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## Villa Mirabello - Milan



Villa Mirabello, a jewel of the 15th century and one of the oldest villas in Milan, will be open to the public for the first time ever during the design week.

Located in the open countryside of Milan in the early fifteenth century, the Viscontis chose Villa Mirabello as their summer residence and hunting venue, which other noble families of the time also used and enjoyed. In 1447, Giovanni Mirabello bought the property from Filippo Maria Visconti, renaming the Villa.

At the beginning of the twentieth century, the first restorations began thanks to the interest of the Società Anonima Quartiere Industriale Nord Milano. In 1919, thanks to bequests and donations, the Villa was purchased by the Opera Pia Casa di Lavoro and Patronage led by Professor Francesco Denti to expand and adapt it to accommodate visually impaired veterans from the First World War.