

Program a week

First day: The Langhe of Barolo

1. Scenic road Sinio - Serralunga.

2. Serralunga d'Alba. The concentric and the medieval castle. Visits to the castle (*Sat-Sun 11-13 and 14-18 Mon-Thu-Fri 14-18 from May to October*). Cellars Massolino and Anselma.

3. **Fontanafredda** estate (Serralunga d'Alba): The park with the pond, the forest of thoughts (30 min walk), the foundation Mirafiore. Visit the historical cellars (Sat-Sun).

4. Castello di **Barolo** Enoteca Regionale WiMu and the Wine Museum (Time 10:30 - 19 daily). Admission € 8. Beside the corkscrew museum.

Nearby Chapel of Sol Lewis and Tremlet (location Fontanazza) and Cedar of Lebanon on a hill close to the estate Cordero di Montezemolo (possibility to visit and tasting)

5. **Monforte d'Alba** cities of the Cathars. Visit to the medieval town center in the upper part around the castle. The amphitheater transformed into an auditorium during the summer. For the amazing wine cellar tastings and snacks "Case della Saracca" structure with glass and iron (from 18).

Day Two Langhe del Barolo, Cherasco and Pollenzo

1. Sinio the small medieval village. Road Sinio - Montelupo stage Sinio on the Romantic Road.

2. Diano d'Alba (*). Old town with the parish and the viewpoint.

3. Grinzane Cavour Castle (**): Visit to the Castle and Enoteca Regionale (Hours 9.30 - 18 pm Closed on Tuesdays) Admission € 5.

4. La Morra (*): Balcony of the Langhe (piazza with panoramic view). Municipal Cellar with tasting opportunities. Walking from the historic center of Barolo on the Paths

5. **Pollenzo**. (*) The Agency, the University of Science and enogastonomiche the Wine Bank. The ancient Roman city and "the little coliseum."

6. **Cherasco** (**). The historic center (Palazzo Comunale, Palazzo Salmatoris, St. Peter's Church, the Synagogue). City of Snail. The "kisses of Cherasco" pastry Barberis. The exhibitions of antiques and collectibles market. City armistice of Napoleon.

Third day: Alba and Langhe of Barbaresco

1. Alba (*) center (Cathedral, Via Maestra, St. Joseph's Church, Church of San Domenico). On Thursday and Saturday vegetable market and various kinds. On Monday morning, closing stores. Market Thursday and Saturday morning

 Barbaresco (*). The tower with panoramic views of the Tanaro. The wine in the church of Sant'Egidio
Neive (**). The old town (Chapel of St. Rocco and St. Sebastian, Brotherhood of St. Michael Orthodox Church, Palace of the Counts of Castelborgo, the fortified house of Cooked)

4. Treiso (*): the fortresses of the seven brothers on the Romantic Road.

5. Mango: the castle with wine

Fourth day: The Roero (The Route of the Castles and the cliffs)

- 1. Santa Vittoria d'Alba (the castle and climb the tower)
- 2. Monticello d'Alba, the castle of the Counts Roero. (Visited on Sundays in September and October)
- 3. Guarene the castle (not open)
- 4. Magliano Alfieri (visit to the castle and museum of plaster casts every Sunday from April to October)
- 5. Govone Castle (Savoia residence patrim. UNESCO visited on Sundays from April to October 4 €)
- 6. Monta: The Shrine of the pylons and the cliffs
- 7. Le Rocche (scenic spots in Pocapaglia, Santo Stefano Roero and Monteu)

Fifth day: Alta Langa villages, hazelnuts and cheese

1. **Cortemilia** the capital of hazelnut (historical center, the parish church of St. Mary, the museum of the terraces)

2. Bergolo (*), the country of stone and artists.

3. **Prunetto** (*). The castle of Roero (open May to September) and the sanctuary of the Madonna del Carmine.

- 4. Camerana and Saliceto. The tower and the frescoes in the church of St. Martin
- 5. Sale nelle Langhe and the lavender fields
- 6. Murazzano: The tower and the literary park. The cheese D.O.P.
- 7. Monbarcaro the top of the Langhe
- 8. Bossolasco the historic center

Sixth day: Asti and the circuit of Romanesque churches

1. Asti city (**): Centro Storico (Piazza Vittorio Alfieri, the church of San Secondo, the cathedral, Corso Alfieri, the baptistery of San Pietro). Palio 3rd Sunday of September. 2nd Sunday of September Douja D'or Festival of festivals. Market on Saturdays.

2. Tour of Romanesque churches: Montechiaro d'Asti (S.Nazario), Cortazzone (S.Secondo), Montafia, Montiglio, the Vezzolano abbey (**) (9-12.30 14-18 hours closed on Mondays)

Seventh day: Saluzzo and the sorrounding

1. **Saluzzo** (**): Old Town: The castle of the Marquis (Sun 15-19 Admission 5 €), Church of St. John's Cathedral, Town Hall and civic tower; Cavassa House (Mar-Mer-Dom. Admission € 5), birthplace of Silvio Pellico; Synagogue)

- 2. Manta: The Castle of Manta (*). Fresco the fountain of youngness. (Tue-Sun 10-18 Admission 6 €)
- 3. Staffarda: Staffarda abbey (*) (Tue Sun 9-18 Admission € 6.50)
- 4. Sanfront: Balma Boves (settlement in the rock)
- 5. Excursion to Pian del Re (2050 mt.): The sources of Po river.

Hiking Recommended:

Trail of orchids. Ring of 2-2.5 hours from our farm. Through the forest (altitude 150 m). (Wild orchids in May and June). Panoramic stop on the Romantic Road. Overview Montelupo - Sinio. The Borgata Real and return to the farm. Trail and Offroad. Asphalt roads

Path of the Wolf departing from Mont Albert (short ring 2-2.5 hours long loop 4 hours with transition from Borgata Brantegna). Trail and carriage road. Short stretches of asphalt.

Path of the great vineyards (6) departing from the tourist office in La Morra (8 km. 2h15m).

Path of Monforte (1) starting from the square of Monforte (12.5 hm 4h)