

# Italian Couple's Golf Tour



Discover Italy while playing golf!



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Welcome to an unparalleled golf experience, where the passion for the game merges with the natural beauty and luxury of Italy's most enchanting destinations: Lake Garda and Tuscany.

This isn't just any vacation; it's an invitation to immerse yourself in a world where the golf challenge blends with picturesque landscapes and captivating cultures. Play on world-class golf courses that seamlessly integrate with the surrounding environment, creating a unique and exhilarating experience.

Your days will commence on the shores of Lake Garda, where the warmth of the sun caresses the crystal-line waters. Here, your skill will be put to the test on impeccably maintained fairways, offering technical challenges and enchanting views. After an exciting game, you can relax on the beach, immerse yourself in local cuisine, and be captivated by the serenity of the lake.

Next, we'll venture to the magical Tuscany, where golf becomes an art, and each hole is an opportunity to hone your abilities. Play amidst vine-covered hills, surrounded by breathtaking panoramas that appear to have come straight out of a painting. Beyond golf, you'll explore cities steeped in history and culture, savoring the best of local wines and flavors.

This top-tier golf experience will offer impeccable services, expert instructors, and first-class facilities. Yet, it's more than just a game; it's a journey that will make you feel part of a unique environment, where golf becomes a means to explore, discover, and connect with the wonders of every leg of the journey.

This vacation is designed for those seeking luxury in every aspect of the travel experience, from the golf challenge to relaxation, from panoramic views to art and culture.

## Tour details

- 8 nights in a double room + breakfast
- Boat Tour of Garda Lake
- Winery Visit in Franciacorta with Sommelier
- Day Trip in Venice
- Cooking Class (for non Golfers)
- Tour of 3 Tuscan wineries including Montepulciano with a Sommelier guide
- Tour of Florence (for non Golfers)
- Day Trip in Parma
- 4-nights at Chervo Golf Resort, 3-nights in Florence and 1-night in Parma, all at 4-star properties
- 3-rounds of golf
- Luxury van with concierge driver
- Amenities included in price: winery tours, Sommelier, boat tour of Lake Garda, tour of Florence, spa day at Chervo, Tuscan cooking class, train ticket to Venice
- Dinners not included

## Chervò Golf Hotel Spa & Resort San Vigilio

Between the provinces of Brescia and Verona, in the countryside south of Lake Garda near the San Martino della Battaglia tower, stands the Chervò Golf San Vigilio.

A course with 27 holes divided into three paths respectively Benaco, Solferino and San Martino, and the latter an additional 9-hole executive course specifically designed for novice players, and to improve the ability to play short of experienced players.

Route Starting from Championship and Gold, creating a circuit able to leverage its rich natural and historic Abbey of San Vigilio.



With 6775 meters in length when fully extended from the tee "Gold Championship" of 5070 meters from the tee and the "Ladies" with other departures, the route is able to provide the utmost care to the most experienced golfer as well as the most fun for neophytes.

In 2020 it hosted the 77th Italian Open, one of the stages of the Rolex Series in Europe.





The water hazards, the greens well protected by bunkers strategically placed, crossprofile articulated surrounded by large rough, in addition to the variable of the possible combinations of the round of 18 holes for three different starts, are able to provide a gaming experience always different.

To complete the circuit, a large and long driving range with the possibility of dual use and then practice with the grass in the north and with 11 covered and 15 uncovered in the south front of the clubhouse.

This prestigious golf course always offers the opportunity to hire equipment, golf carts, hand trucks and electric.



When you enter the Club House, you will feel immediately wrapped in elegance and sophistication.

Located in such a way to have a panoramic view of the golf course and the entire resort, it has a wonderful outdoor terrace where you can relax. The external architecture respects the natural environment even in dimensions that have all been designed to guarantee the highest customer service.

The spacious lobby, structured on 2 floors, houses an imposing fireplace and hosts the reception in addition to the San Vigilio Restaurant available to all resort guests and external customers.





## Royal Golf La Bagnaia

Finally opened 18 holes of pure emotion! The Royal Golf La Bagnaia Course is the first Tuscan, 18 holes designed by renowned architect Robert Trent Jones, Jr. It is a Par 71, which is 6,101 metres long, covering an area of 1300 hectares, perfectly harmonized within the gently rolling hills of Siena.

The Tuscan landscape is a typical example of Inland Links, which refer to the Scottish Highlands with the "Rough" that waves in the wind.

The course is enhanced by beautiful lakes and a majestic Club House, where you can enjoy a unique view on all 18 holes and the towers of Siena.

Playing on this course is made unique and exciting not just thanks to the mastery of Trent Jones, but also to the incredible views across nature and the medieval city of Siena that are available from every hole.

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The Royal Golf La Bagnaia, Siena in Tuscany, offers fans of this sport an 18-hole course designed over 130 hectares of wooded hills and relaxing landscape.

The prestigious project was designed by renowned golf architect Robert Trent Jones Jr. and skilfully created to blend with the ancient melody of the surrounding area. La Bagnaia Resort has risen to the top in Tuscany golfing circles and offers you one of the most interesting golf courses in Italy.

Royal Golf La Bagnaia's relationship with IMG ensures that we not only operate to the highest international standards and offer world class facilities, but also allows us to leverage their international profile and expertise to ensure the club receives the global recognition it deserves.

Members at each participating club are entitled to preferred access, special rates, discounts, benefits and privileges offered by our partners and other clubs in the network through the IMG Prestige Concierge.





## Castelfalfi Golf Club

At Castelfalfi, nature, wellness and sport combine in the largest golf course in Tuscany: over 9,400 meters of fairways bordered by groves and olive trees, forming the perfect setting for your swing. Thanks to the architects Preißmann and Moroder, who have enhanced the beauty of its landscape, the 27-hole layout is now divided into two spectacular courses that throw down the gauntlet to the most expert players but also guarantee an enjoyable experience to passionate beginners.



Castelfalfi is a jewel set in the heart of Tuscany, a land that is historically rich in art, beauty, and culinary traditions. Its village, the Borgo, is framed by the natural wonder of its green hills, surrounded by kilometers of vineyards and olive groves, warm sun and a light breeze. Castelfalfi is the perfect destination for those who want to get away from the bustle of life, for those who want a marvelous interlude of pleasure but also for those looking for a more relaxed and peaceful lifestyle. Whatever your idea of a holiday looks like, full of activities or just doing nothing, staying in the village of Castelfalfi will fulfill your every desire.



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Respect and love for nature are essential aspects in this sport and the Golf Club Castelfalfi has always been committed to preserving its most precious asset: the landscape that welcomes it. The recovery of rainwater for irrigation and our eco-friendly maintenance techniques are just some of the actions that have granted us the GEO Certified™ eco-label, an international guarantee of high-quality sport.





## Franciacorta terroir : history and passion for wine

The cultivation of vines has ancient origins on the hills of Franciacorta, as evidenced by the findings of prehistoric grape seed and the writings of classical authors such as Pliny, Columella and Virgil.

Rich archaeological material dating from prehistoric times, such as the remains of stilt house foundations found in the bogs of Sebino, reveal how primitive populations settled here and gradually took over from the Cenomani Gauls, the Romans and the Lombards.

Vine cultivation has been a constant in Franciacorta, where grapes were grown from Roman times to late antiquity and the Middle Ages, thanks to its favourable climatic and soil conditions.

Enjoy the food and wine of the area is the time to complete the quality of a holiday, whether short or long.

Each area of our country offers wines and typical foods that vary further according to the seasons, also the location in the hills gives equal access to agricultural products of the plain to the south and the mountain behind us. There really is something for everyone. Our aim is to allow guests to get to know some of the most representative producers, both of wine and other specialties and taste together their products.

According to the established program, there will be a tasting dinner with pairings designed together with producers and restaurateurs to share with guests a complete proposal.



## Lake Iseo and Franciacorta

The perfect harmony hides in the morainic basin overlooking Lake Iseo.

It was a certain Doctor Conforti, who in 1500, defined the wines of this area as biting.

In June of 2016, the artist Christo brought his visionary concept to the lake, transforming the territory with The Floating Piers, an installation that brought millions to the small area.

When the event came to an end, the stunning landscapes and the wines they produce remained, such as the Franciacorta cultivated along the slightly inclined terraces.



## Welcome to the Enchanting Beauty of Lake Garda: Where Dreams Meet Reality

Step into a world of mesmerizing landscapes, sparkling waters, and boundless adventure. Welcome to the breathtaking realm of Lake Garda, an enchanting destination that effortlessly captures the essence of natural wonder and tranquil charm.

Imagine waking up to the soft embrace of a sunrise painting the lake's surface in shades of gold. With its crystal-clear waters surrounded by lush hills and picturesque towns, Lake Garda is not just a destination; it's an experience that ignites your senses and soothes your soul.

Explore the vibrant promenades that line the shores, where laughter and the aroma of Italian cuisine fill the air. Wander through quaint villages and lose yourself in the narrow streets that tell stories of centuries past. The lake's beauty is mirrored in the smiles of its people, ever ready to share their culture and warmth with those who seek to discover its secrets.



For the adventurer at heart, the lake offers an array of water sports that promise thrills and laughter. From windsurfing to sailing, the clear waters are your playground. If tranquility is what you seek, find solace in a leisurely boat ride, letting the gentle waves rock you into a state of pure relaxation.

The vineyards and olive groves that surround the lake produce wines and oils that tantalize the palate. Savor the tastes of the region, where culinary traditions blend with modern creativity to create unforgettable dining experiences. And as the day melts into dusk, witness the lake transform into a canvas of colors as the sun sets over its serene expanse.

Lake Garda isn't just a place; it's a feeling. It's the magic of watching the stars dance on the water's surface, the delight of discovering hidden coves, and the thrill of exploration that fuels your spirit. It's the warm embrace of a destination that invites you to leave behind the ordinary and embrace the extraordinary.

So, come. Immerse yourself in the beauty, adventure, and wonder of Lake Garda. Let its landscapes whisper tales of old and its waters awaken your senses. Your journey begins here, where dreams meet reality, and every moment is a memory waiting to be made.





## Explore the Eternal Charms of Venice: A Fusion of Elegance and History

Welcome to Venice, a city that defies time and expectation. This mesmerizing marvel, poised on a network of canals, is a true testament to human creativity and endurance. As you traverse its narrow alleys and iconic bridges, you'll uncover layers of history that span centuries.

Venice's architectural splendors, from the intricate details of St. Mark's Basilica to the regal opulence of the Doge's Palace, tell stories of a bygone era. Admire the masterful artistry of Venetian craftsmen, whose works have shaped the city's character.

Delight in the vibrant tapestry of daily life at bustling markets, where the colors and aromas of fresh produce and local crafts fill the air. And let's not forget the culinary journey – savor delectable Venetian cuisine, a fusion of sea and land, as you dine at charming trattorias.

Amidst the romance of the Grand Canal and the timeless allure of Piazza San Marco, the gondoliers' songs serenade you on their graceful boats. Venice is not just a place; it's a living canvas of art, a treasure trove of history, and a testament to the harmonious blend of nature and human ingenuity.

In Venice, each step unveils another layer of its intricate history and culture. Allow yourself to be captivated by its mysterious charm, let its hidden corners enthrall you, and allow its timeless beauty to weave its magic around you. Venice is an invitation to immerse yourself in an experience that transcends time, an encounter with the essence of a city that has captivated hearts for centuries.





## Experience Florence: A Renaissance Gem of Art and Culture

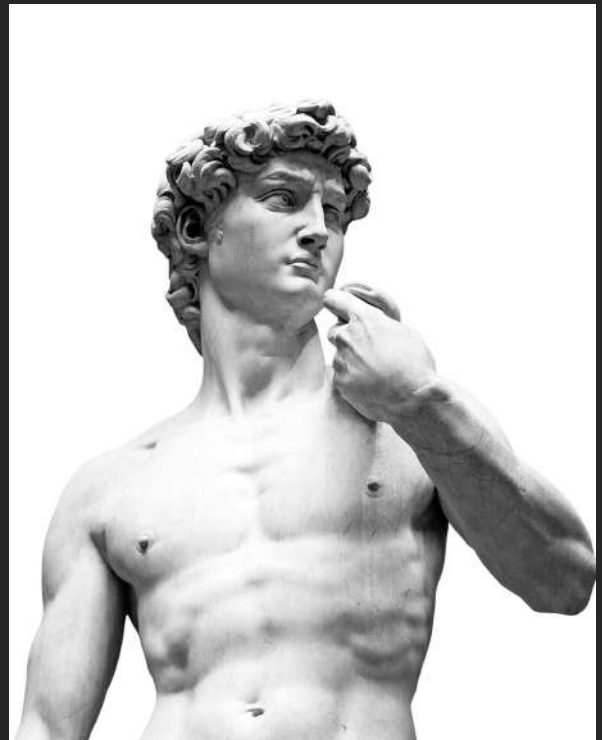
Step into the enchanting embrace of Florence, a city that breathes life into history and art. This jewel of Tuscany is a living testament to the Renaissance, where every stone tells a story of human creativity and cultural evolution.

Marvel at the stunning dome of the Florence Cathedral, the iconic Duomo, an architectural marvel that continues to awe with its grandeur. As you stroll through the streets, you'll encounter masterpieces at every turn – from the exquisite sculptures of Michelangelo's David to Botticelli's ethereal Birth of Venus.

Indulge your senses at the Uffizi Gallery, where world-renowned works by the likes of Leonardo da Vinci and Raphael await your admiration. Traverse the medieval lanes of the Oltrarno district, where artisan workshops carry on centuries-old traditions, and the Arno River reflects the city's romantic allure.

Food lovers will relish the gastronomic delights Florence offers, from traditional trattorias serving ribollita and bistecca alla fiorentina to gelaterias with a rainbow of flavors. Sip on a rich Chianti wine as the sun sets over the Ponte Vecchio, casting golden hues on the river's surface.

Florence isn't merely a city; it's a journey through time, a passage into the minds of brilliant artists, architects, and thinkers who transformed the world. Here, the past and present entwine, inviting you to experience a living canvas of artistry and culture. Florence is an invitation to be enchanted by the echoes of history and the vibrancy of modern life, all in the embrace of a city that continues to inspire and captivate.





## DISCOVERING CHIANTI CLASSICO (full day tour)

Explore Chianti region, visit wineries and enjoy Chianti Classico wines.

Sommelier Fabio (a local wine expert) will introduce you to the region of Chianti, its landscape and the wines that are produced. He will pick for you at least 2 significant wineries in different communes to taste their wines and experience yourself the variance of style among Chianti wines according to the territory. You will have the possibility to buy wines that match your taste and benefit of the advice of Fabio (the local wine expert) about bargains or relevant labels. You will have a local lunch at a winery or restaurant, enjoying typical food.



### Fabio Ceccarelli - Somellier

Born and raised in Tuscany, I've always been into food and wine and decided to become a sommelier. In a few years, I transformed my passion into a job.

I have several professional partnerships. I work with a part-time contract to promote Italian wines at the Airport of Florence's main shop. I use to hold lessons about wine and wine pairing to Italian students in Tuscany. I teach "Wines of Italy" to foreign students at an International Institute in Florence. I also cooperate with tour operators to create wine tours in Tuscany.

I am a contributor to Sommelier Toscana magazine and I am a regional editor of the annual wine book VITAE (published by the Italian Sommelier Association). I use to taste professionally 1000 wines per year.

I also obtained the Level 3 Award in Wines of the WSET and the suitability award to become an extra-virgin olive oil taster.



## Explore Parma: Where Culinary Excellence Meets Historical Charm

Step into the enchanting world of Parma, where every corner reveals a blend of culinary excellence and historical grandeur. Renowned as the birthplace of Parmigiano Reggiano cheese and the illustrious Prosciutto di Parma, this city beckons food enthusiasts to indulge in the finest flavors Italy has to offer.

As you wander through Parma's medieval streets, you'll find yourself surrounded by an atmosphere that seamlessly merges the past with the present. The impressive Parma Cathedral, with its elegant façade and ornate details, stands as a testament to the city's rich heritage. Don't miss the remarkable Baptistry, a true architectural gem adorned with captivating sculptures.

Immerse yourself in Parma's artistic legacy as you explore the frescoes by Correggio within the stunning San Giovanni Evangelista Church. Venture into lush parks and gardens, where tranquility prevails and history whispers through the rustling leaves.

However, it's the culinary scene that truly sets Parma apart. Savor delectable local dishes, from freshly-made pasta to cured meats, as you dine in charming trattorias that capture the essence of Italian tradition. The city's vibrant markets burst with colors, fragrances, and flavors that evoke the heart of its culture.

Parma is more than a destination; it's an invitation to discover the symphony of flavors that resonate in every bite and the timeless beauty that graces every architectural detail. Whether you're an epicurean explorer or a history enthusiast, Parma's allure will capture your heart and leave you with memories to savor long after your visit.





# PROGRAM

## - Day 1

Arrive in Milan

Boat tour of Lake Garda

Dinner at resort

Overnight at Chervo' Golf Resort

## - Day 2

Winery Tour in Franciacorta with Sommelier

Dinner on Lake Garda

Overnight at Chervo' Golf Resort

## - Day 3

Golf at Chervo' Golf Resort

Non-golfers : Spa day

Dinner in Limone (or nearby)

Overnight at Chervo' Golf Resort

## - Day 4

Day trip via train to Venice

Dinner in Venice

Overnight at Chervo' Golf Resort

## - Day 5

Drive to Tuscany

Golf at Castelfalfi GC

Non-golfers : Tuscan cooking class

Dinner in Florence

Overnight in Florence

## - Day 6

Tour of 3 Tuscan wineries including Montepulciano with a Sommelier guide

Dinner in Montepulciano

Overnight in Florence

## - Day 7

Golf at "Royal Golf La Bagnaia"

Non-golfers : Tour of Florence

Dinner near hotel

Overnight in Florence

## - Day 8

Drive to Parma

Explore the beautiful city of Parma

Final night dinner in Parrma

Overnight in Parma

## - Day 9

Depart from Milan



# Terms and conditions

## INCLUSIONS

- Private transfers with Mercedes VAN
- City visits with Private Guide
- Guest support 24h
- Breakfast included in all the hotels
- Green fees

## PACKAGE EXCLUSION

- Airfare
- Meals and Beverages if not specified in the program.
- Items of personal nature.
- Optional Green fees & Buggies
- Travel Insurance.
- Gratuities
- Tourist taxes per person to be paid at the hotel
- All items not included in the inclusions

The choice of the locations and any variations to the program are made by the management/organisation depending on the relative availability and/or in the event of bad weather conditions.

The program may be subject to change due to organisational logistics.

Please let us know if you suffer from allergies, intolerances or any other major medical conditions or follow any particular dietary regimes (vegetarian, vegan, etc.)

All the I4G Experiences have been conceived by Italy4golf yet are developed and managed by selected local tour operators to make sure you get the most out of your golfing holiday.

## Booking & Payment (to be confirmed )

Booking Confirmation by payment of 20% of the amount.  
Balance Within maximum 30 days from the beginning of the stay.

Cancellation Fees	Up to 30 days	no Fee
	From day 30 to 15	50%
	From day 14	100%

## Operating Partner

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Royal Links Golf Tours has partnered with Italy4Golf to create an unforgettable couple's golf experience to Italy. Our two companies share the same ethos that golf trips should be more than just golf and that the real magic happens off the fairways. That is why we have curated an amazing tour of Italy with championship golf included. You will travel through Tuscany and experience vineyards, museums, tours and shopping before venturing south to experience Italy's "eternal city", Rome. While in Rome, beyond all of the cultural variety available to you, we have arranged tee times on the venue for the 2023 Ryder Cup at Marco Simone Golf Resort.

Italy4Golf is an innovative golf tour designer based in Italy that has established a network of golf clubs, hotel facilities, wineries, restaurants and other Italian cultural tours designed to completely delight and amaze foreign golf tourists.

Royal Links Golf Tours is a US based golf tour operator that builds unforgettable golf and cultural experiences for the discerning golf traveler. We pride ourselves on creating and delivering once-in-a-lifetime golf travel experiences in Europe.


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