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...Navighiamo il Veneto

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"La Bella Vita" – Luxury Hotel Barge and the Italian Renaissance 2024

A very special trip aboard a luxury all-inclusive hotel barge cruising the Venetian Lagoon and the River Po Valley to Mantua and its lakes in Style and Elegance.

Discover the Italian Renaissance by visiting Venice, Ferrara, Mantua but also enjoying fabulous landscapes and tasting the Italian Cousine and Wines.

Sunday, Day 1 VENICE

Guests are met at the designated pick up point in Venice on Sunday and transferred to La Bella Vita. A **Prosecco welcome** gives you a chance to meet the crew, followed by a late afternoon cruise along the Giudecca Canal where we admire some of the most famous monuments of Venice. Visit to the **Doge's Palace** and dinner aboard, followed perhaps by an evening stroll to the magnificent St Mark's square. We moor overnight in the Riva Sette Martiri by the Naval Museum.

Monday, Day 2 VENICE TO LIDO TO SAN PIETRO IN VOLTA

Guided walking tour in **Castello District**, experiencing the unique atmosphere of this magical city and perhaps discovering some hidden parts of it. Visit of the **Palladian Church of St. Peter and of the Naval Museum**. After lunch, relax aboard or wander. In the late afternoon we cruise along the Lido to Pellestrina, for a special walk or biketour at sunset. Dinner and overnight aboard.

Tuesday, Day 3 SAN PIETRO IN VOLTA TO TAGLIO DI PO

Morning cruise to the very ancient **city of Chioggia** for a visit to the city centre admiring the Cathedral, Piazzetta Vigo and to the colourful fresh fish market. Transfer to Porto Levante before cruising on the River Po. Passing through a nature reserve with flocks of flamingos and other wildlife, we travel upriver to Taglio di Po for dinner ashore hosted by the owners at the beautiful 17thC **Villa Ca' Zen**, a private stately home by the river where Lord Byron courted the Countess Guiccioli and wrote some of his best poetry. Overnight on board.



Wednesday, Day 4 TAGLIO DI PO TO ZELO

Morning cruise leaving the Po River and entering the Canal Bianco to Adria for a walk to the city centre and the free visit of the Archeological Museum. After lunch, we visit the magnificient Renaissance gardens and wine cellars of 17thC Villa Widmann-Borletti for a private tasting of their renown estate grown vintages. This winery has been supplying Venetian society for centuries. Return to the barge, navigation to Zelo and ... are you ready for a surprise on board?

Thursday, Day 5 ZELO TO GOVERNOLO

Morning excursion with guided tour of the **Renaissance city of Ferrara**, including a view of the 14thC Estense Castle with its moat, drawbridges, marble balconies and we also see the cathedral façade with its sculpted images described as an illustrated Bible. Return to the barge for an afternoon canal cruise past villages and farmsteads from Trevenzuolo to Governolo for dinner and overnight aboard.

Friday, Day 6 GOVERNOLO TO MANTUA

Our final cruise takes us to **Mantua** with its captivating lakeside setting. We will visit the 14th century **Ducal Palace** housing some 15 gardens, courtyards, a museum, basilica, theatre and some 500 rooms. Free afternoon in the city of the Gonzaga's Family.

Captain's Farewell Dinner aboard.

Saturday, Day 7 MANTUA

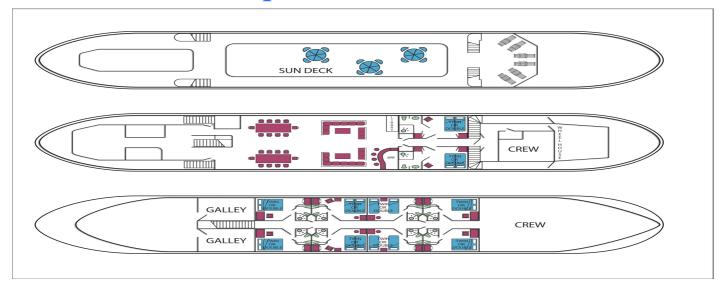
After breakfast passengers disembark for the transfer back to Venice.

LBV theemed Cruises:

- Family Cruise
- Wine Cruise
- Golf Cruise
- Opera Cruise
- Gardens Cruise



La Bella Vita – Deckplan



La Bella Vita - Classic Cruise - Rates 2024

Accomodation	Value	Regular
Stateroom per person	€ 4.250,00 p.p.	€ 4.790,00 p.p.
Junior Suite per person	€ 5.190,00 p.p.	€ 5.790,00 p.p.
Single supplement	€ 1.600,00 p.p.	€ 1.800,00 p.p.
Charter 10 passengers whole boat	€ 67.000,00	€ 75.000,00
Charter 12 passengers whole boat	€ 69.400,00	€ 77.800,00
Charter 14 passengers whole boat	€ 71.800,00	€ 80.600,00
Charter 16 passengers whole boat	€ 74.200,00	€ 83.400,00
Charter 18 passengers whole boat	€ 76.600,00	€ 86.200,00
Charter 20 passengers whole boat	€ 79.000,00	€ 89.000,00

The price includes: Transfer to the barge from the meeting point on Sunday, 6 night cruise, all meals on board catered by the on board Master Chef, open bar 24/7 with a large range of alcoholic and non alcoholic drinks, all wines served throughout the cruise, excursions and admittance fees as per the itinerary, use of barge facilities, which includes 10 bicycles, and transfer back to the drop off point the following Saturday morning.

Departures 2024 (on Sunday)

March 24, 31	Value
April 07, 14, 21	Value
April 28	Regular
May 05, 12, 19, 26	Regular
June 02, 09, 16, 23, 30	Regular
July 07, 14	Regular
July 21, 28	Value
August 04, 11, 18, 25	Value
September 01, 08, 15, 22, 29	Regular
October 06	Regular
October 13, 20, 27	Value



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