



IL BOTTACCIO

Boutique Art Hotel · Relais & Châteaux · Montignoso, beside Forte dei Marmi · Tuscany

Just moments from Forte dei Marmi and nestled at the foot of the Apuan Alps, Il Bottaccio is an intimate Boutique Art Hotel and Relais & Châteaux Maison that feels like an elegant private residence. Housed within a beautifully restored 18th-century water mill, it has embodied discreet luxury and deeply personal hospitality since opening in 1983 and has been a member of Relais & Châteaux since 1988.

Shaped by the d'Anna family's enduring passion for art, the house seamlessly weaves contemporary works into a setting of antique craftsmanship across just eight individually designed suites and rooms. Lush gardens, a gourmet restaurant centred around an art-filled indoor pool, and the tranquil rituals of the Otzium Spa complete a sanctuary devoted to beauty, wellbeing, and the art of unhurried living.

“The art of living lies in the beauty of unhurried moments.”

AT A GLANCE

PROPERTY	Il Bottaccio · Boutique Art Hotel
CLASSIFICATION	Five-star hotel · Relais & Châteaux
OWNERSHIP	Privately owned · the d'Anna family
ESTABLISHED	18th-century water mill · hotel since 1983 · Relais & Châteaux since 1988
SETTING	Foot of the Apuan Alps · Montignoso, beside Forte dei Marmi
ACCOMMODATION	Eight individually designed suites & rooms · renovated 2025
ART	A living gallery — the owner's private collection and rotating exhibitions
DINING	Il Bottaccio Restaurant — gourmet Mediterranean cuisine
SPA	SPA Otzium — a private, guests-only wellness world
GARDENS	Lush grounds, newly extended with 120 olive trees
EXPERIENCES	Curated art, wine, culinary and sea journeys
NEAREST AIRPORTS	Pisa 40 km · Florence 108 km · Bologna 185 km · Milan 239–293 km
SUSTAINABILITY	Green energy since 2022 · Global Tourism Plastics Initiative (UNEP)

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ACCOMMODATION

Eight individually designed suites and rooms, reimagined in 2025 in collaboration with international artists, where bespoke design pieces and the owner's private art collection are woven into a setting of timeless craftsmanship, terracotta floors, and exquisite marble bathrooms.

ART AT IL BOTTACCIO

- Art is the soul of the house. The d'Anna family's private collection graces every suite and salon, while Il Bottaccio itself serves as a living gallery, hosting exhibitions by contemporary sculptors. Here, art is not simply displayed — it is woven into the very fabric of the experience.

DINING

- Il Bottaccio Restaurant — born from the meeting of fine cuisine and art, where the boundaries between the plate and the surrounding sculpture, painting, and light gently dissolve.
- Mediterranean cuisine by Chef Nino Mosca — a refined and deeply rooted interpretation of Italian tradition, infused with luminous creativity and a contemporary sensibility.

SPA OTZIUM

- SPA Otzium — devoted to the sweet art of doing nothing, this private, guests-only sanctuary is a world apart, where time seems to stand still and body and mind surrender to deep renewal.
- The Garden Gym — set in the quiet of the estate and reserved exclusively for guests, it offers an intimate setting for fitness, private yoga, and Pilates sessions beneath the open Tuscan sky.

EXPERIENCES

A curated collection of private experiences reveals Tuscany and the Riviera, arranged by the concierge.

- Flavours — Private culinary masterclasses, curated wine journeys, and exclusive visits to the prestigious Ornellaia estate.
- Art & Culture — Discover the artists' studios and bronze foundries of Pietrasanta, the historic treasures of Lucca and Villa Reale, and the timeless beauty of Pisa and Florence.
- Sea & Discovery — Explore the dramatic Carrara marble quarries, the enchanting Cinque Terre, and the Gulf of Poets, by land or aboard a private yacht.
- Wellbeing — Relax at the celebrated beach clubs of Forte dei Marmi, enjoy a round at the nearby golf club just ten minutes away, or experience horse trekking through the breathtaking Apuan Alps Regional Park, a landscape recognised as part of the UNESCO heritage of the region.

LOCATION & ACCESS

- Via Bottaccio 1, 54038 Montignoso (MS), Tuscany — beside Forte dei Marmi · 43.9985° N, 10.1684° E
- Complimentary shuttle to the beach clubs and historic centre of Forte dei Marmi
- Pietrasanta, Lucca, Pisa and Florence within easy reach

RESERVATIONS

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TRADE & MEDIA

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ARRIVALS

Effortless to reach — the nearest airports, with approximate driving times.

PISA	40 km · ~40 min
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FLORENCE	108 km · ~1 h 20
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BOLOGNA	185 km · ~1 h 50
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MILAN	239–293 km · ~2 h 40
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ROME	~370 km · ~3 h 50
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TRANSFERS	Private car, rail and helicopter transfers by the concierge
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PRE & POST CRUISE

An ideal overture or epilogue to a Mediterranean voyage — embarkation ports within easy reach.

LA SPEZIA	40 minutes
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LIVORNO	1 hour
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GENOA	1 hour 45
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CIVITAVECCHIA	4 hours — Rome's cruise port
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SUGGESTED ITINERARIES

Three curated journeys that place Il Bottaccio at the heart of a grand Italian tour.

THE NORTHERN GRAND TOUR

Venice · The Lakes · Milan · Il Bottaccio

From the canals of Venice and the shimmer of Como and Maggiore to Milanese elegance, closing beside the Tuscan sea.

THE CLASSIC TUSCAN LINE

Florence · Il Bottaccio · Orvieto · Rome · Amalfi

From Florence and the Tuscan coast to the hill town of Orvieto, the eternal splendour of Rome, and the cliffs of the Amalfi Coast.

THE ISLAND LINE

Florence · Il Bottaccio · Sardegna

Florentine art and the quiet luxury of the Tuscan coast, then a private crossing of the Tyrrhenian to the emerald shores of Sardinia.