

Circle of Friends - Festival Tour October 20-23, 2022

Tour Highlights

- Premiere of the opera "The Turn of the Screw" by Benjamin Britten at the Teatro Olimpico
- BFO Orchestra concert at the Teatro Olimpico: Haydn Cello Concerto C Major with Nicolas Altstaedt & Beethoven Symphony No. 3
- Dinner in honor of Maestro Iván Fischer hosted by Contessa Caroline Marzotto
- Chamber concert followed by dinner with Maestro Iván Fischer hosted by Carolina Valmarana in Villa Valmarana al Nani Contessa Carolina Valmarana will host us in her 18th-century Palladio Villa with frescoes by Giambattista Tiepolo
- Visit to La Rotonda accompanied by members of the Valmarana family of proprietors
 - "Perhaps architecture has never reached such a level of magnificence"

 J. W. Goethe describing La Rotonda
- Guided tour of Vicenza's old town
- Villa Barbarigo in Valsanzibio with a private lunch hosted by owner Armando Pizzoni Ardemani
 Villa Barbarigo was built in the 17th century.
 At the same time a beautiful garden was created with a unique labyrinth of boxwood hedges.
- Private lunch with owners Alessandro Sforza and Francesca Papafava at Palazzo Papafava, a neo-classical palace in the heart of Padova