



Isola
Comacina

Venerdì – Friday 5 AGOSTO 2011 Freitag - Vendredi

Special Tour of the week:



Inhabited since Roman period, today the Comacina Island is a magic place where archeology, art, history and nature coexist harmoniously. The only Island of Lake Como hosts monuments already in Early Christian period (V sec) and in the XII century became one of the most important common of the Lake. Still today it is possible to admire the precious archeological rests,

especially the crypt of the magnificent Basilica of St. Euphemia, and also the three houses of artists, built by Pietro Lingeri in 1940 in rationalistic style. In front of the Island, in Ossuccio, in the museum Antiquarium there are the archaeological finds recovered during the excavations conducted in the course of 1900. These remains evidence the glorious past of this exceptional island. Photo D.Marucci

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CRUISE ON THE LAKE WITH PRIVATE TAXI-BOAT & FERRY BOAT

VILLA CARLOTTA

€ 23,00 per person!!!

Villa Carlotta masterpieces of nature and art live in perfect harmony 70.000 sqm of gardens and museums. The beautiful villa was built at the end of 17th century for the noble Milanese family Clerici; in 1801 Sommariva, businessman and patron of arts, bought the property. Thanks to him, the villa became a temple of XIX century art with works of Canova, Thorvaldsen and Hayez and a fascinating romantic garden. In the second half of the century Princess Marianne of Nassau bought the villa for her daughter Carlotta in occasion of her wedding with Georg II of Saxen-Meiningen. Georg was passionate about botany and made a lot of improvements to the park that became famous for its botanical richness. Nowadays the gardens are still appreciated above all for the rhododendrons' and azaleas' spring flowering.





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ITINERARIO / ITINERARY:

10.45: Ritrovo / Departure: Ufficio turistico di Lenno / Tourist Office in Lenno

11.05: Partenza con trenino da Lenno a Ossuccio / Departure to Ossuccio with train

11.12: Museo Antiquarium – taxi-boat Ossuccio -> Comacina Island

11.15: Cruise on the lake with private taxi-boat from Ossuccio to Comacina Island.

11.30 Tour Isola Comacina

Possibilità di snack e aperitivo presso il bar La Botte sull'Isola Comacina / Snack or Aperitive at the Bar La Botte on the Island

13.24: Crociera sul lago di Como da Ossuccio a Tremezzo in battello, passando per Villa Balbianello e le altre ville / Cruise on Lake Como from Ossuccio to Tremezzo with ferry boat, passing through Villa Balbianello & the other main Villas

13.50: Tour Villa Carlotta – giardino e museo / garden & museum

15.23: Ritorno da Villa Carlotta a Lenno con trenino. Coming back from V Carlotta to Lenno by touristic train.

COSTI / RATES:

€ 23,00 per persona / per person

Gratuito per bambini fino a 5 anni / Children form 0 to 5 free

Il prezzo include l'ingresso all'Isola Comacina, l'ingresso a Villa Carlotta, il trasporto con taxi-boat privato da Ossuccio a Isola Comacina, il trasferimento in battello da Isola a Villa Carlotta e i trasporti in trenino turistico da Lenno a Ossuccio e da Tremezzo a Lenno / The price includes the entrance to the Island, the entrance to Villa Carlotta, the transfer by private taxi-boat from Ossuccio to the Island, the transfer with ferry boat from the Island to Villa Carlotta and the transfer by touristic train form Lenno to Ossuccio & from Villa Carlotta to Lenno.

E' escluso l'eventuale snack al Bar La Botte / The cost of the snack on the Island is not included.

PRENOTAZIONE OBBLIGATORIA – RESERVATION REQUIRED

MINIMUM 20 PEOPLE