

# ITALY - Bellagio

We stayed in Bellagio on Lake Como for 3 days and used it as part touring/part relaxing part of our vacation. It was perfect.

## Rental Reco

### Eleganza e Stile nel Cuore by Wonderfully Italy - 3 nights

This is a rental apartment perfectly situated right across from the ferry dock in Bellagio. We had three bedrooms (two families) with two bathrooms, a full kitchen, and laundry. The view was amazing. We could watch people and ferries, see the mountains, and feel the hustle and bustle of the town. There is a coffee shop, restaurants, and gelato steps from the front door.



Eleganza de Stile

## Things To Do

### E-Bike Tour

This exceeded all expectations. The guide picked up/dropped off in Bellagio near the ferry port. We toured the hills, stopping at a local cafe for treats and coffee. Once at the top, there is a very interesting cycling museum and "bike cathedral." The ride was easy to handle with the electric assist, and the views were simply spectacular.



E-Bike Tour

### Golfing Italian Style

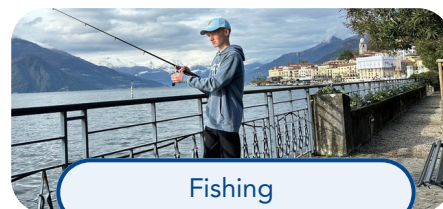
This is an outing for golfers of all skill levels. We played at Menaggio & Cadenabbia Golf Club, the second-oldest golf club in Italy. It's an easy ferry from Bellagio port to Menaggio port. The course has stunning views and is a fun way to spend a morning in Europe.



Menaggio & Cadenabbia Golf

### Fishing In Lake Como

Although we didn't take a formal fishing tour...we did drop hooks in the water and try to catch the big one! There are numerous places to walk and stand alongside the lake to take in the view while you fish. Our kids loved it. If you need supplies **Arco Sport** in Bellagio have all you need (including a license if required).



Fishing

## Other Recos

### Shopping

A gem of a village to wander and shop. Climbing stairways and walking the narrow streets, you'll find traditional shops, boutiques, and talented artisans. Some of our favorites:

**Azalea** - amazing silks, cashmere & wool

**Mario Tacchi** - one of the oldest artisan woodworking shops

**Masits Agnes** - original watercolors and the artist is a delight



### Eating

Bellagio has numerous places to eat, either along the water or in an alley in the village. Some of the favorites from our crew:

**Nando** - great pizza & pasta (we ate here twice!)

**Andrea Wine** - perfect for a little tasting

**Bar Pasticceria Rossi** - patio & people watching (try a Limencello spritz)



### Getting Around

Getting here is easy by train. Arrive in Varenna and take the ferry to Bellagio port. Once there, we recommend walking around both sides of the tip to see Lake Como at its best. The sites are gorgeous, and there are many hidden gems, park areas, and landmarks to enjoy.

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