



WeFree days is an annual high-level forum for international and Italian political bodies, media, artists and relevant international associations to raise awareness on the harms to health, society and the environment caused by drug use, trafficking and production of drugs.

General information:

- Dates:** 10-11 October, 2018 (arrivals 9th of October)
- Language:** English
- The Venue:** SAN PATRIGNANO COMMUNITY
- Accommodation:** We have blocked a number of rooms for the participants at Hotel Feldberg.
Hotel Feldberg, Via Fucini 10, Riccione
Phone +39 0541 641942
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Email: commerciale@hotelfeldbergriccione.com
- Room rate:** 58 € for single occupancy incl. breakfast and VAT
88 € for double occupancy
120 € for three-bed room
Mind the existing local sojourn tax € 3 per person per day to paid in cash directly to the hotel at your departure
- You book your room yourself**, please announce that yours is an **ECAD booking** to get the agreed rate, before 31st of August 2018.
- Registration:** Booking form at www.ecad.net.
Mail or fax the booking form to ECAD:
ecad@ecad.net, fax +46 8 5082 9466
- Travel:** Rimini International Federico Fellini airport (RMI) or Bologna Forlì International airport (FRL), 40 km from Riccione), Ancona Falconara Airport (AOI) (80 km) or Bologna G. Marconi Airport (BLQ) (120 km)
- Train from Forlì/Ancona/Bologna to Riccione, check www.trenitalia.com*
- Seminar fee:** For ECAD member cities: 80 €, for others: 120 €, to be paid to ECAD by the end of September (we invoice you after receiving your seminar booking)

San Patrignano is world's largest therapeutic community working for the last 40 years for the full recovery of those suffering from drug addiction. San Patrignano is committed to the assumption of responsibility as the foundation of true freedom.

Rehabilitation, professional training and social reintegration are the key concepts to have given a chance to more than 26 000 young people since 1978. Independent research has shown that over 72% of those who have completed the program are fully reintegrated and remain drug-free.

WeFree Days event is divided into four thematic areas: Forum, Theatre, Forumio and Experience.

There will be theatrical prevention shows, true stories told from the stage and in the school year 2017-18 at the **Theatre Space**.

Forumio Space is dedicated to meeting and conversing, where the persons of the world of culture, entertainment and sport will meet the participants.

Experience Space is designed for the presentation of several Italian and international initiatives used in the projects for young people. They use art in various forms as a tool for growth and enhancement of skills and passions.

The various groups offer the students a direct involvement in the experience of each activity.

Please email WeFree Booking form to ECAD Office to book your participation: ecad@ecad.net.
Booking form is available at www.ecad.net



Preliminary Programme Outline

SAN PATRIGNANO celebrates its 40th ANNIVERSARY

Tuesday, October 9th, 2018

Arrivals

Wednesday, October 10th, 2018

Bus transfer to San Patrignano from Hotel Feldberg

One day scientific Conference / Workshop:

Viral Hepatitis Elimination in PWIDS

(People Who Inject Drugs)

Treating Infections and Predisposing Causes

EASL/International Liver Foundation

09.00 -17.30 Conference / Workshop

There are many clinical problems related to drug addiction. Because of this, San Patrignano is constantly seeking to identify both more effective medical treatment and to encourage the adoption of healthy life styles. This event is an excellent opportunity for San Patrignano to enter into dialogue with the scientific world in order to be constantly updated on the evolution of the therapies applicable to the Community.

Lunch at San Patrignano Community

17.00 Bus from San Patrignano to Hotel Feldberg

Thursday, October 11th, 2018

Bus transfer to San Patrignano from Hotel Feldberg

10.00 WeFree Show

11.00 FORUM with international speakers:

40 years of Recovery, Education and Prevention of drug use: Are we heroes or fools?

An international debate to build new responses, updating the ways the Community works by promoting a new dialogue between institutions and civil society in order to overcome cultural- and value fragility in the society.

Reviewing the aims of the Community that visits the schools and meets families in order to improve the conditions for young people and their future.

Lunch at San Patrignano community

14.00 ECAD Programme

A Special Session for ECAD group: Questions and Answers with SanPatrignano staff and residents, a walk in the Community

17.00 Bus from San Patrignano to Hotel Feldberg

Friday, October 12th, 2018

Departures

October 10-11, 2018



For years SanPatrignano has been implementing the WeFree Project, an extensive network of prevention interventions in the national territory focused on the "peer-to-peer education", with the involvement of members of the Community.

WeFree Days are dedicated to examine issues relating to drug addiction and common problems among the youth. The goal is to stimulate a constructive dialogue that proposes an alternative to the tendency to deal superficially with the today's drug problem.

This event is attended by about 3000 high school students from Italy, alongside with Italian and international institution representatives of associations active in the social sector. Role models from sport, culture and entertainment are involved too.

