

events
AUGUST
2008

Music, theatre, cinema

FIRENZE

- **Fi-esta 2008.** Firenzestate - classic music, concerts, theatre, ballet, art exhibition from May 30 to September 30
Various locations - info: 055 9061757
- **Estate a San Salvi 2008** - music, meetings, exhibitions, theatre shows, video from May 31 to September 30
San Salvi città aperta - info:055 6236195
- **Tutti i colori del Parco** - aperitif, music, open-air art workshops, concerts, exhibitions, cinema, theatre, dance, sport, DJ Set etc.. from June 5 to September 15
Parco dell'Anconella - info:055 6585135
- **Firenzestate 2008.** Forte Belvedere - cinema, jazz music, photographic exhibition, yoga classes, bar and restaurant from July 4 to August 31
Forte di Belvedere - info:055 9061757 - 338 7507562 - 340 1991409
- **In Fortezza 2008.** Estate a Firenze - concerts, theatre, cinema, books, animation for children, fitness from July 11 to August 3
Fortezza da Basso - info:055 49721
- **Elliott Carter: 100 years of music** from July 30 to August 4
Various locations - info:055 597026 - 055 5978401

- **10th International Festival of European Youth Orchestras**
August 2
Chiesa S.Stefano al Ponte Vecchio
info:tel. 055 597026 - 055 5978401

- **Beato Angelico: Holy Masses of the Artists**
August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
Basilica di San Marco - info:055 2679079

- **Orchestra della Toscana: Puccini and Verdi in Paris** - concert
August 5
Boboli Garden - info:055 5978309

- **Concert of the Rossini Philharmonic in honour of St. Lawrence**
August 10
Sagrato Basilica di S.Lorenzo - info:055 6533084

- **Concert in the 64th Anniversary of the Liberation of Florence**
August 11
piazza della Signoria - info:055 6533084

BARBERINO DI MUGELLO

- **Terzo Potere in concert**
August 2
Piazza Cavour - info:055 8420106

- **Cinema and music**
August 7
Piazza Cavour - info:055 8420106

- **Classical Concert by Trio Xenia**
August 28
Giardini Teatro/Corso Corsini - info:055 8420106

BARBERINO VAL D'ELSA

- **Linari Classic.** International classical music festival
August 2, 7
various places - info:055 8052231

BORGO SAN LORENZO

- **Open-air cinema shows**
August 5, 12, 19
Don Bosco - info:055 84527242

CALENZANO

- **Summer in Calenzano.** Music, theatre, dance, cinema
August 5, 26
villas, castles and historical farms
info:0571 686341 - 348 - 338

CASTELFIORENTINO

- **Music and theatre shows with food tasting**
August 5, 26
villas, castles and historical farms
info:0571 686341 - 348 - 338

CERTALDO

- **Jazz Summer School and Arts Festival**
August from 11 to 19
Certaldo Alto - info:0571 661259

DICOMANO

- **Open-air cinema shows**
August 6, 13, 20, 27
Contea - info:055 8385407

EMPOLI

- **Summer at Marianbini Park**
from July 1 to August 31
Marianbini Park - info:0571 757729

FIESOLE

- **Aimez vous Brahms? I Quintetti di Brahms concert presented by the Fiesole Music School**
August 4
Basilica di S. Alessandro
info:055055 - 055 5961293

FIGLINE VALDARNO

- **Cristian Laurini e Crazy Dance...when music becomes entertainment, from 1950 to nowadays**
August 1
Piazza Marsilio Ficino - info:055 951569

- **Il solito condominio - cabaret show**
August 8
Piazza Marsilio Ficino - info:055 951569

- **Homage to Mozart - concert**
August 14
San Romolo parish church, Gaville
info:055 951569

FIRENZUOLA

- **Firenzuola Folk & Jazz Festival. Festival of the Italian artists**
August 1, 9
Bob Kennedy Garden
info:055 8199434 - 055 8198962

- **Progetto Uomo/Techne. Prometheus bound by Eschilo**
August from 2 to 17
Sasso di San Zanobi
info:055 8199434 - 334 9553640

FUCECCHIO

- **Jazz sotto le torri. Workshop**
August 2, 3, 4
Parco Corsini - info: 329 5998457

- **Festival Jazz sotto le torri. Concerts**
August 1, 6
Parco Corsini - info:0571 268403

GAMBASSI TERME

- **Summer in Gambassi**
from June 8 to August 31
various places - info:0571 639784

GREVE IN CHIANTI

- **Daniel Ferro Vocal Program. Concerts**
August 1, 4, 6
San Leolino Church
info:055 8546287 - 055 8545271

- **Summer concert season in Lamole**
August 3, 10, 12, 15, 17, 31
Lamole - info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299

- **Sogni & note. Concerts in the square at Greve**
August 5, 26
Piazza Matteotti - info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299

- **Jazzfolkclassic Summer 2008**
August 6
Panzano in Chianti - info:055 8546299 - 287

- **Note d'Autore - musical evening with Marco Fabiani**
August 22
Piazzetta delle Cantine
info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299

- **Folk jazz Florence project - concert**
August 28
Lucolena - info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299

- **INCISA VALDARNO**
• **Summer in Poggio. Shows and events**
from June 15 to September 6
Poggio alla Croce - info:055 8333443

MONTAIONE

- **Shows for children**
August 12
Via Marconi - info:0571 699265-267-252

MONTESPERTOLI

- **Montespertoli under the stars. Music and entertainment in the open air**
August from 1 to 10
Piazza Machiavelli - info:0571 609412

- **Summer music concerts**
August 2
churches, villas and castles - info:0571 609412

PALAZZUOLO SUL SENIO

- **Open-air cinema shows**
August 7, 20
info:055 84527242

PELAGO

- **The music of places**
August 23
Villa Podernuovo La Consuma
info:055 8327331 - 055 8306544

PONTASSIEVE

- **Summer at the park - shows, music, cinema**
from July 30 to September 14
Parco Fluviale Fabrizio De André
info:055 8360346/255

REGGELLO

- **Reggello Summer Nights 2008**
from June 15 to September 16
info:055 8669273-237-229

- **Concerts organized by the Vallombrosa Abbey**
August 2, 9, 16, 23
Vallombrosa Abbey - info:055 8669368

- **Reggello International Festival of European Young orchestras**
August 4
Pieve di San Pietro a Cascia - info:055 8669368

- **Reggello International Festival. Music festival: Violin and piano concert**
August 15
Pieve di San Pietro a Cascia
info:055 8669273-237-229

- **Literary vertigos under the summer sky - theatre shows, with live music: La panne, by F.Durrenmatt**
August 21, 28
Piazza Caduti di Nassyria, Pieve di Cascia - info:055 8669368

RIGNANO SULL'ARNO

- **Sounds and Colours Festival 2008 - Music Festival**
August 28, 31
farms, villas, churches - info:055 8347833

SAN GODENZO

- **Summer music festival**
August 5, 13, 17, 19, 23, 30
Il Castagno d'Andrea
info:055 8373826 - 055 8375125

- **Music festival**
August from 13 to 17
I Macelli - info:055 8374267 - 3383576493

SCARPERIA

- **La Traviata - opera**
August 1
Piazza dei Vicari - info:055 8468165

SESTO FIORENTINO

- **Summer in Sesto 2008 - a summer full of music, events, shows**
from July 30 to September 7
Villa Salaria - info:055 4496219

TAVARNELLE VAL DI PESA

- **Viva la piazza...la piazza vive. Musical events in Matteotti square**
August 8, 15, 22, 29
Piazza Matteotti - info:055 8077832

VAGLIA

- **Concert dedicated to tango by the Argentinian singer Celeste and the Brazilian guitarist José Ferreira**
August 3
Sala Rossa, Villa Demidoff - info:055 6266020

- **Circus - theatre show with acrobatics, dance, clownerie**
August 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17
Parco Mediceo di Pratolino - info:055 409155

- **Chitarrae. 4th edition - masterclass and classical guitar concerts for soloist and ensemble**
August from 24 to 31
Villa di Bivigliano - info:3474917247

- **Concert by Take Four Guitar Quartet**
August 30
Sala Rossa, Villa Demidoff - info:055 6266020

VICCHIO

- **Open-air cinema shows**
August 3, 10, 17
various places - info:055 84527242

VINCI

- **Summer in Vinci. Music, theatre, cinema shows, folk festivals**
from July 9 to August 31
historical centre - info:0571 568012

Art exhibitions, guided visits

- FIRENZE**
 - **Painting Light. The hidden techniques of the Impressionists - exhibition** from July 11 to September 28 Palazzo Strozzi - info:055 2645155
 - **The Medici and the sciences. Instruments and machines from the collections of the Medici Grand Dukes - exhibition** from May 15 to January 11, 2009 Museo degli Argenti - info:055 2388709/761
 - **At first sight. Fastenings of the Riccardiana Library - exhibition** from May 23 to August 29 Biblioteca Riccardiana - info:055 212586/293385
 - **Leonardo and Raffaello, for example ... Drawings and studies - exhibition** from May 25 to August 31 Palazzo Medici Riccardi - info:055 2760340
 - **The Heritage of Giotto. The art in Florence between 1340 and 1375 - exhibition** from June 10 to November 2 Galleria degli Uffizi - info:055 2388651
 - **Giovanni da Milano. Gothic Masterpieces between Lombardy and Tuscany** from June 10 to November 2 Galleria dell'Accademia - info:055 2388609
 - **Florence and the ancient Netherlands. Dialogues artistic, 1430 – 1530 - exhibition** from June 20 to October 26 Galleria Palatina - info:055 2388614
- **Dutch and Flemish Drawings from the collection of the Gabinetto Disegni e Stampe at the Uffizi - exhibition** from June 26 to September 2 Gabinetto Disegni e Stampe degli Uffizi info:055 23885
- **Museums...after the sunset!** from July 1 to September 30 Galleria degli Uffizi & Galleria dell' Accademia info:055 2388651 - 055 2388609
- **Photographs 1995-2007 by David LaChapelle** from July 16 to October 19 Forte di Belvedere - info:055 9061757
- **Gian Gastone (1671-1737). Testimonials and discoveries on the last Medici Granduke** from July 16 to November 2 Cappelle Medicee - info:055 2654321
- BORGO SAN LORENZO**
 - **Mugello the cradle of Renaissance - exhibition** from May 25 to November 30 Villa Pecori Giraldi info:055 8457197 - 055 8456230
- CERRETO GUIDI**
 - **Women, Trees and surroundings - sculpture exhibition by Franco Berretti** from July 25 to September 30 Medici Villa - info:0571 906213
- CERTALDO**
 - **Augusto Murer - sculpture exhibition** from July 26 to September 7 Palazzo Pretorio - info:0571 661276
- FIESOLE**
 - **Coloured rhythms and silence of the Tuscan landscape - painting exhibition by Maro Gorky** from June 6 to August 4 Archeological Museum info:055 5961293 -055 598720
- FIRENZUOLA**
 - **Sign and colours. Drawing exhibition by Paolo Lasagni** from August 15 to 22 Town Hall - info:055 8199437-59
- FUCECCHIO**
 - **Exhibition of the never seen before works by Arturo Checchi** from May 3 to November 2 Museo di Fucecchio e Fondazione Montanelli Bassi - info:0571 20349
- LONDA**
 - **Painting exhibition by Vered Gamlief** from August 31 to September 14 Council Hall - info:055 8352535
- MARRADI**
 - **Embroideries on exhibition** from July 27 to August 17 Chiesa Suffragio - info:055 8045170
- PALAZZUOLO SUL SENIO**
 - **Exhibition by Mauro Tampieri** from August 2 to 31 Oratorio SS.Carlo Borromeo e Antonio di Padova info:055 8046008 - 055 8046125
- SAN GODENZO**
 - **Annigoni, walking with a friend painting exhibition by Annigoni** from July 19 to August 17 Cultural Centre Enrica Rainetti - info:055 8373826
- SAN PIERO A SIEVE**
 - **Mugello the cradle of Renaissance - exhibition** from May 25 to November 30 Convento del Bosco ai Frati info:055 848751 - 055 8487536
- SCARPERIA**
 - **Mugello the cradle of Renaissance - exhibition** from May 25 to November 30 Palazzo dei Vicari - info:055 8468165
- VICCHIO**
 - **Mugello the cradle of Renaissance - exhibition** from May 25 to November 30 Museo di Arte Sacra Beato Angelico info:055 8448251
- VINCI**
 - **The impossible Leonardo - exhibition of the digital reproductions of the most famous Leonardo's paintings** from June 6 to August 31 Chiesa di Santa Croce - info:0571 568012

Conventions, lectures, literary prizes

- FIRENZE**
 - **Yoga of Laugh - meetings** August 6 Parco di Villa Favard - info:055 2767828-22
- **XV ISSOL 2008 - International Conference On The Origin Of Life** August from 24 to 29 Palazzo dei Congressi - info:055 49721
- CERTALDO**
 - **Griseldascrittura. Literary workshop. IX edition. Poetry is/and music** August from 27 to 30 Palazzo Pretorio - info:0571 661276/9
- VAGLIA**
 - **Music and painting workshops for children** August 1, 2 Parco Mediceo di Pratolino info:055 6266020 - 3474917247

Trade fairs and markets

- FIRENZE**
 - **Fortezza Antiquaria - antique market** August from 16 to 17 Giardini della Fortezza da Basso info:055 3283550
- BARBERINO DI MUGELLO**
 - **Market of strange things** August 10 Public Gardens - info:055 8416550
- BORGO SAN LORENZO**
 - **St. Lawrence fair** August 3 historical centre- info:055 84966229
- CASTELFIORENTINO**
 - **St. Lawrence fair** August 10 historical centre - info:0571 686341
- DICOMANO**
 - **Fair of crafts, antiques and second-hand goods** August 17 historical centre - info:055 838541
- FIESOLE**
 - **Antique market** August 3 Piazza Mino - info:055 598720 - 055055
- FIRENZUOLA**
 - **Book fair** August from 7 to 10 Piazza Agnolo - info:055 8199437-59
- GREVE IN CHIANTI**
 - **Wine tasting under the stars** August 10 Piazza Matteotti - info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299
- **Stars and merchants at Greve. Evening market** August 21 Piazza Matteotti - info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299
- **Organic products market Il Pagliaio** August 24 Piazza Matteotti - info:055 8545271 - 055 8546299
- LASTRA A SIGNA**
 - **Ancient mid August fair** August from 29 to 31 historical centre - info:055 8725770
- MARRADI**
 - **Soffitta in piazza: second-hand goods market** August 7, 14, 21, 28 historical centre - info:055 8045170
- MONTAIONE**
 - **Handicraft and typical products market** August 5 historical centre - info:0571 699254
- PALAZZUOLO SUL SENIO**
 - **Mercantico. Evening antique market** August 5, 12, 19, 26 historical centre - info:055 8046125
- **Hobby Senio. Antique and collector market** August 10 historical centre - info:055 8046008
- PELAGO**
 - **Late summer fair** August 21 Piazza Ghiberti - info:055 8327365
- **Consuma fair** August 28 Consuma - info:055 8327365
- PONTASSIEVE**
 - **St. Lawrence's fair** August 10 historical centre - info:055 8360239
- REGGELLO**
 - **Exhibition of furniture and Vallombrosa wood handicraft** from July 12 to August 17 Vallombrosa - info:055 8669368
- SCARPERIA**
 - **35th Cutting Irons fair - the art of hunting. Usages, customs, secrets, knives** from May 25 to September 14 Palazzo dei Vicari - info:055 8468165
- **Antique and collector market** August 3, 31 centro storico - info:055 8468165
- SESTO FIORENTINO**
 - **August fair** from August 29 to September 7 Piazza Vittorio Veneto - info:055 4496286
- VICCHIO**
 - **MAZE. Handicraft exhibition and book fair** August from 23 to 31 Primary School - info:055 8439245
- **Agriculture and cattle fair** August from 29 to 31 Coop area - info:055 8439245

Folk festivals, sport events

- FIRENZE**
 - **St. Lawrence Feast. Historic Procession of the Florentine republic** August 10 Basilica San Lorenzo - info:055 2616056
- BARBERINO DI MUGELLO**
 - **Fireworks on Bilancino lake** August 15 Bilancino Lake - info:055 8418133
- **Vintage cars meeting** August 24 Cavallina - info:055 8420106
- BORGO SAN LORENZO**
 - **St. Lawrence celebrations** August from 3 to 15 historical centre - info:055 84966229
- CALENZANO**
 - **Fresco d'estate. Food stands and music shows** from August 30 to September 21 Carraia - info:055 8819918 - 055 8833265
- CERRETO GUIDI**
 - **Pizza festival** from August 21 to September 21 Lazzaretto - info:0571 906213
- EMPOLI**
 - **Summer in Marcignana. Music shows, meetings, games** from May 31 to September 20 Circolo Arci Marcignana - info:0571757229
- FIRENZUOLA**
 - **Palio of the Apennines. Horses parade and Medieval Palio** August 2 historical centre - info:055 8199459
- **Cake festival - tasting of local traditional cakes and live music** August 20 historical centre - info:055 8199459
- FUCECCHIO**
 - **Beef steak food festival** August from 1 to 17 Galleno - info:0571 299422
- **Bird show** August 30 Ponte a Cappiano - info:3471407489
- GAMBASSI TERME**
 - **4th edition of the Chianti Wine and typical products fair and 4th edition of Palio delle Contrade** August from 24 to 31 historical centre - info:0571 639784 - 0571 639192
- GREVE IN CHIANTI**
 - **Nut tree festival** August 14 Panzano in Chianti - info:055 8546299
- **Sante Marie religious festival** August from 15 to 16 Panzano in Chianti - info:055 8546299
- MARRADI**
 - **Wild boar food festival** August from 8 to 10 Crespino del Lamone info:055 8045170 - 055 8045005
- **Wild boar food festival** August from 14 to 15 Campigno - info:055 8045170 - 055 8045005
- MONTELUPO FIORENTINO**
 - **Pappardella (typical large pasta noodles) food festival** August from 21 to 31 Parco Urbano dell'Ambrogiana - info:0571 600220
- MONTESPERTOLI**
 - **Goblets of stars (wine tasting)** August 10 Piazza Machiavelli - info:0571 600220
- PALAZZUOLO SUL SENIO**
 - **Wild boar food festival** August from 14 to 17 Casa del Villeggiante - info:055 8046125
- REGGELLO**
 - **Ferragosto Water melon party** August 14 Piazza Potente - info:055 8669237-229
- SAN GODENZO**
 - **Hunting and fishing festival** August from 22 to 24 I Macelli - info:055 8374267 - 3393682736
- SAN PIERO A SIEVE**
 - **Late summer festival in Campomigliaio** August 29, 30, 31 Campomigliaio - info:055 848751
- SCARPERIA**
 - **14th Giampiero Vivaldi Trophy Premier National Cup 2008** August from 22 to 24 Mugello motor racing circuit - info:055 8499111
- **Diotto Celebrations 2008** from August 24 to September 14 historical centre - info:055 8468165
- SIGNA**
 - **Feast in Medieval style in the castle** August 6 historical centre - info:055 8794282
- VICCHIO**
 - **Fiera calda. Art, agriculture, handicraft and antique fair.** August from 27 to 31 historical centre - info:055 8439245
- VINCI**
 - **Calici di stelle. Wine tasting in the castle** August 10 Piazza del Castello - info:0571 568012