

Montone August 17 - 24, 2025

In memory of our dear Valter and Francesco.

SUNDAY 17

SAN FRANCESCO CHURCH 11:00 AM Conference: The technical-language knot in the Reliquary of the Holy Thorn Dr. Claudio Franchi

CLOCK TOWER 7:00 PM Opening of the photographic exhibition "Valter Rossi: the shots of memory"

HISTORIC CENTER 7:30 PM Opening of the district taverns (Open hours valid for the entire duration of the festival)

FORTEBRACCIO SQUARE 9:30 PM Presentation of the Castellane Performance by the Assisi Flag-wavers

MONDAY 18

HISTORIC CENTER FROM 7:30 PM "Errabundi Musici"

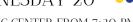
BRACCIO FORTRESS 9:30 PM Challenge announcements among districts: Porta del Borgo, Porta del Monte, Porta del Verziere

TUESDAY 19

HISTORIC CENTER FROM 7:30 PM "Li Nadari"

BRACCIO FORTRESS 9:30 PM Archery competition among districts

WEDNESDAY 20



HISTORIC CENTER FROM 7:30 PM Animations for the evening of Porta del Verziere: The Contado district

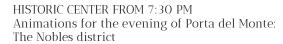
LE FONTI AREA FROM 9:00 PM
"THE LAST MOVE. BEYOND LIFE AND DEATH"
Medieval representation of the Porta del Verziere
district

THURSDAY 21

HISTORIC CENTER FROM 7:30 PM Animations for the evening of Porta del Borgo: The Soldiers district

SAN FRANCESCO AREA FROM 9:00 PM "TIME CONQUERS ALL" Medieval representation of the Porta del Borgo district

FRIDAY 22



BRACCIO FORTRESS FROM 9:00 PM "THE CONSPIRACY" Medieval representation of the Porta del Monte district

SATURDAY 23

SAN FRANCESCO CHURCH 10:30 AM Symposium: The Holy Thorn of Montone. Relic, image, and identity of a medieval village.

BRACCIO FORTRESS 6:00 PM
"Gauntlet Challenge"
Popular games among the youth of the districts
FORTEBRACCIO SQUARE 9:30 PM

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE WINNING DISTRICT

SUNDAY 24

SAN FEDELE AUDITORIUM 11:00 AM Conference: Biordo Michelotti versus Braccio da Montone: between antagonism and loyalty Dr. Luciano Taborchi and Prof. Mario Squadroni

HISTORIC CENTER 6:00 PM Historical procession of the Donation of the Holy Thorn Performance by the Gubbio Flag-wavers

SAN FRANCESCO CLOISTER 9:15 PM "Singing is loving" Concert by the Braccio Fortebraccio Choir Conductor Maestro Francesco Fulvi

Opening hours of the San Francesco Museum in Montone: Sunday, August 17: 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM | 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM From August 22 to 24: 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM | 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM | montone@atlanteserviziculturali.com

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