

ROTTOFRENO

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The blazon is red, in the middle there is a white horse, it has got a golden broken bite in its mouth. On the shield there is the municipal crown.

Giacomo

The name Rottofreno comes from the germanic *roth* (fame, glory) *fridu* (friendship, peace, security), so the composed name Rothfrid means "friend of glory". The long name has become *Rottofridus*.

Rebecca



Rottofreno is in the province of Piacenza.
Rottofreno is a small town situated ten KM west from Piacenza.
It's an agricultural centre famous for milk and tomatoes.

Megalei



The via Emilia is a roman road.
There are many towns along the via Emilia: Modena, Bologna, Forli, Rimini and Castel S. Giovanni.
Along the via Emilia many cars pass. The via Emilia is the most important street of Rottofreno.

Federica



*This is the church of Rottofreno.
The name of the church is S. Michael Archangel.
The church of Rottofreno is high, it is in the square along Emilia street, next to a bar and a theatre.
It is in front of the bank and the tobacconist's.
The church has got a crypt and a bell tower with a clock.*

Matteo C



Rottofreno's town hall is next to the church. It's in Marconi square, along via Emilia. It's near a supermarket, a stationer's and a café. The town hall is pink and grey, it has got many windows and a balcony with two flags.

Jennifer





The newsagent's is near the bus stop and it is in the square of the town hall.

The Mercatone is at the outskirts of Rottofreno.

It sells electrical appliances, clothes and furniture. Gabriel



Castle Chiapponi is very old and belongs to the Chiapponi family. It's close to the railway.

The station is located in the north of the town.

Many trains pass a few trains stop.

There is an avenue in front of the station with a small square and some benches.

Andrea C



In Rottofreno there are a tennis court, a big soccer field, a five-a-side football field, a small square for rollerskating and two play grounds. The small square for roller skates is made of concrete. Children often school, come here to play football and volleyball, too.

Matteo V



The five-a-side football field is between the tennis courts and the square for rollerblading.

The tennis court, the soccer field and the square are small and near to the new nursery school.

These field children and adults play football matches on Saturday and Sunday and do the training during the week.

Samuele



In the playground there are two swings, a slide and games for small children. In the afternoon it's very crowded.
Leonardo

The old school is along the via Emilia. The old school is abandoned and discoloured.
Diego



The primary school is in Tobagi road. There are a lot of classrooms and a big garden where the children play at break time. There is also the canteen, a courtyard with the net to play volleyball and the kitchen-garden.
Nicolò



In front of the primary school there's a new nursery school. The little children go to this school.
Alessandro



The family group is along via Roma, some children go to the family group to do their homework.
Alessandro



There's a bar near the school, the children go to the bar to have a snake and eat ice creams and chips in the afternoon after school.
Diego