

VILLAGES

Morcote



Thanks to its location between lake and mountains, to a centre characterized by porticos, to its churches and chapels and to a park with the likes of a little paradise, Morcote has won the title of "the nicest village of Switzerland 2016". Located on the banks of Lake Lugano this inviting destination, which is also called "pearl of the Ceresio", was once a fishermen's village with houses facing the lake and porticos once used to shelter boats. It was also home to skilled artisans and artists who found their fortune far from their country but that also knew how to leave a trace of their genius in their homeland.

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EXPERIENCE

6,000 Years of History in 3D



On the hill of Tremona, in the district of Mendrisio, you can discover what life was like in an ancient medieval village. Whilst walking through the ruins of the archaeological site wearing 3D glasses, you will see the surroundings as they once were. The Tremona-Castello settlement was abandoned in the 14th century and later engulfed by the woods. Everything remained intact for centuries. It was then discovered in the 1980s by archaeologist Alfio Martinelli, who led the excavations twenty years later. The site embodies 6,000 years of Ticino's history. Information panels are dotted along the trail. The panorama from its summit is stunning and, on clear days, you can see the skyline of Milan's skyscrapers.

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EXPERIENCE

Bellinzona's Market



It's not necessary to travel to faraway exotic places to unearth animated and colorful markets whose roots date from ancient times. You can find many such examples in Ticino and in nearby villages of Lombardy and Piedmont. The Ticino's most interesting one is without doubt the Bellinzona market held on Saturday morning. It is located in the streets of the historic center of this authentic Ticino town where residents still enjoy meeting each other and having a chat in front of the stands offering regional products; just like in the past.

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WEATHER



FRIDAY

37°



SATURDAY

34°



SUNDAY

35°

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LUGANO

Romeo and Juliet

LAC-Live Opernhaus Zurich

22 June

ballet

MONTAGNOLA

Ceresio Estate - Filarmonici di Trento

Centro scolastico

22 June

music

MENDRISIO

Festa della musica

Centro storico

22 June

music

LUGANO

Hodler - Segantini - Giacometti

LAC-Masi

24.3. - 28.7.2019

art

ASCONA

JazzAscona

Lungolago

20 - 29 June

music

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