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**Guided cycling Tour Gran Fondo Lombardia. From October 11 until October 14**  
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## **Guided cycling Tour Gran Fondo Lombardina 2019 on road bike**

The Gran Fondo Lombardia is an one day cycling classic which is held in the autumn. Cycle the Gran Fondo Lombardia in the region of Lombardy. This year it will take place on Sunday October thirteen. The start point will be in Como and it features three iconic climbs: The Sormano, the Caviglio and the Ghisallo. Watch the final monument of the season before you will ride this cycling classic. During this Gran Fondo Lombardia 2019 there will also be fantastic hospitality options available in Como and Bergamo.

Watch and cycle the final monument of this cycling year. The Gran Fondo Lombardia combines the unique charm of its beautiful route with the opportunity to cycle the same route as the pro's did a day before. This is a key part what makes the Gran Fondo Lombardia an real cycling event for everyone. The route starts from Como and takes you to Onno, on the eastern branch of Lake Como. From here you will heading north to take the mountain roads. Here you will have two great climbs the Ghisallo and the Sormano. The route turns and you will go back to Como. On your way back you will climb the Caviglio.

### **Watch and cycle this Gran Fondo Lombardina 2019 in Italy**

- Cycle three iconic climbs: The Sormano, the Caviglio and the Ghisallo
- Watch the final monument of the season before you will ride the same route by your self
- During this Gran Fondo Lombardia 2019 there will also be fantastic hospitality options available in Como and Bergamo
- Combine the unique charm of its beautiful route with the opportunity to cycle the same route as the pro's
- Come and join over more then 1400 sportive riders during this Gran Fondo Lombardia 2019 cycling Tour

### **Itinerary**

#### Day 1

##### Check in

Please make arrangements to join the hotel in Como today or make use of our airport transfer service. We provide airport transfers from Milan Malpensa airport throughout the day for flights arriving before 19.00. Before you book your flights, please contact us so we can ensure that the airport transfer is available.

#### Day 2

##### Loop ride Como

After breakfast you will head out for a supported and guided ride into the country-side surrounding Como with the bike guide. If you want to rest your legs ahead of tomorrow's Gran Fondo, then there is an VIP finish access in Como.

## Day 3

### Gran Fondo Lombardia 2019

Today is the day of the 3rd edition of the Gran Fondo Il Lombardia. As we are based in Como, we are ideally located for the start and the finish of the event. The Gran Fondo starts at 07.30 from Como, just a short distance from our hotel. You have a 7 hour time limit to complete the 100km course, which includes climbs to Madonna del Ghisallo and Muro di Sormano (including sections of 27% gradient). The final section of the Gran Fondo will include the climbs of Caviglio and San Fermo della Battaglia, before taking the same route finale as IL Lombardia 2016, won by Sebastian Chavez, crossing the finish line back in Bergamo.

## Day 4

### Departure day

After breakfast we will provide an airport transfer from Como to Milan Malpensa airport. There isn't transfer service for the other airports.

### Medical

#### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Day license OR UCI National Cycling Federation Card/Licence To take part in the Gran Fondo Sanremo-Sanremo you must either hold a UCI Recognised National Cycling Federation Racing licence (including the medical element) OR take out a day licence. We have included the day licence in the package price. MEDICAL CERTIFICATE Additionally, all riders taking the Day Licence must have a Medical Sports Certificate which was issued within 6 months of the event, which must be presented at race registration. This should state : 'the data of the athlete the indication of the sport for which it was required the visit to the doctor: CYCLING the statement of the sport doctor that THE ATHLETE , ON THE BASE OF THE MEDICAL CONTROL, DOES NOT HAVE CONTRADICTIONS'

### Airport

- Milan has three important airports; the most important airport is Milan Malpensa, from here many flights leave /arrive worldwide. There are many regular flights to/ from Madrid, Brussels, Amsterdam, Frankfurt, Berlin, Rome, London Heathrow, Copenhagen, Barcelona, Athens, Zurich and more very important cities from all around the Globe.
- The second airport is Milan Linate which has a lot of domestic and European flights to all important cities in Europe. There is a shuttle bus connecting Malpensa with Linate Airport. The ride between the two airports takes more than an hour.
- The third airport is Bergamo Airport (officially rio al Serio International Airport) and is northeast of Milan, close to the city of Bergamo. This airport is especially used by budget companies like Ryanair.

### Bus to the hotel

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- From Milan Malpensa Airport there is an transfer service to your hotel. The transfers are available before 19.00h. There isn't transfer service for the other airports.

## **Booking Information**

### **Lombardia Pro race and Gran Fondo Waiting List**

- Send us an email [info@cycleclassictours.com](mailto:info@cycleclassictours.com)

## **Extra Information**

- Please do not make travel plans until you receive your confirmation from the touroperator.
- Please be advised that we make every effort to ensure that all the information given on this site is accurate. All statements and information has been researched and supplied by third parties.
- The information given is accurate and reliable, to the best of our knowledge. Should errors be found, we will rectify them as quickly as possible. However, we accept no responsibility for errors or inaccuracies.

## **Included**

- Support from the driver and bike guide
- Return airport transfers from Milan Malpensa Airport at set times on Friday and Monday
- All in-resort transfers for you and your bike
- 3 nights at the 3 star hotel Borgo Antico in Como with all hotel taxes included
- 3 breakfasts
- Secure bike storage at the hotel
- The official 2019 Il Lombardia road book
- A guided ride on Lombardia day to watch the race
- A comprehensive travel itinerary
- A cycling jersey made by Santini
- A safe pair of hands

## **Not Included**

- Lunches
- Drinks
- Bike rental € 200 Pinarello Gan S Carbon
- Single supplement € 155
- Entry fee for the Gran Fondo Il Lombardia on Sunday € 46
- Italian day license € 18