



**LA FONTANA**  
RISTORANTE & BAR



## **La Fontana Ristorante & Bar:**

## **Facts & Figures**

**Status: 2020**

**La Fontana Ristorante & Bar**, whose name derives from the over 200 years old fountain which dominates the terrace, was completely redesigned in 2016. Dishes are inspired by the regional Mediterranean style. Guests can enjoy the trendy ambience inside with the view kitchen or can get the Mediterranean feeling and scents outside on the terrace, surrounded by palm trees and lush vegetation. Here one experiences a lively and informal atmosphere. The guests may choose selected wines from the showcase themselves. Seasonal delicacies are prepared all year round; daily from 7.00 am to 9.30 pm. In 2019 the restaurant was awarded 13 and in 2020 14 points by Gault Millau.

The La Fontana Ristorante & Bar Executive Chef Carlo Ponti Greppi and Restaurant Manager Raffaele D'Ezio with their teams take care of the guests.

The restaurant can seat up to 80 people and 120 including the terrace.

The bar is a meeting point for relaxing times. During the famous Film Festival times it is always popular for many stars, in addition to the restaurant and the terrace. The bars menu offers a wide range of cocktails and drinks made with fresh and aromatic ingredients. Who likes to stay with wines finds a large selection of Swiss and Ticino labels. The “aperitifs” on the terrace right by the fountain are especially popular.

Brunch is traditionally served at **La Fontana Ristorante & Bar** on Sundays from September to June. On holidays but also depending on the season there are always special menus and different offers. For example: the spring menu offers dishes with asparagus and the autumn menu offers various venison dishes. Mainly regional and local products are used for cooking.

Guests can choose from normal delicacies up to a complete vegetarian or vegan menu from starter to dessert depending completely on their individual needs. The menu offers a wide variety.

Guests can book a table calling: +41 91 756 00 79 or sending an email to [ristorante@lafontana-locarno.com](mailto:ristorante@lafontana-locarno.com). Tables can also be reserved online: <https://www.lafontana-locarno.com/en/book-a-table>

**La Fontana Ristorante & Bar** is an ideal starting point for a walk to the pilgrimage site Madonna del Sasso. A footpath leads directly there, perfect before an “Aperitivo” or after enjoying a meal.

The restaurant is connected to the **Hotel Belvedere Locarno**. All 90 rooms have a view of the lake. It is the only four-star superior hotel in Locarno and one of the few hotels in the region that is open all year round. It is within easy walking distance of the historic center and you can immerse yourself in the atmosphere of this city with a Mediterranean climate, famous for its film festivals. Other activities around Lake Maggiore, such as hiking and golf, are also very popular, even in winter due to the mild climate. The airport Lugano-Agno, 40 km away, can be reached by car in about 45 minutes. The airport Milan-Malpensa is 110 km to the south.



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Since the completion of the Alp Transit the hotel can also be reached by train in about two hours via the new Gotthard base tunnel from Zurich, Lucerne and Zug.

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