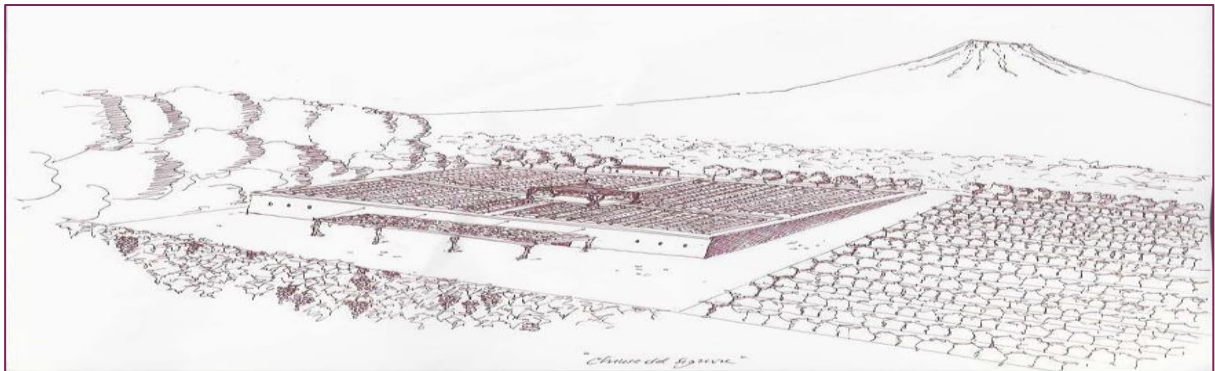




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TOURS AND TASTING



The wine estate “**Tenuta Chiuse del Signore**” is situated 550 metres above sea level on a hilltop overlooking the Mediterranean sea. It is located in **Etna’s National Park** in a small town called **Linguaglossa**. Known for its winery dating back to the early twentieth century, the “Tenuta Chiuse del Signore” produces a wide range of high quality wines as a result of the attention and care of one of Taormina’s most well-known local families, the De Luca family. With three generations of experience, a visit to the estate is the ideal way to get to know the warm hospitality and history of this unique Sicilian family business.

The wine estate is part of the **Gais Hotels Group** in Taormina. It’s logo is a combination of **Taormina’s** coat of arms with a female centaur and Linguaglossa’s two eagles on guard. Alike it represents the strong and historical bond that the De Luca family has with both towns.

A precious piece of preserved history is the incredible “**Pietracannone**”. This enormous natural creation in lavic stone once held a tree inside it hundreds of years ago. Although the wood has rotten away, the harden lava has retained its shape. If you walk to the vineyards along the path of wild roses, you will be amazed at the sight of the “Pietracannone”. It too has become a symbol of the wine estate.

Experiencing the flavors of Sicily by tasting the local wines and typical products is the ideal way to finish the tour.

It’s possible to choose from the following guided tours

Get to Know the Estate

Guided Tour of the estate, vineyards and the wine cellar

Please allow 40 minutes for the tour

Free Tour

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Wine Tasting at a Glance

Guided tour of the estate, vineyards and the wine cellar followed by a tasting of three wines.

The wines are accompanied by local bread or breadsticks with extra virgin olive oil.

It is possible to try other wines from the estate at an additional cost

Please allow 1 hour 40 minutes for the tour and tasting

25.00 € per person, VAT included

Aperitivo in the Fireplace Room

Guided tour of the estate, vineyards and the wine cellar followed by a tasting of three wines.

The wines are accompanied by local bread or breadsticks with extra virgin olive oil paired with two different local cheeses and one type of coldcut

It is possible to try other wines from the estate at an additional cost

Please allow 1 hour 40 minutes for the tour and tasting

32.00 € per person, VAT included

Tasting the Flavors of the Territory

Guided tour of the estate, vineyards and the wine cellar followed by a tasting of three wines.

The wines are accompanied by local bread or breadsticks with extra virgin olive oil, paired with two different local cheeses, one type of coldcut, olives, sun-dried tomatoes and a traditional sweet with candied fruit.

It is possible to try other wines from the estate at an additional cost

Please allow 1 hour 40 minutes for the tour and tasting

35.00 € per person, VAT included

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Lunch or Dinner at the Estate

Guided tour of the estate, the vineyards and the wine cellar followed by lunch or dinner with a 4-course meal inspired by traditional recipes of the territory along with the tasting of three wines.

It is possible to try other wines from the estate at an additional cost

Please allow 3 hours for the tour and tasting

A minimum of 15 people are required.

Lunch or Dinner Buffet: from € 50.00 per person, VAT included

Lunch or Dinner with table service: from € 45.00 per person, VAT included

Discover Etna

To experience Mount Etna first hand, it is possible to create your own special tour. Discover the North side of the volcano along the “Mareneve” road near Piano Provenzana, Ragabo’s Pine Forest and the Silvestri Craters.

The options include guided tours by quad or jeep, hiking activities, birdwatching and orienteering. In every season of the year, Etna will surprise you with its landscape and lava flows . For example walking or mountain biking in the summer and skiing on the snowy slopes on the crater in the winter.

Prices and programs by request

Events

The estate also hosts private events including weddings in country-chic style, lunches and dinners.

Such events will be tailored to the needs and the personal preferences of the client.

A minimum of 15 people required. Prices and programs by request.

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Activities at Chiuse

Other activities such as cooking courses, show-cooking, barbeques, a picnic, delicious tasting of home-made pizza cooked in wood fired oven and mini sommelier courses can be added to any of the wine tours and tastings experiences.

Prices and programs by request

This list of tours and services is valid from September 1st, 2015 up to December 31st, 2016. All information, opening hours and prices in this list are subject to change at any time without notice.

Lunches and dinners are arranged for a minimum of 15 people up to a maximum of 100 people in outdoor spaces and 60 people in the indoor spaces. **Tours and tastings** are arranged for a minimum of 4 people up to a maximum of 20 people (larger groups can be organized upon request). For groups smaller than 4, there will be an extra charge of € 10.00 per person for any of the wine tasting experiences.

For more information on the Tenuta, please visit our website : <http://www.gaishotels.com/it/la-tenuta>

Lodging: only 40 minutes away from the wine estate you can enjoy a stay in one of the hotels of the Gais Hotels Group in Taormina (Hotel Villa Diodoro, Grand Hotel San Pietro, Hotel Caparena, Hotel Isabella)

Projects: The new underground wine aging cave of 1,500 square meters with wine tasting rooms was completed in September 2015 . This original wine storing and aging construction combines modern architecture and the traditions of the territory.

VISITS, TOURS & TASTING HOURS: from Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, reservation is required. Different hours and days can be scheduled upon request. Visits and tastings can be conducted in Italian or English.

WINE SHOP: while visiting the estate, it is possible to buy our currently available wines and limited releases upon availability (please take into consideration the airport security rules about wine shipping in Italy and abroad)

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MAP & DIRECTIONS



TENUTA CHIUSE DEL SIGNORE

STRADA PROVINCIALE LINGUAGLOSSA - ZAFFERANA KM 3

95015 LINGUAGLOSSA (CATANIA)

LAT 37.781352 LON 15.129396

From Catania Fontanarossa Airport (60 km) take the highway “Autostrada A18 Catania-Messina” towards Messina. Take the Fiumefreddo exit (tollroad) and follow the signs for Linguaglossa. Drive through the town of Piedimonte Etneo and proceed towards Linguaglossa. When approaching Linguaglossa take the first road on the left and go on following the signs to Zafferana for about 3 km.

In about 3 km, as the road begins to curve, on the left side of the road, look for the sign Tenuta Chiuse del Signore and turn left. The estate is located in “località Alboretto” in the contrada Baldazza, km 3 in the Regional Etna Park.

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