

Micoli Tosano Palace

Since the mid-1300s, after the wave of plague, people's migrations (especially traders from Tuscany and central Italy) became more consistent. Also because Carnia retains a great wealth of woodland. Here the Toscano Family after having been related to the Crosilla's and the Micoli's families, became very important for the timber trade. In 1836, the two brothers Giovanni Angiolo and Giovanni Francesco Micoli Toscano built a new living accommodation with the aim to highlight their social role. In August 1926, Prince Umberto of Savoy stayed in the palace for one night during a visit to the border territories.

The 19th-century building has a cubic shape and extends 107 windows (House of 100

windows). The roof was built with the tiles from the old furnace of Cella. The building is visible from the highway thanks to its typical green tile roof.

Inside we find a central lounge from which you can access the surrounding rooms; The first-floor hall is decorated with frescoes with battle scenes of the Ottomans and Romans.

The ground-floor lounge is decorated with family portraits; on the left there is the typical Carnic kitchen with a large hearth. The building hosts also a big library, it was once used as a dining room, especially in the great occasions. From the terrace you can see an entire view of Ovaro.

Near this huge house there is the *Stalon* a building of 17th century that was used as a potting shed and animal shelter. In addition, the 100 windows' house has a beautiful fountain made from a stone basin.