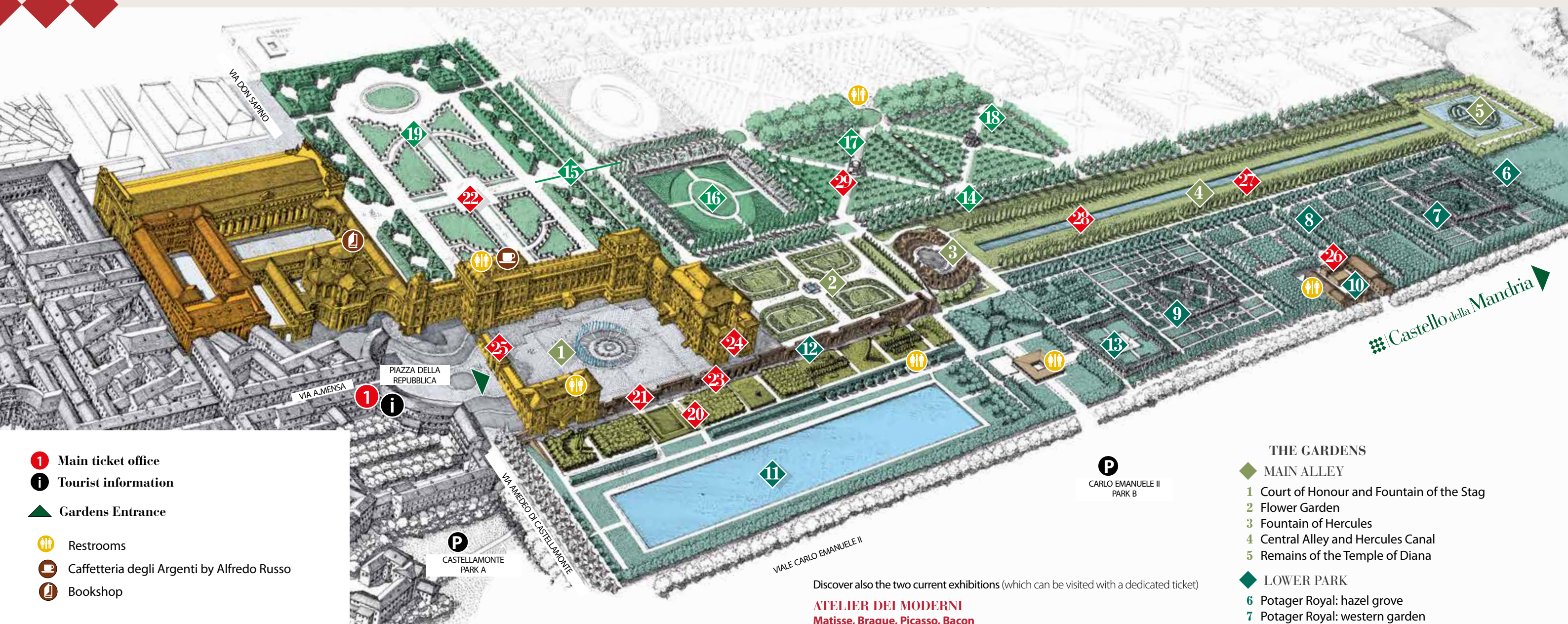


Contemporary art at the Reggia of Venaria

Paths in the Gardens

Saturday 10 October 2026



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ART IN THE GARDENS

The Venaria Reale presents several contemporary works and installations in dialogue with the architecture and history of the complex. A dialogue with the contemporary opened in the context of the restoration of the Venaria Reale complex, with *The Garden of Fluid Sculptures* by **Giuseppe Penone** created from 2003 to 2007 in the Lower Park, in collaboration with the Castello di Rivoli Museo d'Arte Contemporanea, in the area of the lost seventeenth-century garden completed in recent years by the same artist with *Anaphora* (2019) in the caves of the Castellamonte wall. To the other pole of the gardens, in the Upper Park, *Where the stars come one span closer* by **Giovanni Anselmo** (2013) marks the crossroads of the eighteenth-century Grand Parterre. It follows the *Storyboard* by **Mimmo Paladino** promoted by the Consorzio delle Residenze Reali Sabaude and winner of the III edition of the Italian Council 2018 call, conceived by the Direzione Generale Creatività Contemporanea of the Ministero della Cultura. Along the way, you will also find the sculptures *Gea* by **Luigi Stosa** (2011) and *Moments* by **Giuliano Vangi** (2013), located in the Court of Honour and in the Cortile della Tenaglia respectively, and installations of *Venaria Green Art* in the Garden. Finally, in the Potager Royal at the Cascina Medici del Vascello, there is also *The mantis* by **Hilario Isola** (2024).

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Venaria Green Art

- 27** *Circle of life* by **Rumen Dimitrov**
- 28** *Luna & sol* by **Tim Norris**
- 28** *Dziki* by **Rodolfo Liprandi**

Discover also the two current exhibitions (which can be visited with a dedicated ticket)

ATELIER DEI MODERNI

Matisse, Braque, Picasso, Bacon

The exhibition offers a fascinating journey through twentieth-century painting from the Musée des Beaux-Arts in Lyon.

Through a selection of works by masters, such as Henri **Matisse**, Pablo **Picasso**, Georges **Braque**, André **Derain**, Robert and Sonia **Delaunay**, Jean **Dubuffet**, Wifredo **Lam**, Simon **Hantai**, Francis **Bacon** and many others, the exhibition itinerary highlights the profound transformations of the artistic language of the last century: from the search for purity of forms and colour to the dramatic tensions of Expressionism and post-war figurative art.

QUEENS ON STAGE

The art of Italian costume between cinema and theatre

The exhibition is dedicated to the theme of royalty as a theatrical invention. At the heart of it all lies costume design, bridging cinema and theatre - two different workshops of the same wonder. On display works by the great masters of theatrical and cinematographic costume, from the early twentieth century to today: Anna Anni, Giancarlo Bertolini Salimbeni, Aldo Calvo, Milena Canonero, Massimo Cantini Parrini, Giulio Coltellacci, Danilo Donati, Gabriella Pescucci, Luigi Sapelli known as Caramba, Gino Carlo Sensani, Piero Tosi.

Alongside them, the costumes designed by great artists, such as Felice **Casorati**, Corrado **Cagli**, Giorgio **de Chirico** and Arnaldo **Pomodoro**.

THE GARDENS

MAIN ALLEY

- 1** Court of Honour and Fountain of the Stag
- 2** Flower Garden
- 3** Fountain of Hercules
- 4** Central Alley and Hercules Canal
- 5** Remains of the Temple of Diana

LOWER PARK

- 6** Potager Royal: hazel grove
- 7** Potager Royal: western garden
- 8** Potager Royal: orchard
- 9** Potager Royal: eastern garden
- 10** Cascina Medici del Vascello (Conference Hall)
- 11** Great Pond
- 12** Grottoes of the Castellamonte retaining wall
- 13** Grove of Botanical Wonders

UPPER PARK

- 14** Terrace Alley
- 15** Royal Alley
- 16** Rose Garden
- 17** Music Grove
- 18** Leisure Grove
- 19** Grand Parterre

