

## Wine and Culture

The culture of wine tells us about man and his art.

At Villa Spinosa, wine signifies culture and transmits the history and traditions of the area. The strong link to the Valpolicella and the conviction that a place's development and success are the result of cultural advancement, lead to the foundation in 2001 of the "Francesca Finato Spinosa Associazione Culturale" which organises and promotes conventions, seminars and cultural projects in a setting traditionally used for agricultural activities and the production of Valpolicella wines.

This means that our meeting rooms PalaJago, Fruttaio, Tinaia, Granaio Alto, as well as the courtyards and gardens are regularly transformed into meeting and discussion venues hosting theatre, cinema, photo exhibitions, literary events and musical concerts open to the public.



### AZIENDA AGRICOLA VILLA SPINOSA Vineyards, Cellars and Accommodation

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Villa Spinosa is located in the heart of Valpolicella classica, only a few kilometres from the historic city of Verona and Lake Garda.  
N 45°31'49.99" E 10°55'48.18"

Easily accessible:

#### by car

SS12, A4 Verona Sud, A22 Verona Nord

#### by train

Verona Porta Nuova Station

#### by plane

Verona Villafranca (VRN) Valerio Catullo Airport

#### by public transport

Direct bus line Verona-Negrar in Valpolicella

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## VILLA SPINOSA

The "terroir" is the greatest asset of the Valpolicella. The men and women who work in the vineyards and the cellars, interpret its beauty.

"Villa Spinosa is located in the heart of the Valpolicella Classica, at the foot of the Colle Masua hill in Negrar.

The 19<sup>th</sup> century villa, built on a panoramic position on the high ground of Jago, is adorned with a romantic Italian style garden, bordered by a courtyard and the estate's vineyards.

The Villa Spinosa winery produces the traditional wines of the Valpolicella.

The most precious parts of the Villa Spinosa estate, are the Jago, Figari and Costa del Buso cru vineyards. These 20 hectares of land, located at an elevation between 230 and 423m, are planted with Corvina, Corvinone and Rondinella vines.

The meticulous care of the vineyards, attentive drying of the grapes in the fruit drying loft and experience in wine-making, are the foundations for the high quality of the Valpolicella wines produced by Villa Spinosa.

In the 19<sup>th</sup> century cellars, between the thick tuft walls and terracotta tiled floors, the wines are aged in barriques and large oak casks. The estate's products are available to taste and purchase from the Enoteca in Tinaia, Villa Spinosa's on-site wine shop.

Corte Spinosa, a farmhouse that has been converted into comfortable accommodation, welcomes tourists looking to unite their passion for wine with the culture, uniqueness and beauty of the area offering guests wine tastings as well as visits to the vineyards and cellars.

Villa Spinosa is an elegant backdrop that, thanks to its charm and versatility, offers a vast range of spaces to host weddings, events and cultural events."

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ASSOCIAZIONE CULTURALE

# Corte Spinosa

AGRITURISMO IN VALPOLICELLA

Agriturismo Corte Spinosa is the perfect place to stay for those looking to spend a holiday in close contact with nature in the land of Amarone, an area rich in history, tradition, aromas and colours.

Corte Spinosa is a welcoming residence, open all year round, housed in the old farmhouses of Villa Spinosa. The split-level apartments are furnished in a sober style and have a fully equipped kitchen with single and double bedrooms.

Guests may wander through the romantic garden in front of the villa, visit the vineyards, located in the heart of Valpolicella Classica, watch the activities going on in the cellars of Villa Spinosa and take part in guided tastings. In an enchanting countryside of vineyards,

**Between the blue sky and the green vineyards**

*A holiday amidst the colours and aromas of the Valpolicella.*

olive groves and cherry trees, the many hillside pathways make trips out by foot or bike the ideal pastime. The romantic city of Verona is close by as well as many other interesting destinations such as Lake Garda, Monte Baldo, the Lessinia Mountains, natural spas, amusement parks and golf courses.



## enoteca in tinaia

WINE SHOP

*By respecting the time wine needs to develop, without forcing it, and by adopting a traditional style of winemaking, Villa Spinosa enhances the elegance and uniqueness that have made the wines of the Valpolicella famous around the world. Enoteca in Tinaia, the new wine shop created in the 19<sup>th</sup> century cellars with wide tuft walls and terracotta tiles, gives visitors the chance to taste and purchase Villa Spinosa wines in the place in which they were created.*

**VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO** the symbol of the territory: a young fine wine, delicately spicy and rich in aromas.

**FIGARI, VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO SUPERIORE** from grapes grown on the Figari cru vineyard: elegant and uncompromising, with a powerful character and pleasantly spicy notes.

**JAGO, VALPOLICELLA RIPASSO CLASSICO SUPERIORE** from grapes grown on the Jago cru vineyard: the ripasso technique gives an aromatic and soft structure to the wine along with an elegant bouquet of aromas.

**RED LABEL, AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO** a young Amarone with aromas of fruit jams reveals the vitality and anticipation of an early-release.

## The wines of Villa Spinosa

*Nature, tradition, authenticity: the Villa Spinosa philosophy.*

**AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO** a magical wine that brings together elegance, power, balance and structure. Harmony that satiates the heart and mind.

**GUGLIELMI DI JAGO, AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO** produced in only the best vintages, this highly complex wine is aged for 10, 15 and 20 years in large oak casks leave drinkers with the intense taste sensations typical of a great Amarone.

**FRANCESCA FINATO SPINOSA, RECIOTO DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO** expresses vitality in a culmination of energy, colour and vibrant aromas of sour black cherries and spices.



## enoteca in tinaia

WINE EXPERIENCE

*This fascinating journey explores the connection between man and the land: strolling through the Jago, Figari and Costa del Buso cru vineyards and visiting the ancient cellars and lofts where the grapes are dried, before finishing with a tasting of the Villa Spinosa wines.*

**GUIDED VISITS:** an engaging and evocative journey that embraces the senses. Crossing the garden, through the aromas of roses and lavender and past the fruit trees, enjoying the unique atmosphere of the landscape, we start our discovery of "how wine needs time": the appearance of grapes on the vines, transformation into wine, aging in oak casks and maturation of the finished wine, each stage needs its own time.

## Wine Experience

*Discover the Villa Spinosa wines with your senses.*

**TASTINGS:** to recognise aromas, tastes and the character of a wine in the place in which it was created is a unique experience which allows visitors to truly appreciate the authenticity of our wines and strong connection to the area.

**CLUB AMICI DI VILLA SPINOSA:** members of the Club receive news about our wines, tastings, promotions and events taking place at Villa Spinosa.



## VILLA SPINOSA WEDDINGS & EVENTS

Villa Spinosa is an elegant setting offering a wide range of well-furnished and versatile indoor and outdoor spaces ideal for weddings and other types of events. The romantic Italian-style garden that looks onto the Villa Spinosa vineyards and surrounds the 19<sup>th</sup> century villa, is made up of small labyrinths and green spaces, lawns, roses



## Weddings and Events

*Happiness, beauty and harmony shared with your nearest and dearest.*

and hedges, that can be used to create a unique backdrop for your photographs. The old farmhouses that have been restored in the traditional rural style, embellish the large farmyards and add to the setting. PalaJago, Fruttaio, Tinaia and Granaio Alto are beautiful indoor spaces of varying size and feel that offer solutions to meet every need. To personalise an event, Villa Spinosa can offer original party favours or gifts of elegantly packaged bottles of wine with personalised labels. Guests may be entertained with a visit of the Villa Spinosa cellars along with guided tastings. Agriturismo Corte Spinosa can accommodate those looking for comfortable accommodation without leaving the event venue.