



**XXI CONGRESSO**  
FONDAZIONE INTERNAZIONALE  
CITTÀ MURATE LIONS CLUBS



**OSIMO ANCONA**  
ITALIA  
25-26-27 APRILE 2025



## **PROGRAMME**

**SOLUTION A** (With arrival of participants in the afternoon of 25 April and departure in the afternoon of Sunday 27)

### **Friday April 25th**

- 5.30 p.m. - 6 p.m. - Welcoming participants  
Guided visit to the Basilica of St Francis and the tomb of St Joseph of Cupertino.
- 7.30 p.m. - Apericena at the Cloisters of the Basilica
- 8.45 pm - Transfer to the Cathedral.
- 9.30 p.m. - Concert inside the Cathedral of San Leopardo di Osimo
- At the end transfer to respective hotels

### **Saturday 26th April**

- Conference day  
Auditorium Lega del Filo D'Oro
- 8.00-9.30 a.m. - Registration of participants.

**\*A guided tour programme is planned for those not taking part in the conference work.**

- 9.45 a.m. - Congress work begins.
  - **Ceremony of the Flags and execution of the national anthems.**
  - **Official greetings from civil and lion authorities**
  - **Speech by the Chairman of the Congress Organising Committee.**
  - **Greetings from the President, Vice President, Past President and Honorary President of the International Foundation of Walled Cities Lions Clubs.**

10.30 a.m. - Conference on 'The Walls. Visible - Invisible - Hidden'

Speakers:

- Rossano Bartoli** - President of the Lega del Filo d'Oro  
'Beyond the invisible walls: solidarity that generates value'.
- Francesca Fei- Archaeologist

'The Osimo city walls and the events that saw it as a protagonist in history



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### *Musical interlude*

**Simona Palombarani** - Head of IAT Municipality of Osio

*'Walls under the walls: a journey through the secret city'*

**President Skal:**

**'The promotion of global tourism and friendship in the world'**

12:00 a.m. Presentation of New Clubs

12:20 a.m. Presentation of the XXII Congress of Walled Cities Lions Clubs  
of the **Sharjah Al Hisn Fort Club – United Arab Emirates**

12:30 a.m. Speech by the International President of the Walled Cities Lions Clubs

**Giacomo Beorchia**

12:40 a.m. Closing speech by the Governor of Lions District 108 A

**Mario Boccaccini**

13:00 a.m. Light Lunch

### **PHILATELIC CANCELLATION**

**To commemorate this event, in collaboration with Poste Italiane, a Special postal cancellation has been prepared. The stamped postcards and all the philatelic material will be available at the entrance to the auditorium**

15:00 p.m. - **Assembly of Members** of the International Foundation of Walled Cities Lions Clubs with the elections of the President, Vice President and new members of the Board of Directors of the Foundation.

**For those who will not attend the meeting:**

15:30 p.m. - Guided tour of the city of Osimo

18:00 p.m. - Transfer to the respective hotels

20:30 p.m. - **Friendship Dinner** at the "Villa Anton Ristorante" in Recanati. (Business informal)

### **Sunday 27th April**

9:00 a.m. Osimo archaeological itinerary. Guided tours to:

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**Roman Walls (174 A.C.) - Fonte Magna(I secolo A.C.)**

**Grotte del Cantinone- “Lapidarium” and statue dei “Senza Testa”**

11:30 a.m. Reception by the Mayor of Osimo and visit to the Town Hall

13:00 a.m. Lunch

END OF SERVICES

**\*THIS SOLUTION INCLUDES 2 NIGHTS IN HOTEL**

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**SOLUTION B** (With participants arriving in the afternoon of April 24th and departing in the afternoon of Sunday April 27th)

**Friday 25th April**

17:00 p.m. - Arrival of participants at their respective hotels

18:00 p.m. - Guided Tour to the Covo Museum and the Basilica of Campocavallo

**ALTERNATIVELY: Public conference at the Teatro La Nuova Fenice on the theme  
“HISTORICAL CENTERS: MORE ACCESSIBLE, MORE LIVEABLE”**

20:00 a.m. - Dinner

**Saturday 26th April**

9.00 Guided Tour of the Accordion Museum in Castelfidardo

10.30 Guided Tour of the Sanctuary of the Madonna di Loreto

12.30 Typical Marche Lunch

16.00 Visit to a local winery

**Then continue as per solution A**

**\*THIS SOLUTION INCLUDES 3 NIGHTS IN HOTEL**

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**SOLUTION C** (Congress Day only)

**Saturday 26th April**

**Conference works - Buffet lunch - Friendship dinner**

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## **PRE-CONGRESS ACTIVITIES**

**From April 22nd**

**“International Economic Operators in Comparison”: Information Seminars  
and Round Tables**

**Wednesday 23th April**

**5:00 pm Forum “Tourism and sustainability: New opportunities for the territory”.**

An initiative where the main tourism stakeholders will meet

**Thursday 24th April**

**5:00 p.m. Public conference on “Historical Centers: more accessible, more  
liveable”**

**FOR INFORMATION: CONTACT THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

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**HOW TO REACH OSIMO (AN):**

- **Falconara/Ancona Airport (Distance 25 KM)**
- **Ancona FF/SS Station (Distance (distance 20 KM)**
- **By Car: A14 Motorway – Ancona Sud exit (Distance KM 8)**