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history and character*

Villa Albrizzi

Este, Nr Padua, Veneto

An impressive and historic Palladian villa in the heart of the Veneto with extensive gardens, tennis court and private pool, Villa Albrizzi is an exceptional find – luxurious and elegant and steeped in history.

Villa Albrizzi is located in the historic and picturesque town of Este, at the foot of the Euganean hills southwest of Padua and is a spectacular villa that dates back to 1666. It has remained in the hands of the same family for several generations and its timeless elegance and wonderful atmosphere make it the perfect location for a luxurious holiday or special occasion.

Two brothers from a wealthy and well-known Venetian family, Carlo and Bartolomeo Zenobio, acquired the property in 1666. They restored the house and built the Barchessa. In 1783 the last member of the family, Alba Zenobio, married Giovanni Battista Albrizzi. It was during this period that the Music Pavilion was added. In the mid-18th century the Albrizzi family modified the garden and added several features to it such as bridges, ruins and greenhouses which were inspired

by the landscaped gardens of Britain and France. Albrizzi villa was then extensively enlarged and has remained in the family through the female line to the present day.

Villa Albrizzi comprises the large main villa which can accommodate 16; a separate 18th century pavillion “Il Padiglione” used as a ballroom or reception room with its original furniture and stucco decor on the walls; and a newly renovated apartment for six people, “La Barchessa”. Furnishings and décor are extremely elegant and pleasing throughout with original antiques, spacious bedrooms with well-appointed bathrooms and the clever combination of traditional with modern comforts and requirements. In the large private park of the estate, where one can frequently see deer roaming, there is an all-weather tennis court; a large private swimming pool with changing

house and pavillion; table and chairs for picnics and an organic vegetable garden and orchard. The perfect venue for all kinds of gatherings, be it an extended family holiday, a special celebration or for a couple wishing to enjoy the Barchessa and explore the numerous nearby delights of the region. There is all number of things to do and places to visit in the vicinity including golf courses, spas and walking or for the more culturally interested medieval villages and ornate gardens and of course the fascinations of Padua, Venice, Ferrara and Verona.

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Information

Sleeps:

- 16 in the Villa
- 6 in the Barchessa Apartment

Service:

- Full time maid & cook service in main villa
- Maid service 2 hours per day for Barchessa Apartment.

Accommodation:

Villa

First Floor:

- Spacious living room
- Library
- Dining room
- Large kitchen
- Breakfast room
- Pantry
- Guest cloakroom

Second Floor:

- Large hall
- Master bedroom with en suite bathroom and air conditioning
- Two double bedrooms with en suite bathrooms
- Twin bedroom with en suite bathroom
- Twin bedroom
- Bathroom
- Single bedroom

Third Floor:

- Twin bedroom with en suite shower room and air conditioning
- Two single bedrooms (1 with air conditioning)
- Bathroom

Barchessa Apartment

Second Floor:

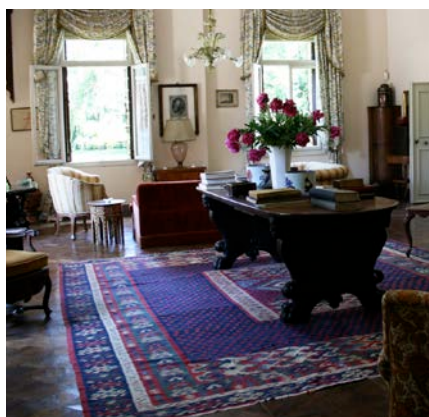
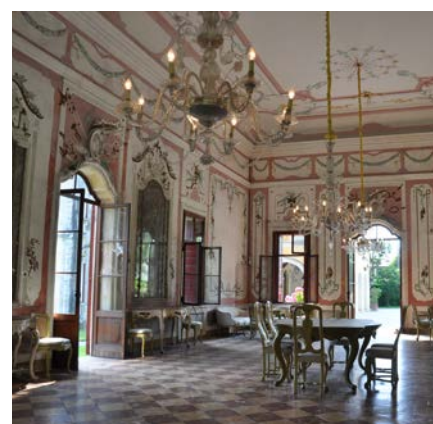
- Entrance hall
- Living room
- Studio with air conditioning
- Dining room
- Kitchen
- Two double bedrooms with en suite bathrooms and air conditioning
- One twin bedroom with en suite bathroom and air conditioning

Facilities:

- Private pool 12m x 6m
- All-weather private tennis court
- 2 digital flatscreen TVs
- WiFi
- Washing machine, dishwasher
- Barbecue
- Bicycles

Activities:

- Golfing: There are three 18-hole courses in the vicinity, all within a pleasant 25 minute drive
- Spas: Abano and Montegrotto are famous spas and are within easy drive. Walking and sightseeing: Este is perfectly placed



for exploring the regional park of the Colli Euganei.

Places of Interest nearby:

- Este: 5 min. by foot to the center to town (the Duomo, Archeological Museum, the Castle, and the shop of the famous Este ceramic factory)
- Montagnana: a medieval walled city beautifully preserved, also famous for its ham (prosciutto crudo)
- Arquà Petrarca: historical medieval village on the Colli Euganei
- Villa Barbarigo at Valsanzibio: a beautiful 17th Century garden described by Edith Wharton in her book "Italian Gardens"

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The Apartment

