

10th June

Leisure Activities

The Tuscan Senses - "Sight & Taste"

•••• The Etruscan Temple



Pieve a Socana, the Romanesque church of Sant'Antonino, with its characteristic cylindrical bell-tower, is well worth visiting.

Three civilizations - Etruscan, Roman and Christian - are represented in this 2000-year-old place of worship. From the Etruscan period, excavations have brought to light a magnificent sacrificial altar and the temple steps. The present church can be dated to the 12th century, even though it is mentioned in a document from 1072.

Unearthed ruins attest to the presence of a church prior to the 11th century.

The base of the freestanding cylindrical campanile, covered with vertical pilaster strips made of slabs of sandstone, which date back to this period.



•••• The Ornina Winery



Ornina Farm covers 35 Ha of which 2.5 vineyards, about 10 in the woods and the remaining arable land and reforestation.

The geographically privileged position together with the particular balance of the territory allow optimal ripening grapes, taking advantage of the thermal shock due to the cold night air currents, typical of the Casentino Valley which, as it is well known, enhance the aromatic varietal characteristics.

Details

Program:

- 9:00 a.m. Pick up from your accommodation;
- 9:30 a.m. The Etruscan temple;
- 11:00 a.m. Visit to the winery;
- 1:00 p.m. Wine tasting and Light lunch;
- 2:00 p.m. Return to your accommodation.

This tour will be activated if the minimum number of participants is reached