

**DRIVING DIRECTIONS** - The **CASA COLONICA** at **il Poggiolo Tuscany** is 3 km from Bucine on *dirt roads* so **BEST REACHED BY ANOTHER ROUTE**:

- Exit the A-1 at Valdarno, put "**via di Caposelvi**" (at intersection with **via Aretina**) in your navigator/map
- Take 'via di Caposelvi'. After circa 2 km turn left over the little **Campitello/il Poggio** bridge (there are *lots* of little bridges, look for the signs)
- Drive up and curve left under the hamlet in front of you (= **Mulin di Dino**, no sign but it is on Google Maps) and continue on the paved road up through the woods ca. 500 mt to **il Poggiolo Tuscany** (several curves - use your horn!).
- Almost immediately upon coming out of the woods you will see cypress trees and the big triangular landmark stone on your **LEFT**. Turn onto the driveway and take the middle branch (see photo below) – *you have arrived!!!*

Be aware that there can be traffic jams both around Florence and in the Valdarno in rush hours, and calculate ample travel time. **Please plan to arrive the first time in FULL DAYLIGHT** as country landmarks are **extremely difficult to see at dusk (and practically impossible at night)**.

Check-in can happen anytime between 14:00-20:00 but **PLEASE LET ME KNOW THE DAY BEFORE YOUR ARRIVAL your estimated arrival time so that someone will be available to greet you !!**

(cellphone text message, WhatsApp or email all OK):

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Please allow a few minutes ***immediately upon arrival*** (all members of your party please) for a quick introduction to the quirks of the house!!!

- At check-in all members of your group (*even babies*) must provide the original of their Passport or EU identity card for registration.
- Bucine municipal 'Imposta di Soggiorno' (€6 tourist tax per guest over age 11) due in cash at check-in (if not already paid via reservation portal)
- WiFi access code provided upon completion of check-in.

There will be **some snacks and a bottle of wine** in the welcome basket. Il Poggiolo Tuscany strongly recommends that you arrive and check-in before going to a local, user friendly cooperative supermarket in Levane (easy 8 min. drive, look up **Coop Levane** on your navigator, very nice staff) - good basic selection of produce, meats, dry goods and wines. <https://www.cooplevane.it/>

**I warmly suggest you download and print this page.** Il Poggiolo Tuscany is on **Google Maps** (look for "il Poggiolo Tuscany, Bucine) and on **Google Earth** (as "Il Poggiolo Holidays in Tuscany." Coordinates : 43°29'36"N 11°35'37"E. Google Maps will take you over 3 km of country roads so better to follow these directions!! If you message me on WhatsApp I can send you a Live location map. (+39 348 605 7338).

**Loc. Il Poggiolo 79 (Fraz Torre), Bucine (AR) 52021, ITALY**

For events in the area, village fetes, trekking trails and suggestions for things to do:

<https://www.visitvaldarno.com>