

# A unique holiday and pickleball experience in Florence



## Love means sharing the world with someone else.

" I put together two things that I deeply love pickleball and my land and let you experience it "

This is how "Pickleball & Tuscany" was born.

A unique travel experience, designed and built with passion, to make you practice pickleball and discover the pleasures that our land can offer you.





# OUR CLINICS 4 HOURS EVERY MORNING WITH BEST INSTRUCTORS



Whether it's your first time playing pickleball or if you are a tournament player, we have options that will suit your needs.





#### Pickleball Coaches Team



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#### Daily plan

Day 1. Saturday Arrival, Lunch, Free Afternoon Welcome Dinner

Day 2. Sunday
4 Hours morning pickleball, Lunch,
Afternoon Uffizi, Accademia and
Walking Tour, Dinner

Day 3. Monday 4 Hours morning pickleball, Lunch, E-bike Tour, Dinner

Day 4. Tuesday
4 Hours morning pickleball, Lunch,
Tour & Dinner in Siena and San
Gimignano

Day 5. Wednesday 4 Hours morning pickleball, Lunch, Italian Dinner Cooking Class

Day 6. Thursday
4 Hours morning pickleball, Lunch,
Treasure Hunt: Florence Art and
Monsters

Day 7. Friday Morning Pickleball, Lunch, Tour in Fiat 500 Dinner

> Day 8. Saturday Departures



#### Florence is a must!

The Historic Center of Florence was inscribed on the Unesco World Heritage List on december 17 1982. It is defined as a "unique artistic realization, an absolute chef-d'œuvre, the fruit of continuous creation over more than six centuries', capable of having "influence on the development of architecture and the fine arts, first in Italy, and then in Europe'.

We will visit all the major tourist attractions, under the experienced guidance of our entertaining and fun professional history guide.



### Florence

#### Day 1. Saturday - Florence

After landing, transfer by bus to the Hotel



Relax and Free time in the afternoon and Welcome Dinner at the hotel





#### Day 2. Sunday - Uffizi, Accademia and Walking Tour

Enjoy the unique privilege of a private tour of Uffizi and Accademia, two of the world's most striking museums. Offering an enlightening insider's view of world-celebrated art and architecture, our signature private Uffizi and Accademia tour allows you to get "behind' each painting, and "follow' the evolution of Italian art through the centuries, from the Middle Ages to the Renaissance.

Then head to the Accademia Gallery, home to a masterpiece of Renaissance sculpture: Michelangelo's David. Your exclusive private tour will then take you to Italy's most important museum – the enchanting Uffizi Gallery. Led by your specialized dedicated private guide you will have the chance to admire the collection's most remarkable pieces.





#### Day 3. Monday - Florence E-Bike Tour

Riding Florence by E-bike: a unique and immersive experience Start your E-bike ride from the iconic Piazza del Duomo, where you can admire the magnificent Florence Cathedral, also known as the Duomo, and Giotto's Campanile. As you pedal through the narrow streets, take in the charming atmosphere and architecture of this Renaissance city. Make your way to the Ponte Vecchio, the famous bridge that spans the Arno River.

Afterward, ride up to Piazzale Michelangelo, one of the best viewpoints in Florence. From here, you can marvel at the panoramic vista of the city, with its red-tiled rooftops and the shining dome of the Duomo. Take some time to relax and soak in the beauty of Florence before descending back into the city center. Finally, find a cozy café in the heart of Florence and treat yourself to a well-deserved Florentine coffee.





#### Day 4. Thuesday - Siena & San Gimignano

Enjoy a fun-filled day by discovering the beautiful towns of Siena and San Gimignano. Meet the driver at your hotel and, after a lovely drive through the beautiful Tuscan countryside, we will arrive at the magnificent medieval town of the fine towers: San Gimignano.

Here you will see the old medieval towers, and you will have time to take a look at the colorful pottery shops or have a taste of the award-winning 'World's Best Gelato.' After SanGimignano we will reach a boutique winery where the staff will guide you for the sampling of the unique wine Chianti, special Extra-Virgin Olive Oil, bruschetta and pecorino cheese. You will understand the difference between the wines as you combine them with the typical Tuscan lunch.

Head to Siena and meet your private guide. You will discover this medieval city nestled on a hill, considered a real Medieval jewel. You will get to know about the world's oldest bank, the web of medieval alleyways leading to the fanshaped Piazza del Campo - home of the famous Palio horse race - and many hidden jewels. Afterward you will walk to the highest part of the city to end your experience with an unforgettable view of the Duomo, with its refined Gothic architecture, treasures and masterpieces!





Day 5. Wednesday- Italian Dinner Cooking Class

Your private chef will teach you how to prepare traditional Tuscan dishes step by step, sharing their culinary expertise and secrets with you. Throughout the class, you will have the opportunity to taste a glass of local wine and enjoy the process of cooking your own meal. Once everything is ready, you will sit down and indulge in the delicious dishes you have prepared fordinner. This experience is not only about learning to cook, but also about immersing yourself in the Tuscan atmosphereandenjoying the flavors and aromas of this renowned cuisine. You will leave the class with a collection of recipes to impress your family and friends back home.





#### Day 6. Thursday-Treasure Hunt

Welcome to the exciting world of treasure hunting in Florence!

Get ready to explore the charming streets and iconic landmarks of this beautiful Italian city while solving riddles, deciphering clues, and uncovering hidden treasures. Your adventure begins in the heart of Florence, where you'll be given your first clue to start your quest.

As you make your way through the bustling streets, you'll encounter famous sights such as the Florence Cathedral, Ponte Vecchio, and the Uffizi Gallery. Each clue will challenge your problem-solving skills and test your knowledge of Florence's history, art, and culture. From Renaissance masterpieces to medieval treasures, every clue will lead you closer to the ultimate prize. Follow the clues through narrow alleyways, magnificent piazzas, and enchanting gardens.

Along the way, you'll discover lesser-known gems and hidden corners of the city, allowing you to truly immerse yourself in the local atmosphere. As you complete each task and solve each clue, you'll unlock the next part of the treasure hunt, bringing you closer to the grand finale.

It combines adventure, history, and excitement, providing an entertaining and immersive way to discover the wonders of this captivating city.





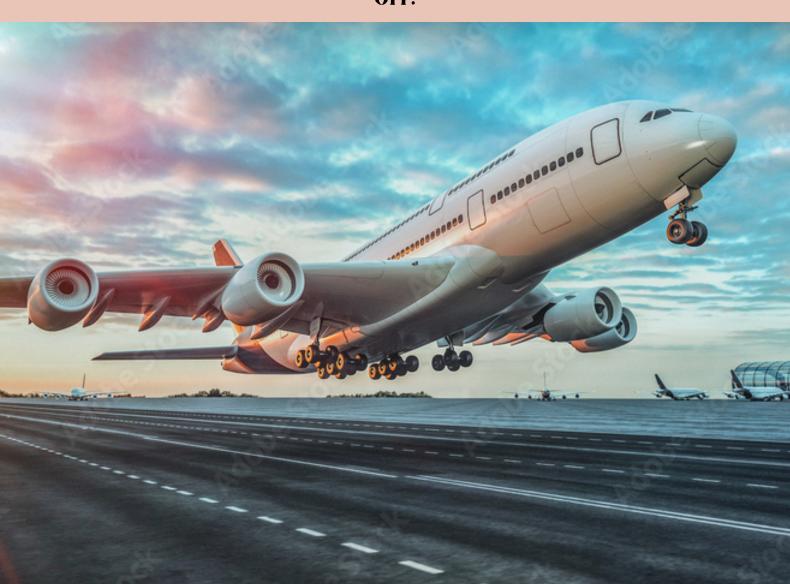
#### Day 7 Friday - Tour in Fiat 500

Whether you are a seasoned driver or prefer to ride with our experienced tour leader, our vintage Fiat 500 tour promises an unforgettable all-Italian experience. Imagine cruising through the enchanting Chianti hills around Florence in a classic Fiat 500, the iconic symbol of Italian style and charm. As you navigate the picturesque, gently curving roads lined with majestic cypress trees, you will find yourself immersed in the beauty of the Tuscan countryside. Take in the sights of the rolling vineyards, fields of wild flowers, and charming roadside stops where you can indulge in a cup of coffee and freshly baked focaccia.



#### Day 8 Saturday - Departures

Early wake up with luggages packed. Breakfast and transfer by bus to Florence Airport to be in time for take off.



#### PICKLEBALL HOLIDAY WEEKS

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29 June - 6 July 6 July - 13 July 13 July - 20 July 20 July - 27 July

27 July - 3 August 3 August - 10 August 10 August - 17 August 17 August - 24 August 24 August - 31 August

31 August - 7 September 7 September - 14 September 14 September - 21 September 21 September - 28 September

28 September - 5 October 5 October - 12 October 12 October - 19 October

Pick your date and send an email for availability confirmation. A minimum of 12 participants are needed to confirm the journey.

16 is the limit for the number of players

#### Holiday packages includes

- Transfer from and to Florence Airport
- Accommodation at 4 Stars Hotel
- 24 Hours of Pickleball Clinic with US instructors (\*)
- Daily transfer to Pickleball sports center, to the tour meeting points and to dinner locations
- · All tours included in the program
- 7 lunches & 7 dinners
- (\*) not included in the price for non player person

#### **Package Exclusions**

- Flight tickets
- Any personal expenses
- Travel Insurance (Highly recommended)

#### **Reservation Fee**

- 1. <u>ALL INCLUSIVE</u> € 5.300,00 in double room per person ( when sharing a room )
- 2. <u>ALL INCLUSIVE</u> € 5.800,00 in single room per person
- (\*) Non player partner will receive € 500 of discount Deposit required at confirmation : € 1.500,00 per person (non-refundable)

Total remaining balance due 15 days before the arrival



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