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# PROGRAMME

## Meetings of the Control Commission (additional meetings may be scheduled at the event as needed)

Date	Meeting	Time	Location
Wednesday, 2 May 2018	First Meeting of the Control Commission	14:00-15:45	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme
	Control Commission attends Captains Meetings	16:00-17:00	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme
	Control Commission Follow-up Meeting	17:00-17:30	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme
	Group Photograph and flag parade	17:30-18:30	Terme Tettuccio Spa Top end of Viale Giuseppe Verdi
Thursday, 3 May 2018	Second Meeting of the Control Commission	15:00-18:00	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme
Friday, 4 May 2018	Third Meeting of the Control Commission	15:00-18:00	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme

## Meeting of Sports Coordinators

Date	Meeting	Time	Location
Wednesday, 2 May 2018	Meeting of all Sports Coordinators	11:00-12:00	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme

## Meeting of Team Captains

Date	Meeting	Time	Location
Wednesday, 2 May 2018	Meeting of Team Captains of all disciplines	16:00-17:00	Palazzo dei Congressi Viale Amendola 2, Montecatini Terme

## Opening Ceremony

**Dress Code: Casual\***

Date	Meeting	Time	Location
Wednesday, 2 May 2018	Participants Group Photograph and Flag Parade	17:30-18:30	Terme Tettuccio Spa Top end of Viale G. Verdi
	Welcome Drinks	18:30-19:30	Verdi Opera House – Teatro Verdi Viale G. Verdi 45, Montecatini Terme
	Official Opening of the 45th UNIAG and Buffet Reception	19:30-22:00	Verdi Opera House – Teatro Verdi Viale G. Verdi 45, Montecatini Terme











## Closing Ceremony

**Dress Code: Dress to Impress\***

Date	Meeting	Time	Location
Saturday, 5 May 2018	Arrival and Welcome Drinks	17:30-18:30	Terme Tettuccio, Viale G. Verdi 71, Montecatini Terme
	Medal Ceremony	18:30-20:00	Terme Tettuccio, Viale G. Verdi 71, Montecatini Terme
	Gala Dinner and Entertainment	20:00-01:30	Terme Tettuccio, Viale G. Verdi 71, Montecatini Terme

\* (be ready for cool evening air)

# DAILY COMPETITION SCHEDULE (page 1 of 2)

	DISCIPLINE	THURS, 3 MAY	FRID, 4 MAY	SAT, 5 MAY
	Athletics (Men)	10:00-12:00 Men's Relay		
	Athletics (Ladies)	10:00-12:00 Ladies Relay		
	Athletics (Men/Ladies)		10:00-12:00 11.90 km Road Race	
	Badminton	09:00-21:00	09:00-21:00	09:00-15:00
	Basketball	09:00-18:00	09:00-20:00	08:30-15:30
	Beach Volleyball	09:30-20:00	09:30-18:00	10:00-13:00
	Chess	10:00-18:00	10:00-18:00	
	Cricket	10:00-18:00	10:00-17:00	
	Darts	10:00-18:00	10:00-18:00	10:00-13:00
	Football (Men)	12:00-18:00 09:30-16:30 09:30-13:30	09:30-16:30 09:30-13:30	09:30-13:30



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# DAILY COMPETITION SCHEDULE (page 2 of 2)

	DISCIPLINE	THURS, 3 MAY	FRID, 4 MAY	SAT, 5 MAY
	Golf	09:00-16:00	09:00-16:00	
	Petanque	09:00-18:00	09:00-18:00	09:00-16:00
	Pool Billiard (8 Ball)	09:00-18:00	09:00-18:00	09:00-13:00
	Swimming (Men & Ladies)	10:00-14:00	10:00-14:00	
	Table Tennis (Men)	10:00-19:00	10:00-19:00	
	Table Tennis (Ladies)	10:00-19:00	10:00-19:00	
	Tennis	09:00-20:00	09:00-20:00	09:00-14:00
	Volleyball (Men)	09:00-19:00	09:00-19:00	10:00-13:00
	Volleyball (Ladies)	09:00-19:00	09:00-19:00	10:00-13:00





VENUE	DISCIPLINE COORDINATOR
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# REGISTRATION, OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONIES

PLEASE REFER TO MAP ON NEXT PAGE >

**Wednesday, 2 May 2018**

## ● REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION

**Montecatini Congress Centre (Palazzo dei Congressi)**

Viale Giovanni Amendola 2  
51016 Montecatini Terme

**Open at 09:00**

## GROUP PHOTOGRAPH and Flag Parade to the Opening Ceremony

**Tettuccio Thermal Spa (in front of Terme Tettuccio)**

Top end of Viale Verdi  
51016 Montecatini Terme

**17:30-18:30**

## ● OPENING CEREMONY AND BUFFET

**Giuseppe Verdi Opera Theatre**

Viale Giuseppe Verdi 45  
51016 Montecatini Terme

Welcome drinks **18:30-19:30**

Official Opening Ceremony  
and Welcome Buffet **19:30-22:00**

*Dress Code: Casual*

*(shawl or jacket for cooler evening air)*

**Saturday, 5 May 2018**

## ● CLOSING CEREMONY AND GALA DINNER

**Tettuccio Thermal Spa**

Viale Giuseppe Verdi 71  
51016 Montecatini Terme

Arrival and Welcome Drinks **17:00-18:00**

Medal Ceremony **18:00-20:00**

Gala Dinner and Entertainment **20:00-01:30**

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**THE ABOVE VENUES ARE ALL WITHIN 300 METERS, ON THE MAIN STREET OF THE CITY.  
PARTICIPANTS WILL ARRIVE AT THESE EVENTS ON FOOT FROM THEIR HOTELS**

**All participants are required to wear their UNIAG Identity Badges at all times**

**MAP OF REGISTRATION, OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONIES AND SHUTTLE BUS PICK UP POINTS (FOR SPORTS OUTSIDE OF MONTECATINI TERME)**

(Badminton, Beach Volleyball, Cricket, Football (Brizzi Stadium) and Golf)

- **REGISTRATION**
- **OPENING CEREMONY**
- **CLOSING CEREMONY**



- SHUTTLE BUS—SPORTS VENUES OUTSIDE OF MONTECATINI TERME**
- 1 Viale Bicchierai in front of Terme Redi
  - 2 Viale IV Novembre in front of Hotel Tamerici
  - 3 Viale Fedeli next to Terme Tettuccio



# SPORTS VENUES IN MONTECATINI TERME



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| <p><b>1</b> Palazzo dei congressi: Darts - Pool Billiard</p> <p><b>2</b> Viale Verdi: Pétanque</p> <p><b>3</b> Terme Excelsior: Chess</p> <p><b>4</b> Terme Tettuccio: Athletics road race Start and Finish</p> <p><b>5</b> Tennis La Torretta: Tennis</p> | <p><b>6</b> Stadio Mariotti: Athletics, Football</p> <p><b>7</b> Palestra Leonardo da Vinci: Volleyball Playground: Football</p> <p><b>8</b> Piscina Comunale: Swimming</p> <p><b>9</b> Palaterme: Basketball</p> |
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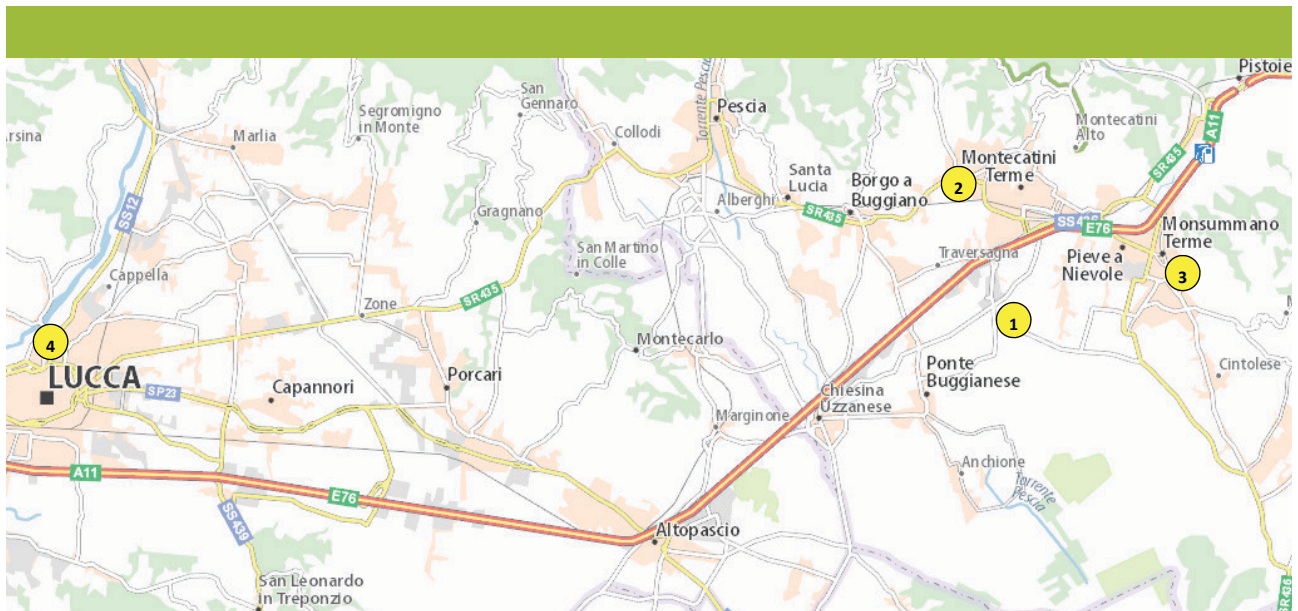


# SPORTS VENUES OUTSIDE OF MONTECATINI TERME



- 1 Montecatini Terme–Sporting Club:  
Badminton Tennis**  
**2 Margine Coperta–Stadio Brizzi: Football**

- 3 Monsummano Terme  
– Palasport Cardelli: Table Tennis  
– Oasi Planet: Beach Volleyball  
– Golf Montecatini**  
**4 Lucca–Cricket**







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Michael Jordan





# HISTORY OF THE GAMES

In 1968 the “Commission des Sports de l’Association du Personnel de l’UNESCO” organized an omnisports meeting in Paris against a team from UN Geneva. Both organizations continued organizing omnisports meetings in 1969 and 1970.

In 1971, UN Geneva organised the first multi-institutional sports competition in Champéry, Switzerland. Ten organizations of the UN System with offices in Europe participated. The Games included the following disciplines: chess, football, table tennis, tennis and men’s volleyball.

Thus the United Nations Inter-Agency Games were initiated and the principle of alternating the venue and the responsibility for the organization of the Games among the UN organizations in Geneva, Rome, Vienna and Paris were adopted. General Rules for the Games were adopted and a Control Commission established to assure their adherence.

Over the years, the Games have developed from 5 disciplines and some 350 participants to 15 disciplines and more than 1000 participants.

At the outset the purpose of the Games was modestly defined as “to enable the staff members of the Agencies and organizations of the United Nations family to know each other through sports meetings and thereby to improve mutual understanding and working relations” (Article 1 of the General Rules).

The significance and merit of the Games for the UN organizations and their staff members have truly gained momentum and have in principle been recognized in

the annual opening messages of the heads of the Host organizations. On the occasion of the 20th Games held in Baden, Austria in 1991, Mr. D. L. Siazon Jr., Director General of UNIDO stated in his opening message:

“I believe the Games provide more than a pleasurable diversion from the daily routine, more than an opportunity for staff to pit their respective skills against those of their colleagues, and more than simply a display of physical or intellectual prowess, impressive as that may be. Bringing together both participants and supporters from numerous agencies, the Games present a unique reminder to us that we are all part of the United Nations family. Against a current background of world-wide turmoil, our horizons must stretch beyond the four walls of our own organizations. The co-operation, solidarity, teamwork and striving for excellence which are the hallmarks of true sportsman, must also be apparent in our day-to-day lives.”

The Geneva based UN organizations established the “Commission Inter-Organisations des Sports (CIOS)” which co-ordinates the participation of their staff members in the Games and often assists the Host organization in organizing the Games whenever it is Geneva’s turn within the four-year cycle.

In 2001 the IAG were organized by ITU and they were held, for the first time in a country other than the traditional ones (Austria, France, Italy or Switzerland). It was held in Alicante, Spain.

With the same spirit of alternating the venue of the IAG in countries other than the ones mentioned above, the IAG were organized in Antalya, Turkey in 2002.

In 2003, the 31st Edition of IAG was organized by IAEA. The venue was Sousse, Tunisia. However, due to the world-wide critical situation and the war in Iraq, the Inter-Agency Games were first postponed and then definitely cancelled.

In 2004, the 32nd Edition of the IAG were held in Aix-les-Bains (France) from 29 April – 3 May 2004. They were organized by UNESCO.







## A Chronological History of the UN Inter-Agency Games

In 1968, at the invitation of the “Commission des Sports de l’Association du personnel del l’UNESCO”, a sports meeting was held in Paris of teams from the United Nations Geneva and UNESCO. Mr. Rene Maheu, the Director General of UNESCO, donated a cup for the occasion, thus were the Inter-Agency Games born, and the same spirit has remained, although the present name was not adopted until 1972.

However, the principle of alternating the Games began right from the start, and five events were listed on the programme, chess, football, table tennis, tennis and men’s volleyball.

In 1971, the United Nations (Geneva), in co-operation with FAO (Rome), IAEA (Vienna) and UNESCO (Paris) took an important step in organising the first multi-institutional competition at **Champéry**, in the Canton of Valais, Switzerland. Ten UN organisations, with offices in Europe, took part.

In 1972 the FAO hosted the second “Inter-Agency Games” in **Rome** and the “Mini Olympics” were on their way. A Control Commission was also created to prepare the rules and regulations.

In 1973 the IAEA was the host to the third IAG held in **Vienna**, Austria with the participation of 350 competitors, representing seven organisations.

In 1974 UNESCO was the host to the fourth IAG and the number of participants reached 400. The Games were hosted in **Vittel**, France.

In 1975 the Geneva organisations hosted the fifth IAG under the banner of the “Inter-Organizational Sports Commission (IOSC)” at **Onex** near Geneva.

In 1976 the sixth IAG returned to **Vienna**, hosted by UNIDO and at the same time this ended the final year of the first cycle.

In 1977, FAO hosted the seventh IAG which began the second cycle in **Senigallia**, a charming beach resort on the Adriatic coast of Italy. The number of official disciplines was increased to six by including one annually rotating discipline, chosen between athletics, bowling, bridge, golf, pétanque, swimming and women’s volleyball. On this occasion, the Federation of International Civil Servants’ Association (FICSA) donated a new challenge cup for the winning team, which, on its inauguration, went to UNESCO. This was not an unexpected victory as they had already won the Games on six of the previous ten occasions, UN Geneva having won the other four.

In 1978, WHO organised the eighth IAG in **Geneva**, adding bowling to the programme. A total of 500

competitors had to be accommodated.

In 1979, The IAEA organised the ninth IAG in **Vienna**, Austria. Pétanque was made the rotating sixth official discipline, bowling and women’s volleyball were also contested.

In 1980, because of organisational problems faced by UNESCO the Games were postponed until the following year.

In 1981, UNESCO organised the postponed tenth IAG in **Bordeaux**, France with bridge as the sixth rotating discipline. They also included bowling, pétanque and women’s volleyball. These Games were notable in that both UNESCO and UN Geneva lost their stranglehold on the competition for the first time in 14 years, FAO won the FICSA challenge cup for the first time.

In 1982, UNIDO hosted the eleventh IAG in **Altmünster**, Austria. The rotating discipline was athletics. Once again the FAO won the FICSA challenge cup.

In 1983, UN Geneva hosted the twelfth IAG in **Milano-Marittima**, Italy. The sixth rotating discipline was ladies’ volleyball. (It is interesting to note that “women’s volleyball” had suddenly become “ladies’ volleyball”). These Games were the last of the second cycle and FAO won the FICSA challenge cup once again.

In 1984, the FAO hosted the thirteenth IAG in **Senigallia**, Italy. The number of official disciplines was increased to eight, athletics, pétanque, and ladies’ volleyball were added. Another change was affected, namely the system of overall rating was abolished, thus encouraging smaller organisations to participate in certain disciplines only.

In 1985, the IAEA hosted the fourteenth IAG in **Altmünster**, Austria. For the first time a team representing UN New York participated. The additional disciplines were darts and sailing.

In 1986, the fifteenth IAG were hosted by the ITU Geneva in **Caorle**, Italy. ILO Turin participated for the first time and there was a record number of 1300 participants. The optional disciplines were bridge, cycling, darts and windsurfing.

In 1987, ending the third cycle, the ILO Turin organised the sixteenth IAG in **Stresa**, Italy. For the first time a demonstration golf competition was organised. The optional disciplines were badminton, cycling, darts and windsurfing.

In 1988, UNESCO hosted the seventeenth IAG which, at the same time was the first Games of the fourth cycle in **Cap d’Agde**, France. The rotating disciplines were badminton, bridge, golf and windsurfing. Darts was not included in these Games and all the dart teams organised an alternative Games in Geneva which the IAEA won. In addition, an Inter-Agency Games flag,

designed by UNESCO, was approved by the Control Commission to be used for the first time in 1989.

In 1989, the eighteenth IAG were hosted by the FAO in **Chianciano**, Italy. They raised the new IAG flag for the first time which depicted the emblems of the 20 participating organisations. It was the first time that WHO Copenhagen participated and WFP participated as an independent organisation.

In 1990, WIPO hosted the nineteenth IAG in **Cervia Milano-Marittima**, Italy. The optional and supplementary disciplines were badminton, bridge, cycling, darts, golf, swimming and windsurfing.

In 1991, UNIDO hosted the twentieth IAG in **Baden**, Austria. These Games ended the fourth cycle. The optional disciplines were bridge, darts, golf and swimming. The Chair of the Control Commission, Ms. Judy Lavnick-Wainstead, observed, on a number of occasions, the darts competition and commented that the atmosphere, the amount of participation and enthusiasm enshrined every concept of the principles of the Games. As a result, the Commission confirmed darts as an official discipline as of the commencement of the fifth cycle starting in 1992.

In 1992, UNESCO hosted the twenty-first IAG in **Vichy**, France. The supplementary disciplines were badminton, bridge, golf and windsurfing. The Control Commission agreed to add basketball to the list of supplementary disciplines for future Games.

In 1993, the twenty-second IAG were hosted by WHO Geneva instead of Rome because WHO wanted to mark its 45th Anniversary. The Games were held in **Cervia Milano-Marittima**, Italy. Basketball was included as an optional discipline for the first time with mixed teams.

In 1994, FAO organised the twenty-third IAG in **Montecatini Terme**, Tuscany, Italy. Twenty-two Agencies participated with a total of 1,401 participants which was a new record for the Games. The supplementary disciplines were basketball, golf and swimming. There was an IAG flag raising ceremony to the music of Marcia Trionfale from Aida, by Giuseppe Verdi.

In 1995, the IAEA hosted the twenty-fourth IAG in **Altmünster**, Austria. The rotating disciplines were badminton, basketball and golf. Twenty-five organisations were represented with 1,247 active participants.

In 1996, UNESCO hosted the twenty-fifth IAG in **Vichy**, France. There were 1000 participants.

In 1997, UN Geneva hosted the twenty-sixth IAG in **Caorle**, Italy. There were about 1,300 participants, not only from the European duty stations but also from New York and Nairobi.

In 1998, the twenty-seventh IAG was hosted by FAO and held in **Pesaro**, Italy.

In 1999, no Games. UNIDO were not in a position to organise the Games.

In 2000, the twenty-eighth IAG was hosted by UNESCO and held in **Aix-les-Bains**, France.

In 2001, the twenty-ninth IAG was hosted by ITU, Geneva and held in **Alicante**, Spain. This marked the first time that the Games were held outside of the four main-duty station host countries. There were 1429 participants registered.

In 2002, the thirtieth IAG were held in **Antalya**, Turkey and hosted jointly between the Vienna organisations of the IAEA, UNOV and CTBTO.

In 2003, because of the trouble in Iraq the thirty-first IAG never took place.

In 2004, the thirty-second IAG were hosted by UNESCO in **Aix-les-Bains**, France.

In 2005, WHO hosted the thirty-third Games in **Crete**.

In 2006, FAO hosted the thirty-fourth Games in **Pesaro**, Italy.

In 2007, IAEA hosted the thirty-fifth Games in **Seefeld-in-Tirol**, Austria.

In 2008, UNESCO hosted the thirty-sixth Games in **Biarritz**, France.

In 2009, IAEA hosted the thirty-seventh Games in **Bad Kleinkirchheim**, Austria. The IAG Secretariat was created and came into force.

In 2010, the Games hosted by FAO were unfortunately cancelled.

In 2011 UN, UNIDO and IAEA hosted the Games in **Gmunden**, Traunsee.

In 2012 The Games were hosted by UNESCO in **Biarritz**, France

In 2013 The Games were hosted by UN Geneva in **Marina d'Or**, Spain

In 2014 The Games were hosted by New York and held on **Long Island, NY**, USA


In 2015 The Games were hosted by ITU and held in **Salou**, Tarragona Spain

In 2016 The Games were hosted by UNWTO and held in **Malaga**, Spain


In 2017 The Games were hosted by IAEA and held in **Vienna**, Austria on the occasion of the IAEA's 60th Anniversary. After initially looking at venues outside of Vienna, it was finally decided to hold the Games in our host City and that the Vienna International Centre be the venue for both the opening and closing ceremonies, which was the first time this had happened. Over 1,200 participants and supporters attended the 2017 Games.




# LIST OF RECOMMENDED BARS, CAFFE AND RESTAURANTS IN MONTECATINI TERME




## COFFEE SHOPS AND ICE-CREAM PARLOURS


→ **Gran Caffé Verdi**   
Coffee, meals, drinks, karaoke  
Viale Verdi 68

→ **Caffé Le Terme**   
Infusions, hot chocolate, meals  
Viale Bicchierai 145


→ **Bar Pasticceria Sweet**   
Freshly made pastries, cup cakes, coffee, tea  
Viale Balducci 9  
Caters for celiac and vegan

→ **Bar Pasticceria Giovaninni**   
Traditional bakery and bar, cakes, sandwiches, bar  
food, ice cream  
Corso G. Matteotti 4  
  Vegetarian, vegan




→ **Bar New York**   
Coffee, drinks, meals, aperitifs  
Corso Roma 15  
  Outside seating, vegetarian


→ **Gelateria Orsi**   
Home-made ice-cream, cakes  
Corso Roma 66

→ **Gelateria la Bottega del Gelato**   
Famous for home-made ice-cream, cakes  
Corso Roma 24

→ **Gelateria Desideri**   
Famous for home-made ice-cream, cakes  
Viale Verdi 84

→ **Cialde Bargilli**   
Typical Montecatini biscuits  
Viale Verdi 92 and Viale Grocco 2  
  Souvenirs and gifts

→ **Cialde Desideri**   
Typical Montecatini biscuits  
Via Gorizia 5  
  Souvenirs and gifts

→ **Bar Pasticceria Pellegrini**   
Traditional coffee, cakes, pastries  
Via Leoncavallo 11

## WINE BARS AND PUBS

→ **Trip Time Beer**   
Vast selection of specialized beers. Bar food  
Corso Roma 30  
  Evenings open until 24hrs

→ **Enoteca Casa del Chianti**   
Italian and Regional wine sales  
Via Solferino 11



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- ❖ Debbie Goodridge – Vocals
- ❖ Julien Rilliard – Guitar
- ❖ Alen Siljak – Drums
- ❖ Roland Sule -- Bass

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\*TWO NIGHTS\*  
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Via Vecchia Maona23  
51016 Montecatini Terme, Italy

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→ **Grotta Maona Beer House**   
Bar, restaurant, wines, beer, pub food, darts, pool and  
chess, live music by the IAG JAZZ ENSEMBLE (3 and 4  
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Via Vecchia di Maona 23  
  1.5 km from Montecatini Centre

→ **Bar Condicio** 

Wine and food, cocktails  
Viale IV Novembre 41/43

 Heated terrace

→ **Bar Habitat** 

Cocktails and nibbles  
Viale IV Novembre 35

 Heated terrace

→ **Bar Syrah** 

Wine bar  
Viale IV Novembre 15

 Heated terrace

→ **Café Jue** 

Wine bar  
Viale IV Novembre 3

→ **Caffé Granduca** 

Wine bar  
Corso Matteotti 49

 Outdoor seating

→ **Irish Pub – the Hop Store** 

Genuine pub, Guinness. Late night food  
Via Pistoiese 26

 Outdoor seating, Opens 20:30

## RESTAURANTS AND PIZZA in Montecatini Terme

→ **Don Chisciotte** 

[www.donchisciotte-montecatini.it/i-nostri-menu/](http://www.donchisciotte-montecatini.it/i-nostri-menu/)  
Meat, fish, pizza (no gluten)  
Piazza del Popolo 20

 €€-€€€

→ **Cibus** 

[www.cibusmontecatini.it/#](http://www.cibusmontecatini.it/#)  
Pizza, gourmet hamburgers, maxi-salads, fast food  
Corso Matteotti 97

 €€

→ **Tigelleria da Nonna Tina** 

[www.tigelleriamontecatini.it/](http://www.tigelleriamontecatini.it/)  
Late night food, cozy, casual, special breads, cheeses, meats  
Via Tripoli 21

→ **Corsaro Verde** 

[www.corsaroverde.eu/website/](http://www.corsaroverde.eu/website/)  
Pizza and typical dishes from Tuscany  
Piazza XX Settembre 11

→ **Pizzeria and Food da Lele** 

Pizza and light takeaway food  
Piazza del Popolo 36

→ **Pizzeria Mordi e Fuggi** 

Pizzeria and finger food  
Corso Roma 76

→ **La Mandragola** 

[www.ristorantelamandragola.it/#](http://www.ristorantelamandragola.it/#)  
Tuscan cuisine, lunch & dinner. Meat, fish, desserts  
Via Gioberti 5

 Inside Hotel Innocenti

→ **Trattoria Toscana** 

Typically Tuscan  
Lunch, brunch, Mediterranean seafood  
Via Cavallotti 116

 Outdoor seating

→ **Da Lorenzo** 

[www.ristorantedalorenzo.it/](http://www.ristorantedalorenzo.it/)  
Excellent seafood, friendly  
Corso Roma 45

 €€€

→ **La Cascina** 

[www.lacascinamontecatini.it/la-cascina\\_2.html](http://www.lacascinamontecatini.it/la-cascina_2.html)  
American bar, pizzeria, sushi, late night food, wine bar, cocktails  
Viale Verdi 43

 Outdoor lounge, Closes 02:00

→ **Botteghina del Maialetto** 

<http://ilmaialetto.com/la-botteghina/>  
Sandwiches with typical hams and salami of Tuscany  
Corso Roma 68

 Local wines

→ **Kisso Sushi** 

[www.kissosushi.it/](http://www.kissosushi.it/)  
High quality fresh sushi, soups, sashimi, hiramaki, hossomaki, tempura, etc.  
Via Mameli 21

 Eat in restaurant or order on-line, pick-up or delivery



→ **Chinese Il Mandarino** 

[www.ristoranteilmandarino.it/montecatini/](http://www.ristoranteilmandarino.it/montecatini/)

Typical Chinese dishes, babipangang (pork in sauce), shrimp, fish, etc.

Via Ugo Bassi 28

  11:30-15:00/18:30-23:30

→ **Just Meat – Steak House** 

[www.grandhotelnizza.it/](http://www.grandhotelnizza.it/)

Steaks, burgers, lamb, chicken, pâté, tartar, desserts  
Viale Verdi 72

  Inside Hotel Nizza et Suisse



→ **La Pecora Nera**    

[www.ercoliniesavi.it/la-pecora-nera](http://www.ercoliniesavi.it/la-pecora-nera)

Michelin Guide, fish, risotto, pasta, meat, desserts

Weekdays only dinner

Via San Martino 18

  Hotel Ercolini e Savi, 19:30-22:30, €€, Sat. & Sun. also lunch

→ **Officina Marina**  

[www.officinamarina.it/](http://www.officinamarina.it/)

Seafood salami, fresh fish, desserts elegant

Via della Torretta 9

  Vast wine and liqueur list, Tel. +39 392 0128607

→ **Gourmet Restaurant**   

[www.gourmetristorante.com/](http://www.gourmetristorante.com/)

High class fish restaurant, oysters, truffles, scampi, tuna, lobster. Also Florentine steak. Tournedos Rossini, soufflé, crepes suzette

Via Giovanni Amendola 6



  Tel. +39 0572 771012

→ **Enoteca da Giovanni**  

[www.enotecagiovanni.it/](http://www.enotecagiovanni.it/)

Outdoor covered patio, high class cuisine and fine wines. Specialties fish and game

Via Garibaldi 25/27

  12:15-15:15/19:30-22:30

→ **Osteria Moderna Pellegrini**  

[www.pellegrinimontecatini.it/ristorante/index.html](http://www.pellegrinimontecatini.it/ristorante/index.html)

Family run. Typical local menu. Reasonably priced

Via G. Amendola 6



  Tel. +39 0572 902615

→ **Fishing Lab by San Francisco**  

[www.fishinglab.it](http://www.fishinglab.it)

Easy, friendly, fish specialties, Italian fish & chips, takeaway. Light lunches

Corso Roma 112

  Tel. +39 0572 913860

→ **Ristorante Oliviero Playground** 

Close to Palavinci – Volleyball venue

Modern. Fish, pasta and pizza. Seafood salads and gnocchi

Via Leonardo da Vinci 1

  Tel. +39 0572 767392, €€-€€, opens 19:30

→ **La Bottega del Toscano**  

Friendly, grilled steaks, burgers, cold cuts, pasta, bruschetta.

Via Marruota 260

  (south of city centre), Tel. +39 0572 767 392,

Opens 19:30, €€-€€, Outdoor seating

→ **Pizzeria Ricciarelli**  

Italian pizza and fast food

Piazza del Popolo 18

→ **Bottega dell'Oste**   

<http://labottegadeloste.it/>

Pizza and typical dishes from Tuscany

Via Biscolla 57

  19:45/23:30, Tel. +39 0572 913982

## RESTAURANTS AND PIZZERIA – in Montecatini-Alto

→ **Casa Gala** 

[www.casagala.it/](http://www.casagala.it/)

Via the funicular railway - Welcoming B&B and restaurant in quaint main square of Montecatini-Alto.

Via Talenti 2

  Piazza Giusti, Book on line

→ **Ristorante W.O.W.**  
Windows of the World  

[www.ristorantewowmontecatiniterme.com](http://www.ristorantewowmontecatiniterme.com)

Via the funicular railway - Panoramic view of the valley from above funicular railroad station - Chic fish restaurant. Stunning night views

Via Fratelli Guermani 2

  Tel. +39 0572 911381, Ristorantewow2006@gmail.com, €€-€€€

→ **Ristorante La Torre**   

[www.latorre-montecatinalto.it/](http://www.latorre-montecatinalto.it/)

Via the funicular railway - Rustic typically Tuscan meat and fish menu, indoor seating and tables in the square

Piazza Giusti 8

  Tel. +39 0572 70650, Closes 23:00

→ **Le Maschere** 🎯 🏰

[www.lemaschere.eu](http://www.lemaschere.eu)

*Via the funicular railway - Inside a grotto which is also a theatre. Simple medieval menu prepared in a wood-burning oven. Children's menu*

Piazza Giusti 21

⊕📞 Tel. +39 0572 770085, Closed Mondays

→ **Il Giardino** ☕ 🎯

[www.caffegiardino.com](http://www.caffegiardino.com)

*Via the funicular railway - Inside seating plus garden terrace with panoramic view over Montecatini Terme. Fresh local produce lovingly prepared into regional dishes*

Piazza Giusti 23

⊕📞 Tel. +39 0572 73116

→ **Ristorante Caffé Giusti** 🎯 ☕ 👁

*Rustic typically Tuscan meat menu*

Piazza Giusti 25

⊕📞 Indoor seating and tables in the square





# SIDE EVENTS

## Termeland

This is an amusement park for children of all ages - an ideal place where families with children can meet and enjoy playing together.



**Opening hours: 10:00-13:00 and 14:30-20:00**

Viale Bicchierai 78 (just off Viale Verdi), 51016, Montecatini Terme, Italy. Tel. +39 0572 73563

## Montecatini Thermal Spas

There are three elegant and relaxing thermal spas to choose from in Montecatini Terme.

Enjoy Thermal Day Spas, Wellness and Relax and Holistic Thermal Programmes, including traditional and oriental massages, hydro massage, specific thermal mud treatments for face and body, and thermal swimming pools.

The wellness options, opening hours and special offers are available on [www.termemontecatini.it](http://www.termemontecatini.it), or from [www.ranieritouroperator.com](http://www.ranieritouroperator.com)



- Terme Tettuccio, viale Verdi 71
- Stabilimento Redi, viale Bicchierai 62
- Centro Benessere Excelsior, viale Verdi 41

## Funicular Railway

Take the exciting ride from Montecatini Terme to Montecatini-Alto. Ride inside or outside the Funicular Railway cars in Montecatini Terme, a counter-balancing train system that moves up and down an incline. The funicular has enclosed carriages, as well as some with windows that open. The medieval village at the top is full of history, cafes and souvenir shops. Grab a meal and enjoy the view from the top before heading back down to the city below. Founded in 1898, it's one of the oldest funicular railroads in Europe.



*A ride is 1,077 meters and takes 9 minutes. It departs every 30 minutes from the lower Station. Maximum 40 people.*

*Price: Adult €7,00 return (children at reduced prices). No credit cards are accepted.*

**Opening hours: 09:30-13:00 and 14:30-24:00**

Venue: Funicular Railway, departs from the lower Station: Viale Diaz 22, 51016 Montecatini Terme, Italy.

Tel. +39 0572 776862

[www.facebook.com/FunicolareMontecatini](http://www.facebook.com/FunicolareMontecatini)

## Funi 1898 American Bar

At the lower station, visit the fantastic FUNI1898 American Bar. Dinner, lunch, breakfast, brunch, beer and wine. Accepts MasterCard, Visa. Buffet, free off-street parking, free Wi-Fi, full bar, highchairs available, outdoor seating, television, bar-staff, wheelchair accessible.

**Open every day 09:00-02:00.**

*Prices €5-€40.*

Facebook: FUNI1898



## Montecatini-Alto

This medieval town overlooks Montecatini Terme.

At 299 meters above sea-level, the tiny city is famous for the Benedictine Monastery, antique church and its castle. Arrive either by the funicular railway from Montecatini Terme, by car (parking very limited), or, for the very fit, the 1,077 meter hill path that runs alongside the funicular rail track (only in daylight). Visit the main square, Piazza Giusti, packed with shops and restaurants which are open until late.



[www.montecatini.it/montecatini\\_alto.html](http://www.montecatini.it/montecatini_alto.html)

Montecatini Alto, 51016 Province of Pistoia, Italy.

## Grotta Giusti

*the “2017 World’s Best Thermal Grotto Spa”*

At only 15 minutes by car from Montecatini Terme is Grotta Giusti. This millennial thermal cave was awarded ‘World’s Best Thermal Grotto Spa in 2017’ The grotto is divided into three distinct areas: HEAVEN, PURGATORY and HELL, allowing guests to experience different temperatures from 28C to 34C and the therapeutic effects of the thermal vapours in a wellness circuit that lasts 50 minutes.

The main swimming pool is 750 m<sup>2</sup> in size, and features some of the latest fixtures to help you relax and unwind, including a series of four-spout hydro-massage jets and the natural waterfall massage. The water in the large bath, always set at a calming 34°C, is rich in bicarbonate, sulphate, calcium and magnesium, which is beneficial to the body. It also features 40 hydro-



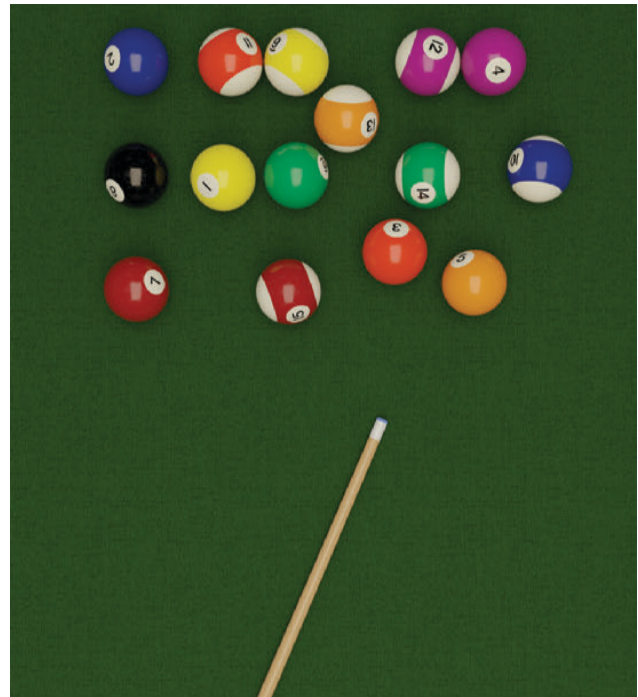
massage stations for a relaxing massage around every corner.

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To book directly just the Grotta or the Thermal Pool: dial 0572.9077992 Grotta Giusti SPA.

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