect of their original style. Staying in one of these stately residences will let you also learn about its history. Several villas are linked to important events of the past while others are tied to legends and epic tales: families that fought battles to conquer fiefdoms, lovers separated by a star-crossed destiny and enemies captured and isolated from the rest of the world. Crossing the threshold of an old 14th century archway or passing by a crenellated tower, you can imagine the events that animated those ancient stones that are now in the spotlight thanks to the work of the Associazione Dimore Storiche Italiane [Association of Historic Houses in Italy].

CASTLES

Sleeping in an ancient castle is like traveling back in time: it is a unique and fascinating experience that not everyone can offer. Thanks to the support of the Consorzio per la Salvaguardia dei Castelli Storici del Friuli Venezia Giulia [Consortium for the Protection of the Historical Castles of Friuli Venezia Giulia] and the availability of the owners of these splendid estates, you can enjoy unforgettable moments in a setting of centuries past. The many castles of Friuli Venezia Giulia give history buffs a chance to visit these estates and also organize exclusive tours on request.





OVERLOOKING THE SEA





MUGGIA CASTLE

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Muggia Castle, which dates back to 1374 and overlooks the old “Mandraccio” port, is an austere rectangular building made of square sandstone blocks. Closely tied to the history of Muggia, which was loyal to Venice in its battles against the Patriarchy of Aquileia and against Maximilian I and Trieste, the castle was a military stronghold up until 1700 but later abandoned.

In 1991 the sculptor Villi Bossi bought the castle in a state of great disrepair and restored it to its ancient splendor.

Today it is the private home and studio of the sculptor. The Bossi family now organizes poetry readings and musical evenings so that these walls, once only used for defense, are now used to safeguard the soul.

The historic house offers:

- A guided tour of the castle rooms and its beautiful garden, accompanied by Gabriella Bossi.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 20 - max. 40 people.

Period: Open all year round. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

- The tour can be combined with a visit of Muggia's old town center and its cathedral, the archeological area and the Santa Maria Assunta Basilica.

- A venue for art, music, culture and poetry.

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DUINO CASTLE

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Duino Castle, owned by the Princes of Torre and Tasso, was built in 1300 upon the ruins of an ancient Roman outpost. The massive complex with its composite architectural style overlooks the Gulf of Trieste. Inside, it houses important works of art and refined historical relics. Over the centuries, it has offered hospitality to many illustrious people, including the poet R.M. Rilke, Empress Elisabeth of Austria (known as Sissi), the Archduke Maximilian of Habsburg and his wife Charlotte of Belgium. On the tour of the castle and its gardens, guests can admire the forte-piano played by Franz Liszt, the Palladio staircase, the view of the Gulf of Trieste from the top of the

tower, the rampart walls overlooking the sea and the bunker built in 1943 by the German Kriegsmarine.

The historic house offers:

•A tour of 18 rooms, with precious antiques and numerous documents explaining the history of the Torre and Tasso family, and the garden with its wide variety of Mediterranean flora.

Duration: 1.5 hours.

Participants: Individuals and groups, min. 10 people.

Visiting hours: Every day, except Tuesdays. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•A tour of the ruins of Castel Vecchio, the first fortified settlement built in the eleventh century. Below the fortress overlooking the sea, a rock resembling the silhouette of a woman wrapped in

a cloak will let you discover the legend of the White Lady.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 10 people.

Visiting Hours: To be agreed upon when booking.

- A venue for wedding receptions, gala dinners, private and corporate events.
- Exhibitions of art, photography and films.
- High profile cultural and musical events.

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THE FRIULIAN PLAIN



VILLA IACHIA



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Villa Iachia is an 18th century historic house just a few kilometers from Aquileia, a city recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site due to its ancient Roman ruins and extraordinary early Christian basilica.

The villa was originally composed of two separate buildings that were joined after a marriage united the Morpurgo and Iachia families. The complex, built on a large irregular polygonal area, is composed of the

manor and rustic outbuildings in a large park crossed by a 300-meter-long lane. The Villa Iachia Park, with its fourteen hectares, is the largest private park in Friuli.

The historic house offers:

- A guided tour of the villa and park, accompanied by the owners, with a chance to taste the wines and traditional local products of Friuli.

Duration: 2 hours.

Participants: Groups min. 10 - max. 30 people.

Period: All year round. Reservations are required at least two days before.

- A relaxing holiday immersed in nature, with a stay in the elegant suites fur-

nished with original antiques. Seasonal opening, from May to September.

- A venue for wedding receptions.

- A venue for private and corporate events.

- Cultural, scenic, food and wine tours.

- Itineraries for visiting private historic manors in the area.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

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CASTLE STRASSOLD DI SOPRA

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The **Castle Strassoldo di Sopra**, like the nearby manor in Strassoldo di Sotto, is nestled in the heart of a medieval village and surrounded by a centuries-old park crossed by limpid springs and streams. It is a so-called “water castle” and one of the few in Europe that still belongs to the same family that built it more than a thousand years ago: the Counts of Strassoldo. To get to the main building of the manor, you must walk under the ancient Cistigna Arch and

through the Borgo Vecchio [Old Village] to the church of San Nicolò. The main edifice is surrounded by several buildings once used for agricultural and administrative purposes: the stables, tradesmen's homes, granaries and archives. Further on, beyond a romantic rice mill, you enter the area of the Castle of Sotto. With rooms full of antiques and portraits of ancestors, there is a sense of history that continues in its timeless atmosphere.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 20 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least two days in advance.

•A relaxing vacation in the B&B Pileria del Riso [ancient rice mill] and in holiday homes created in the houses once used by the soldiers (Armigeri) and farmers (Vicinia). Seasonal opening, from April to November.

•A venue for wedding receptions, with the village church available for religious wedding ceremonies.

•Spacious halls for corporate and private events.

•Cultural events, performances and art exhibitions.

•Cultural and scenic itineraries.

•Itineraries for visiting private historic manors in the area.

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The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the house and park, welcomed by the owner or an authorized tour guide.

VILLA PACE



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Villa Pace is a marvelous residence located between Aquileia and Palmanova and is still the home of the Pace family that built it between the 17th and 18th centuries and filled it with beautifully decorated and refined

interiors. The spacious entrance hall has a unique ellipsoidal stone staircase that leads to the main floor with the ballroom decorated with prestigious frescoes by G. Mattioni and ornate stuccowork by F. De Re.

The villa is surrounded by a large garden and has a large terrace on the ground floor and large private parking area in a courtyard adjacent to the park.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour, accompanied by one of the owners, of the historical villa and park. On request, visitors can sample wines from the historic vineyard owned by the Pace-Perusini family.

Duration: 1-2 hours.

Participants: Groups min. 15 - max. 30 people.

Period: April to November. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•Exclusive stays in rooms decorated with antiques, for a minimum of 4 people for 4 nights.

•A venue for weddings and for corporate and private events.

•A location for photo shoots and films.

•Cultural events, exhibitions and concerts.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

•Wine and food, cultural and scenic routes.

•Itineraries to visit private historic houses in the area.

•Vespa scooter and bike rental.

•Tasting and cooking courses for min. 8 people.

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PALAZZO STEFFANEO RONCATO



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Palazzo Steffaneo Roncato is a stately complex consisting of a main building from which two annexes called Barchesse extend, one ending in the farming village and the other in the hamlet with the furnace. The palazzo, which is one of the most interesting in Friuli from an artistic standpoint, contains refined Venetian marble stuccowork, Venetian terrazzo floors and frescoes by Chiarottini.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour, accompanied by the owners, of the historic house, garden with centuries-old trees, the local furnace and the chapel.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 10 - max. 30 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least two days in advance.

- Short breaks and relaxing holidays within the village.
- Corporate and private events.
- Cultural events and concerts.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- Cultural, scenic, food and wine tours.
- Itineraries for visiting private historic houses in the area.

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VILLA GORGO

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This splendid Venetian villa dating back to 1755 is characterized by a harmonious eighteenth-century setting surrounded by the allure of a glorious bygone age. Enclosed by elegant porticos on both sides, **Villa Gorgo** faces the garden and opens to the enchanting park behind it, the bell tower and church of St. Andrea with its square. The Great Stable, the gem of the village due to its architectural and artistic significance with rare frescoes on

the façade, expresses the perfect union between past and present. The site of the Customs-House and Stage Post and a point of passage in ancient Roman times, it was once an obligatory passageway for people who wanted to travel from Italy to Vienna: among others, Pope Pius VI Braschi, who stopped here in 1782, and the Austrian Emperor Joseph II, who stayed here in 1784. This unique place rich in history and full of endless charm is a dynamic venue that is ideal for various uses.

The historic house offers:

- A venue for wedding receptions, with the possibility of holding the religious ceremony in the church next to the historical residence.
- A venue for symbolic weddings in the park behind the villa in American-style.
- Artistic - cultural events.
- The possibility of booking the residence for painting sessions, artistic seminars, workshops, exhibits and expositions.
- Concerts and theatrical events.
- Private and corporate events.
- The possibility of renting the building for long stay holidays.

VILLA MANIN GUERRESKO



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Villa Manin Guerresko is a Venetian villa dating back to the second half of the seventeenth century. It was built by the noble Counts of Manin as a holiday home on the farm in **Clauiano**, one of "Italy's most beautiful villages".

The construction is reminiscent of an elegant, refined Venetian palazzo with two obelisks which were then a sign of distinction reserved to the highest officials of Serenissima. The fascinating home has beautiful well-preserved frescoes and elegant, sophisticated furnishings. On the ground floor is the entirely frescoed Great Hall, the Music Room with a fireplace, the Apollo and Dafne Room, and the spacious kitchen in typical Friuli style dominated by the large fireplace called the Fogolâr. There are three bedrooms, a living room and a small kitchen

on the first floor. There are also guest quarters and wine cellars with vaulted ceilings. The spacious rustic "foledor" with exposed stone and brick walls has an atmosphere of olden days. There is a swimming pool, small vineyard, and private chapel in the garden.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the main floor of the house, private chapel, gardens and adjoining open barn. Guests will be greeted like old friends by the owners and their staff in a very friendly atmosphere, and will enjoy an aperitif or lunch with the owners.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups, min. 15 people.

Period: April to October. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•A venue for wedding receptions, gala dinners, private and corporate events.

- A location for photo shoots and films.
- For long stay holidays, the entire villa must be rented.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- Hired help available.
- Excursion in a carriage to the bastions of Palmanova, the fortress town.
- Free rental of bicycles for tours in the beautiful rural areas.
- Cultural, scenic, food and wine tours.
- Itineraries for visiting private historic houses in the area.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

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VILLA ELODIA



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Villa Elodia is an 18th century Venetian villa. The ground floor includes a dining room and a Molteni kitchen made of iron and copper. On the first floor, a refined marble statue from the school of Canova stands at the center of the Great Room. All rooms are decorated with frescoes, stucco work and neoclassical embellishments, Murano glass chandeliers and beautiful Venetian terrazzo floors. The second floor is an apartment furnished with nineteenth-century furniture and provided with modern amenities. The park surrounding the villa resembles an English-style garden with gravel paths. At the back there is a pond and a little wood with

streams that run through the entire garden. At the front, shady gardens flank the “barchessa” portico and the old farm that once produced fine silk in the 19th century.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour that begins in the centuries-old park and first floor of the villa, with historical and architectural references, and ends in the “Foledor” [barn].

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 10 - max. 30 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least two days in advance.

•A venue for wedding receptions, corporate and private events.

•Cultural events, concerts and exhibitions.

•For long stay holidays, the entire villa must be rented.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

•Cooking courses.

•Cultural, scenic, food and wine tours.

•Itineraries for visiting private historic houses in the area.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

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THE FRIULIAN HILLS

PALAZZO LANTIERI



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Over the centuries, **Palazzo Lantieri** has been a landmark and cultural center for Gorizia and its county, as well as for all of Central Europe. It was built in the fourteenth century to defend the south-east entrance to the city: after several interventions to expand and embellish the structure, the fortress was transformed over time into an aristocratic palazzo that welcomed illustrious guests, including the King and Queen of France, Pope Pius VI, the Archduchess of Austria Maria Theresa, Napoleon and also important members of the cultural world such as Goethe, Schiller, Goldoni, Metastasio, Casanova, and Lorenzo Da Ponte, who all mentioned the palazzo in their works.

Works by contemporary artists establish a dialog with the ancient atmosphere that permeates the great halls of Palazzo Lantieri and are an integral part of the prestigious artistic heritage of the palace. The unusual “Persian Park”, which has preserved its Persian-style layout since the 16th century, is surrounded by rose bushes.

The historic house offers:

•A tour of the beautiful Persian-style Park, accompanied when possible by the owner, to discover the historical, aesthetic and architectural aspects of the palazzo that has always been tied to the Lantieri family.

Duration: 1.5 hours.

Participants: Groups min. 10 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•A venue for wedding receptions.

•Stays in the comfortable, elegant rooms with antiques or in studio apartments.

•Private and corporate events.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

•Pottery courses and the possibility of customized internships.

•Cultural and scenic itineraries.

•Food and wine tours to the wineries of the Collio area of Italy and Slovenia.

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VILLA ATTEMS CERNOZZA DE POSTCASTRO

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Villa Attems, located in Lucinico in the Collio area of Gorizia, was first mentioned in a document of the mid-seventeenth century as a possession of the noble Attems Petzenstein family of Gorizia. The park surrounding the property with its evocative and enchanting views was transformed into a real garden in the late 19th century and is home to countless plant varieties. It also has a fountain designed in 1760

by Nicolò Pacassi, an architect at the court of Maria Theresa of Austria, which miraculously survived bombing during World War I. At the old well and in other lovely areas of the park, one can appreciate the history of the family and enjoy a place that respects the style and traditions of the past while discreetly embracing an ever-evolving future.

Duration: 1.5 hours.

Participants: Groups min. 6 - max. 150 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least two weeks in advance.

•A venue for wedding receptions, corporate and private events.

•Tasting sessions and artisan production of muscat grape jellies.

•Cultural events.

•Location for photo shoots in the historical park.

•Cooking courses.

•Picnics, readings, tea-time.

•Cultural, scenic, food and wine tours.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

FOR INFORMATION:

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The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the house, park and photographic museum of World War I located in the original WWI bomb shelter. A complimentary glass of wine will be served.

SPESSA CASTLE



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The elegant **Spessa Castle** stands on a gently rolling hill surrounded by a magnificent Italian-style garden in the heart of the Collio area of Gorizia. Since its origin in the thirteenth century, it has been the residence of Friuli nobility for hundreds of years. Starting in the 16th century, illustrious families owned the castle: first the Dornberks, then the Rassauer family, and later the Della Torre Valsassina family, who owned it for more than 300 years. Eminent figures have stayed there over the centuries: among others, the famous author and adventurer Giacomo Casanova, after whom the prestigious

award that Spessa Castle hosts every summer is named.

The historic house offers:

- A romantic stay in one of the castle suites decorated with antiques from the 18th and 19th centuries.
- 19th century rooms and elegant medieval halls available for wedding receptions. The adjoining neo-Gothic chapel is available for religious celebrations.
- A tour of the medieval wine cellars and a stop at the wine shop. Reservation in advance is appreciated.
- Guided wine and grappa tasting produced by Spessa Castle.
- Cooking lessons with the chef in the castle's historical kitchens.
- Restaurant and catering service for

all tastes, with everything from fine cuisine to traditional central European dishes, with the possibility of tasting local products.

- Walking routes through the woods and vineyards.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- Tours riding a legendary yellow Vespa scooter to discover the fascinating Collio area.
- Free bike rental.

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VILLA LOCATELLI - TENUTA DI ANGORIS



Villa Locatelli is a historical manor that has been at the center of the **Tenuta di Angoris** estate since the eighteenth century. It is precious witness and custodian of the heritage of this land and the people who lived and worked here to write its history. Surrounded and protected by an old park, it stands out against the vibrant colors of nature and its pristine white walls. Walking through its

rooms is like traveling through time. The fragrant scents of the four seasons and the air can be found among its trees. The red roses lining the driveway in the spring, the colorful autumn leaves and aromas of the grape harvest, sitting at the piano once owned by the Locatelli Barons, and relaxing amidst the books in the ancient library are just some of the many details that will make your event unique. The villa is further enhanced by a consecrated chapel extra oppida, a true gem of eighteenth century architecture.

The historic house offers:

- Guided tours of the vineyards, wine cellar, and chapel, ending in the tasting hall for a sampling of the wines of the villa.

Duration: 1.5 h

Participants: Groups min. 15 people.

Period: All year round, from Tuesday to Saturday. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

- A venue for wedding receptions, with the possibility of celebrating religious functions in the old chapel.

- Private and corporate events.

- The possibility of booking the hall for tasting sessions and dinners.

- Tenuta di Angoris products available for purchase.

- Cultural events and music concerts.

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www.angoris.com

CASA DE CARVALHO DE MORAES DE PUPPI



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Casa de Carvalho de Moraes de Puppi offers hospitality in the enchanting rustic setting of an aristocratic Friuli farmstead. Serenity, elegance and comfort can be found within these ancient stones as well as an aristocratic lifestyle in touch with the simplicity of nature. Three independent holiday homes within the ancient complex that overlooks a vast green lawn and open countryside are available for guests. A view of the eastern hills, Collio area and the Julian Alps can be enjoyed from the beautiful pool.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour by the owner of the park and the ground floor of the manor house: entrance hall, study, chapel, fireplace room, and old wine cellar.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 12 - max. 50 people.

Period: All the year. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•A stay for at least one week in the holiday-houses: Casa del Campanile (15th century), Casa del Focolare (16th century), Casa degli Archi (17th century). All are furnished with antiques, provided with all amenities, including garden furniture and pool equipment.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

•Possibility to taste and buy wine produced by the owner.

•A personal trainer for individual or group exercise sessions on the lawn or in the pool.

•Free bike rental.

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VILLA BERIA DI SALE E D'ARGENTINA



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Villa Beria di Sale e d'Argentina is a sixteenth-century manor in the center of Manzano. The warm, tasteful interior decor is accompanied by the harmony of its exterior: the large garden at the foot of the lovely Colle Montuzza hill with its Hunting

Lodge, the ancient cypress trees and vineyards that produce prestigious DOC wines.

The historic house offers:

• Guided tours by the owner of all the rooms, garden and, on request, of the Hunting Lodge on Montuzza Hill (outside only).

Duration: 1 hour / 2 hours including the hill.

Participants: Groups min.20 - max. 50 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

• Holiday stays in the "Casa de Moraes de Carvalho de Puppi" guest house owned by the family.

• Refined interiors for private and corporate events. Picturesque antique kitchen and rooms.

• A romantic park for wedding receptions and ceremonies.

• Location for film and photo shoots.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

• Possibility to taste and buy wine produced by the owner.

FOR INFORMATION:

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www.villaberiaeventi.it

CASAFORTE D'ATTIMIS - MANIAGO



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Casaforte d'Attimis-Maniago, in the town of Buttrio, sits at the foot of the hills and is surrounded by its vineyards. The main building, called "Torre delle Signore", was first depicted on a map in 1592. The original structure is still visible today, even though it has been expanded over the centuries and adapted for grape-growing and wine-making, which became its main occupation after its role as a military outpost gradually declined between 1200 and 1500. The Counts of d'Attimis-Maniago have owned the estate since

1529, and the descendants still live in the manor house. Next to the residence are the old family chapel and the underground wine cellar, which is still used for storing bottles.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the estate, historical underground wine cellar and the family chapel, ending with wine tasting. If possible, the tour is given by Count Alberto d'Attimis-Maniago.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Individuals or groups up to 50 people.

Period: All year round, weekdays, according to the following schedule:

Monday-Friday

8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

1:30 - 5:30 PM

Saturday 8:30 - 12:30 PM.

Other hours for groups, to be agreed and reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•During school tours, students will spend the day learning about rural life and wine-making in the past, harvesting and crushing grapes, barefoot, in vats.

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VILLA DRAGONI FLORIO DANIELI

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This 17th century villa has been restored in full respect of its fascinating history. Whatever the season, **Villa Dragoni Florio Danieli** offers a romantic setting for any event and welcomes your guests in style. Its charming spaces let you choose the best setting to make your reception unique. You can choose the park with its centuries-old trees or the frescoed halls of the main

floor. The villa is surrounded by gardens with a view of the Friuli countryside and the mountains in the distance. It is an ideal place for relaxing in an oasis of tranquility, surrounded by alluring atmospheres of the past.

•An exclusive stay in rooms gracefully furnished in the Art Nouveau style.

•A romantic location for wedding receptions and ceremonies.

•A unique setting for private and corporate events.

•Cultural events.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

•Wine tasting and the sale of wines of Azienda Agricola Marina Danieli.

•A location for photo shoots in the park and in the frescoed halls of the residence.

•Historical tours through villages, villas and castles.

The historic house offers:

• A tour of the house and park.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 10 - max. 40 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

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BUTTRIO CASTLE



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Buttrio Castle stands at the top of Pampinutta Hill, which was named after the grape leaf “pampino” and is an area where grape-growing still reigns. This castle with ancient origins (the first records dated back to 1139) is composed of two villas and buildings from different eras built on top of the previous ruins and renovated between the seventeenth and twentieth centuries. Following a careful restoration project respecting the original aesthetic, the renovated historical residence now offers tailor-made holidays. Buttrio Castle is an exclusive, very attractive venue with an ancient and luxurious atmos-

phere in a peaceful natural setting.

The historic house offers:

- *A wedding venue with the possibility of celebrating the ceremony in the chapel of the park.*
- *Large areas for corporate and private events, even at the adjacent castle inn.*
- *A stay in castle rooms provided with every amenity and exclusive details or in a romantic, elegant farmhouse owned by the family in a lovely rural setting.*

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- *Wine-tasting sessions offering a visual, olfactory, flavorful experience in the wine cellar with wines pro-*

duced by Alessandra Felluga, vintner and owner. Sale of local products.

- *A picnic on the lawn that includes a wicker basket, blanket, local delicacies and a wine bottle from Buttrio Castle.*
- *Bike tours.*
- *A historical setting for fashion shows, photo shoots, videos and films.*
- *Cultural events and concerts held throughout the year.*
- *Tour itineraries to visit the Historic houses of Friuli Venezia Giulia.*

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CANUSSIO CASTLE



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Canussio Castle is in Cividale del Friuli, an ancient Longobard capital and now the starting point of the UNESCO itinerary dedicated to the vestiges that this mysterious people left in Italy. The castle stands on the line marked by the second circle of city walls from the ancient Roman era. Today, restored to its original splendor, it is one of the most interesting and important historical, cultural and archaeological sites in the region. The ancient Roman walls of the

city, which are visible and open to visitors from within the castle, give it a unique atmosphere. Today the Castle hosts prestigious events. A guided tour and tasting session are available, on request.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of Cividale and around the castle grounds to see the excavations of the ancient Roman walls and the late medieval building dating back to the 6th and 8th centuries A.D. Afterward, a tasting session in the castle rooms offers a refined, elegant

culinary experience featuring local food and wine.

Duration: 4 hours.

Participants: min. 10 people.

Period: The first and third Wednesday of the month, starting at 4:00 PM. Reservations are required. Confirmation depends on number of participants.

•A wedding venue, with the possibility of celebrating the civil ceremony on the ground floor of the castle and allowing the newlyweds to spend a night in a room of the castle tower.

•Private and corporate events.

•High-profile musical and cultural events.

•Location for photo shoots and films.

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VILLA ORGNANI LINDA



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Villa Orgnani Linda is a historical palazzo in the center of town that is full of charm and plenty of atmosphere. With its simple architectural lines, it is surrounded by a beautiful Italian-style garden that blends with a nineteenth century English-style garden on the sides of the building. The residence, which was built in the sixteenth century as a hunting lodge, was later enlarged and modified to become a private home in 1711.

The historic house offers:

• A guided tour of the garden and

rooms of the villa, including the Friuli kitchen full of antiques and vintage cooking utensils. The tour includes a complimentary glass of wine with the hosts.

Duration: 1.5 hours.

Participants: Groups min.10 - max. 30 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

• A venue for wedding receptions and civil wedding ceremonies.

• Painting and calligraphy courses to learn to write ancient Gothic and Uncial fonts using a quill pen. Half-day course.

• The opportunity to observe flower arranging or the creation of a medieval miniature on parchment paper.

• The opportunity to prepare, with the

hosts, traditional dishes from the family's recipe book.

• Gardening with the owner, for gardening buffs.

• Tasting sessions with wine and local products.

• Cultural events, exhibitions, fashion shows, photo shoots.

• Cultural and scenic itineraries in the area.

• Travel itineraries for visiting private historic houses in the area.

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VILLA MIOTTI DE BRAIDA



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Sitting at the top of the first morainic hill and surrounded by a large, well-tended Italian-style garden, **Villa Miotti de Braida** overlooks a gorgeous landscape of mountains, hills and plains with villages and castles. It resembles the secluded, quiet set-

tings of Medici villas in Tuscany, where nature contributes to the architectural effect.

The historic house offers:

- A venue for wedding receptions, private and corporate events.
- Cultural events and concerts.
- Long stay experiential holidays.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- Cooking courses.
- Tasting sessions featuring local products and the wines of Friuli.
- Cycling, horseback riding and romantic carriage rides.
- On request is possible to book outdoor activities (rafting, quad riding, hang-gliding, hot-air balloon rides)
- Itineraries for visiting.

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VILLA DE RUBEIS-FLORIT



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Villa de Rubeis-Florit is an aristocratic 18th century residence with much more ancient origins dating back to the thirteenth century. It has a romantic ballroom and a suite with period furniture that overlooks the hills and spacious garden. Many aristocratic families owned it in the past: the de Rubeis, Frangipane and Cristofoli Counts as well as other famous people such as geographers Giovanni and Olinto Marinelli. The Frangipane Counts, Lords of Tarcento, were responsible for the restoration

of the villa in the 17th century, while the magnificent Palladian floors, fine stuccowork, doors with painted mirrors, and stone fireplaces reveal typical eighteenth-century style. The villa is one of the best preserved buildings in the area and a national landmark.

The historic house offers:

- Accommodations for a romantic holiday in a suite with period furniture.
- Tasting sessions of local products, DOC wines, craft beers, and enter-

taining evenings with live music in the vaulted wine cellar of 1273.

- High profile musical events, thanks to the excellent acoustics in the ballroom, site of the "Spring Concert" program.
- A venue with the perfect atmosphere for wedding receptions, private and corporate events.
- Cultural and scenic itineraries.
- Travel itineraries for visiting private historic houses in the area.

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Susans Castle is an elegant seventeenth century villa built on the ruins of earlier medieval buildings and ancient settlements dating back to Roman times. It resembles a Medici villa and belonged to the Coloredo family until the end of World War I. The building is surrounded by a large, well-tended Italian-style garden available for use by guests and visitors. The area is fenced and has a parking lot. Sitting at the top of Susans Hill, the castle has a magnificent view stretching from the plains and surrounding hills to the

mountains and the valley of the Tagliamento River.

The staff at Susans Castle is at the guests' disposal to provide all necessary assistance and information and to help create a tailor made experience for individual guests or families.

• Packages and special discounts for groups and schools.

• A relaxing stay in one of the comfortable suites with kitchenette.

• A venue for wedding receptions, ceremonies, private and corporate events.

• Art exhibits, cultural events, concerts and theater (indoors and outdoors).

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

• Wine tasting, cooking classes.

• Art and music workshops.

• Historical itineraries through villages and to castles, with the option of organizing exclusive visits.

• Wine and food and scenic tours.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

The historic house offers:

• A guided tour of the rooms of the castle and the garden, accompanied by the manager of the facility, with the possibility of a picnic/lunch outdoors.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Individuals and groups max. 50 people.

Period: All year, preferably on weekdays, with times to be agreed upon. Reservations are required at least a week before.

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CASA ASQUINI



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Casa Asquini, an old manor house (16th-19th century) owned by the noble Asquini family that still lives there, is in the hills of Central Friuli in **Fagagna**, which is considered one of "Italy's most beautiful villages". The interior is decorated with original furnishings, frescoes and 18th century stucco work. There is also a chapel. The outbuildings were converted into a hall suitable for events, while the 15th century chapel is in the large Romantic-style garden. The historic residence houses an important family archive with documents from the 13th to the

19th century. Visitors can also admire a curious collection of stamped bricks and graffiti.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the family residence, library, archive and chapel on the second floor, the rustic outbuildings and the garden.

Duration: 2 hours.

Participants: Groups, min. 8 - max. 20 people.

Period: April-May / September-November. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•A venue for small weddings, with the possibility of celebrating the religious

ceremony in the eighteenth century private chapel preceded by a beautiful frescoed room.

•Indoor and outdoor spaces for private events.

•Cultural events, exhibitions in the renovated rustic outbuildings.

•Local cultural and scenic tours.

•Food and wine itineraries linked to local products.

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VILLALTA CASTLE



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Villalta Castle is the most important medieval castle in Friuli. Sitting on a hill overlooking the plain, it is a must for anyone who wants to visit the most beautiful and romantic part of the hills. Its origins go back to time immemorial, as proven by its ancient Roman foundations and traces of a prehistoric structure used for defense. The oldest document in which it is mentioned dates back to 1158. The castle was besieged, destroyed and rebuilt several times between 1200 and 1400 and finally underwent major expansion in 1500 that gave it the monumental appearance

that still characterizes it. It was owned for centuries by the Villalta-Caporiacco noble family. The double wall, walkways, drawbridge, defense tower, and the picturesque, romantic courtyards are proof of the castle's past greatness and strategic importance.

• Large indoor and outdoor spaces for wedding receptions and small religious celebrations.

• The possibility of an exclusive overnight stay in one of the tastefully furnished, themed rooms of the castle.

• A venue for exclusive dinners, private and corporate events.

• Cultural events, art exhibits, concerts and poetry readings.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

• Locations for films and photo shoots.

• Cultural, scenic, food and wine itineraries.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

The historic house offers:

• A guided tour of the private residence of the Gelmi Caporiacco Counts and the inner garden, accompanied if possible by the owners.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: individuals and groups max. 50 people.

Reservations: Bookings and number of participants to be agreed upon through the Consortium for the Protection of Friuli Venezia Giulia Castles.



THE MIDLANDS

VILLA CIGILOTTI



Villa Cigolotti is a beautiful example of a noble country estate from the eighteenth century. The first stone was laid in 1740, commissioned by the Count Cigolotti family, which was in the timber supply sector in the western area of Friuli and a purveyor for the Venetian Republic. The current owners restored the building and transformed it into a resort. The resort is composed of three elements: the Villa (stately home), the Barchessa (the old stables and hay barn) and the Park.

The rooms in the villa are exquisitely decorated with 19th frescoes and 18th century mosaic floors. The entire complex is surrounded by a park with centuries-old trees enclosed by a wall with a rectangular layout made entirely of Friuli stones. The villa is at the center of the small village of Basaldella di Vivaro, adjacent to the town square with the local church. The villa can be accessed from the square through the carved stone archway topped by the stele of the House of Cigolotti.

The historic house offers:

- A guided tour of the villa and park, conducted by the owner of the residence.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Individuals and groups max.20 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least one day before.

- Holiday stays in the suites of the main villa or in country-style rooms in the remodeled former barn.

- A venue for weddings, private events and corporate meetings.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

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VALVASONE CASTLE



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Valvasone Castle is at the heart of the small town with the same name that is considered one of "Italy's most beautiful villages" and is also known as the **Brides' Village**. Built in the late twelfth century on pre-existing ancient ruins, the castle was owned by the noble Valvasone dynasty whose name (which means "wolf grange" in old German) appears on the coat-of-arms. Damaged and restored several times, it now resembles a Renaissance palace. Over the centuries it has welcomed many illustrious figures such as Pope Gregory XII in 1409, Pope Pius VI in 1782 and Napoleon Bonaparte in March of 1797. Thanks to a re-

cent restoration project, it is possible to admire the exquisite 17th century theater with a splendid antique frieze from the late 16th century. In another room, frescoes from the mid-fourteenth century were brought to light portraying a rare series of secular images.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the castle, at times with actors dressed in medieval clothes.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min.10 - max. 35 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least two weeks in advance.

Guided tour of the old village with a short concert on the 16th century organ

in the Duomo cathedral and a tour of the historical private garden of Valvasone.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups of a min. 10 – max. 35 people.

Period: All year, reservations required at least two weeks in advance.

•Exploring the old town with audio guide.

•A venue for wedding receptions, with the possibility of celebrating the civil ceremony inside the castle.

•Private and corporate events.

Accessible to people with physical disabilities.

VILLA KECHLER DE ASARTA

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The 18th century **Villa Kechler de Asarta** stands on the bank of the Tagliamento River in the beautiful Fraforeano Park, a marvelous example of garden landscaping. The Kechler family was very friendly with author Ernest Hemingway, who often stayed at the villa.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of the interior of the villa, including the rooms where Ernest Hemingway stayed, and an unaccompanied visit of the park. On request, it is possible to visit the neo-Gothic cemetery chapel owned by the family de Asarta and designed by architect Raimondo D'Aronco of Udine.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 15 people.

Period: March to November. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

•A venue for wedding receptions.

•Cultural events and a location for photo shoots.

•Private and corporate events.

•For long holiday stays in July and August, the entire villa is available for rent.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

•Cooking and language classes.

•Picnics in the garden.

•Cultural, scenic, food and wine tours.

•Tour itineraries for visiting private historic houses in the area.

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BORGO DEI CONTI DELLA TORRE



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Borgo dei Conti della Torre sits on the banks of the Tagliamento River. The recently restored villa combines modern amenities with the moods and atmosphere of a noble residence. The Italian-style garden, the farmyard and fountains are particularly charming. Noteworthy are the main hall with impressive late eighteenth century frescoes, the consecrated fifteenth-century chapel, the Barchessa open barn with pool, and the Gastaldia

used for accommodations with themed rooms.

The event Anteprema Natale di Borgo dei Conti della Torre, which anticipates the Christmas mood every year in November, is particularly evocative. The artisan workshops selected by the owners of the home and accommodated inside the main manor, the Barchessa open barn and farmers' houses present refined, versatile products such

as new Christmas ornaments, nativity scenes, and gift ideas. Everything is surrounded by Santa Clauses, reindeer, sleighs and Christmas music that fill the visitor with the magic of Christmas!

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The historic house offers:

- Short stays and relaxing, regenerative holidays in rooms provided with every comfort.
- A venue for wedding receptions and special celebrations.

- Spacious areas for private and corporate events.
- Cooking classes for small groups.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- Free bike rental.

- Tour of the local winery.

- Tee time reservations at major golf courses near the structure. Reservations are required at least two weeks in advance.



CORDOVADO CASTLE



Cordovado Castle, built on a prehistoric fortress and subsequent Roman settlement, was constructed in the 11th century as protection against raids by the Hungarians. The favorable geographical position of the fortress near a ford of the Tagliamento River (hence the name “curtis-vada”) allowed the castle to acquire great importance over time to the point of becoming a summer residence for the Bishops of Concordia.

In the sixteenth century, after its collapse caused by a violent earthquake in 1511, the current palazzo **Villa Freschi Piccolomini** was built upon the foundations of the ancient manor and later

inherited by the Freschi Counts of Cuccanea and the Piccolomini Counts of Siena. Two shielded towers and part of a well-preserved wall are all that remain of the original castle. Within this space are a 12th century chapel, a 15th century farm building, the impressive villa, a romantic park from the early 19th century, and medieval houses. Thanks to this remarkable castle, the town of **Cordovado** is considered one of “Italy’s most beautiful villages”.

The historic house offers:

- Guided tours of Villa Freschi Piccolomini, the park and gardens, village, and church.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Groups min. 20 people.

Period: All year. Reservations are required at least one week in advance.

- A venue for weddings with the possibility of celebrating the religious ceremony, from March to October.

- A fascinating itinerary to the unique labyrinth of Damask Roses.

- Musical and cultural events.

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VILLA LUPPIS



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Villa Luppis was originally an ancient monastery founded in the early eleventh century. It was later secularized by Napoleon and then bought by the Chiozza-Luppis family who turned it into an elegant mansion used as a luxurious venue for their industrial and diplomatic activities. In 1991 the current owner, the last descendant of the family, transformed the villa into a hotel while respecting its architectural features. Located in a strategic position surrounded by a centuries-old park and provided with every amenity, the villa is also home to a fine wine

cellar in the ancient “ice house” from the 12th century.

The historic house offers:

- Romantic stays in suites and rooms with period furniture.
- A guided wine tasting session with sommeliers in the historic wine cellar.
- A venue for wedding receptions, with the possibility of celebrating the religious ceremony in the villa chapel.
- Hands-on cooking classes with the chef of the villa, both for individuals and groups.

Additional activities and amenities for guests:

- Free bike rental.
- A Shopping Card for luxury outlets, green fees, ski passes, and shuttle buses to/from Trieste, Venice, airports and train stations.
- Cultural and food and wine itineraries.

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PALAZZO SCOLARI



Palazzo Scolari, a noble residence dating back to the seventeenth century, is a historical and cultural landmark. To achieve its current appearance, the Salice family enthusiastically supervised the renovation of the palazzo in the seventies. Its original, picturesque Italian-style garden is composed of two distinct parts: one with terraced

embankments on two levels, which offers a beautiful and original view, and an outer area with a botanical path accompanied by a low hedge that leads to a panoramic spot with a view of **Polcenigo**, which is considered one of "Italy's most beautiful villages".

***Period:** April to October. Reservations are required at least two weeks in advance.*

- A stay in rooms decorated with period furniture.
- A hall with excellent acoustics for instrumental and vocal musical performances.
- Use of the baby grand piano, with the possibility of concerts.
- A venue for wedding receptions and private events.
- Concerts and readings, as occurred in the 17th and 18th centuries.

The historic house offers:

•A guided tour of Palazzo Scolari and its garden, possibly accompanied by the owner.

Duration: 1 hour.

Participants: Individuals and groups max. 45 people.

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MAIN ARTS AND CULTURAL EVENTS



EnoArmonie - Associazione musicale "Sergio Gaggia"

January - March

A program that combines great chamber music with the famous wines of Friuli Venezia Giulia. Its formula is "savor music and listen to wine".

www.sergiogaggia.com

Castelli Aperti

April and October

In the spring and fall, castles and private manors open their doors to visitors. In these two periods, encounter the history, art and memories of the past.

www.consorziocastelli.it

Castelli Aperti a Strassoldo

Palm Sunday weekend and October

The castles in Strassoldo open their doors two times a year. The editions dedicated to flowers in spring and fruits in fall also include artisan crafts, artistic works and plants on display in the rooms and orchards. Many other activities are organized.

www.castellodistrassoldo.it

Giardini Aperti

May

The gates of over 60 private gardens of all sizes and types are open, free of charge, for an entire day for people who love gardening, flowers and plants.

www.amicingiardino.it

Ville Aperte

May

Historic houses open to individual visitors to allow them to appreciate their impressive historical and cultural heritage through guided tours. Many extra events are scheduled.

www.itinerariafvg.it

Risuonanze -

An Encounter with New Music

June

High profile concerts are held in exclusive venues, showcasing contemporary artistic languages.

www.risuonanze.it

Fiera regionale dei Vini

June

As the oldest wine show of Italy, this event is a valuable opportunity to discover a new way to enjoy wine in a striking historical location. Many extra activities are scheduled.

www.buri.it

Mittelfest

July

This famous cultural festival is one of the most prestigious showcases for theater, music, dance, poetry, visual arts, and the marionettes of Central Europe.

mittelfest.org

Piccolo Festival del Friuli Venezia Giulia

July

This international festival accompanies the public on a musical path that perfectly reflects the spirit of the hosting venue. All the concerts are held in the castles, villas, and historical palazzos of the region.

www.piccolofestival.org



VillaltaMusica

July

This new cultural event offers a festive and intense piano marathon entrusted to talented young artists who will perform in the splendid rooms of the castle.

www.castellodivillalta.it

Premio Giacomo Casanova

July

The Award pays tribute to Friuli Venezia Giulia and is assigned to a famous person who has promoted the region's image and values around the world.

www.premiocasanova.it

San Daniele International Piano Meeting

August

This ten-day event welcomes talented pianists to celebrate music as an art, lifestyle and school of life.

www.corofant.com

Medioevo a Valvasone

September

This striking historical re-enactment, which presents a new theme each year, re-creates in this ancient village an atmosphere rich in tradition, customs, dances, ancient trades, and medieval food and wine.

www.medioevoavalvasone.it

Concorso Internazionale di Violino "Premio Rodolfo Lipizer"

September

The Rodolf Lipizer International Violin Competition is a music contest for violinists coming from all around the world.

Jazz & Wine of Peace

October

The Festival celebrates the perfect combination of international jazz and excellent wines, involving the fascinating historic houses and wineries of the region. Many extra activities are scheduled.

www.controtempo.org

Premio Castello di Villalta

Poesia

October

Each year the castle organizes this poetry prize to shine the spotlight on the extraordinary poetry events held in Friuli Venezia Giulia to promote poetry and culture.

www.castellodivillaltapoesia.com

Anteprima Natale - Borgo dei Conti della Torre

November

The magical atmosphere of Christmas arrives in this ancient village, where visitors take a stroll through history to admire the beautiful Christmas decorations, exhibits and refined shops.

www.borgodeicontidellatorre.it



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