

August 30-September 4, 2009 – Parma (Italy)



3rd September 2009

Cavallino Bianco Restaurant/Antica Corte Pallavicina – Polesine Parmense (Parma)

Departure from the Congress Centre at 5.30 p.m. and at 6.00 p.m. by bus

***The dinner will take place in the Restaurant Cavallino Bianco
Before the dinner you will be welcome by a cocktail accompanied by a wide buffet***

The restaurant is surrounded by nature and by the Corte Pallavicina.

This is the domain of the dynasty of the family Spigaroli, who has been managing this restaurant on the banks of the river Po since 1920. The buffet will start by tasting the famous culatello (home-made, as well as all the other meats). Then we will serve Farnese pike with sauce, salad of quail and foie gras, tortelli herbs and zucchini, grilled sturgeon, fried mixture of the "great river", the Barcarola catfish. Among the desserts we will offer ice cream, chocolate cake, home made pies.

Precious wines will be served.

In 1990 the whole place was falling into ruin, the unique and really important intervention of restoration dated back to 1550. The Spigarolis involved all craftsmen, still holding the antique local know-how for restoring buildings: they used the bricks recovered from the ruins and the same poplar wood as in the old times. This is a place linked to the gastronomy and to the culture of its products. The guests can see animals of ancient races, like the black pigs of "Nera Parmigiana" or the white cows with long horns, the black geese, the dumb mottled ducks, the cocks and hens with incredible red crests, which today populate the court as they did in the past.



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