

CASTLES AND WINES OF THE HILLS EXPERIENCE

The tour starts from the historical center of Castellaro Lagusello, labelled Orange Flag by the TCI (Italian Touring Club) for tourism excellence and included in the list of most beautiful villages in Italy. Following a dirt road through the natural oasis of the lake of Castellaro, the tour continues with a ride up and down the hills through the vineyards, until reaching the orchards and olive groves of Volta Mantovana. At that point, the tour goes through the village to reach the impressive castle, built during the XI-th century; within the castle, tour participants can finally relax and stop for refreshment, while admiring the beautiful gardens of Palazzo Gonzaga. Riding on the surrounding hills, rich in vegetation and orchards, the tour gets to the second stage: Pieve di S. Maria di Cavriana, a Romanesque building built during the XI-th century, that offers a breathtaking view going from the hills to the Apennines. After a short rest, the tour continues to the center of Cavriana up to the castle, with its picturesque tower and its massive walls, built as a defense system. Following an easy path through the underbrush and a steep climb to the castle, the tour gets to the third stage: Rocca di Solferino, scenario of the Second War of Independence, with a wonderful view of Lake Garda and the underlying villages. A long downhill on a side street leads to the fourth stage of the tour, where participants can take their time to rest and to taste a selection of DOC wines in a local winery: Lugana, Merlot, Cabernet, Sauvignon to name but a few, accompanied by some appetizers.

LENGTH:	Km 40
DIFFERENCE IN ALTITUDE:	mt 200
TOUR DURATION:	1 day
ROAD CONDITIONS:	40% paved - 60% dirt road
DIFFICULTY:	medium using an e-bike
DEPARTURE FROM:	Castellaro Lagusello of Monzambano (MN)

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Adult price

The price includes electric mountain bike and bike helmet rental, as well as wine tasting experience. Available every day upon reservation.

Info and reservation

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E-bike rental prices and more tours and experiences among the hills and on Lake Garda are available on the website.

Alessia Zanzarzi has obtained her formal qualification as an e-bike tour leader, which is valid nationwide in the cycle tourism field and can guarantee you the most fun and exciting tours, using the right technique as well as high-quality e-bikes.

