Terms and Conditions

Payment Schedule: Total cost of the land and air program is $6003.00 per person based on share accommodations. A deposit of $2000.00 per person is required by October 26, 2007 to confirm a space on the tour. A second deposit of $2001.00 is required by January 15, 2008. Final payment of $2002.00 for the June 27, 2008 departure is due no later than March 01, 2008. All payments shall be tendered to Camp Balcones Springs. A portion of each person's total tour payment shall be retained by the Camp to defray the cost of that person's stay in Marble Falls before and after travel to Italy.

Baggage: Per airline regulation, a maximum of two checked pieces of luggage per person is permitted free of charge, total dimensions of which must not exceed 107 inches. If a single piece, total dimension must not exceed 62 inches. Excess baggage charges on all portions of the tour are the responsibility of each passenger.

Cancellations and Refunds: All cancellations of confirmed reservations are subject to forfeiture of an administrative fee of $200.00 per person until January 15, 2008. All cancellations made between January 16-March 01, 2008 are subject to a forfeiture of $1,500.00. After this time, no refund will be made unless the participant's place on the tour has been resold (which could result in additional fees). All cancellations must be made in writing to Cultural Encounters, P.O. Box 6392, Santa Fe, NM 87502 or via e-mail at **harriet@culturalencounters.com**. Cancellation Insurance is strongly recommended as part of a comprehensive insurance package.

Changes/Unused Services: In order to facilitate processing of land and air reservations, all changes must be received in writing by Cultural Encounters at least 90 days prior to departure. Within 90 days, no changes can be made. Prior to 90 days, a minimum service fee of $100.00 per person plus any additional charges incurred for air tickets and land arrangements will be assessed. No refunds will be given to tour members who do not complete the tour or do not use any unused portions of the tour.

Insurance: Comprehensive Travel Insurance including medical insurance, baggage insurance, trip interruption/cancellation insurance is offered by Cultural Encounters with the preliminary documents and is strongly recommended.

Responsibility: Cultural Encounters acts only as agents for the passenger with respect to transportation and hotels, and will exercise every care possible. However, we can assume no liability for injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity in connection with the services of any ship, airplane, train, automobile, motorcoach, carriage, or any other conveyance used in carrying out these tours. We can assume no liability for injury, damage, loss accident, or irregularity in connection with the services of hotels. We cannot accept any responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air transit or other services, sickness, weather, strike, war, loss of personal property, armed conflict, refusal of visas, quarantine, acts of God or other causes beyond our control. All such losses or expenses will have to be borne by the passenger, as tour rates provide for arrangements only for the time stated. We reserve the right to make alterations to the itinerary as may be deemed necessary for carrying out the tour. The right is reserved to substitute hotels in similar categories. The right is reserved to cancel any tour prior to departure, in which case the entire payment will be refunded without further obligation on our part. The right is also reserved to decline to accept or retain any person as a member of the tour. It is understood that the air tickets when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the passenger and the air company concerned. The airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time the passengers are not on board their plane or conveyance. Acceptance of the services of Cultural Encounters by all agents and/or travelers constitutes acceptance by them of all the above noted terms and conditions.

Cost Not Included: Passport expenses, baggage insurance, personal expenses such as laundry, room service, telephone and fax calls, meals or beverages other than specified, gratuities, and any item not specifically mentioned as included.

Rate: All rates are quoted in U.S. dollars and are in effect as of August 30, 2007. Rates are based on a minimum of 16 paying passengers and are subject to change prior to departure. Credit card payments cannot be accepted for any portion of this program.

Terms & Conditions Form **CBS0608**

Enclosed is my deposit of $2,000.00 to confirm a space on the **CBS Tuscany 2008** tour.

I have read the above information and conditions. In signing, We signify acceptance of the Terms and Conditions. Please print clearly.

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Name of Participant Phone Date

_____ _____

Signature of Participant Email Address

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Name of Parent or Legal Guardian Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

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Street Address City State Zip Code

Please detach and return the **Cultural Encounters Terms & Conditions Form with your deposit to Camp Balcones Springs, 104 Balcones Springs Drive, Marble Falls, Texas 78654.**