



## Birdwatching in the Po Delta

Birdwatching in Italy ?? **Yes**

Where?? **North Italy between the historical city of Venice, Ferrara and Ravenna**



Why?? **Here you have an area of 52.000 hectares with over 300 bird species. Here you can also easily reach a new different area everyday and spend your time observing an abundance of wild life**



### Package Flamingo

**Day 1:** Arrive at the airport. Pick up the car at the car rental and transfer to Po Delta. Room check in and dinner.

**Day 2:** VALLI DI COMACCHIO -Today we will be visiting the "Valli di Comacchio", which is considered the heart of the Po Delta. Historically there were extensive salt works but the abandoned pans are now excellent sites suitable to birdwatching. In the morning we will be staying by the salt works area to admire the Greater Flamingos, Curlew Sandpipers and black tailed Godwits and the Slender-billed Gulls. At lunch time we will have the time to discover the little town of Comacchio with its network of canals and bridges. Lunch in a typical restaurant of the city where you can appreciate the famous "anguilla", a typical local dish. After lunch, visit at "Museo della Nave Romana". Leaving Comacchio: stop at the "Museo delle Valli" (Valley Museum). Then we will be proceeding through the river valleys area among different locations where we can see Mediterranean Gulls, Gull-billed and whiskered Terns, Red-footed falcons, Dinner in Hotel.

**Day 3:** SOUTH AREA - Today we will move towards the southern Po Delta area. Early in the morning we will stop at "Pineta San Vitale". Here you can see over 50 species: among them the Green and Great Spotted wood peckers Marsh and long tailed Tits. We will leave this area towards Ravenna to spend some time in this city, famous for its Byzantine mosaics. Lunch in a typical central restaurant. In the afternoon the city sightseeing will continue. On our way back, if we have time we can stop at Punta Alberete, the only remaining example of submerged woodland in the area. Dinner in hotel.

**Day 4:** CANNEVIE' / VALLE BERTUZZI - Today we will be visiting one of the best birdwatching sites of Po delta. Canneviè is probably the best site in the Delta for large flocks of spotted Redshank. After that, visit to Valle Bertuzzi. Transfer to the airport and departure.

### PRICE PER PERSON IN DOUBLE ROOM (min. 2 persons)

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| <b>FARM HOUSE (with private bathroom)</b>     | <b>€ 320</b> |
| <b>COUNTRY RESORT (with private bathroom)</b> | <b>€ 355</b> |

#### Included:

- 4 days car rent (group B – Nissan Micra / VW Polo / Fiat Punto) unlimited kms and insurances (CDW – TP)
- 3 nights with half board treatment in a typical B/B in the Delta area
- 2 lunches in a typical restaurant with a 3 course menu
- Medical and baggage insurance

#### Not included:

- Beverages
- Museums entrance fees, city tours
- Extras and everything not mentioned in the "Included" list.