



MONUMENTAL SITES AND AREAS

ARCHAEOLOGICAL PARK OF THE ANCIENT APPIAN WAY

Mausoleo di Cecilia Metella
Castrum Caetani
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 Tel. 06 7844271
 Closed Mondays

Complesso Capo di Bove
Archivio Cederna
 Via Appia Antica, 222
 Tel. 06 7806686
 Open every day

Villa dei Quintili
Santa Maria Nova
 Via Appia Nuova, 1092
 via Appia Antica 251
 Tel. 06 7129121
 Closed Mondays

Tombe della Via Latina
 Via dell'Arco di Travertino, 151
 Tel. 06 7809255
 Closed Mondays

Villa dei Sette Bassi
 Via Tuscolana, 1700
 Tel. 06 7222568
 Visits upon request

Antiquarium di Lucrezia Romana
 Via Lucrezia Romana, 62
 Tel. 06 72016669
 Open Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday
 from 9 am to 3 pm

www.parcoarcheologicoappiaantica.it

CAPITOLINE SUPERINTENDENCY

Sepolcro degli Scipioni
 Via di Porta S. Sebastiano 9
 tel. 06 0608
 Closed Monday

Colombario di Pomponio Hylas
 Via di Porta Latina 14 - Parco degli Scipioni
 tel. 06 0608
 Closed Mondays

Casina del Cardinal Bessarione
 Via di Porta S. Sebastiano 8
 tel 06 0608
 Closed Mondays

Museo delle Mura
 Via di Porta S. Sebastiano, 18
 Tel. 06 70475284
 Closed Mondays

Circo e Villa di Massenzio, Mausoleo di Romolo
 Via Appia Antica, 153
 Tel. 06 06 78347812
 Closed Mondays

Sepolcro di Priscilla
 Via Appia Antica, 76
 Tel. 06 5135316
 Open Sundays from March to June
 from September to December

Sepolcro Annia Regilla
 Via della Caffarella, 23
 Tel. 06 5135316
 Open Saturdays and Sundays
 (closed January, July and August)

www.sovraintendenzaroma.it

PONTIFICAL COMMISSION OF ARCHAEOLOGY

Catacombe di San Callisto
 Via Appia Antica, 126
 Tel. 06 51301580
 Closed Wednesdays and in February

Basilica di San Sebastiano e Catacombe
 Via Appia Antica, 136
 Tel. 06 7850350
 Closed Sundays and in November

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PARCO REGIONALE DELL'APPIA ANTICA



REGIONE LAZIO





A veritable wedge of greenery, the park extends to the city centre and its very close proximity to the Colli Albani slopes guarantees a biological corridor for numerous animal species. There are few territorial systems like this in the world both

from the historical-archaeological and landscape point of view. Thanks to decades of battles fought by citizens and environmentalists, the parts have been joined into a single organic protection system. Preserved within it are intact views of the Roman countryside and remnants of natural scrub and hillside woods. These values add up to very important historical and archaeological memories. The Park therefore has the task of preserving values that are even more general, those generated by the always complex but at times

THE REGIONAL PARK OF THE ANCIENT APPIAN WAY WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1988 AND HAS BEEN PART OF THE SYSTEM OF PROTECTED NATURAL AREAS OF LAZIO SINCE 1997.

extraordinarily exemplary relationship between nature and humankind, between cultural heritage and landscape heritage. Its 4,580 hectares include the Via Appia Antica and its environs for more

than 16 kilometres, from Piazza Numa Pompilio to Frattocchie; the entire length of the valley of the Caffarella where the Almone River runs through it; the archaeological area of Via Latina, the green area of Torre del Fiscale and from there the Acquedotto del Mandrione to Porta Maggiore, the archaeological area of the Aqueducts, the estates of Tormarancia and the Farnesiana and to the south, and the areas of Divino Amore and Falcognana. The municipalities crossed by the park area are Rome, Ciampino and Marino.



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Cartiera Latina

Via Appia Antica, 42
Park Authority headquarters and offices, exhibit rooms, environmental education, guided tours, rest area, services
Every day from 9 am to 5 pm
06 5126314
info@parcoappiaantica.it

Centro servizi Appia Antica

Information, bike rentals, guided tours, bus tickets and gadgets.
Via Appia Antica, 58/60
@: puntoappia@parcoappiaantica.it
W: www.infopointappia.it
Tel./ WhatsApp / Fax (+39) 06.51.35.316
Open every day

Casa del Parco - Valle della Caffarella

Entrance on Via Latina Largo Tacchi Venturi.
Guided tours, bike rentals, bike repair shop, workshops for children, educational garden.
Open every day, closed August.
Tel. (+39) 06.704.97269
(+39) 366 9852219
casadelparco@parcoappiaantica.it

Casale dell'ex Mulino

Via della Caffarella 23.
Information, guided tours
Open to the public on Saturdays and Sundays (except January, July and August). Hours 10 am - 4 pm (6 pm daylight savings time)
Tel. 06 5135316
puntoappia@parcoappiaantica.it

Acquedotti

Via Lemonia, 256.
Information, guided tours, bike rentals.
Open Saturdays and Sundays from March to June and September to December, hours 10 am - 4 pm (10 am - 6 pm daylight savings time). info@gazebike.com

Porta Metronia

Piazzale Metronio
Information, guided tours
Open Sundays March to June; September to December.
comitatomuralatine@gmail.com

Tor Fiscale

Via dell'Acquedotto Felice, 120,
Information, guided tours, bike rentals, refreshment area.
Open from March to July; from September to December
Tel 06 72612966 327 8470021
torredelfiscale@gmail.com

Tormarancia

Via Sartorio ang. Via dei Numisi
Information, guided tours.
From March to June and from September to November, Sunday 10 am - 1 pm
info@appiaonline.it
info@nereide.eu

Viale Londra

From March to June and from September to November
Sundays, 10 am-1 pm
cdgrottaperfetta@gmail.com

Appia Antica X-XI miglio

Santa Maria delle Mole
Via della Repubblica, adjacent to the Railway station (municipality of Marino).
Information and guided tours.
Saturdays and Sundays: 10 am - 6 pm (closed in July and August)
info@legambienteappia.eu

Azienda Agricola Regina Viarum

Via Appia Antica, 300
Open Sundays
From March to June and from September to November
federicagianni@virgilio.it

Fonte Egeria – Bici & Motori

Via dell'Almone,105
Open from 9 am to sunset
Bike and electric vehicle rentals by reservation.
Tel. 338 8883050
alberto@biciemotori.com

LANDSCAPE AND NATURE

The park's land is located on the slopes of the Colli Albani volcano, which was active about 600,000 years ago; furrows have been created in it by various watercourses, including the Almone River and the so-called "marrane" fed by springs. Over the centuries, man's intervention has changed the landscape, and we can admire extraordinary testimonials to this today. The original forest areas have been replaced by open areas suitable for agricultural use and pastoral landscape. The typical morphology of the Roman countryside, characterized by plateaus furrowed with shallowly or deeply carved valleys, has also been partly modified by excavation on the surface and subsoil, transport and movement of materials, and by works to regiment water. In recent decades, uncontrolled and widespread urbanization has fragmented the landscape even further. Today the Park looks like a mosaic of different environments: extensive cultivation or grazing spaces alternate with uncultivated areas, residual wooded areas, where agriculture has not arrived or ceased long ago, with riparian vegetation and some wetland areas. These semi-natural environments and agricultural areas are now the agro-ecosystem of the Roman countryside. This system is of considerable naturalistic and scientific interest for its wildlife communities and plant associations, consistent with the ecological potential of the area. The Parco dell'Appia Antica, with its unique historical archaeological values, is a substantial part of the Ecological Network of the city of Rome and is the most important peri-urban protected area in the Lazio Region.

HISTORY AND ARCHEOLOGY

Traveling along the Appia Antica, one can find extraordinary testimonials to the history of Rome, from the Republican period onwards. Some of the best known are the Sepulchre of the Scipioni, the San Sebastiano Gate and the Aurelian Walls, the Sepulchre of Priscilla, the Circus area and Imperial Palace of Maxentius, the large round mausoleum of Cecilia Metella, the area of Capo di Bove, the Villas of the Quintili and the Sette Bassi, and the large cylindrical sepulchre, known as Casal Rotondo, all from the Republican and Imperial periods. The catacombs of San Callisto, Domitilla (on the edge of the perimeter) and San Sebastiano, of which the above-mentioned Basilica of Pretestato is very popular with visitors, date back to the first centuries of Christianity; the numerous churches scattered along the route are Medieval, Renaissance and Baroque, such as Santa Maria in Palmis, celebrated with the name Quo Vadis; the towers and fortifications are also medieval, often built on ruins of Roman monuments, such as the castle built by the Caetani family around the sepulchre of Cecilia Metella. The Park's land also includes the valley, Valle della Caffarella, crossed by the Almone River, the most important testimonial to the ancient agricultural landscape near the city, but also its wealth of monuments from every era, such as the Temple of the god Rediculum (or Cenotaph of Annia Regilla), the Nymphaeum of Egeria, the Church of Sant'Urbano, and the medieval towers and ancient wool mills. The Complex of the Tombs on Via Latina is also spectacular and the area of the Aqueducts and Tor Fiscale is a must-see, with the mighty ruins of the conduits that supplied water to the city, such as the majestic Claudio-Anio Novus Aqueduct, the Felice Aqueduct and the section along Via del Mandrione which runs to Porta Maggiore.

