## FICKET PRICES

(these include the tickets for the Museum Eusebio and of each archaeological site)

 ✓ INDIVIDUAL TICKETS (with reservation): full price: €10 adult; reduced price: €8 helpers of disabled people; free admission for under 10 years old and disabled people.

<u>The tour is in Italian and led by an archaeologist.</u> Texts translated into English are available for foreign tourists

 <u>GROUPS</u> (with reservation), at any desired date: <u>contact us at</u> least one week before via info@ambientecultura.
The visit is led by an archaeologist in English or French.

The profits of the years 2014 and 2015 have been used to the creation of Experimental Archaeology Garden. The profit for the year 2013 has been destined to the restoration of the Mastodont of Verduno, fossil partially destroyed by illegal excavations, and to projects of safeguard of the paleontological heritage of the Tanaro River, outraged in the summer 2012 by the negligence of people.

It is strongly advised to use appropriate footwear. The organizers are not responsible for accidents or loss or damage to private property during the excursion. Booked tours will take place under any weather conditions

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## UNDERGROUND ALBA - ENGLISH



A Walking tour with a professional archeologist to discover Alba's underground roots. To be informed on the activities use the QR-CODE beside with your smartphone or tablet



YouTube

Museo civico F. Eusebio, Via Vittorio Emanuele II 19/b, last entrance on the right - cortile della Maddalena, Tue-Fri 3.00-6.00 p.m., Sat and Sun 10.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m. and 3.00 - 7.00 p.m.



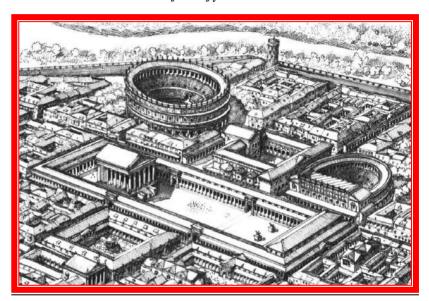








#### a journey to the centre of the city first half year 2020



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# The past lies under your feet!

- ✓ FEBRUARY Saturday 1<sup>st</sup>, Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup>
- MARCH Saturday 7th, Sunday 15th, Saturday 21st and Sunday 29th
- APRIL Sunday 4<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 11<sup>th</sup>, Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> (Easter), Monday 13<sup>th</sup> (*Pasquetta*) and Saturday 18<sup>th</sup>
- ✓ VINUM Wine Fair 2020

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April, from Friday 1<sup>st</sup> to Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May, Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May

- ✓ MAY Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>, Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> (Giro d'Italia)
- ✓ JUNE Saturday 6<sup>th</sup>, Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 28<sup>th</sup>

#### THE PROJECT

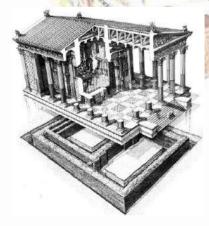
#### **Underground** Alba

The "Underground Alba" project was launched in Spring of 2011. It is administrated by "Ambiente & Cultura" and co-ordinated by the Museum "F. Eusebio" of Alba, with the patronage of the Ministry of Culture and of the Archaeological Superintendence of Piedmont and MAE.

Since the time of Alba Pompeia (that was the name of the city during the Roman times), the historic centre of the city has seen a sequence of generations of town, belonging to different civilization, one after the other, in the same place. The medieval town grew up on the ruins pertaining to the Roman period, the modern town took its place without cancelling it completely, and so on, we arrived at today's town that still retains the urban shape of Alba Pompeia.

Many things have remained in the heart of the underground city as evidence of the past two thousand years of history. A few meters below the streets and the sidewalks, there are fragments of lost cities which constitute the rich heritage of the F. Eusebio Museum and of the archaeological and architectural city path.

The ancient temple, the roman age theatre and main square, the mosaics and the domus, the bastions of the defensive walls, the warehouse barrack, the first baptismal font, the lost medieval towers.



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Drawings of F. Corni, **www.francescocorni.com.** Texts of di M. Mozzone **www.ambientecultura.it** Scientific supervision: L. Albanese, Museo Eusebio.

#### WHEN & WHERE

- ✓ Extraordinary dates: during Easter weekend, VINUM-2020 (the National Fair of Langhe, Roero and Monferrato wines), Giro d'Italia (sport event) and the main events and festivities during the morning and afternoon.
  - **The first and the third Saturday of each month,** at 11.00 a.m., 3.00 and 4.00 p.m.
  - **The second and the fourth Sunday of every month** at 11.00 a.m., 3.00 and 4.00 p.m.

#### Groups can request any date: mail to info@ambientecultura.it

The tour begins from in front of the Tourist Office in **Piazza Risorgimento**, **n.2**, **Alba** at the scheduled time.

Participants are asked to gather at the meeting point for registration 15 **minutes before** the starting time.

## **BOOKING AND INFORMATIONS**

Booking is <u>mandatory</u> and must be done by the day preceding the tour. Booking can be done from the website <u>www.ambientecultura.it</u>, section "Events and Itineraries", or only text message to (+39) 3397349949. General informations: (+39) 3397349949 - (+39) 3426433395 Ambiente & Cultura, www.ambientecultura.it section UNDERGROUND ALBA.

#### **DURATION AND ITINERARIES**

1.5 hour about.

The itinerary will vary according to the day selected. The journey foresees to reach 3 of the 32 the archaeological and monumental sites of the city and it ends in the museum that houses the fossils of the Mastodont of Verduno and the Whale of Alba. At the end free visit to the 23 rooms of the "Eusebio" museum. For eventual updating of the itinerary, please consult <u>www.ambientecultura.it</u>

## GIVEAWAY AND BENEFITS with the free archaeomap

participants will be given a free archeo-map of the city and a free pass to the Eusebio museum. Reduced-price ticket  $(0,50 \in)$  to the San Giuseppe bell tower.