LA POSTA VECCHIA

Welcome to Da Aurelio

La Posta Vecchia Transitions from The Cesare to Da Aurelio with New Head Chef Andrea Barcia

La Posta Vecchia Hotel is pleased to announce the next chapter in its storied culinary legacy with the transition from The Cesare to Da Aurelio. This name change reflects the hotel's unwavering commitment to exceptional ingredients, superior quality, and locally sourced produce.

Inspired by the wisdom and strength of Emperor Marcus Aurelius, Da Aurelio continues to honour the long-standing culinary philosophy of all Pellicano hotels' restaurants: a cuisine deeply rooted in the region while also celebrating Italy's rich culinary heritage through a curated selection of the finest dishes from across the country. The approach remains consistent: impeccable craftsmanship that enhances the natural flavours of each ingredient. La Posta Vecchia Hotel proudly continues its Dolce Far Bene initiative, sourcing local produce whenever possible, and embraces Meat-Free Mondays, underscoring its unwavering commitment to sustainability.

As part of this exciting new phase, Andrea Barcia has been appointed as the new Head Chef. Born in Trentino, Andrea's culinary journey has taken him to England, Australia, Switzerland, and Denmark before returning to Italy. His international experience has shaped his ability to blend tradition with innovation. Andrea's career includes a formative role at the sister hotel, Il Pellicano, in 2011, where he began cultivating his passion for forward-thinking cuisine.

Now at Da Aurelio, Andrea will continue to celebrate the exceptional flavours of the region, bringing his expertise and enthusiasm to elevate the dining experience.

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La Posta Vecchia Hotel

A magical hidden gem on the coast of Palo Laziale, this chic boutique hotel by the sea boasts 21 fabulous rooms, a celebrated restaurant, an indoor heated swimming pool, the LPV Health & Beauty Club, and on-site private museum and 5 hectares of lush gardens. The villa, which dates back to 1640, was built by the Orsini Princes and later sold to the Odescalchi family, who own the adjacent Castello. In 1960, La Posta Vecchia was purchased by Jean Paul Getty, who had the residence restored and filled with Italian treasures curated by art historian Federico Zeri. The current owner, Roberto Sciò, bought the villa directly from Getty in the 1980s, and in 1990 it opened its doors as the perfect getaway from Rome – only a 40-minutes' drive away – and the epitome of lavish and eclectic Italian hospitality.

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