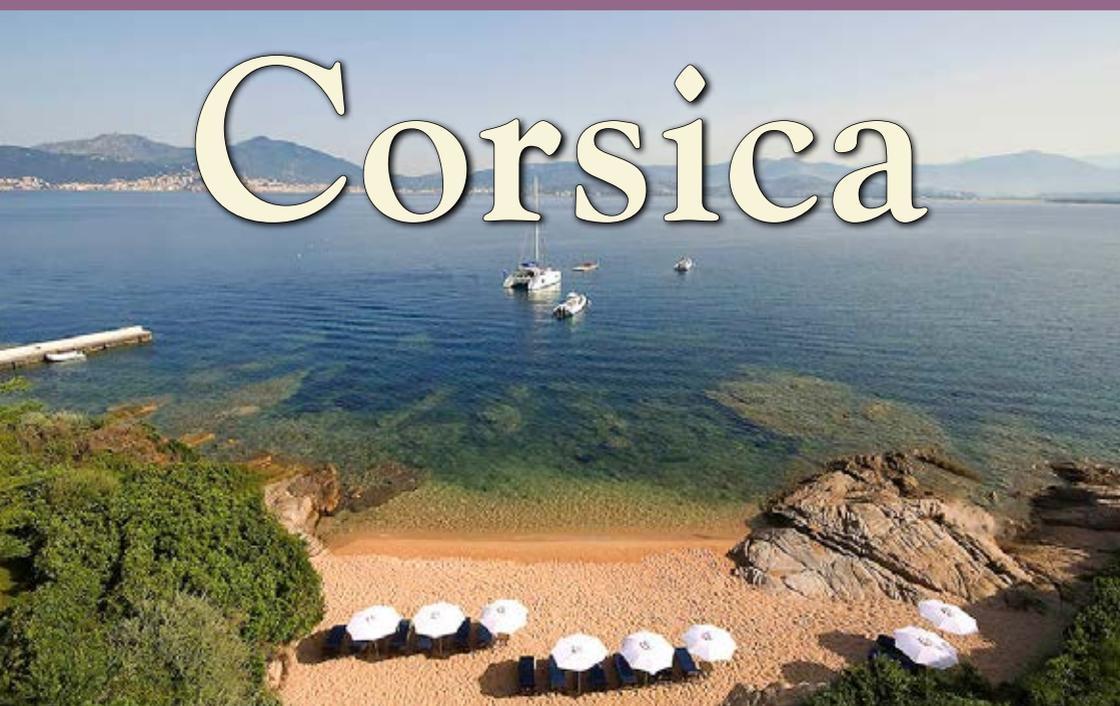


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GOURMET BREAKS

Corsica



9th - 12th October 2017
with Brenda Fawdon



CORSICA with Brenda: 9-12 October 2017

Enjoy 3 nights on the Bay of Ajaccio, the seaside capital of Corsica. Ajaccio is an ancient city on the Mediterranean and birthplace of Napoleon. The city dominates a picturesque bay and is home to many good restaurants. Corsica combines a charming mix of French and Italian lifestyles thanks to more than four hundred years rule by the Republic of Genoa from 1347 to 1768.



During our stay we have included an excursion to the picturesque hill top town Cuttoli – celebrated for its artisanal cutlers - in the heart of the Corsican ‘maquis’ for a memorable lunch,

a walking tour in the historic centre of Ajaccio including the local markets, a charcuterie tasting and visit to Napoleon’s family home. You can also join an optional excursion with a French sommelier to learn more about Corsican wines.



Dates and prices:

Monday 9th – 12th October 2017

From \$1775 AUD per person based on shared accommodation of a double room (single supplement \$575 AUD) including:

- 3 nights at luxury 5-star hotel Golfe d’Ajaccio, Porticcio
- American buffet breakfast daily
- Transfer by private coach from Olbia to Porticcio
 - Ferry crossing between Sardinia and Corsica
- Introductory walking tour of Ajaccio with guide, to include:
 - Charcuterie tasting
 - Visit Ajaccio markets
 - Visit Napoleon’s birthplace
- Excursion to Cuttoli in the hills above Ajaccio to include:
 - Visit Corsican knife atelier
 - Lunch at Sole Monte with wine
- Services of Brenda in resort

Optional Excursion: Wines of Corsica

Spend a full day with Corsican wine specialist Raphael Pierre-Banchetti to visit wineries and tastes the local wine varieties. Cost \$250 per person

Not included: International Air Travel, Insurance, Passport expenses





How to Book:

We ask you to contact [Brenda Fawdon](#) for full details of the itinerary and accommodation options. We will send you a booking form together with terms and conditions. Following your reservation by phone we can hold your place for 7 days. You must, within this period, complete and return the booking form together with a deposit payment of \$1000 AUD per person.

Visa and Passport:

Passport Holders of an Australian passport should ensure that the passport is valid for at least 3 months beyond your proposed stay for tourist travel. If you should need a new passport please ensure you enquire in sufficient time before your departure. You can call the Australian Passport Information Service (APIS) for further information on 131 232.

Australian passport holders do not require visas for travel to Italy as a tourist or for business trips up to 90 days. If you are making a longer visit please note you may be required to arrange a visa. For further information check with your local Italian Consulate.



Accommodation Selection:

5-star Hotel Golfe d' Ajaccio

Located on spectacular coastline overlooking the Îles Sanguinaires, in the splendid Ajaccio Bay, the 5-star Hotel Golfe d' Ajaccio is an enchanting luxury spa hotel. The hotel has a heated saltwater pool and private sandy beach, perfect for relaxing by the seaside.

The hotel has its own restaurant and bar. All rooms enjoy private en suite bathroom with bath or shower, telephone, satellite TV, room safe, hair dryer, mini bar and air-conditioning. Accommodation is in spacious rooms (22sqm) with king size bed, balcony and seaview.

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