

A Roman Summer in Piazzetta Ripetta



There is good reason that 'al fresco' originates from Italy. Nowhere embraces outdoor dining like the Italians and **Piazzetta Ripetta** at the new 5* **Palazzo Ripetta** is set to become a true destination in the city this summer. <u>www.piazzettaripetta.com/en</u>

Set within the central courtyard of the 17th century Palazzo, Piazzetta Ripetta is a hidden idyl from the fast-paced city life. The rich terracotta brickwork is contrasted by the rich greenery with splashes of yellow from the lemon trees. Soak up the sun as it beams in from above or find a hidden corner to escape the heat of the day under a parasol. The trickling of water from the fountain incorporating an ancient Roman trough forms a backdrop to any occasion, from long lunches, a treat of a coffee break to a fabulous dinner with family and friends on a warm summer evening.

The menu at Piazzetta Ripetta changes throughout the day. This includes light lunches with crisp salads, fresh seafood and bakery dishes from the acclaimed Chef Giuseppe Solfrizzi, patron of Rome's Le Levain. As the evening draws in, then a tempting menu of 'cicchetti' are the perfect partner to an aperitif, with generous plates of delicatessen and gourmet dishes await diners. Tuck into a classic Polpetta alla romana, try a seabream tartare or pick up a Pallotta "cacio e ova".

Come Sundays, an indulgent Sunday brunch awaits, the perfect chance to slow down and reconnect with loved ones. Choose from the broad menu of ready-prepared plates including the most artful of pastry dishes, or order off the menu to happily graze away the afternoon in spectacular surroundings.

Alongside its dining options, Piazzetta Ripetta is fast developing a reputation for its beverages and mixology thanks to the al fresco bar, a creative showcase. Inspired by the great classics of Italian aperitifs, these are revisited in exciting ways thanks to collaboration with the acclaimed Jerry Thomas Project speakeasy in the city. The signature menu is embellished by the quality of ingredients, imaginative flavours and the mastery of the bartenders. Formed with Italian classics including Campari and Aperol, guests may try drinks such as the 'Shakerato Perfetto', with Campari, Doragrossa mint & rhubarb liqueur and bergamot bitter to 'Bouquet', with Aperol, rose buds, ibiscus, geranium and sparkling wine.



Piazzetta Ripetta is open daily from 10am until 12 midnight. For more information, visit https://www.piazzettaripetta.com/en

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