

# BALSAMIC TASTING & PIACENZA

## OCTOBER 22



### Estimated Travel Times:

Departure: ODR 7 a.m.  
Travel Time (each way): 3 hrs.  
Depart Piacenza: 6 p.m.  
Return to Post: 9 p.m.

### Quick Facts:

Cost: \$65 – Children under 2 free

### Includes:

Guided tour of the company and a trip Leader.

### What to Bring:

Euro for Food  
Comfortable Clothing  
Camera  
Water  
Sunscreen  
Backpack for Small Children

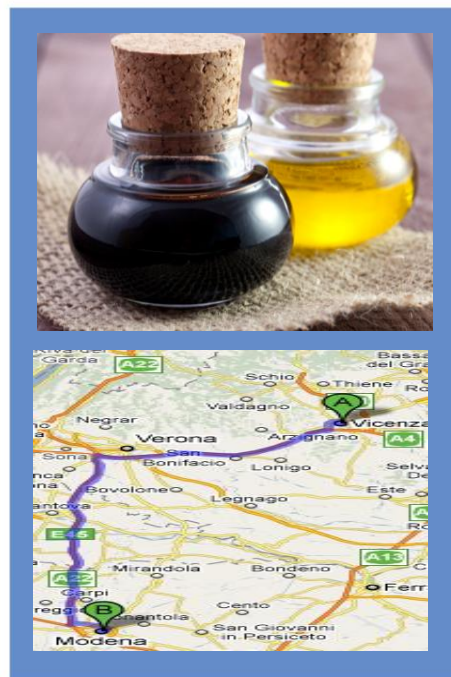
### Trip Details:

We will depart from Outdoor Rec around 7 a.m., arriving in Modena around 10 a.m. where we will begin a guided tour of Acetaia Paltrinieri (a maker of Balsamic Vinegar). Their company dates back to the 19<sup>th</sup> century when the villa where they are located was first built and is a family business with a log heritage and tradition of balsamic vinegar.

The traditional balsamic vinegar of Modena is an old product with an absolutely contemporary flavor for modern clientele. We will enjoy a guided tour of the facility with Giacomo, our guide, and will follow up the tour with some sampling as well as any purchases you may desire.

Once we have concluded our tour of the Acetaia we will proceed on to Piacenza, a nearby city full of art and history,. This city is inviting, rich in museums, churches, palaces and theatres that open from September to May proposing concerts, ballets, drama and opera. Piacenza is a city worth being known and to be discovered in its wholeness. A city where art and culture mix together with wine and food tradition, where the city center's magic becomes discovery.

You will have free time to discover the city before we depart around 6 p.m. for our return to Vicenza.



### Info Link:

<http://turismo.comune.modena.it>

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