

# Special Bike-Tours 2019

the Isle of Elba and the Tuscan Archipelago



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## Dear Bikers,

Napoleon T.O., leader in the field of organization of tourist groups, is pleased to submit to your attention the new catalogue "special bike tours 2019".

We have formulated specifically for bicycle and nature lovers , some programs on one of the most beautiful and interesting Italian destinations: the isle of Elba and the other islands of the Tuscan archipelago.

Just riding your own mountain bike, going through the paths that wind in the vegetation, you can really understand the deepest soul of our territory. Hidden beauties will unfold in the Mediterranean vegetation, typical of our Islands, which is particularly brilliant in the spring months when the gorse and Cistus are in flower. What's more surprising when, reached on a hill, you can stop to rest and enjoy at the same time a beautiful panorama!!.

Each tour is treated and studied in every detail and at the same time structured so that it could be customized and adapted to your own needs.

Due to our long term experience in the industry, we work with fixed place on the island of Elba from 1984 with a staff of approx. 40 collaborators and, thanks to the careful selection of our suppliers (hotels, guides, excellent restaurants and reliable shipping companies), we are able to guarantee excellent service and a good price/quality ratio.

In fact, we believe that choosing a tourist proposal should not always be determined by lowest price, but rather by the quality of supply and by ensuring timely and reliable support during all the trip, with specialized staff and always available, going so in addition to purely organisational aspect of the tour.

Hoping that our proposals are of your satisfaction, we remain at your disposal for further information and/or explanation. We will answer immediately to your requests!

Kind regards,

#### NAPOLEON TOUR OPERATOR

Our programming groups that began from Elba has now expanded to include the Tuscan Coast, Versilia to Maremma, the Giglio island and Sardinia.

## Island of Elba

3 days on the Island of Elba

4 days on the Island of Elba

Trekking on the Islands of Elba and Pianosa, 4 days

Short cruise of the Tuscan archipel, 4 days

Tour Cinque Terre and Island of Elba, 4 days

Tour Island of Elba and Giglio Island, 4 days

3 days on Giglio Island

Trekking on Giglio island, 3 days

Great tastes of Elba, 3 days

Climatic stays ....and not only, 8/15 days

## Sardinia

Classic Sardinia, 7 days

The Northen colours, 3 days

The Southern colours, 4 days

The anicient tradiction of Sardinia, 4 days

Magic Sardinia, 5 days

The flavours of Sardinia

Climatic stays in Sardinia....and not only, 8/15 days

## Tuscany

Classic Tuscany, 3 days

Cinque terre, 3 days

Beautiful Tuscany, 3 days

Magic Garfagnana, 3 days

Castles and Churches, 3 days

Colours of Tuscany, 3 days

The "Chianti" region, 3 days

Maremma and Island of Giglio, 3 days

Trekking the "val d'Orcia", 3 days

Delicious Tuscany, 3 days

Climatic stays in Versilia ....and not only, 8/15 days

Do not forget the advantages that our industry-leading organization can ensure to your clients and in mutual interest

ask us for a quote!

and the Isle of Giglio



## Isle of Elba



4 days (3 nights) minimum 25 persons

Price per person
4 days package starting from:
170,50

## Program

#### 1<sup>st</sup> DAY: PIOMBINO/PORTOFERRAIO

Arrival of your group in the early afternoon or evening at the port of Piombino. Beginning of the services. Withdrawal of maritime ticket at the ticket office Moby Lines inside the Stazione Marittima. Boarding of your coach and passengers and departure for the island of Elba. After about an hour, arrival in Portoferraio. Landing operations and meeting with our assistant, who will deliver the documents. Accommodation of the at the hotel in the area of Porto Azzurro or Capoliveri, dinner and overnight.

Length: 25/30 KM (depending on location)-difficulty: EASY After breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the first excursion by mountain bike. Departure to Rio Marina, via Porto Azzurro. The excursion runs along the colored paths of iron mines of Rio Marina and Cavo. The routes within the ancient mines allow the group to grasp the various aspects related to the world of Elba's iron and the close connection between minerals and humans. Along the way the guide will illustrate the mineralogical variety and the different extractive techniques used in various periods. You will cross the main fileds of the mine of Rio Marina along the roads once used to transport the extracted minerals. The route connects the various fields of the mine: the Bacino's field that is located north-west of the village of Rio Marina, the field of Jupiter's Valley that is placed on the slopes of Monte Giove, the Falcacci's field located to the south-west of Jupiter 's one and finally the Conche's field. Packet-lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY: CAPOLIVERI

Length: 20/25 KM (depending on location)- difficulty AVERAGE After breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for a second excursion in mountain biking. Departure for Capoliveri. The route begins from Piazza del Cavatore (164 metres above sea level), along the old road that leads to the mines, which is paved for approximately 1 km and then becomes unpaved. The panorama that will open to the view is unique and picturesque: surranded by the blue of the sea and immersed in nature you will breathe the fragrance and scents of broom and you can admire the colors of the Mediterranean maquis. The route runs along almost the entire Mount "Calamita". At the bottom of the Valley can be seen the coves of Morcone, Pareti and Innamorata with its islets of Gemini and the Stella Gulf. On a clear day will be visible also the islands of Pianosa, Montecristo, Giglio and Giannutri, and, to complete the postcard, the Corsica as background. You will reach the Palace of the Mines of Mount Calamita where due to the massive presence of iron ore, the color of the land changes from brown to red brown. It continues up to the farm of Ripalte (217 m above sea level). Now you must follow the path right to the Ginevro, near the stables, on the eastern side. On the horizon you will see the "mainland" and from the top you will see the beach of Stagnone, Capo Calvo, the pond of the Sassi Neri. The route continues with an alternation of up-and-down towards Straccoligno, along the beaches of Buzzancone, Calanova, Calagrande, Ferrato and Straccoligno, easy to reach. Stop at the ancient Spanish fortress of Fort Focardo, site of a lighthouse located right in front of Porto Azzurro. from here, passing along the beach of Naregno you reach again the provincial road. Packet-lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

## SPECIAL ROUTES **MOUNTAIN-BIKE**

The iron mines Rio Marina, Capoliveri and Porto Azzurro

## Prices include

- Return ticket for bus + passengers. Assistance at your arrival on to the port of Portoferraio.
- Welcome drink at the hotel.
- N.03 days full board treatment from dinner on 1st day untill lunch on 4th day with accommodation in 3 star hotel "Elba bike hotels quality" in Capoliveri area or PortoAzzurro.
- Accommodation in double-rooms with private facilities. Dinner's menues are a choose between meat and fish. Lunches on 2nd and 3rd days per program requirements are foreseen with packet-lunch provided by the Hotel.
- Guide service in mountain-bike, as in program and assistance during
- Entrance to Rio Marina mineral Park.
- Information material about Elba Island for the tour leader.
- One person free each 25 paying persons.

## Additional services on request

- Bicycle rental for the duration of their stay.
- Entrances under the programme.
- Drinks.
- Extra lunch in hotel with a choice of menus.
- Extra lunch in a restaurant.
- Medical and baggage insurance "NAVALE S.O.S."



#### 4<sup>st</sup> DAY: PORTO AZZURRO

After breakfast, meeting with the tourist guide and departure by bus to Porto Azzurro. Outside the village you can visit "LA PICCOLA MINIERA" (to be reserved) with its laboratory of minerals and semiprecious stones, the Etruscan mineral Museum and the reconstruction of aElba's typical mine, where through a path underground on the "mine's train" you can bring back to life a cross-section of the life of a miner. The faithfully reconstructed path view ancient machinery, historical artifacts, minerals etc. You will also receive a little beautiful gift to all participants. Continuation of the visit walking through the historic centre of the beautiful village characterised by a beautiful promenade and dominated by the Spanish fortress of St. James, today turned into a penitentiary. Transfer to the farm "SAPERETA" in Mola, where it will be possible to taste D.O.C. wines for free and typical products of Elba. A gift will be offer to the tourleader. Return to the Hotel for lunch. In the afternoon transfer to the port of Portoferraio, boarding of your bus and passengers on the reserved shipping company and departure to Piombino. End of services

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## Isle of Elba



4 days (3 nights) minimum 25 persons

Price per person 4 days package starting from:

173,00

## Program

#### 1<sup>st</sup> DAY: PIOMBINO/PORTOFERRAIO

Arrival of your group in the early afternoon or evening at the port of Piombino. Beginning of the services. Withdrawal of maritime ticket at the ticket office Moby Lines inside the Stazione Marittima. Boarding of your coach and passengers and departure for the island of Elba. After about an hour, arrival in Portoferraio. Landing operations and meeting with our assistant, who will deliver the documents. Accommodation of the at the hotel in the area of Capoliveri/Maregnoi, dinner and overnight.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY: MONTE CALAMITA AND THE GINEVRO MINE

LUNGHEZZA: 25/30 KM (in base all'ubicazione dell'hotel)- DIFFICOLTA': MEDIA Dopo la prima colazione incontro con la guida e partenza per la prima escursione in mountain-bike. Partenza per Capoliveri. Il percorso inizia dalla Piazza del Cavatore (mt.164 slm), lungo la vecchia strada che porta alle miniere, che asfaltata per circa 1 km diventa poi sterrata. Il panorama che si apre alla vista è unico e pittoresco: nella cornice blu del mare ed immersi nella natura si respirano le fragranze e profumi delle ginestre e si ammirano i colori della macchia mediterranea in fiore. Il percorso costeggia quasi tutto il Monte "Calamita". A fondo valle si possono ammirare le cale di Morcone, Pareti, ed Innamorata con i suoi isolotti delle Gemini e il Golfo Stella. Nelle giornate limpide saranno visibili anche le isole di Pianosa, Montecristo, Giannutri e Giglio, con lo sfondo della Corsica a completamento della cartolina. Si raggiunge Il Palazzo del compendio minerario del Monte Calamita, dove per la massiccia presenza di minerali ferrosi i colori cambiano passando dal marrone al rosso bruno. Si prosegue quindi fino a alla fattoria delle Ripalte (mt. 217 slm). Discesa al Cantiere Minerario del vallone sede del Museo della Vecchia Officina. Visita del Museo e successivamente escursione nella galleria del Ginevro. Pranzo al sacco con cestino fornito dall'hotel. Nel pomeriggio rientro in hotel, cena e pernottamento.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY:: capoliveri," ripa east"

LENGTH: 18/25 KM (DEPENDING ON LOCATION)-DIFFICULTY: MEDIUM After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the second excursion in mountain bike. Departure for Capoliveri. The route begins from "Piazza del Cavatore" and takes its name from its location on the East side of Mount Calamita overlooking the Tuscan Maremma Coast until the promontory of Argentario. Climb up to Pinocchiello, on the tar ramps to the crossroad of "Cavallacce". Then you proceed left along the dirt road up to "Saglione" where you can admire the wonderful panorama overviewing the harbour of Porto Azzurro, St. James Fortres, Capo delle Cannelle, Rio nell'Elba, Portoferraio, Stella Gulf and close-up Capo Perla with the Lighthouse of Focardo Fort, all framed by the beautiful sight of the three seas. Then, crossing Stelli and swooping down to the fire breack of Feccia, the route goes up to the section that bears directly on the top of Calamita Mount where you can see wild boars, hares, pheasants and redheads partridges who live freely within the Park. Continue left towards "Poggio di Fino", "Serrone delle Rose", "Torricelle" and the forest rangers' old shed . In springtime the landscape is characterized by the wild mimosa's intense yellow blooms. Then when reached the farm of Ripalte, the route continues down near the riding stables in the direction of "Calanova" with an increase of ample curves and against dirt curves well beaten

### **SPECIAL ROUTES** MOUNTAIN-BIKE

The district of the Calamita mount, the Ginevro mine and Capoliveri

## Prices include

- Return ticket for bus + passengers.
- Assistance at your arrival on to the port of Portoferraio.
- Welcome drink at the hotel.
- N.03 days full board treatment from dinner on 1st day untill lunch on 4th day with accommodation in 3 star hotel "Elba bike hotels quality" in Capoliveri / Naregno area.
- Accommodation in double-rooms with private facilities. Dinner's menues are a choose between meat and fish. Lunches on 2nd and 3rd days per program requirements are foreseen with packet-lunch provided by the Hotel.
- Guide service in mountain-bike, as in program and assistance during the tour.
- Entrance to Museo della vecchia Officina ed alla Galleria del Ginevro.
- I.V.A.
- Information material about Elba Island for the tour leader.
- One person free each 25 paying persons.

## Additional services on request

- Bicycle rental for the duration of their stay.
- Entrances under the programme.
- Drinks.
- Extra lunch in hotel with a choice of menus.
- Extra lunch in a restaurant.
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After a series of ups and downs, take on the left the stretch leading to the old ruin "Poldi" along about 1 km, which relates to the homonymous Street, through a dense thicket, in autumn, local destination for mushrooms' pickers. Proceed down headfirst to the junction of "Capo Perla", then on the municipal road of Straccoligno towards Capoliveri. Packet lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### 4<sup>st</sup> DAY: CAPOLIVERI

After breakfast, free time to relax on the beautiful square of the picturesque village of Capoliveri. The more daring, can try in the path of the legendary World Cup of 1994, along a challenging path of about 10,2 km. Return to the hotel for lunch. In the afternoon transfer to the port of Portoferraio, boarding of your bus and passengers with the reserved shipping company and departure to Piombino. End of services.

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## Isle of Elba



4 days (3 nights) minimum 25 persons

Price per person 4 days package starting from: 169,50

## Program

#### 1<sup>st</sup> DAY: PIOMBINO/PORTOFERRAIO

Arrival of your group in the early afternoon or evening at the port of Piombino. Beginning of the services. Withdrawal of maritime ticket at the ticket office Moby Lines inside the Stazione Marittima. Boarding of your coach and passengers and departure for the island of Elba. After about an hour, arrival in Portoferraio. Landing operations and meeting with our assistant, who will deliver the documents. Accommodation of the at the hotel in the area of Marina di Campo/Procchio, dinner and overnight.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup>DAY: COSTA OCCIDENTALE

LENGTH: 65 KM (PROVINCIAL ROAD)-DIFFICULTY: MEDIUM

After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the first excursion by mountain bike. Starting off in the direction of Marina di Campo/Cavoli, the tour covers the provincial road along the West Coast. You can admire the stunning natural beauty and landscape of our island, with stops along the way, according to the following route: Cavoli, Seccheto and Fetovaia Pomonte, Chiessi Sant'Andrea, Marciana, Poggio. Descent towards Marciana Marina. Stop on the quayside of the pretty Marina, dominated by the Pisana Tower, dated back to the XII century. If interested, participants can visit the craft workshop "Perfumes of Elba", where perfumes and essences are made with plants and flowers exclusively from Elba. Return to Marina di Campo, on the way to Paolina Reef, Procchio, Marmi, Airport. Those interested can visit the Aquarium of Elba (\*) in the surroundings of Marina di Campo: one of the most complete Mediterranean Aquarium in Italy, where, in 50 tanks, are living over 150 species of animals and marine organisms. Packet lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY: SANT'ILARIO-MARCIANA-POGGIO-MONTE PERONE

LENGTH: 26/30 KM (DEPENDING ON LOCATION)-AVERAGE DIFFICULTIES After the reakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the second excursion by mountain bike. Transfer to Sant'llario along the provincial road. Starting from the beautiful fountain square in Sant'llario, the tour proceeds along the dirt road on the right side of the football field and until the junction with the road of "Buon Consiglio". After a short stretch of asphalted road, begins a paved path surrounded by beautiful ferns. Crossed a small stone bridge, the trail ends at the beginning of the medieval village of Poggio. Short break to quench your thirst with Napoleon's source. Continue along a short stretch of asphalted road up to Marciana. Cycling up to the upper side of the village and after going along the splendid fortress of 1200, the route connects to the forest track (trail Cai, n. 6), to the fresh air of pine and chestnut trees that crosses the Pedalta Valley. Continue until you reach the Hermitage of San Cerbone, dated back to Benedictine age. Left the Hermitage, a quick descent brings close to Hill, from where you enter in the asphalted road towards Monte Perone. Al termine della salita il percorso rientra in un bel sentiero in discesa te At the end of the path, the route becomes a technical downhill trail and full of bumps, from which it is possible to admire the island in all its splendor. On clear days you can see the islands of Pianosa, Montecristo and Giglio. Return to the picturesque village of s.

### **SPECIAL ROUTES** MOUNTAIN-BIKE

Between sky and sea along the West coast

## Prices include

- Return ticket for bus + passengers.
- Assistance at your arrival on to the port of Portoferraio.
- Welcome drink at the hotel.
- N.03 days full board treatment from dinner on 1st day untill lunch on 4th day with accommodation in 3 star hotel "Elba bike hotels quality" in Marina di Campo area.
- Accommodation in double-rooms with private facilities. Dinner's menues are a choose between meat and fish. Lunches on 2nd and 3rd per program requirements are foreseen with packet-lunch provided by the Hotel.
- Guide service in mountain-bike, as in program and assistance during the tour.
- Information material about Elba Island for the tour leader.
- One person free each 25 paying persons.

## Additional services on request

- Bicycle rental for the duration of their stay.
- Entrances under the programme.
- Drinks
- Extra lunch in hotel with a choice of menus.
- Extra lunch in a restaurant.

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#### 4<sup>th</sup> DAY: MARINA DI CAMPO-LACONA

LENGTH: CA. 27 KM - DIFFICULTY: DIFFICULT

After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the third excursion by mountain bike. From Marina di Campo along the asphalted road you reach the Valley of Literno. Follow the dirt road shaded until the junktion of Le Picchiaie and with a short but steep climb to reach the Mount Orello. The route proceeds along a very scenic downhill spectacular views South towards Capo Stella and Lacona Gulf, then to return to the sea level. Along the way you can spot some bunkers dating back to the last war. After a brief level stretch in Lacona, break in Laconella Beach a beautiful Sandy Bay characterized by its green serpentine rocks. The excursion continues uphill on Mount Fonza until you reach the "Caprile", an shepherds' ancient shelter built with limestone. Una discesa ripida ma facile conduce con scorci panoramici mozzafiato, fin sopra il Golfo di Fonza. A steep but easy descent leads with breathtaking, panoramic views over the Gulf of Fonza. From here, after a short climb, starts the final stretch downhill until Segagnana, where rejoining the asphalted road, returns to Marina di Campo.

Return to the Hotel for lunch. In the afternoon transfer to the port of Portoferraio, boarding of your bus and passengers with the fixed shipping company and departure to Piombino. End of services.

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## Isle of Elba and Pianosa



4 days (3 nights) minimum 25 persons

Price per person 4 days package starting from: 219,50

## Program

#### 1<sup>st</sup> DAY: PIOMBINO/PORTOFERRAIO

Arrival of your group in the early afternoon or evening at the port of Piombino. Beginning of the services. Withdrawal of maritime ticket at the ticket office Moby Lines inside the Stazione Marittima. Boarding of your coach and passengers and departure for the island of Elba. After about an hour, arrival in Portoferraio. Landing operations and meeting with our assistant, who will deliver the documents. Accommodation of the at the hotel in the area of Marina di Campo/Procchio, dinner and overnight.

#### DAY: WEST COAST

LENGTH: 65 KM (PROVINCIAL ROAD)-DIFFICULTY: MEDIUM

After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the first excursion by mountain bike. Starting off in the direction of Marina di Campo/Cavoli, the tour covers the provincial road along the West Coast. You can admire the stunning natural beauty and landscape of our island, with stops along the way, according to the following route: Cavoli, Seccheto and Fetovaia Pomonte, Chiessi Sant'Andrea, Marciana, Poggio. Descent towards Marciana Marina. Stop on the quayside of the pretty Marina, dominated by the Pisana Tower, dated back to the XII century. If interested, participants can visit the craft workshop "Perfumes of Elba", where perfumes and essences are made with plants and flowers exclusively from Elba. Return to Marina di Campo, on the way to Paolina Reef, Procchio, Marmi, Airport. Those interested can visit the Aquarium of Elba (\*) in the surroundings of Marina di Campo: one of the most complete Mediterranean Aquarium in Italy, where, in 50 tanks, are living over 150 species of animals and marine organisms. Packet lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY: PIANOSA (max 20-25 bicycles per round)

After breakfast, transfer to Marina di Campo. Meeting with the guide and at 9.30 departure by boat to the island of Pianosa "the Devil's Island". After about 45 minutes by boat arrival on the island. Guided tour of the village, that now is deserted. Then, moving by bike inside the Island and visit to the facilities and culture, now abandoned, of the former agricultural colony, where it will be possible to meet numerous pheasants and red partridges, introduced on the island, when Pianosa was the hunting private reserve of the Grand Duke of Tuscany. While admiring the beautiful dry stone walls that characterize the island, you will reach the castle of the "Marchese", an elegant building constructed on the Northern side of the Island and used during its "fictional" past to multiple uses. The route continues along the Pianosina coast, where you can admire many seabirds. Continuing inland, always surrounded by the intense perfumes of the Mediterranean maquis and with the feeling of being able to reach walking both Elba and Corsica, given the utter lack of reliefs on the island, you will reach Cala Giovanna. After visiting the ruins of the Roman villa of Agrippa Postumus, grandson of Augustus Octavian first exiled to Pianosa, the excursion ends at the beach of Cala Giovanna, the only place where bathing is permitted in Pianosa. Time permitting visit the Teglia Fort, built at the behest of Napoleon, who tried to organise the island from an agricultural point of view during the 1800. Packet lunch provided by the Hotel. At the end of the excursion, boarding on the boat and return to Marina di Campo. Transfer to hotel, dinner and overnight.

### **SPECIAL ROUTES MOUNTAIN-BIKF**

the West Coast and the Devil's Island

## Prices include

- Return ticket for bus + passengers.
- Assistance at your arrival on to the port of Portoferraio.
- Welcome drink at the hotel.
- N.03 days full board treatment from dinner on 1st day untill lunch on 4th day with accommodation in 3 star hotel "Elba bike hotels quality" in Capoliveri /Naregno area.
- Accommodation in double-rooms with private facilities. Dinner's menues are a choose between meat and fish. Lunches on 2nd and 3rd per program requirements are foreseen with packet-lunch provided by the Hotel.
- Boat transfer to and from the island of Pianosa with authorized naturalistic Guide (a guide every 25 people required).
- Guide service in mountain-bike, as in program and assistance during
- IVA
- Information material about Elba Island for the tour leader.
- One person free each 25 paying persons.

## Additional services on request

- Bicycle rental for the duration of their stay.
- Entrances under the programme.
- Drinks.
- Extra lunch in hotel with a choice of menus.
- Extra lunch in a restaurant.
- Medical and baggage insurance "NAVALE S.O.S."



#### 4<sup>th</sup> DAY: MARINA DI CAMPO-LACONA

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## Grand tour of the Isle of Elba



7 days (6 nights) minimum 25 persons

Price per person 7 days package starting from:

283,00

## Program

#### 1<sup>st</sup> DAY: PIOMBINO/PORTOFERRAIO

Arrival of your group in the early afternoon or evening at the port of Piombino. Beginning of the services. Withdrawal of maritime ticket at the ticket office Moby Lines inside the Stazione Marittima. Boarding of your coach and passengers and departure for the island of Elba. After about an hour, arrival in Portoferraio. Landing operations and meeting with our assistant, who will deliver the documents. Accommodation of the group at the selected Hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY: MOUNT CAPANNELLO

50 KM LENGTH After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure to the first mountain bike tour, according to the following itinerary: leaving from Portoferraio, after about 14 Km you reach Bagnaia, located in the beautiful Gulf, on the opposite side of Portoferraio. Begin of the road to Nisporto. Then, accompanied by the sight of the entire Gulf and around the northern side of the island, proceed towards the "Eremo di Santa Caterina", transformed into a centre of cultural activity by German photographer Hans Berger. Break for lunch with packed lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon, start of the descent to Rio Elba, where it will be possible to stock up with some fresh water from the fountain in the characteristic square of the village. Continuation towards the loc. "La Croce", leaving behind the view of old mines and of the Tuscan Coast. Return downhill to Bagnaia and then follow the road to Portoferraio. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY: MONTE ORELLO

20 KM LENGTH After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for a second excursion by mountain bike, according to the following route: from Portoferraio and Joints in loc. San Giovanni, starts the panoramic route of the Colle Reciso. Going past the quarries of limestone and then those of stone, it will reach a dirt road: the "Colle del Vecchio Molino a vento". Through a forest of Oaks and enjoying the view on the Gulfs of Lacona and Stella, then reach the houses "Foresi" and then Lacona, a beautiful sandy beach. Going along the road of Pian dei Lari and Monte Orello, and paying attention to the change of scenery, the route goes through Loc. Le Picchiaie, toward Loc. Le Grotte where lie the ruins of an ancient Roman villa. Return to Portoferraio on the provincial road. Packet lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### 4<sup>th</sup> DAY: II MONUMENTO

LENGTH CA. 45 KM After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the third excursion by mountain bike, according to the following itinerary: leaving from Portoferraio, direction Procchio then turn to Val Carene. After crossing the Valley, short shooting on the way to Colle Reciso to take the dirt road which leads to Colle San Martino. From here the route leads into the road of Monumento, so named to indicate the Obelisk that it is possible to see along the way and that indicates the exact centre of the island. Ci s'immette poi sulla Costa della Segagnana. There, begin the coast of Segagnana, from where you reach Marina di Campo. Return to Portoferraio along the paved road. Packet lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

### SPECIAL ROUTES MOUNTAIN-BIKE

## Prices include

- Return ticket for bus + passengers.
- Assistance at your arrival on to the port of Portoferraio.
- Welcome drink at the hotel.
- N.07 days full board treatment from dinner on 1st day untill lunch on 7th day with accommodation in 3 star hotel "Elba bike hotels quality" in Capoliveri /Naregno area.
- Accommodation in double-rooms with private facilities. Dinner's menues are a choose between meat and fish. Lunches on 2nd and 3rd per program requirements are foreseen with packet-lunch provided by the Hotel.
- Guide service in mountain-bike, as in program and assistance during
- Information material about Elba Island for the tour leader.

## Additional services on request

- Bicycle rental for the duration of their stay.
- Entrances under the programme.
- Drinks.
- Extra lunch in hotel with a choice of menus.
- Extra lunch in a restaurant.
- Medical and baggage insurance "NAVALE S.O.S."
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5<sup>th</sup> DAY: SAN CERBONE LENGTH CA. 30 KM

After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the fourth excursion by mountain-bike, according to the following route: from Marina di Campo, go towards the small and characteristic old centre of Sant'llario. From here continue towards the small chapel of Santa Rita, surrounded by tall cypress trees. Then continue, direction Poggio a little village, nestled in the green forests of chestnut trees, with its picturesque small square from which can be appreciate a spectacular view from above on Marciana Marina. Reach the Church of San Cerbone, situated at the foot of Mount Capanne, and then from here the oldest Centre of the island: Marciana. Here begins the descent towards Marciana Marina, along the Civillina road. Return to Marina di Campo along the paved road to Procchio, Marmi. Packet lunch provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner

6<sup>th</sup> DAY: MONTE CALAMITA LENGTH CA. 40 KM After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure for the fifth mountain-biking trip, according to the following itinerary: leaving from Portoferraio, along the provincial road to Capoliveri, passing by Loc. Schiopparello, Acquabona, Buraccio and Mola. Continue along the Costa dei Gabbiani, surrounding the Calamita Mount and its iron mines open to the sky, until you reach the beach of Calanova. Pause before leaving for the ancient Spanish fortress: the Fort Focardo, site of a lighthouse located right in front of Porto Azzurro. Therefore, passing along the beach of Naregno, reach again the provincial road so that it is possible to limit the length of the path to be taken by bicycle to Porto Azzurro. Packet lunch with basket provided by the hotel. In the afternoon return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY: After breakfast transfer to Portoferraio's Harbour, boarding of your bus and passengers on the fixed shipping company and departure to Piombino. End of services

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## Maremma and Giglio



4 days (3 nights) minimum 25 persons

Price per person
4 days package starting from:

Euro

137,00

## Program

#### 1°DAY: PARCO REGIONALE DELLA MAREMMA

Arrival of your group late in the morning at Alberese for visiting the Maremma Park extending for ca. 25 km with a chain of hills that descend to the sea, sandy beaches and towering cliffs, surrounded by marshes, pinewoods, cultivated fields and pastures. The Park welcomes the visitor showing off its sweet side and at the same time wild: a contrast that awakens the pleasure to feel in a "paradise regained". Free lunch or lunch in a farmhouse based on typical products menu (if booked). In the afternoon transfer to the entrance of centre of Alberese, meeting with the Guide and start of the visit in this beautiful Natural Park. Cycling through the farm's road across the pasture area, it is possible to admire the herds of cows and Maremma's horses, who are living today in the wild. Continuing along the cycle track, the route reaches the impressive Ducal pine forest until it arrives to the Mouth of the river Ombrone. That allows to admire the pinewood and the marsh area that leads to the suggestive mouth of river, a typical example of coastal wetland. Return to Alberese. Group transfer at the chosen hotel, accommodation in reserved rooms, dinner and overnight.

2<sup>nd</sup> DAY: ISLE OF GIGLIO After breakfast, transfer to Porto Santo Stefano and boarding on the ferry to the island of Giglio. The navigation lasts an hour. Landing at Giglio Porto and meeting with the Guide, for a trip by bicycle along the provincial road to Giglio Campese, the most important tourist settlement on the island, with its beautiful sandy beach and the tower. Continuation of the excursion with a visit to Giglio Castello, medieval jewel with its charming narrow streets topped by arches. Packet lunch provided by the hotel or lunch in restaurant (if booked). In the afternoon downhill at Giglio Porto. Short visit of the small fishing village. Boarding on the ferry and return to Porto Santo Stefano. Return to the Hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### 3° GIORNO: ORBETELLO - EASTSIDE OF THE LAGOON

After the breakfast, meeting with the Guide and departure to Orbetello. The route starts in the direction of Porto Santo Stefano along the cycle path built on the road on the strip of land that separates the two lagoons, the West's Lagoon and the East's one. Beyond the dam, turn to Porto Ercole. After crossing the large car park, take the dirt road to the left up to the house of "Corpo Forestale dello Stato". Continue right on the dirt road in the heart of the "Tombolo della Feniglia" towards the lagoon. Continue riding always following the path and avoiding detours on the right. Reached the main road, turn left in front of the building of the "Corpo Forestale di Stato". The route becomes now on asphalt. Keeping left, pass the "Etruscan Tagliata" and turn right down the Hill (2 miles) to reach the promontory with the ruins and the archeological museum of "Cosa". Return back along the same road until the crossroads near the canal of the "Etruscan Tagliata". From here, turn right and, without going past the railway bridge, then turn left onto the street on which access is limited to pedestrians and cyclists. Passing the closed gate, then pedalling in total tranquility until the next gate along the way of "Camerette", where the route continues until a big crossroad onto the cycleway to Orbetello. Return to the hotel for lunch. End of services.

## SPECIAL ROUTES MOUNTAIN-BIKE

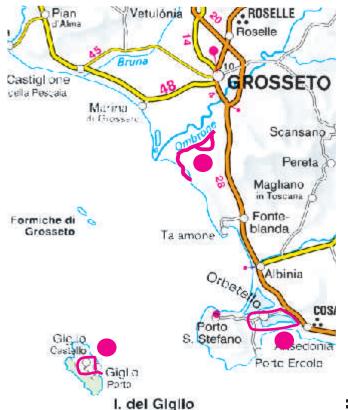
Maremma Park Isle of Giglio and Orbetello Lagoon

## Prices include

- N.02 days full board treatment from dinner on 1st day untill lunch on 3rd day with accommodation in 3 star hotel "bike hotels quality" in Maremma area.
- Accommodation in double-rooms with private facilities. Dinner's menues are a choose between meat and fish. Lunches on 2nd and 3rd days per program requirements are foreseen with packet-lunch provided by the Hotel.
- Return ticket for bicycle and passengers P. Santo Stefano/Giglio Island.
- Guide service in mountain-bike, as in program and assistance during the tour.
- IVA
- One person free each 25 paying persons.

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### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

If not differently agreed in writing, these following conditions are valid:

#### 1) APPLICABLE LEGISLATION - LIABILITY

Travel contracts are governed by Law no. 1084 dated 27 December 1977, ratified and implemented by the International Convention on travel Contracts (CCV) signed in Brussels on 23 April 1970 and as of 14 October 1995, by the Legislative Decree no. 111 dated 17 March 1995, in implementation of EEC Directive 314/90. The liability of NAPOLEON Tour Operator in its capacity of travel organizer (authorized by the Province of Livorno with resolution no. 126 dated 20 June 1997) with respect to travellers and their property is governed by the above laws, and in no case may exceed the limits foreseen by the said laws

#### 2) BOOKING AND PAYMENT

Bookings will be accepted until all available places are filled. They will be considered valid only if confirmation is immediately followed by a partial prepayment of 25% of the total cost of the vacation. The balance must be paid no later than 15 days before the starting date of the journey. In case the reservation was confirmed 2 weeks before the beginning of the stay the purchaser will pay the entire amount of the stay when documents are delivered. Every further agreement to this article 2 must be in writing agreed by both parties.

#### 2 A) PAYMENT CONDITION

The payments have to be owed in Euro. Checks can not be accepted. Banking expenses are purchaser's responsibility

#### 2B) SERVICES VARIATION

Variations or cancellation of the services described in the travel contract are accepted only if absolutely necessary, if not substantial and if they do not change the general character of the journey. Variation have always to be agreed in writing either they are demanded by NAPOLEON Tour Operator or by the purchaser. The variations demanded by the purchaser authorize NAPOLEON Tour Operator to add a variation charge of  $\leqslant$  30,00 due to a new calculation of the costs. Moreover, NAPOLEON Tour Operator is authorized to debit the purchaser with every increased price resulting from every variation demanded by the purchaser.

#### 3) VALIDITY

From 01.01.2019 till 31.12.2019.

#### 4) PRICES

All the prices include taxes and percentages of service. In case of increased taxes, the prices will have to be adjusted. They do not include beverages, extras, tips, admittance tickets, transfers, excursions.

#### 5) HOTEL CLASSIFICATION

The classification of all the structures is in compliance with the official one. In case an hotel is famously above the standard of category in question, we will assign it an additional appellative (f.e. SUPERIOR/SUPER VIP).

#### 6) VARIATIONS

NAPOLEON Tour Operator shall have the right to change hotels and/or places with others of similar characteristics, if this should be necessary because of unforeseen circumstances. If such variations are not accepted, notification of which must be given within 2 (two) working days from receipt of the proposed variations, NAPOLEON Tour Operator will be only obliged to refund the already paid amount.

#### 7) CANCELLATIONS INTERRUPTION OF THE VACATION

A confirmed reservation shall be cancelled in writing, and NAPOLEON Tour Operator will apply in addition the following penalties:

- ➤ Within 30 days before the arrival we will be adding € 250,00 as penalty fee for working on the file.
- ➤ Within 21 days before the arrival we will be deducting the deposit of (25%).In case the deposit had not been paid, the customer must pay it as penalty.
- ▶ within 14 days before the arrival will be charging 50% of the total amount.
- ➤ within 7 days before the arrival we will be charging 75% of the total amount
- > no refunds will be made after that limit.

If the vacation should be interrupted, no refunds will be made unless the group is able to present a specific letter made by the hotel management authorizing reimbursement for unused services. This procedure must be followed and NAPOLEON Tour Operator will refund only the amount authorized by the hotel, after having deducted any applicable agency fees.

#### 8) WITHDRAWAL FROM CONTRACT WITHOUT PENALTIES

Customers may have the right to withdraw from the contract without incurring any penalties in the following circumstances:

a) Increase in the price of the booked vacation is higher than 10%;

b) Significant changes in the contract requested by NAPOLEON Tour Operator after the contract itself has been confirmed.

With reference to this, it is specified that customers must inform NAPOLEON Tour Operator in writing of their decision to accept or withdraw from the contract within 2 (two) working days from receipt of the proposed modification. In case of withdrawal, customers will have the right to be refunded of any money already paid or, alternatively, to be offered another vacation of equivalent quality.

#### 9) COMPLAINTS

Complaints must be immediately communicated during the stay of the group directly to the supplier of the services and to NAPOLEON Tour Operator, as they could be verified and quickly solved. Any written complaints must be sent by certified mail with returned receipt, no later than 10 working days after returning to the original place of departure. If group does not send a formal complaint letter within that time period the group has no right to claim anything.

#### 10) LUGGAGE

Travelling with luggage is at the risk of the travelling customer, and NAPOLEON Tour Operator may under no circumstance whatsoever assume responsibility for any loss or damages incurred.

#### 11) OTHER

- a) If not differently agreed, the group will receive one free room every 23rd paying person in a single room (drivers and group leader have to be included in the count).
- b) The number of the single rooms available depend on how large the group is and how many double or triple rooms are requested, in general the proportion is every one single room (driver and group leader have to be included in the count) every 8 double/triple rooms.
- c) The prices are valid for groups of at least 23 paying persons (drivers and group leader have to be included in the count) For smaller groups an increasing of price shall be expected. In case of an increase higher than 10%, customers may have the r i g h t t o withdraw from the contract within 2 weeks before the starting of our services.
- d) In case of objections referring to NAPOLEON Tour Operator's invoices (prices, no. of participants, etc.), they will be accept only if forwarded to NAPOLEON Tour Operator within 35 days from the date of issue. The invoice will be considered valid for the total amount, after that limit.

#### 12) INSURANCE

NAPOLEON Tour Operator has stipulated a specific insurance policy with: Allianz spa n.78302723 of the 30/12/2016

#### 13) OTHER MATTERS

Any other matters not expressly covered by the above General Conditions shall be governed by the legislation referred to in section 1).

#### 14) JURISDICTION

These contracts are governed by the Italian Law. In case of legal disputes, the court having jurisdiction will be that of Livorno, Italy.

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