

# FANCY A DAY BY THE SEA

## - VISIT VIAREGGIO



### North or South?

Quite simply you either head north or south and if north then Viareggio is your closest option for a promenade along the beach.

Characterised by its trendy shops, restaurants and gelateria the beach front becomes busy as soon as there is a hint of sunshine.



### Why?

Most famous perhaps for its carnival - second only in Italy to Venice - The symbol of carnival in Viareggio and its official mask is Burlamacco. Held annually in the weekends of February this alone is a great reason to visit for your first short break of the year.

### How to get there?

From Le Sodole follow the Fi-Pi-Li past the airport and head north - follow the signs. It takes just under an hour and this can readily be part of a day trip to include Lucca if you like to give yourself a circular route from Le Sodole.