



EXPLORING

Tuscany, eight days made by hand.

TUSCANY, ITALY · SATURDAY 5 – SATURDAY 12 JUNE 2027 · WINE, CRAFT AND THE TUSCAN TABLE

An eight-day journey through Tuscany for eight to twelve travellers, from Florence to the hills south of Siena, built around the people who make things here: wine, paper, bread, dinner.

Tuscany, Italy

DESTINATION

Eight days, seven nights

DURATION

8 to 12 travellers

GROUP

Wine, craft and the Tuscan table

EXPERIENCE

Revealed to the waiting list first

HOST

Exploring

STATUS

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Craft** — A perfumery working since 1612, a bindery in Oltrarno, and a morning with your hands in something.
- **Wine** — Two afternoons inside working cellars in Chianti Classico, with the people who made what is in the glass.
- **Table** — Cut the garden at seven, eat it at half past eight. Seven dinners and four lunches, all booked, all included.
- **Slow** — Three bases in eight days, never more than twelve people, and an afternoon in each place with nothing in it.

Eight days, three places, one direction.

The week runs north to south — Florence, Chianti Classico, the hills below Siena — and the group stays long enough at each base to settle in.

DAYS ONE TO THREE

Florence | Art & hands

Three nights in the hills at Fiesole, twenty minutes above the city. One morning in the Uffizi before it opens, one day with the people who still make things by hand in Oltrarno, and vespers sung at San Miniato al Monte — the best half hour in Florence, and it costs nothing.

- Airport transfers from 13:00 · Fiesole is 30 min from Florence (FLR)
- 19:30 · First group event — dinner on the terrace
- Sunday 08:15 · The Uffizi, before it opens to the public
- Monday · Santa Maria Novella, working since 1612, then a bindery in Oltrarno
- Monday 17:30 · Vespers sung by the monks at San Miniato al Monte
- Three nights at Il Salviatino, Fiesole

DAYS FOUR AND FIVE

Chianti Classico | Cellars & the hill

South on the Chiantigiana to the cellar Antinori cut into the hillside, then two nights on a walled estate at Tavarnelle. One dinner is a winemaker's: the grower who made the bottle sits at the table and is asked about it.

- 09:30 · Depart Florence, 45 km south on the Chiantigiana
- 11:00 · Antinori nel Chianti Classico — the cellar built into the hill
- 13:30 · Lunch at Osteria di Passignano, in the abbey's cellars
- Wednesday 10:00 · Castello di Ama — contemporary art among the vines
- Wednesday 16:00 · Nothing scheduled
- 20:30 · Winemaker dinner at the castello, with the grower at the table

DAYS SIX AND SEVEN

The Sienese hills | Garden & fire

Siena at eight in the morning, before the coaches, then two nights on a three-hundred-acre farm at Chiusdino. Friday starts in the kitchen garden at seven and ends with the group eating what it cut.

- 08:00 · Siena before the coaches — the Duomo, an empty Campo
- 13:00 · Arrive Borgo Santo Pietro, 300 acres, Chiusdino
- Friday 07:00 · The kitchen garden with the head gardener
- Friday 11:00 · The group cooks what it cut
- Friday 16:00 · Nothing scheduled
- 20:30 · Farewell dinner at SAPORIUM — one Michelin star, one green star

DAY EIGHT

Departure | Saturday 12 June

One last breakfast together, then the group breaks up. Checkout is at eleven, and Chiusdino is an hour and a half from either airport.

- 09:00 · Farewell breakfast — last group event
- 11:00 · Checkout
- Transfers to Florence (FLR) and Pisa (PSA)



PLANNING YOUR FLIGHTS

FIRST GROUP EVENT	Saturday, 7:30 p.m., the villa at Fiesole
FINAL GROUP EVENT	Saturday breakfast, 9:00 a.m.
CHECKOUT	Saturday, 11:00 a.m.

We recommend landing before 4:00 p.m. on Saturday 5 June and booking your return after 2:00 p.m. on Saturday 12 June, from either airport.

Florence (FLR) 30 min · Pisa (PSA) 1 h 15 · Bologna (BLQ) 1 h 30



WHY THESE DATES

The first fortnight of June is the reason for the dates.

Not an added activity. It is why the week sits where it does in the calendar.

The light holds until half past nine. The vines have just set fruit. The gardens are at their peak, weeks before July burns them.

The second half of the month is a different country: San Giovanni fills Florence on 24 June, the coach season starts, and the same rooms cost half again as much. We took the fortnight before.

HOW TO JOIN

Be the first to book Tuscany.

Join the waiting list for the host, the opening date and access before booking is public.

No commitment and no payment. Two or three messages in total — the host, the opening date, and your window to book before anyone else.

This itinerary is a plan, not a booking. Nothing here is held in your name, no rate is quoted, and the host is named to the waiting list before anyone else. Join at poloniohouse.com/experiences/tuscany, or write to hello@poloniohouse.com.