

ANNIVERSARY CORVETTE - TOUR

A Fabulous Corvette Road Trip

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Verona, Sirmione – Lago di Garda and Bolzano, South Tyrol – Italy

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This wonderful 16-day tour will take us on an exciting road trip to our **10th Anniversary Sports Cars Season Opening** in Gerlos and through beautiful Italy with a visit of factories and museums of all major Italian car manufacturers and a very special 100th Anniversary in Verona.

You will arrive at Munich Airport, Germany, on **Wednesday, June 7th** where I will pick you all up and bring you to the “Best Western PLUS Hotel Erb” for your first night.



After checking in and selecting your favorite Corvette, which will be brought to the hotel in the afternoon, we will visit our friends Eleonora & Giuseppe’s authentic Ristorante “Modesto’s” and enjoy a wonderful Pre-Italy dinner.



On **Thursday, June 8th**, after a relaxed breakfast we will “saddle our horses” and leave “Hotel Erb” at **10:30 AM** to the service and rest station Vaterstetten on Autobahn A99 direction South where we will meet a lot of other sports cars and their drivers and co-drivers who will accompany us on our way to the wonderful **Hotel Schönruh****** in Gerlos.



The caravan will follow the Autobahn to exit Holzkirchen from where we will drive nice country roads through Tegernsee or Bad Tölz and the Sylvenstein reservoir lake along Lake Achensee and the Achenpass to Tyrol, Austria. We will drive up the mountain pass road to the lovely village Gerlos in the fantastic mountain scenery of the Zillertal.





The Hotel Schönruh**** will welcome us and our Corvettes and all other sports cars in their 3 garages and carports.



Anyone who has already joined the weekend with us knows the excellent Schönruh cuisine. Whether it is a gala dinner or a buffet, a breakfast or a snack, a barbecue or a kitchen party - no culinary desires remain open.



A wonderful pool and wellness area including a sauna area with 8 saunas and steam baths invites you to relax and unwind. So don't forget to bring your bathing clothes. And of course the fun does not come too short 😊😊😊



The owners Elfi & Franz and their son Manuel and daughter in law Sandra and the whole staff are prepared for us and can't wait to arrange a wonderful weekend for us. The following 2 daily tours will be leaded and guided by the hosts.



We will arrive in the early afternoon where the hotel staff already await us with a welcome drink and lunch buffet, where we meet the other sports cars drivers who came separately from other directions. After moving into our nice rooms we can enjoy the pool and the SPA facilities or relax at their lovely terrace or hotel bar.

At 7.00 pm we all will have a lot of fun at Elfi's Schnaps (liquor) barriere at our world famous „Kitchen Party“!



The planned daily trips for **Friday, June 9th** and **Saturday, June 10th**, are not fixed yet but will be great tours to very beautiful and interesting places with breathtaking views – as every year.



On **Friday evening** we will either enjoy a romantic BBQ at the Schönruh terrace or a wonderful Dinner Buffet with musical accompaniment – depending on the weather.



On **Saturday evening**, after another wonderful day, we all celebrate our one and only “**Sportscar White Night Gala Dinner & Party**” with Aperitiv on the terrace or in the party tent - a perfect **10th ANNIVERSARY** dinner and party with party music, entertainment and dance at the Hotel Schönruh - so we kindly ask every participant to **bring white clothes** with you ☺



On **Sunday, June 11th**, after a hearty and relaxing breakfast at the sparkling wine breakfast buffet, we check out and say Good-Bye to everyone who has to go home as our journey goes on for another fantastic 10 days ☺

We will leave the hotel at around **10:30 AM** to drive one of the most famous and most spectacular mountain roads in the world, the **Grossglockner High Alpine Road**, which is around 120 km away from Hotel Schönruh.

The 48 km long **Grossglockner High Alpine Road** is the highest surfaced mountain pass road in Austria. It connects Bruck in the state of Salzburg with Heiligenblut in Carinthia via Fuscher Törl and Hochtörl Pass at 2,504 meters (8,215 ft). The road is named after the Grossglockner, Austria’s highest mountain. Built as a scenic road, a toll is assessed for passage. This alpine road is one of the highest driving pleasures worldwide – every kilometer and every single one of the 36 turns is a treat for car and mountain lovers ☺



The **Grossglockner** is, at 3,798 meters (12,461 ft) above the Adriatic, the highest mountain in Austria and the highest mountain in the Alps east of the Brenner Pass. The Pasterze, Austria’s most extended glacier, lies on the Grossglockner’s eastern slope. We will have lunch at the highest restaurant, the Kaiser-Franz-Joseph-Haus.



After lunch break we will go to the mountain village Heiligenblut and check in at the “Landhotel Post”, right on the foot of the Grossglockner, where we spend a nice mountain night on our way to the Adriatic Coast in Italy.



On **Monday, June 12th**, after a great mountain breakfast at the Landhotel Post, we will drive the rest of the fantastic Grossglockner High Alpine Road over Lienz and Udine to the Adriatic coast of Bella Italia where we will stay at the wonderful beach hotel “Casa Bianca al Mare” in Lido di Jesolo for the next 3 nights.



Here we will recover from the strains of mountain driving and let us go really well. We will only eat and drink and swim and relax and do the best for ourselves – and certainly will have a lot of fun !!! 😊😊😊



The next day – **Tuesday, June 13th** – is completely at your disposal. You can either take a walk through the lovely village of Jesolo and shop or relax at the beach or pool – or pool bar. 😊😊😊

On **Wednesday, June 14th**, after an early breakfast we will meet in the Lobby at **8:30 AM** and will either take the public bus or drive with our Corvettes to Punta Sabbioni, a harbor close to Jesolo, where we will take a 1 hour boat trip to Piazza San Marco in Downtown Venice. Venice will be one of the highlights of our whole tour.



Welcome to the glorious, incomparable city of Venice, Italy. With its grand marble palaces and churches seeming to float atop the city's many canals, and boasting the world's most artistic masterpieces per square mile, this city will amaze you in every way.

At **11 AM** we will meet bella Luisella – our private English speaking tour guide – who was born in Venice and knows the city inside and out . She will show us all the attractions and point of interests of Venice and tell us everything about the history of the lagoon city. After the guided walking tour through the City of Venice we will hop on a gondola, or do as the locals do and take a Vaporetto along Venice's fabled Grand Canal. Our guide will point out the architectural wonders as we glide along from the Rialto Bridge to Doge's Palace and Piazza San Marco. Make sure to go inside the Basilica di San Marco, one of the most spectacular houses of worship in the world.



Everybody who wants to can have lunch or coffee, cake and ice cream or a drink in one of the many restaurants, cafés and bars of the city. The afternoon is at your disposal.



After a splendid time in Venice we will close the day at **5 PM** with a wonderful romantic evening dinner at the waterfront “Ristorante Florida” directly at the Canale Grande and Rialto Bridge. Cross your fingers that it is warm enough to sit outside on the Canale Grande and watch the boats and gondolas flow by.



At **7.30 PM** we will go back to Piazza San Marco with the vaporetto and enjoy the dusk on the water and then take a boat back to Jesolo harbor and the bus back to our beach hotel. We will close the evening with a satisfying “nightcap”.

On **Thursday, June 15th** we will have a long way to drive so we will leave the beautiful “Casa Bianca al Mare” early after breakfast and checkout at **9:30 AM** and drive around 220 km to the Modena area. We will have a short pit stop with lunch break at a gas station / resting area on our way to Sant’Agata Bolognese where we will enjoy a personal English speaking factory tour through the complete assembly line of LAMBORGHINI Automobili S.p.A. at **2:30 PM**. There we can see how V12 engines and the Huracan and Aventador are built - and will visit their interesting museum.



After this fascinating and interesting experience at around **4 PM** we will drive the short distance of 32 km to Casinalbo di Formigine, where we will check in into the “Best Western Plus Modena Resort” – a very nice hotel resort with three pools and Jacuzzi, snack bar in a beautiful resort park and air conditioned rooms – for the next 2 nights.



At **7:30 PM** we will meet at the lobby and drive together to the famous restaurant of “Mamma Rosella” – Ristorante Montana - behind Ferrari’s Fiorano Race Track, where we will have a wonderful dinner at **7:30 PM** – it’s **THE** hangout of every Formula 1 driver and the favorite restaurant of famous world champion Michael Schumacher.



On **Friday, June 16th**, after breakfast at **9:30 AM** we will leave for a visit to the one and only PAGANI Automobili S.P.A. in San Cesario sul Penaro, where we will enjoy an English guided tour through the PAGANI factory at **10:30 AM**.

Pagani is a small volume manufacturer of one of the most expensive 12-cylinder sports cars worldwide. “...so everything had to come together as if it was a car carved out of a block of Carrara marble...” said Horacio Pagani about his latest dream car project – the Huayra Roadster. With a little bit of luck we even might see Signore Pagani himself.



After this highlight, we will start our engines again and drive about 15 km to the “Ferrari Museo and Casa Enzo” in Modena and whoever is hungry can have a lunch snack and drink at their “Caffetteria & Ristorante Giallo Modena”.



At **3 PM** we will walk only 1,650 ft to their neighbor MASERATI S.P.A. where we will have another great factory tour at **3.30 PM**. The starting-point for this journey is the historic plant on Viale Ciro Menotti in Modena. The Modena plant, where the Trident has had its home for over 80 years, is a magical location that combines the Brand’s “made in Italy” DNA and its Heritage with an irrepresible drive towards the future and innovation: the plant has been modernised with new production, engine assembly and painting facilities specifically for the new MC20. Lasting about an hour, the exclusive factory tour includes a welcome reception and historical introduction in the recently renovated showrooms prior to a guided walk around the powertrain department. Afterwards there is the opportunity to view the cars and browse through the Maserati store.



At **7:30 PM** we will meet at the hotel lobby and ride on reserved taxis to the known only by locals and fabulous Ristorante “Il Piccolo Mugnaio” in Torre Maina for a nice and authentic outback dinner in an old romantic mill - a very natural place to enjoy and have fun – where we sit in the middle of the kitchen while Mamma is cooking and her daughters are serving. And believe me: a taxi will be needed after Mamma’s wonderful tasty Limoncello..... 😊😊😊



On **Saturday, June 17th**, after breakfast and checkout at **9:30 AM** we will drive 15 km to Maranello, the birth city of Ferrari, where we will discover the one and only “Galleria Ferrari” in Maranello. After exploring the museum we will drive our Corvettes to the entrance of the factory (only possible on the weekends) and try to make some nice souvenir pictures of every Vette with driver and co-pilot.



After the nice experience of the “Galleria Ferrari” and on our way to the interesting and unique “Collezione UMBERTO PANINI Motor Museum” - we will stop at “Acienda Agricola Acetaia Leonardi Giovanni”, a traditional “Aceto Balsamico di Modena” (also called the liquid gold) vinegar factory, where we will have an English speaking guided tour through the factory and enjoy a nice little lunch with typical local delicacies and vinegar tasting.



Afterwards we drive the short distance of 5 km to “Collezione UMBERTO PANINI Musée Maserati” at Hombre Farm in Modena where we will have an English guided tour through the museum and their own *BIO* cheese factory “HOMBRE Parmigiano Reggiano” at **2 PM**.

On the farm that cares for 700 cows and produces world-renowned Parmigiano Reggiano, there is also a collection of Maserati heritage — a century of speed, raw power, and refined design.

The core of the automobile collection is Maserati History: 19 of the finest cars Italy has ever produced. Umberto Panini, a Modena native and the patriarch of the family famed for their collectibles empire, purchased the collection before it went to auction in 1996, housing the cars at Hombre, the family farm.



After a great day at the most interesting museums in Maranello and Modena we drive around 120 km to the interesting and historical city of Verona – also called the Italian City of Love.

Verona has a wonderful medieval old town that was built on both sides of the meandering Adige River. It is known as the setting for Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet". An urban dwelling from the 14th century with a tiny balcony facing the inner courtyard is called "Juliet's House". The “Arena di Verona” is a huge 1st century Roman amphitheater that hosts concerts and top-class opera performances.



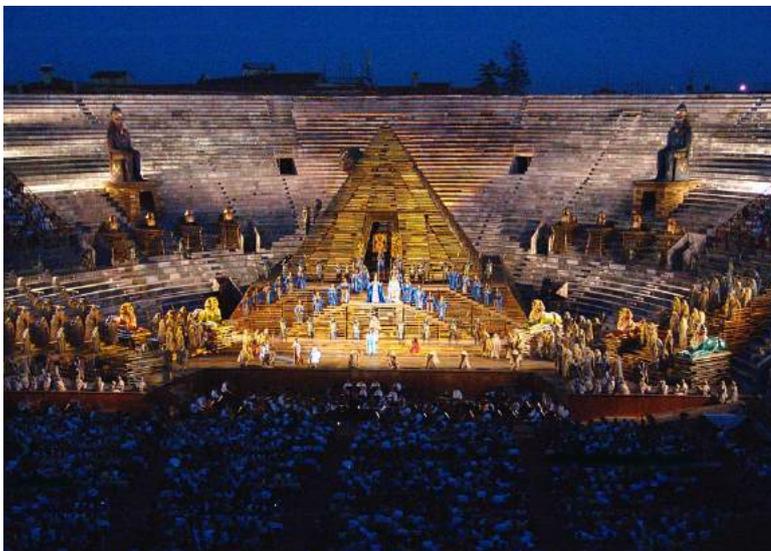
We will park our Corvettes in a reserved downtown parking garage and check-in to the nice historical hotel “Relais Empire Verona” for one night. We will have dinner at Ristorante “Le Cantine de l’Arena” right across Arena di Verona.



Dress up and get ready for one of the most exciting nights of all time – and participate at the great Anniversary, the **100th Opera Festival Arena di Verona 2023**. Take your seat and enjoy an unforgettable and emotional night.



Even if you're not an Opera fan you will not be able to escape the magic of this unforgettable evening. I don't yet know which opera will be performed on this first anniversary evening - AIDA, Nabucco, La Traviata, Carmen, Turandot – but that doesn't matter at all - every opera in the Arena di Verona is something very special and a unique experience of a lifetime. And don't worry, even if you don't understand what is being sung - there are large displays with English translation. Sit down, listen, watch, enjoy and let yourself be enchanted - I promise you won't regret it.



On **Sunday, June 18th**, after a wonderful night and a late breakfast and check-out at **11 AM** we will either hop on a Verona city-sightseeing bus, which give us the opportunity to discover the beauties, art, monuments and secrets of the city from another perspective – or we also might enjoy an English guided city center walking tour where we will learn a

lot about the city and its history – if they do it on Sundays – or especially for the ladies: we can also spend some time with shopping in the hip Verona shops. From Armani to Gucci, Louis Vuitton, Trussardi, Prada, Chanel, Dolce & Gabbana, Versace, Bulgari..... and the precious multi-brand boutique Al Duca D’Aosta - you will find all the modern, elegant and refined fashion styles and brands here.

Either way, afterwards we will find us a nice place for lunch in one of the iconic street cafés, bars or restaurants before we have to say Good-Bye to the lovely City of Love – Verona.

At around **3 PM** we will start our engines and drive only 36 km to wonderful Lake Garda and the lovely peninsula village Sirmione with its historical Scaligero Castle “Castello Scagliero”. It is a fortress from the Scaliger era, an access point to the historical center of Sirmione and one of the most complete and well-conserved castles of Italy.



To reach our nice hotel we need to **drive in a convoy over the drawbridge of the fortress and the pedestrian zone through the old town of Sirmione** where all locals and visitors of Sirmione can salute our Vettes. Italians love the sound of loud exhausts and burnouts,not sure if tourists also do.... I strongly doubt German tourists will do ;-)
This is such a powerful experience full of pure adrenaline and joy 😊



We will move in to the beautiful 4**** Hotel "Olivi Thermae & Natural Spa" just behind the old town of Sirmione (the old town is within 10 minutes walking distance) where we will spend 2 nights. The hotel has excellent reviews, a very good location directly at the Lake Garda and has a large SPA area and nice air conditioned rooms.

The Hotel "Olivi Thermae & Natural Spa" is one of the few hotels with its own private car parking lot. Most other hotels in the old town area offer their guests only parking spaces in the city's public car parking lots.



If we are early enough in Sirmione - between 3 PM and 4 PM – we can explore the village, go shopping, have coffee and ice cream, make a boat trip or use the SPA area of the hotel before dinner. The afternoon is at your disposal.



At **8 PM** we all will go for dinner to the beautiful Ristorante “L’Arcimboldo” in Downtown Sirmione - a 5-minute walk to a nice place with very good and authentic Italian food. If the weather is nice and warm we certainly will dine on their lovely waterfront terrace.



On **Monday, June 19th**, after a nice breakfast we will meet at the lobby at **9:30 AM** and walk together to Sirmione harbor where we take a ferry boat to lovely Bardolino, a lively wine town on the Olive Riviera of Lake Garda.

Thanks to the light, sparkling red wine, the small town of Bardolino is on everyone's lips. It grows in the hilly hinterland of the former fishing village, which today exudes a rather urban atmosphere. The open old town with its wide streets, numerous shops and long promenade invite you to stroll. We will have a nice lunch break in one of their outside seating restaurants or cafés and enjoy a refreshing glass of Bardolino or some ice-cream.



After a nice stay in Bardolino we again hop on a boat in the afternoon and go either to Garda or Lazise - both are wonderful romantic fishing villages with a historic old town.

Garda is located between the huge rock Rocca and the very beautiful peninsula San Vigilio. A very beautiful and varied vegetation is native to the Bay of Garda. Cypresses, olive trees, myrtle and also oleanders grow here. Garda has many romantic corners, but also the bustle in the city center. During the Roman period, the place was called the "pearl" of the lake. The Lake Garda is named after the city of Garda.

Lazise is a picturesque small town on the south-eastern shore of Lake Garda, which harmoniously combines history and the present. The old city wall with all its towers and gates surrounds Lazise like a protective wall. And right in the middle, squares and narrow alleys leave enough space to offer the wide promenade enough space to the beach.



After an exciting day we will return to Sirmione by boat in the early evening where we will have dinner either in one of the many restaurants at the pier of Sirmione, on our way back to Hotel Olivi or in our hotel restaurant "Degli Ulivi".



On **Tuesday, June 20th**, after a relaxed breakfast on the lovely terrace of Hotel Olivi we will drive the breathtaking scenic road along Lake Garda direction North (Riva del Garda). On our wonderful curvy ride along the lake we will stop at the hip bar and gelateria "Barino 2.0" in Brenzone for a little relaxing waterfront coffee or ice cream break.



After this nice stop we will follow the lake up north and exit to Rovereto on our way to **Bolzano** (Italian) or **Bozen** (German), which is the capital city of South Tyrol and the German speaking region in the northern part of Italy. Bolzano is the largest city in the region. Its archaeology museum is famous worldwide as the home of the alpine iceman "Ötzi". It is also known as the Italian Capital of Christmas thanks to its characteristic Christmas market. Bolzano's population is around 100,000 (140,000 including the metropolitan area). 25% of inhabitants speak German as their mother tongue, which is much higher in the non-urban parts of the province (up to more than 90% in some areas), making the city and province officially bilingual.

Together with Innsbruck, Bolzano is officially the capital of the Alps because the seat of the Alpine Convention is there. The world-famous Museum of Archaeology with the Iceman and the Messner Mountain Museum's main seat make Bolzano a world city of mountaineering history and culture.



We will check in to the wonderful Downtown “Parkhotel Laurin” in the center of the beautiful lively city Bolzano in Alto Adige, where we also will have dinner together in the nice restaurant of our hotel. But before dinner there’ll be enough time to walk through beautiful downtown Bolzano and maybe have a “gelato” or espresso at Walter’s place.



We will have dinner in the romantic garden of the nice hotel restaurant at **8 PM**.

On **Wednesday, June 21th** after a nice long breakfast we will go back to Munich to the BEST WESTERN PLUS Hotel Erb for your very last night in Europe. We will have dinner at **7 PM** at the very nice hotel owned restaurant “Almgrill”, or – if preferred again – at the wonderful authentic Italian restaurant “Modesto’s”.



I wish you a pleasant flight back home and hope to see you again very soon on one of my next tours.



All the best, Mandy
Palm Island Car Tours



Routes, times, certain destinations and events – and sometimes also hotels – are subject to change due to unforeseen incidents, possible COVID-19 restrictions, weather conditions or changes made by third parties of individual events. In the unlikely case we have to change a hotel we will always provide at least the same or an even better category.

Please note: Not every hotel in Italy, Germany and Austria has air conditioning but we do our best to satisfy you. **You should be in good health and able to walk stairs and short distances in Italy and the mountains.** All provided cars are C8 and/or C7 Corvette Coupes or Convertibles with A8 transmission – no manuals. This tour is limited to 7 cars / 14 people and requires a minimum participation of 4 cars / 8 people.

Prices and Details including all taxes and fees (All prices are indicated in US Dollars):

The prices quoted are based on a US Dollar exchange rate of 1 EURO = 1.15 USD / 1 USD = 0.87 EURO. If the exchange rate changes by more than +/- 5% when the journey starts, we reserve the right to recalculate or refund the difference.

***“Carefree Package Double”* USD 9,995.00 per person (total USD 19,990.00)**

for 2 persons for 16 nights (June 7th – 22nd, 2023) in a Double Room (King or 2 Twin) or a Suite

***“Carefree Package Single”* USD 15,990.00**

for 1 person for 16 nights (June 7th – 22nd, 2023) in a Single Room or Double Room for single use

The following is included in the “Carefree Package”:

- Airport shuttle to Best Western PLUS Hotel Erb from Munich Airport and back to the airport after the tour
- All hotel rooms including breakfast – all very good or luxury hotels and best available rooms guaranteed
- Corvette C8/C7 rental for 15 days including 2,300 km free and fully comprehensive insurance with EURO 5,000.00 (ca. USD 5,750.00) deductible in case of damage - **valid driver license and passport & IDP required**
International Driving Permit (IDP) is required in Italy and Austria and can be issued thru AAA/CAA – please see next page
- All Tourist and City taxes
- All fees for English guided tours through Venice, Pagani Factory Tour & Museum with English speaking guide, Acetaia Leonardi (Aceto Balsamico factory) tour with balsamico tasting lunch snack, Lamborghini Factory Tour & Museum with English speaking guide, Umberto Panini Motor Museum and Hombro Parmigiano Reggiano Cheese Factory, entrance to Ferrari Museum Casa Enzo Modena and Galleria Ferrari Maranello and to the Arena di Verona
- All tolls in Italy and Austria – also scenic and pass roads like Grossglockner and Gerlospass, all toll vignettes
- All parking fees, bus and vaporetto (boat taxi) fees to and in Venice
- Gas for the Corvette C8/C7 for the whole tour
- Dinner every evening - food and 2 dinner drinks (non alcoholic beverages, sodas, beer, house wine by the glass)
- Tour polo-shirts (please mail me your sizes), road book and complete tour hosted + guided by organizer

Not included in the package is the air fare and all personal costs for e.g. gondola rides in Venice, food and drinks during the day (after breakfast and before dinner) on the trips/excursions as well as lunch and coffee/ice cream/drink breaks, drinks after the included 2 dinner drinks and at hotel bars and room minibars, personal purchasing and souvenir merchandise, any possible fines (speeding and parking penalties, not having an IDP etc.) and **tips**.

To guarantee and reserve your booking please fill out and sign the enclosed registration form and send a deposit of **USD 1,500.00 per person** (not later than 10 days after sending the form) either per check payable to “Palm Island Car Tours” to **Palm Island Car Tours, 2797 First Street, Suite 602, Fort Myers, FL 33916** or to **Sandy Hutchinson (Corvettes of Naples), 2904 SE 5th Place, Cape Coral, FL 33904** (or hand it to her personally at a “Corvettes of Naples” club meeting) or wire transfer to my business account which will be given to you by mail after receipt of your registration form.

Once the deposit has been received, your participation is secured and the Corvette is reserved for you.

The balance (final payment) is due by May 2nd, 2023 payable the same way as the deposit.

Cancellations/Refunds:

Should you need to cancel your reservation the following fees per person will apply:

A 10% fee will be charged for cancellations from April 7th, 2023 until April 19th, 2023 – balance will be refunded

Your deposit will be charged for cancellations from April 20th, 2023 until May 2nd, 2023 – refund if paid total

A 50% fee will be charged for cancellations from May 3rd, 2023 until May 15th, 2023 – 50% refund

A 100% fee will be charged for cancellations after May 15th, 2023 – no refund is possible at this time

We strongly recommend the conclusion of a travel insurance (www.travelinsurance.com or one with **COVID-19 coverage** <https://www.forbes.com/advisor/travel-insurance/best-travel-insurance/>) – and we totally recommend an insurance with **rental car damage protector** (up to \$ 50,000.00 in case of damage - or to cover the deductible) <https://www.allianztravelinsurance.com/find-a-plan/rental-car-damage-protector.htm>

General Terms and Conditions

1. Services / Performance

Palm Island Car Tours (hereinafter referred to as PICT) organizes guided adventure tours and road trips for self-drivers with rented sports cars - mostly of the Chevrolet Corvette brand - as well as for travelers with their own vehicle. The scope of the services is described in detail in the offer brochure. PICT reserves the right of changes to individual travel services, which become necessary after conclusion of the travel contract and do not question the overall character of the trip. PICT endeavors to allocate the provided vehicles according to the wishes of the traveler, however a claim to a certain vehicle does not exist.

2. Minimum/maximum age requirement

Participants driving a highly motorized rental vehicle - mediated by PICT - themselves must be at least 30 years of age and in possession of an EU recognized car drivers license for at least ten years when the tour starts. IDP is required in most EU countries. If the participant is older than 75 years, he needs a medical certificate that he is healthy enough to undertake the tour.

3. Registration / Payment

By registering, the travel participant concludes a travel contract with PICT for himself as well as all listed fellow travelers. The contract is concluded with the acceptance by PICT. Upon conclusion of the contract PICT hands out the travel confirmation to the travel participant. Upon registration, a deposit of USD 1,500.00 per traveler must be paid, the remaining travel price must be received by PICT no later than four weeks prior to departure. The terms of payment are given to the travel participant at registration.

4. Liability of the tour operator

PICT is liable for the correctness of the stated travel services as well as a conscientious travel handling. Transportation with external service providers (e.g., bus, train, taxi) is subject to the conditions of the respective carrier. In the event of cancellation of a journey due to Force Majeure, PICT retains the right to appropriate compensation for services already provided or necessary for the travel conditions. The contractual liability of PICT for damages, which are not personal injury, is limited to three times the travel price, as far as a damage of the traveler is neither intentionally nor grossly negligently caused or as far as PICT is responsible for a damage to the traveler alone because of a fault of a service provider. This maximum liability is valid per traveler and journey. PICT is not liable for damages caused intentionally or grossly negligently by the travel participant. PICT is also not liable for any performance disturbances in connection with services that are merely provided as third-party services and that are expressly indicated in the travel advertisement as a third-party service. A claim for damages against PICT is excluded. If PICT is a service provider in other cases, PICT shall be liable in accordance with the provisions applicable to it. The participant is obliged to assist in the event of performance disruptions in order to avoid or minimize any possible damage. In particular, the traveler is obliged to report his complaints immediately to the organizer. He is obliged to provide remedies, if possible. If the traveler culpably fails to report a deficiency, the right to reduction does not apply.

5. Liability of the tour participant

The traveler participates on the journey at his own risk. He is instructed in the handling of the vehicles and is responsible for compliance with the Highway Code and all legal requirements. The traveler is liable for self-inflicted accident and other damage to PICT mediated vehicles up to the amount of excess EURO 5,000 (ca. USD 6,000) per claim. The participant is liable without limitation if he caused the damage by intent or gross negligence or if the damage was caused by alcohol or drug-related unfit driving, in case of accident or proven improper handling of the mediated by PICT vehicle.

6. Cancellation / rebooking of the client

PICT recommends the conclusion of a travel cancellation insurance. The cancellation fees vary depending on the length, type and destination / route of the trip, so please refer to the respective offer brochure. The resigned participant is at liberty to prove that PICT did not incur any damage or a significantly lower damage than the lump sum demanded by him. The travel participant may request that a third party (substitute) enter into the rights and obligations of the travel contract. PICT can only object to the change in the person if there are important reasons (for example, lack of availability of two single rooms instead of a double room). A refund for unused services is not made, this applies in particular to the untimely arrival at the start of the journey

or for early departure. In this case, PICT reserves the right to charge separately for any additional expenses (for example, for an additional lodging or transfer).

7. Cancellation of the tour organizer

PICT may terminate the travel contract without notice, if the journey is permanently disturbed by the travel participant or if a permanent improper treatment of the vehicles brokered by PICT is detected. Any additional costs for the return journey shall be borne by the excluded traveler. PICT retains the right to the travel price with deduction of saved travel expenses. PICT shall be entitled to terminate a travel contract up to four weeks prior to departure, if its execution is unreasonable for PICT after exhausting all possibilities, because the costs incurred in the event of execution exceed the economic limit of the victim's travel costs if PICT is not responsible for the circumstances leading to the cancellation and proves the circumstances. If the trip is canceled for this reason, without the traveler claiming the alternative service, he will receive the paid travel price back immediately.

8. Safety

The PICT routes are carefully selected routes that usually take place on minor roads. Sections with higher traffic such as highways are possible and depending on travel route also necessary. The vehicles used by PICT are regularly maintained and are in excellent technical conditions. They comply with all legal regulations in all aspects. The tour operator strives to carry out the PICT tours to the complete satisfaction of the participants. The presence at the instruction for the use of the vehicles is obligatory for all participants, who drive one thru PICT provided vehicle. All instructions given by the tour management to the participants are binding.

9. Insurance

Included in the travel price are the motor vehicle liability insurance, a fully comprehensive insurance with a deductible of € 5,000 (ca. \$ 6,000) and a passenger accident insurance. In case of damage, the tour guide must be informed immediately. The conditions of the insurance contract can be viewed by the travel participant at PICT. The travel price does not include the baggage and travel cancellation insurance. PICT recommends that you conclude a travel insurance, especially one with rental car damage protector.

10. General provisions

Claims against PICT must be made in writing no later than one month after the end of the trip at the registered office of the organizer. After expiry of the period, the participant may only assert claims if he has been prevented from observing the deadline without fault. Contractual claims for damages become time-barred after two years. PICT informs the participants of the journey about passport, visa and health regulations and requirements of the traveled countries as well as their possible changes before their departure. The participant is responsible for the observance of all important regulations for the realization of the journey. All disadvantages, in particular the payment of cancellation fees, resulting from the non-compliance with these regulations are at the expense of the customer, unless they are caused by culpable misinformation or non-information of PICT. All costs not included in the tour price, such as warnings (fines), are indicated separately in the offer brochure. Verbal agreements require the written confirmation to be effective. The participant can sue PICT only at its seat. PICT 's claim against the traveler is governed by the latter' s domicile, unless the action is directed against registered traders or persons who have moved their domicile or habitual residence abroad after the conclusion of the contract or whose domicile or habitual residence is at the time of Action is not known. In these cases, the seat of PICT is authoritative.

11. Ineffectiveness

The ineffectiveness of individual provisions of the travel contract does not result in the ineffectiveness of the entire travel contract.

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FAQ

Does the tour include airfare?

No. I wanted to include it first but I found out that many people like to use a special airline where they collect miles - and sometimes people also want to arrive earlier before the tour starts and leave later as they want to travel on their own to other places before or after our tour. So it does not make sense to book their tickets – everybody can book however they want as long as they have arrived at the start of our tour.

What city and European Country does the tour start and where does it end?

The tour officially starts in Munich, Germany and also ends in Munich. We will have a dinner together at the day of your arrival, where we meet everyone for the first time, and there we will have an important tour briefing including all the traffic rules driving in Germany, Austria and Italy. Please stay and listen closely to the instructions.

What should I bring?

A travel light and/or a flashlight won't be bad. Since we do not know in advance what types of Corvettes (C7 or C8, Coupe or Convertible) we will get: Please remember that you do not bring more luggage than EASILY fits in the car – don't forget that you might go shopping in Italy. (The C7 convertible trunk and C8 convertible and coupe trunk & frunk space is smaller than the C7 coupe trunk space – **C7 Coupe 15 cubic-feet/425 L, C7 Convertible 10 cubic-feet/283 L vs C8 Coupe 12.6 cubic-feet/356.8 L, C8 Convertible 10 cubic-feet/283 L**). Also bring a warm jacket (just in case...).

There's no dress code anywhere except in the "red seating area" - where we will sit - in the Arena di Verona. For the opera you should bring a nicer evening outfit (no shorts and flip flops are allowed) and please bring something **WHITE** for our "Anniversary White Night Gala Dinner & Party" at Hotel Schönruh in Gerlos.

The tour includes polo-shirts for both the lady and the man – please tell me your sizes and preferred colors.

How's the weather in Germany, Austria and Italy in June?

Normally the weather in June is quite nice in Germany with an average temperature of around 22°C / 72F, Austria around 24°C / 75F, but could be a little cooler in the mountain areas. Italy normally is around 28°C / 82F – but you never know.....

What are the speed limits in Germany, Austria and Italy?

It depends on what road you drive... At the German Autobahn (highway) – if there is no speed limit shown – you can drive as fast as you like. It's the law that slower traffic has to keep on the right lane while the left lane is the passing lane. It's not allowed to drive slowly on the left lane. If a speed limit is shown it is meant to all lanes. On a country road in Germany – if there is no special speed limit sign – the limit is 100 km/h (62 mph).

In Austria the speed limit on highways is between 100 km/h and 130 km/h – it is shown on the traffic monitoring system. On country roads rules are the same as in Germany. Speeding fines are very high comparing to Germany.

In Italy the speed limit on Autostradas (highways) is between 110 km/h and 130 km/h (sometimes even 150 km/h) – it is also shown on the traffic monitoring system. On country roads the speed limit is 90 km/h (56 mph). Speeding is also very expensive in Italy but in 42 years I have my driver license I have never been stopped for speeding in Italy. Driving in Italy is „narrow“ but ok - traffic flows and you'll go with the flow. But they now have Autostrada cameras so be very careful – speeding is extremely expensive in Italy – even more expensive than in Austria.

Is security an issue in Italy?

Not where we are going. All our hotels where we stay and places we visit are very safe and we won't go to any unsafe places, so don't worry at all. For the rented Corvettes we will have garages or guarded parking everywhere. BUT: Never leave any personal items like purses, handbags, cell phones, cameras and other valuable things – or things that look like it – visible in the car – it could attract thieves to smash the windows and break into the cars.

I do not speak German or Italian, how will I get along?

Most of the Germans, Austrians and Italians speak English. You'll also learn to communicate with hands and feet.

Do I need an International Driver License / International Driving Permit (IDP)?

Not in Germany, but required in Italy and Austria. You can easily apply for it and buy an International Driver License / Permit (IDP) for USD 20.00 at AAA or CDN 25.00 at CAA. Please see page 17 for details.



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Registration Form for
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Lido di Jesolo - Adriatic Coast, Venice, Lamborghini Factory -
Sant'Agata Bolognese Pagani & Maserati Factory & Museum -
Modena, Ferrari Museum - Modena and Maranello, Verona,
Sirmione - Lago di Garda and Bolzano, South Tyrol - ITALY

June 7th - 22th, 2023

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Spouse: _____

Street: _____ City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone #: _____

Arrival Date and Time: _____ Airline and Flight Number: _____

Departure Date and Time: _____ Airline and Flight Number: _____

- Carefree Package Double - \$ 9,995,00 per person (total \$ 19,990.00) in a Double Room or Suite
Carefree Package Single - \$ 15,990.00 in a Single Room (or a Double Room single use)

Please note: Prices quoted are based on a US Dollar exchange rate of 1 EUR = 1.15 USD / 1 USD = 0.87 EUR. If the rate changes by more than +/- 5% when our tour starts, we will recalculate or refund the difference.

The following is included in the "Carefree Package":

- Airport shuttle from Munich Airport to Best Western PLUS Hotel Erb and back to Munich Airport after the tour
All hotel rooms including breakfast- all very good or luxury hotels and best available rooms guaranteed
Corvette C7 or C8 rental for 15 days including 2,000 km free and fully comprehensive insurance with € 5,000.00 (ca. \$ 5,750.00) deductible in case of damage - valid driver license and passport / ID required
International Driver License/Permit (IDP) is permitted in Italy and Austria and can be easily issued thru AAA/CAA. For application please the brochure.
All Tourist and City taxes
All entrance fees at the 10th Sports cars Season Opening in Gerlos, Galleria FERRARI Maranello, Collezione Umberto Panini Motor Museum & Hombre Parmigiano Reggiano Factory with English speaking guide, Casa Enzo Ferrari Modena with English speaking guide, LAMBORGHINI Factory Tour & Museum with English speaking guide, PAGANI Factory Tour & Museum with English speaking guide, Acetaia Leonardi factory tour with lunch break and Balsamico tasting, English guided tour through Venice and the entrance of the Opera Night at Arena di Verona.
All tolls in Italy and Austria - also scenic and pass roads like the Grossglockner and Gerlospass - all toll vignettes
All parking fees, bus and vaporetto (boat taxi) fees to and in Venice
Gas for the Corvette C7/C8 for the whole tour
Dinner every evening - food and 2 dinner drinks (non alcoholic beverages, sodas, beer, house wine by the glasses)
Tour polo-shirts (please mail me your sizes), road book and complete tour hosted + guided by organizer

Not included in the package is the air fare and all personal costs for e.g. gondola rides in Venice, food and drinks during the day (after breakfast and before dinner) on the trips/excursions as well as lunch and coffee/ice cream/drink breaks, drinks after the 2 included dinner drinks and at hotel bars and room minibars, personal purchasing and souvenir merchandise, any possible fines (speeding and parking penalties, not having an IDP etc.) and tips.

Please choose your Polo-Shirt sizes and colors (Men sizes are „normal“, Ladies sizes are smaller so chose one larger size):

- Men S M L XL XXL 3XL Navy Red Gray Black White
Ladies XS S M L XL XXL Navy Red Gray Black White

Date: _____ email: _____ Signature: _____