



WineSounds: Wine Tastings with Music in Historic Settings along the Alto Adige Wine Road

From 18 October to 8 November 2025, twelve concerts will take place in manor houses, castles and palaces along one of Europe's most enchanting wine roads. This distinctive initiative brings together wine, music and culture in a unique experience. *WineSounds along the Alto Adige Wine Road* is a prestigious concert series celebrating the cultural and regional richness of South Tyrol. Guests can enjoy top-quality wines accompanied by evocative music in locations steeped in history.

Event overview

A jazz matinee with the Trio Chic featuring Helga Plankensteiner will kick off the series of events on Saturday, 18 October at 10:30 a.m. in the Von Braunbach Winery in Siebeneich/Settequerce (Terlan/Terlano) and will be accompanied by selected wines and sparkling wines from the Von Braunbach Winery, Terlan wine soup and small appetisers. On the evening of the same day, at 5:30 p.m., the South Tyrolean folk group **Titlá** will perform songs in the Puster Valley dialect at Payersberg Castle in Nals/Nalles. The event will be accompanied by culinary delicacies and wines from the Winery Nals Margreid. On Sunday, 19 October, at 6:30 p.m., Haderburg Castle in Salorno/Salurn will host a concert by the Hortus Musice group, which, together with Max Leonardo, will offer an original interpretation of medieval music, accompanied by wines from the Winery Nals Margreid, a fire dance and the presence of noble ladies and knights. The following Thursday, 23 October, at 6.30 p.m., Freudenstein Castle in Eppan/Appiano will host a folk concert by the Windkraft Ensemble with soprano Maria Eleonora Caminada, who will perform pieces by Berio, Spagnolo and Debussy. The event will be accompanied by a photographic exhibition by Erwin Flor and visitors will be able to taste the fine wines of the Stroblhof Winery.

On Saturday, 25 October, starting at 10 a.m., at the estate of the Elena Walch family in Tramin/Termeno, the Ladies in Dress string quartet will entertain the audience with pop music, tango, soundtracks and jazz. This will be followed by a guided tour of the winery and a tasting of three wines. On the same day, at 6 p.m., at the Palais Baron von Longo in Neumarkt/Egna, there will be a concert by the David Frank Ensemble, which blends Alpine sounds with blues chords, accompanied by a guided tasting and light refreshments. On Sunday 26 October, at 10 a.m., the concert series continues with an open-air matinee at the Sternbauer farmyard in Andrian/Andriano, where the Cinquino Brass Quintett will perform classical and modern music for brass instruments and selected wines from the Andrian Winery will be offered. The evening of Friday 31 October, starting at 5.30 pm, will be dedicated to the music of Tango X3 Quartet, which brings the melodies of Astor Piazzolla back to life: the concert will be held at the Windegg estate in Kaltern am See/Caldaro al Lago and will be accompanied by culinary delicacies and fine wines. On

Monday 3 November, at 7.30 p.m., at the Casa della Cultura/Waltherhaus in Bolzano/Bozen, the Bolzano Concert Society is organising a concert by American pianist Claire Huangci, which the Bolzano Tourist Board will conclude with a tasting of three

The final weekend of the *WineSounds along the Alto Adige Wine Road* concert series on will begin on Thursday, 6 November at 6:30 p.m. with a performance by **Duo Aurora** in the rock cellar of Laimburg in Pfatten/Vadena. The harp and violin will play classical and modern melodies, while fine wines from the Laimburg Winery and a charcuterie board will be served. On Friday, 7 November, at 5:30 p.m., in the ancient 'Marstall' stables of the Leisenhof of Castel Sallegg in Kaltern am See, there will be a piano concert by **Bruna Pulini**, followed by a selection of wines and culinary delicacies. The *WineSounds on the Alto Adige Wine Road* will conclude at the Cantina Bolzano on Saturday, 8 November, at 7:30 p.m. with a performance by the **Lignum wind quintet**, which will play pieces by Mozart, Rossini, Ponchielli, Verdi, Debussy, Bizet, and Agay. The concert will conclude with a tasting of three exclusive wines from the Cantina Bolzano.

The artistic director of the *WineSounds* along the Alto Adige Wine Road concert series is **Johann Finatzer**, **now in its third edition in 2025**. Finatzer is responsible for the musical conception of the concert series, ensuring the highest quality and a wide range of musical genres. The event is an initiative of the Alto Adige Wine Road Association in collaboration with the tourist associations of Nals, Andrian, Terlan, Eppan, Kaltern am See, Tramin, Südtirols Süden, Laives-Bronzolo-Vadena, and the Bolzano Tourist Board.

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