



PALIO DI SIENA 2019

02/07/2019 and 16/08/2019



Piazza del Campo" is still used today for the well known Palio horse race which is one of the most famous popular Italian manifestations. It takes place every year on July 2 and August 16. The Palio is run to celebrate the miraculous apparition of the Virgin Mary near the old houses that belonged to Provenzano Salvani. The holy apparition was therefore called "Madonna di Provenzano" in whose honor the very first Palio was run on August 16, 1656. The Palio was run for the first time in 1701 in honor of the "Madonna dell'Assunta" the patroness and Advocate of Siena through all the tragic events since she protected the Sienese militia at the famous battle of Monteperti on September 4, 1260, against the Florentines.

The Palio is a historical secular tradition strictly connected with the origin of the Contradas of Siena (districts into which the town is divided). The Contradas are spectacular agonistic institutions each having their own government, oratory, coat of arms, appellations, sometimes titles of nobility, emblems and colors, official representatives, festivities, patron Saints, with protectors, delimited territories and population which consist of all those people who were born or live within the topographic limits of the district, according to the proclamation issued by Violante Beatrice of Bavaria on January 7, 1730, at that time, Governess of the town.



Pricelist

1. 290€ places on the terrace of the tower. Under the Mossa, but to see the event there are 2 TV as the Tower in original closes the event. There is a WC. The seats are under the sun! Water and snacks are included. To reach the places there are 100 steps but low and comfortable
2. 370€ seat places on the curve. In the shadow, perfect view the curves San Martino and Casato. It is possible to see the horse wins!
3. 385€ seat stand! On the balcony on the curve San Martino the first floor. The shadow arrives after the historical parade. Water and snacks are included, WC is available.
4. 445€ the same places but SEATS!
5. 435€ seat places in palco at San Martino. The best curve view with the full view of the square! The shadow arrives during 1 hour after the starting of the historical parade.
6. 460€ seat places between the curve Fonte Gaia and San Martino. At the shadow from the start of the historical parade. Special view of the Mossa



7. 490€ seat place between Casato and La Mossa. At the shadow, the full view of the square, Mossa and Casato.
8. 530€ seat places with a full view la Mossa.
9. 590€ seat places with the best view. These places usually are used by the directors of Contrada.
10. 690€ seat places on the balcony Mossa. The best view! WC is available, water and snacks are free of charge.
11. 2900€ places on the windows inside of the historical buildings around the square of the Mossa. The price is for 4 persons max. The clients are inside of the building, can stand or seat, water and WC are available.
12. 6950 – 7800€ balcony for exclusive use max for 12 persons. Full view of the square, WC is available, snacks and water are free of charge.

It is possible to customize the travel in Siena for living the Palio the days before it (life in Contradas) and Italy with accommodations and services and to add our exclusive services:

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