

Caprarola and the extraordinary Renaissance Palazzo Farnese

The fascinating territory of the ancient Etruscans!

The picturesque ancient borgo of Caprarola looks immersed in one of the most extraordinary natural wonders of Lazio region. It stands on a hilly area at the foot of the Cimini mountains just over 500 meters above sea level surrounded by lush forests and close to Lake Vico, a very suggestive lake formed inside an ancient volcano collapsed on itself. Caprarola is dominated by the monumental Palazzo Farnese, one of the best examples of a Renaissance residence, built for the Roman Farnese family in Caprarola. In 1530 Alessandro Farnese, who later became Pope Paul III, asked Antonio Sangallo the Younger to build a fortress in Caprarola. The building comprises 5 floors, including the basement, dozens of frescoed rooms and is surrounded by a large ditch and beautiful gardens. It has a pentagonal shape and an internal circular courtyard. Caprarola also saves the Church of St. Teresa, a masterpiece by Girolamo Rainaldi, commissioned by the Farnese family.

A partire da: euro Servizi inclusi:

- Transfers by car, minivan or GT coach as per scheduled itinerary
- English speaking tour leader for the whole tour
- Guided visit of the borgo of Caprarola and Palazzo Farnese (3hrs) with english speaking guide (*) only for groups of minimum 8 people up, independent visit for individual clients
- 1 Lunch with local cuisine in a traditional restaurant in Caprarola
- Entrance ticket to Palazzo Farnese (**) only for groups of minimum 8 people up
- VAT and Taxes

Servizi non inclusi:

- Admission fees to monuments, churches and historical sites
- Gratuities and personal expenses
- Anything else is not listed under "Services included"

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