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BRUNICO
VAL BADIA

P R O V I N C I A D I P O R D E N O N E

UDINE km 115

TRIESTE km 180

PORDENONE km 72

BOLZANO km 85

SAN CANDIDO
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VAL DI FASSA
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Val Wetende

Pag. Mite Croce
di Cornelio

Padella

S. Pietro
di Cadore

S. Nicolò
di Cornelio

S. Stefano
di Cadore

Doia di
Cadore

Comelico
Superiore

Auronzo
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Vigo
di Cadore

Lorenzago
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Lozzo
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Domegge
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Calalzo
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Vodo
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S. Vito
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Borca
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Venas

Zoppè
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Forno
di Zoldo

Zoldo Alto

Alleghe

Rocca
Pietore

S. Tomaso
Agordino

Vallada
Agordina

Cencenighe
Agordino

Canale
d'Agordo

Falcade

Carvot

Taibon
Agordino

Agordo

Voltago
Agordino

Forcella
Aurine

Rivamonte
Agordino

La Valle
Agordina

Castellavazzo

Longarone

Soverzene

Pieve
d'Albano

Ponte
nelle Alpi

Castellavazzo

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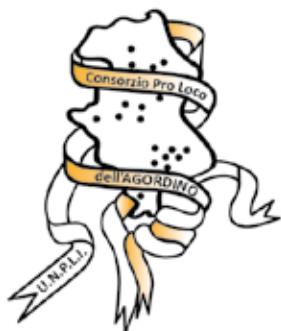
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SPRING EVENTS



AGORDO, VILLAGE OF THE GRAFFITO

During the Sagra del Fanciullo, on Easter Monday, works of art with the technique of the graffito are pointed on the houses' walls in the villages of Parech, Prompicaì and Tocol.

Ad Agordo Pro Loco



FEAST OF THE OM SALVARECH

Every year, on the 25th of April, a puppet made of corn canes and dressed in rags, representing a legendary benign spirit of the woods, is burned.

Pro Loco La Valle Agordina

SUMMER EVENTS



SAN LUGAN

It is a folk festival that takes place in the homonym Valley and that is dedicated to the legend of the Saint who lived there as an hermit in the V century. The church, also dedicated to the Saint, is an antique place of pilgrimage and one of the most ancient cultural areas in the Dolomites.

Pro Loco Taibon Agordino



FURSIL MINES

Guided tours to the ancient mines are organized. The mines are historically important for the material that was extracted from them, which was suitable to build weapons, and for their strategic position on the border.

Pro Loco Colle Santa Lucia



SAGRA DI SANT'ANTONIO

It is a very important festival for la Conca Agordina and it is dedicated to the Saint from Padua. For the occasion, people traditionally cook the gnocchi and distribute the blessed strings that the inhabitants wear on their wrists and put on the means of transport.

Pro Loco di Rivamonte Agordino



FESTIVAL OF THE BARLEY

It is a festival dedicated to the local traditions, destined to make the most of the territory by rediscovering the cultivation of barley, potato and rye.

Pro Loco San Tomaso Agordino



CALIFORNIA DREAMING

It is a walk from the village of Gosaldo to the villages destroyed by the flood in 1966. Every year, at the finishing line, there is a thematic event to remember what happened back then.

Pro Loco Gosaldo



MUSIC INTE LE VILE

Musical and choral exhibition in the most suggestive places of the villages in the area.

Pro Loco San Tomaso Agordino



SAN SIMON

Very ancient place of worship and a Monumental Church also known as "The Sistine Chapel of the Dolomites", dedicated to the Saint who is celebrated at the end of October. The legendary figure of the Celenton is also very important. Opening times: July-August every day 9.30-12.30/15.30-18.30.

Pro Loco di Vallada Agordina

AUTUMN EVENTS



SANT'ANDREA

Historical festival that takes place at the end of November. During this period, farmers and breeders used to meet to sell and exchange animals. It is traditionally important thanks to its central position in the Agordino.

Pro Loco di Cencenighe Agordino



FORMAI E VIN

Food and wine exhibition that takes place during the Fiera del Bestiam on the second Saturday of October. The presentation occurs in the suggestive setting of Villa Grotta de' Manzoni and it continues in the adhering inns where cheese made in Agordo and national wine are served.

AD Agordo Pro Loco



DESMONTEGADA DI SELVA DI CADORE

Traditional parade of heads of cattle on the way back from the Alpine huts and pastures. In the Santa Fosca pavilion, you can taste specialities, get to know the traditions, the language, the dances, the typical costumes and traditions with a folk group.

Pro Loco Val Fiorentina

II MUSAL - The Museum Albino Luciani introduces you to the education and the teaching of Albino Luciani, who was elected Pope on the 26th August 1978 with the name John Paul I. The discovery of this great Pontiff and man begins from the knowledge of the historical context in which he was born and raised and it studies in depth all the stages of his life. Original footage and audio files give rise to an innovative sensorial itinerary in which objects, musics and the placid voice of the Holy Father absorb the visitor and make him breathe in the atmosphere of the old times.

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LA ZINGHENÉSTA

This festival takes place on the last Sunday of Carnival time. Among the typical wooden masks the most particular one is the Zinghenesta, the only main female in the alpine masquerades.

Comitato Žinghenésta e Pro Loco di Canale d'Agordo.



RIVA NADAL

It is a suggestive local market on the Sunday before Christmas. The stands, which offer local products, are set up inside the barns and the stables, in the ancient courtyards and along the old main street.

Pro Loco di Rivamonte Agordino



SLEDGES TOURNAMENT IN COUPLES

Sledges race that take place in the Biois Valley, between Cencenighe Agordino and Falcade. The sledges, called "ridole" are still used to transport the firewood downstream in winter.

Pro Loco di Cencenighe, San Tomaso, Vallada, Canale d'Agordo e Caviola



INTE PER ANTER

Nativity scenes exhibition in the open from the 15th of December to the 6th of January. It takes place on the streets of the village. The most beautiful nativity scene wins an award.

Pro Loco La Valle Agordina

WHAT TO VISIT:

The Agordino is the “heart of the Dolomites”. The landscape is varied and the valleys are all characteristic in their own way.

The mines of Valle Imperina, on the Rivamonte Agordino territory, are a must see. They keep alive the memories of the mining activities during the centuries and the UNESCO declared them World Heritage. The miners’ Path is always accessible, while the Melting Furnaces and the Information Center of the Park are only accessible in summer.

Another must see is Gosaldo, where you can find the Chair Maker Monument and Museum. Once composed by 90 districts, now, after the flood in 1966, is a little village surrounded by an unique landscape, between the Monti del Sole and the Pale di San Martino, part of the Dolomites National Park, which offer many activities in summer and in winter.

The Entographic Museum in La Valle Agordina is an interesting exhibition inside the Town Hall, whose aim is to preserve and promote the history and the culture of the village by underlining the many changes from the point of view of the dwellings and the cultivation and care of the territory.

Going north, you go through Agordo, in the middle of the “Conca Agordina”, where you can find the “Broi”, a grassy lawn that covers an average of around one hectare in the centre of town. The Villa Crotta de’ Manzoni, the Town Hall and the historical covered walkway overlook the “Broi”. Then, there are Taibon Agordino and the Valle of San Lucano and Cencenighe Agordino, which are very important for its position and for the Cultural Center Nof Filò, in which you can also visit the open-air museum dedicated to the stonecutters.

The most beautiful place from where you can admire the Civetta, is surely San Tomaso, between the Bois Valley and the Cordevole Valley. There are many things to visit: the Church with its precious Callido organ, the “Vaticano”, a XVI century building, the Astronomic Center with the Planetarium and the Zip Line.

Vallada, with its seven districts, is the first village of the Biois Valley and one of the best preserved from the point of view of traditions. You can get to know many aspects, still visible and lively, of the landscape and the mountains, like ancient houses and many barns, called “Tabiai”. Here you can find San Simon, the most antique church of the Valley, national monument since 1877. It hosts a medieval courtroom painted in 1549-1550 by Paris Bordone.

In the middle of the Biois Valley there is Canale d’Agordo. The ancient Pieve, dedicated to St. John the Baptist, is very important. It was mentioned for the first time in a document written in 1361. Near the centre, you can find Pope Luciani’s

birthplace. Luciani was born in Canale d'Agordo in 1912 and he was elected Pope in 1978. Not far from the house, you can find the Musal, the new museum dedicated to him. You can also visit the "Casa delle Regole" (1640), the "Garden of the Memory" dedicated to the Fallen and Missing in Russia e the "Via Crucis di Papa Luciani", with 15 bronze tiles made by the artist Franco Murer, that twists and turns for 2 km in the wooded path to Falcade.

Always in the Biois Valley, you can find Caviola and Falcade, great starting points to go trekking or cycling in the blooming nature, where there are also many refreshment stands, like Alpine cottages, that offer typical dishes of the area. You can also visit the eighteenth-century church of the Beata Vergine della Salute in Caviola, and the Study of the great international sculptor Augusto Murer in Molino di Falcade.

The "Museo Civico della Val Fiorentina V. Cazzetta" is in Selva di Cadore, a wonderful tourist destination composed by small ladin villages 1300 meters above the sea level. The museum gathers the archaeological, palaeontological and historical samples found in the Valley and its surroundings. Among them, the most important are the "Skeleton of the Man of Mondeval" (VI BC) and the cast of the rock of the Monte Pelmetto, with the footprints of three different species of dinosaurs impressed on it (the first and the most ancient in Italy). In summer, you can visit the Volunteer Firefighters Museum. Then, you cannot miss Colle Santa Lucia and the Passo Giau.



"Vittorino Cazzetta" museum



Museum in La Valle Agordina



Valle Imperina mining center



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SPRING EVENTS



TRAIL DELLE LONGANE - CORRENDO CON I PIEDI DI CAPRA

Mountain race (trail running) 15 km long, starting in Lozzo di Cadore.

Pro Loco Marmarole-Lozzo di Cadore e Associazione "Fatti di Lozzo"



WELLNESS FESTIVAL- MOVE FOR YOUR HEALTH

In Heterogeneous activities in an exceptional historical and naturalistic setting, for a lifestyle that considers the human beings in their totality.

Pro Loco Tiziano-Pieve di Cadore

SUMMER EVENTS



"TORNON A FEI LA MANFRINA"

Commemoration of the "Manfrina", which is an historical dance that was born in Borca di Cadore (with dance workshop).

Pro Loco di Borca di Cadore



TRAVEL IN THE PAST

Costume parade and commemoration of slices of life of the XVIIth century in Cadore in the colourful Costa di Valle di Cadore.

Pro Loco Valle - Comitato Turistico Valle di Cadore



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CONTENUTO RIMOSSO

On the day of the fire that destroyed the ancient dwellings, Lorenzago di Cadore turns the lights off. Bonfires, music, shows and gastronomic specialities.

Pro Loco Lorenzago di Cadore

LORENZAGO APERTA (OPEN LORENZAGO)

Various arts, permanent exhibitions, concerts and events, courses and workshops in the squares and the ancient dwellings in Lorenzago di Cadore.

Pro Loco Lorenzago di Cadore e Associazione Culturale "ImmaginAria"



PIEVE IN PALIO

Team competition opposing the districts of the village with traditional ancient games. There are also gastronomic stands and musical entertainment.

Pro Loco Pieve di Cadore



PALIO DI SAN MARTINO

Historical medieval commemoration in which the districts Vigo, Laggio, Pelos, Lorenzago and Lozzo compete for the Palio. Activities for the public: medieval dances, recreation of a medieval battle with infantrymen and archers, exhibition of drummer boys and twirlers, live music, jugglers and fire-eaters, the Trade Show of the Handicraft with educational activities and gastronomic stand.

Pro Loco di Vigo di Cadore con l'Associazione Praemium Sancti Martini



ONCE UPON A TIME...VISSÀ

Festival in which people dress up in typical Cadore costumes. It takes place in Vissà, a small village in Tai di Cadore, where you can taste ancient traditional dishes, visit gastronomic stands and participate to games and a tug of war competition.

Pro Loco Tiziano-Pieve di Cadore e Regola di Tai e Vissà



THE LIVING MURALES FESTIVAL

Characters in typical custom represent the murales that tell the history and the traditions of suggestive Cibiana. With gastronomic stands, local craft markets, photo exhibitions, animation for children and music.

Pro Loco di Cibiana di Cadore



AUTUMN EVENTS



THE TRANSHUMANCE OF GOATS

Walk among the woods with brief standstills and small points of comfort to relive an ancient pastoral tradition.

Pro Loco di Valle di Cadore



"CABBAGE OF VINIGO FESTIVAL "

Event with gastronomic specialities in sight of the agricultural harvest of the delicious vegetable for which Vinigo is known.

Pro Loco Vodo di Cadore



CAMINON ... PAR I TABIA' DE VENAS

Tour historical-naturalistic through paths and fortifications of the Great War of Venas with different gastronomic moments

Pro Loco di Venas di Cadore



WINTER EVENTS



FAMILY NATIVITY SCENES

Itinerary to discover the ancient tradition of the Nativity Scenes in the colourful villages of Pieve di Cadore. Before Christmas, kids can visit Santa Claus' little house in the Roccolo di S. Alipio Park.

Pro Loco Pieve di Cadore



PIEVELANDIA CARNIVAL

Carnival parade with traditional masks in a festive spirit kermesse, all to be lived. With animation, music and gastronomic stands.

Pro Loco Pieve di Cadore e Associazione AvanPieve

WHAT TO VISIT:

● CALALZO:

- Archeologic and legendary itinerary in Lagole
- Val d'Oten and Pile Waterfall

● BORCA:

- Natural History Museum "Olimpia Perini"

● DOMEgge:

- Hermitage of the Romiti and "Via Crucis" itinerary
- Sentiero dei Narli e L'erba Talagona

● LORENZAGO:

- Popes Museum
- Park of the Dreams

● LOZZO:

- Dairy Museum
- Windmills' water conduit
- Pian dei Buoi Upland

● PERAROLO:

- Cidolo and wood Museum
- Lazzaris Palace and its nineteenth-century botanic garden
- Naturalistic itinerary "the sounds of the wood"
- Italian Wilderness Area "Val Montana"

● CIANPLONGO

- Church of SS. Filippo e Giacomo

● CIBIANA

- Murals painted on the walls of houses
- Museum in the clouds on Mount Rite

● PIEVE:

- Seat of the Magnifica Comunità (Magnificent Community) of Cadore
- Reading Glasses Museum
- Titian's Nativity in the Church of Santa Maria Nascente
- Rocollo di Sant'Alipio Park
- Fort Monte Ricco
- Pissandro Waterfall

● VALLE:

- Historic village "Costa"
- Ancient Roman road Greola
- Church of San Dionisio

● VIGO:

- Chapel of Sant'Orsola
- Church of Santa Margherita
- Cadore Historic Library
- Laggio Living Nativity (Christmas season)
- "Razzo" Upland

● VODO DI CADORE

- Church of S. Giovanni Battista (Fraz. Vinigo)
- Malga Ciauta

ALSO:

- Bike Lane "Lunga Via delle Dolomiti"
- "La via dei Papi": naturalistic and contemplative itineraries
- "La Traversata del Centro Cadore": low level itinerary for families
- "Il cammino delle Dolomiti" circular itinerary in 30 stages
- "Marmarole Runde" easy and beautiful four-day trek around the Marmarole.

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SPRING EVENTS



SAN SIRO

The stroll that every year begins in Seren and that leads to the church of San Siro, where on every Sunday of May, during the Mass, it is tradition to ask for a blessing for rains and good harvests.

Pro Loco Seren del Grappa



SUMMER EVENTS



VOICES, SOUNDS AND EMOTIONS FROM MASSICCIO DEL GRAPPA

Sundays to spend in the mountains with cultural events (shows and concerts) and guided tours to the most interesting naturalistic and historic sites on the east side of the Monte grappa.

Consorzio Pro Loco del Massiccio del Grappa Orientale



S'CIOSS FESTIVAL

Ancient Snail festival (s'cioss is dialect for snail) with typical dishes prepared with the old poor food.

Pro Loco Quero



AUTUMN EVENTS



CHESTNUT FESTIVAL

Ancient Chestnut festival that gathers in Rasai all the producers from the feltrino in a fair of products of very high quality. The events also promotes ancient recipes with chestnuts.

Pro Loco Seren del Grappa



FOURTH SUNDAY OF SEPTEMBER – TOUR OF THE FOUNTAINS

The “Tour of the fountains” is a stroll that crosses the territory of Alano to discover wonderful glimpses of the view and some of the many fountains that tell the story of these villages and their inhabitants. The fountain in the picture is the one in the village of Campo.

Pro Loco Alano

WINTER EVENTS



BÀTER MARZ

In Seren in the evening of the last three days of February the kids (but also the adults) walk the streets striking every object that makes noise: it is a pre-roman tradition, once popular in the entire Alpine Region, which mean was to drive away winter and reawaken the warm season. In the picture the “Sfojaro” typical constructions of the valley of Seren.

Pro Loco Seren del Grappa

WHAT TO VISIT:

• QUERO

CASTELNUOVO

An actual medieval fortress, built in 1376 by Jacopo Cavalli, Captain General of the Most Serene Republic of Venice. It presents two towers, but once a third tower stood in the opposite side of the river Piave. A big chain between the towers on the two sides of the river was used to manage the toll at the passage of the rafts on the river. On the 26th and 27th of September 1511 the prodigious event of the liberation of Saint Gerolamo Emiliani took place. He had been taken prisoner and locked in the tower ; he invoked the Virgin Mary, who handed him the keys of the tower. He founded the congregation of the Somascan Fathers to which Castelnuovo belongs nowadays.



Castelnuovo

LA VALLE DI SCHIEVENIN

The climbing wall in Schievenin is one of the best in Veneto, for the quality of the rocks and the beauty of the view. Many climbers daily attend the wall for practise. Thanks to its exposition to the sun it is possible to climb in winter too.



Borgo Valle Schievenin



Tegerzo

CAVE OF SANTA BARBARA

The cave of Santa Barbara, situated at the end of the village of Schievenin, is a natural cave broadened with more than 400 mines, wanted by the inhabitants of the Valley and built in 1924. It is possible to enter the cave through a stone staircase and inside we can admire a stone altar and, placed in a recess on the rock, the statue of Saint Barbara, protector of the miners.

CAVE OF MADONNA DI LOURDES

Peaceful and quiet, the natural cave of the Madonna of Lourdes is located at the end of a spruce wood and you can reach it through a zigzag path decorated with Stations of the Cross. The path leads to a cave in which hosts a statue of the Madonna and one of Bernadette.

● SEREN DEL GRAPPA ***BASIN OF THE BOCCHETTE***

The basin is situated on the north side of the Massif, it is a unique habitat for the flora and fauna. You can walk paths surrounded by nature and history. Here you can find a lot of Alpine cottages and mountain huts.



Basin of the Bocchette

FOJAROL

It is a typical building of the Valley of Seren. Its name is due to the roof made of beech branches. These buildings functioned as mountain huts and their roofs used to last eighty years and more. A circuit starts from the square of Pian della Chiesa, in the Valley of Seren, pass through the Val Granda and the characteristic "Col dei Boi" and it allows to see old ruined "fojaroi" and others which were restored ten years ago in Reselé.

PHOTOGRAPHIC MUSEUM OF THE GREAT WAR IN SEREN

In the museum, we can find photographic material concerning the districts of Grappa: photographs taken by photographers of the Austro-Hungarian Army in 1917/1918, most of them coming from the National Archives and the Museum of Military History in Vienna.

THE FURNACE

The furnace was built in 1921 on the initiative of the Secco di Caupo family. The aim was the production of lime. In order to obtain it, they used the "calziner", stones containing a high percentage of this material. They introduced the stones from above and they lit the fire from below. In this way, lime was slowly produced. Nowadays, around the furnace you can find a beautiful refreshment point. From here, you can follow a path that leads to the Mount Grappa.

● ALANO DI PIAVE ***TERRITORIAL AND HISTORICAL CIVIC MUSEUM IN CAMPO***

In the museum, you can find documents and historical records concerning the First and the Second World War and the emigration. The area dedicated to the Great War is composed by five rooms where some events of the war are explained through the main themes. A specific area is dedicated to the emigration.

THE GEOSITE

We can see the Alano di Piave's geosite for 500 meters along the shore of the torrent Calcino, between Campo and Colmirano. It is composed by grey marls, which are sedimentary rocks composed by limestone and clay in variable proportions. The site is globally very important.

HIGH VAL CALCINO

On the east side of the Mount Grappa, the valley, scene of bloody battles during the First World War, contains many Alpine Cottages. Here you can easily lose yourself in the nature.

● FENER ***PIAVE PARK***

In Fener you can immerse in the Piave Park, characterised by tall trees that, especially in summer, allow to take relaxing walks to reach the Piave shore. Many events take place here



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SPRING EVENTS



INFIORATA CORPUS DOMINI

Infiorata Corpus Domini: During the feast of Corpus Christi the church yard and the streets of the village are decorated with flowers with religious images.

Pro Loco San Gregorio nelle Alpi



NON-COMPETITIVE RUN "INCONTRO CON LA NATURA"

The traditional spring run that every year takes place in a different district to discover and give value to the patrimony of the territory.

Pro Loco Monti del Sole - Sospirolo



TRADE SHOW FOR FLOWERS AND PLANTS

The fair takes place in the Pro loco park and presents multiple varieties of flowers and plants from the local territory.

Pro Loco Busche

SUMMER ESTATE



HONEY FESTIVAL IN VAL CANZOI

Festival organised by local beekeepers in the wonderful Val Canzoi, where a trade fair presents honey and local products.

Pro Loco Busche e Soranzen



MUSICA NEI CORTIVI

During summer, music shows take place in the historic courtyards of the villages of Destra Piave.

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BARN DANCE IN PRA DELLA MELA

In the new community centre situated near Gron di Sospirolo, it is possible to taste typical dishes, dance and have fun, but also participate to sport events and cultural nights during this very popular festival.

Pro Loco Monti del Sole – Sospirolo



KNOW THE TERRITORY

Interesting guided tour to the discovery of the beauties of Destra Piave. During the walk you can visit the most distinguishing places in Valbelluna.

Consorzio Pro Loco Pedemontane Val Belluna



POM & PER IN MOLODI DE SOSPIROI

Fruits, agricultural products but also conferences and handicraft expositions in the extraordinary frame of the historic Villa Sandi Zasso. This event was born to celebrate Carlo Zasso, public administrator and eminent agronomist.

Pro Loco Monti del Sole - Sospirolo



FESTIVAL BY THE LAKE

Festival with cultural, sporting, musical and culinary events that gives value to the lake nearby and in particular to its fauna

Pro Loco Busche



POTATO FESTIVAL

The event concerning the DeCO Potato from Cesiomaggiore is organised by the Festival committee and represents an important occasion to promote, sell and sample several culinary specialities.

Pro Loco Busche e Soranzen



AUTUMN EVENTS



CHEESE AND LOCAL FLAVOURS FESTIVAL

Trade show that offers typical products from our dairies, but also fruits and vegetables of our territory.

Pro Loco Busche



TRADE SHOW FOR AGRICULTURAL AND MILK PRODUCTS

Conferences, exhibitions, performances and initiatives that include a tour to Villa Pat and the Historic Museum of the 7th Alpini Regiment.

Pro Loco Sedico



AUTUMN FLOWERS- TRADE FAIR

It is possible to visit the area surrounding the lake through a prepared path.

Pro Loco Busche

WINTER EVENTS



CARNIVAL IN SEDICO

The "Belluno Carnival Capital" with traditional great parade float and masked groups coming from all over Triveneto, but also school groups, attractions and street artists.

Pro Loco Sedico

WHAT TO VISIT:

● BUSCHE

LAKE BUSCHE

The very popular area near the Artificial lake Busche is also interesting for its fauna. In it many bird species make their nest: the mallard duck, the little grebe, the coot and, after a period of adaptation, also couples of Swans and many migratory species. For the mountain lovers it is possible to reach the bivouac Bosc dei Bioi following the path Corrado de Bastiani.



● SOSPIROLO

VALLE DEL MIS

Enchanting place thanks to its history, its landscape and the homonym lake. The valley hosts an equipped area in Pian Falcina. The Brenton Basins, the Soffia Waterfall, the Gene characterize the site, from where you can take itineraries on foot or by bike in the heart of the Dolomiti Bellunesi National Park.



CERTOSA AND VEDANA LAKE

The Certosa of San Marco is a monastery whose foundation dates back to the mid fifteenth century. It is not open to the public but it deserves to be admired anyways. In the area, you can go hiking or biking to the Vedana Lake and the Masiere (with legends about Cornia).



Villa Centenere

● CESIOMAGGIORE

VILLA CENTENERE

Between Busche and Pulir-Cesiomaggiore we can find the main private Villa, one of the many surrounding the Town Hall. The Villa was built for the Tauro family in the XVI century or during the first half of the XVII century. Inside it guards the Cippo Migliaro, which documents the passage of Via Claudia Augusta Altinate, an important Roman Road.

In Cesiomaggiore you can also visit the Bicycle Museum and the Ethnographic Museum in Seravella.

● SAN GREGORIO

In San Gregorio delle Alpi the Museum of the Zoche (stumps), the Tarsia (inlay) and the ancient prints. Three hundred wooden artworks are exposed on the top floor and one hundred ancient prints, that date back to 1500, are exposed on the ground floor. It is open every Sunday from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. You can book a visit by calling this number: 338 8375256. In the town centre there are the Monument dedicated to the Fallen on the job and the emigrant and the Boulevard of the dead lamps to commemorate the fallen miners. In the parish church you can admire an altar table made by Moretto from Brescia. Paderno hosts a remarkable historical and architectural heritage, with the Castle and the numerous villas. The mountain lovers can easily reach the Rifugio Ere (1297 meters above the sea level) and the Mount Pizzocco (2186 mteres above the sea level).



Museo delle Zoche

● SEDICO

VILLA DE MANZONI AI PATT DI SEDICO

Villa dei Manzoni at Patt was built in 1835, conceived by the architect G. Jappelli for Giovanni Antonio de Manzoni. It was acquired by the Provincial Government of Belluno in 1977 and, since 2007, it hosts the 7th Regiment Alpini Historical Museum. On the ground floor you can admire the Esopo frescoed halls by Pietro Paoletti and The Struggle of the Spartans by Giovanni De Min. Now managed by the Sedico Pro Loco, the Villa was used as a location for many initiatives, such as the agricultural products Trade Show, the Christmas Local Market in December, and the shows on the open in summer. It also hosts weddings and other ceremonies.



Museo Storico 7° Reggimento Alpini



Sale affrescate

● SORANZEN

Soranzén is a small village at the entrance of the Val di Canzoi and it is one of the spots from where you can enter the Dolomiti Bellunesi National Park. From here you can reach the most famous peaks, such as the Sass de Mura, the Piz de Mez and the Piz de Sagon. The Erera-Brendol upland is also very interesting from the point of view of nature and tourism. The very ancient centre is characterized by wonderful murals, which were painted on the buildings' walls in the 90's, for the event "Omaggio ad Occhi", organized every year by the Pro Loco to commemorate the artist Romano Occhi, who was born in Soranzén. You can also visit Montagne, which overlooks the underlying valley and is characterized by its fine rural architecture.



Sass de Mura



Erera-Brendol



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SPRING EVENTS



PATRON SAINT'S FESTIVAL OF SAN GOTTARDO

Religious event that includes the visit, inside the church, to the altarpiece representing Saint Gottardo. Lunch with wild herbs.

Pro Loco Caorera - Vas



NARCISSUS FESTIVAL

In this territory, the wild flower grows luxuriant. This is a unique occasion to admire the fields filled with narcissus buds and to taste typical dishes while listening to traditional music.

Pro Loco Stabie e Canai



RADICELE AND THE TASTES OF SPRING

Traditional fair that enliven Mel's historic centre on the third weekend of May. Conferences, strolls and didactic activities, a trade fair dedicated to the herbal, agricultural and agro industrial world. Cookery based on typical products and dishes prepared with herbs as main ingredient.

Pro Loco Zumellese



SUMMER EVENTS



FESTIVAL OF THE MADONNA OF MOUNT CARMEL

10 days of celebrations of the Patron Saint with gastronomic events, live music and games.

Pro Loco Lentiai



CAMPANOT, FESTIVAL OF SAINT JOHN

The festival of Saint John celebrate the Patron saint of the hamlet of Castion. It is called Campanot to remind the costume of the ancient agricultural community of tolling the bells of the districts' churches.

Pro Loco Pieve Castionese



LIMANA MAGNALONGA VALMOREL

Gastronomic stroll through alpine huts and footpaths to promote the local products.

Pro Loco Limana



FEAST IN MELERE

Feast in the mountain that offers the discovery of naturalistic itineraries that characterise the area. The main element is the traditional bellunese cookery.

Pro Loco Trichiana



FESTIVAL IN LIMANA

It takes place in august, for about ten days. You can taste typical dishes and other specialities prepared with other italian Pro Locos. Besides, there are shows, dancing nights and a lot of fun for everyone.

Pro Loco Limana



FESTIVAL OF THE MADONNA DEL PIAVE

The bronze statue of the Madonna situated in the church of Caorera was bought in 1895 by our migrants and stolen in 1917 by the Germans. This anniversary takes place every year with a procession followed by the promotion of local products.

Pro Loco Caorera - Vas



CORN FESTIVAL

Promotion of the local products: the polenta of "sponcio" corn. Three days during which this product of the peasant cookery is the main element of the menu and during which artisans remind ancient crafts.

Pro Loco Lentiai

AUTUMN EVENTS



PUMPKIN FESTIVAL

Event based on the tasting and selling of the bellunese pumpkins in the small village of Caorera, born at the end of XV century alongside the river Piave.

Pro Loco Caorera - Vas



ORTI IN PIAZZA

Trade fair in the hamlets of the castionese area dedicated to the products of the land grown with love and simplicity.

Pro Loco Pieve Castionese



LIMANA PAESE DEL MIELE

Festival of agriculture and apiculture with honey of the Dolomites D.O.P. Bellunese. Visits to the villas and little churches of the hamlets are organised.

Pro Loco Limana



MELE A MEL

Trade fair with typical and agro industrial products, local craft, folklore, excellent cookery and much entertainment alongside the street of the historic centre and in the wonderful courtyards.

Pro Loco Zumellese

WINTER EVENTS



ST. VALENTINE

Patron saint's festival dedicated to St. Valentine, to which all the districts participate. Among the very artistically important collateral events, you can find the Biennale d'Arte San Valentino, a handicraft exhibition and old jobs.

Pro Loco Limana



CARNEVALE CASTIONESE

A parade of carnival floats take place in the Castion's square. You can also find games for children and stage shows where everyone can have a good time.

Pro Loco Pieve Castionese



SANTA GIULIANA'S FESTIVAL

It's a festival dedicated to the saint patron of the district of Canai. You can taste a typical menu with local products and participate at the little masks' walk from Canai to Stabie.

Pro Loco Stabie e Canai



BRUSA LA VECIA

It is a mid-Lent Palio. It's a week during which events dedicated to the theatre and antique markets take place and it ends with a Palio in which the districts fight for the win through sarcastic last wills, sketches and the long awaited stake where the "vecia" is burned.

Pro Loco Trichiana

WHAT TO VISIT:

● CASTION

From here, you can visit all the districts, full of history and beautiful views. For example, Sossai, where you can visit the Sanctuary of San Mamante, built in the first half of the eighteenth century and dedicated to the saint protector of the nurturers, the mothers and the children. In Modolo there is one of the 15 best preserved villas of the province: the Miari Fulcis Villa, whose construction began in the seventeenth century. If you love walking, Modolo is a peaceful place suitable for adults and children. From Castion, in a few minutes you can reach the Nevegal, also called "Terrace on the Dolomites". Here, in winter and in summer, you can relax or have fun doing sport. Besides, here you can also visit the Sanctuary Maria Immacolata "Nostra Signora di Lourdes".

● CAORERA

In Caorera you can find the Museum of the Piave, where relics and precious documents of the Great War are guarded.

● LIMANA

A village for all the seasons, it was loved by Buzzati so much that in Valpiana you can find a capital where he painted the effigy of Saint Rita. From Limana you can admire the magnificent view of the Prealpi Bellunesi, the mountain cottages and Pian de le Femene. It is also suggestive the itinerary of the Stations of the Cross, that winds through the woods until the church of Madonna Parè, dedicated

to the Virgin Mother, set in the stone after the Second World War and recently restored. Among the sacred sites, you can find the little church dedicated to Saint Zenone in Polentes and the ancient Pieve di Santa Barbara in Pieve di Limana. The patronal church hosts the relics of Saint Valentine and an icon. They are exposed to the public in February, in St. Valentine's Day. In Limana you can also find the Pagani-Cesa palace, which is now the town hall, the "honey path", that meet farms and beekeepers and wonderful wall paintings on the walls of the houses in the town centre and in Giaon.

● LENTIAI

The main touristic site is the town square, where you can find the church, dedicated to the Assumption of the Virgin Mary. In this building you can find many works of art: the main altar's polyptich, made by Tiziano Vecellio and the coffered ceiling, by Cesare Vecellio. The Villa Pante is also very important: it was built in the sixteenth century and you can find it next to the Crivellato square and the Villa Vergerio, currently known as Villa Crsitini. The most interesting touristic areas are Col d'Arten and the Mariech peaks, from where you can see, on sunny days, the Venice lagoon.

● MEL

The historical centre rises up on a hill near the Piave, which was protected by walls and a castle. You can still see the perimeter of the walls, with the buildings that surround the main square, at the center of which you can find the old antenna (1520).

In the main square you can find the precious buildings where the members of the local aristocracy used to live. There are also other buildings, such as: the Fulcis House, the Fulcis Palace (built in the eighteenth century, nowadays it hosts a restaurant), the Zorzi Palace (built in the sixteenth century, it hosts the Town hall) and the Palazzo delle Contesse (Palace of the Countesses), that hosts the Archeological Museum. In the surroundings, you can visit the Zumelle Castle, that dates back to the Roman period and that was a strategic centre, where you can find a theme park that allows to experience the medieval era.

● TRICHIANA

In the middle of the Val Belluna, on the "Sinistra Piave" you can visit Trichiana, with its villas built between the sixteenth and the seventeenth century. This village is also known as "Paese del Libro" (village of the books). Here, every year, a literary contest quite famous in Italy, takes place. There are many mountain paths that allow to admire the wonderful landscape between the Dolomites and the Venice Lagoon.

You can also visit the "Brent de l'Art" canyons, in S. Antonio, which are recognised at European level as an historical-geological place for the study of the prehistory.

● STABIE E CANAI

In Le Valli, you can find the little oratory dedicated to the Immaculate. This little chapel was built on a rural property, that dates back to the mid-nineteenth century. On the inside, you can find an altar where an image of the Virgin with angels is represented.



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SPRING EVENTS



SAN GOTTARDO

Cultural and historical event in honour of the saint patron. Guided tours to the sixteenth century "Villa Tonello Zampieri" built from a villa and a stable for horses still serviceable.

Pro Loco Fonzaso



SAN DORDI

Cultural and religious event called "San Dordi" from saint patron George with the blessing of the famous "soup of Saint Dordi" in Sorriba di Sovramonte where it is distributed with bread to the entire village

Pro Loco Sovramonte



FESTIVAL OF THE ASSOCIATIONS AND THE BANDS

Parade of the over 40 associations of the territory followed by bands. A way to pay tribute to the many cultural, sporting and historical events organised by these associations.

Pro Loco Pedavena e Birreria Pedavena



SUMMER EVENTS



BARLEY FESTIVAL

Event eagerly desired by Birra castello S.p.a to revamp the beer establishment in Pedavena, since its acquisition in 2006, in collaboration with the Pro Loco Pedavena, Slow food and the district of Pedavena.

Pro Loco Pedavena



AUTUMN EVENTS



GRAPE FESTIVAL

Culture and tradition of wine. Our elders kept and selected the more appropriate vine variety for the territory that today the young are carrying on.

Pro Loco Fonzaso



IGP BEAN FESTIVAL

Bean trade fair and art exhibitions regarding the local culture and craft exposition.

Pro Loco Lamon



THE PRUSSIAN APPLE

In an ancient borough farm businesses and local producers expose their products, accurately selected to grant quality and genuineness.

Pro Loco Sovramonte



WINTER EVENTS



CIASPAFORTE...LEONE

A non-competitive walk in the snow organised by the Pro Loco Arsiè, take place alongside a ring-path 7 km long around Forte Leone surrounded by the beautiful mountains overlooking Cima Campo.

Pro Loco Arsiè



SANTA CLAUS RUN “ROTARI TROPHY”

An occasion to promote the entire territory, the landscape and historical beauties of Pedavena and Mount Avena.

Pro Loco Pedavena

WHAT TO VISIT:

● PEDAVENA

BIRRERIA PEDAVENA

It was built by three brothers, Luigi, Sante and Giovanni Luciani, from Canale d'Agordo (they were Pope Luciani's relatives). It is a building full of history, which won many quality prizes and is a promoter of sport events and national shows. In very particular halls, such as the Elephants Hall, the Frescos Hall and the Veranda, you can taste typical dishes and a large selection of beers.



Eremo de San Micel

VILLA PASOLE

This villa was built in the seventeenth century and it hosted the “Accademia degli Erranti”. Here people discussed about philosophy, art and literature. After the Pasole family, the villa was sold to the Berton and Bonato families. Villa Rossi (seventeenth century), Villa Crico (where you can still find a sawmill), Villa Lusa in Murle, Villa Vecelio in Norcen and Villa Marsiai in Facen are also very important.



Villa Pasole

● ARSIÈ

The Forte Leone (also known as Forte Cima Campo, whose name refers to the place where it is situated) is a military fortress built to safeguard the Italian border between 1906 and 1911 and it was part of the “Brenta-Cismon” blockade. Its aim was to haunt the mule tracks between the Valsugana and the “Sette Comuni” upland. You can visit the Fort individually or in groups and you can hear its history narrated by a guide after reserving (phone number +39329641244, website www.forteleone.eu).



● FONZASO

"SAN MICEL" HERMITAGE

It is a construction placed in a little recess near Fonzaso, where the guardian of the village once lived.



"San Micel" hermitage

VILLA TONELLO ZAMPIERI

Villa Tonello Zampieri

The villa is located in Arten. It was built in the sixteenth century. There are stables that date back to the seventeenth century, whose loggia is decorated with frescos by Pietro de Marascalchi.



Villa Tonello Zampieri

VILLE

Many villas built in the eighteenth century show the magnificence of this village and they are also archaeological evidence that belong to the Veneto's cultural heritage.



Villa De Pantz

● LAMON

In Lamon there is a wide range of prehistoric evidence that shows the presence of human beings in the Neolithic Age. Inside a cave near San Donato, they discovered bones belonging to the Ursus Speleus. They completely reconstructed the skeleton of one of these bears, which is now exposed in the Lamon's Town Hall.

Archaeologic Museum - Via Resentera, 19
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Archaeologic Museum

● SOVRAMONTE

CAVE WITH AN OUR LADY OF LOURDES STATUE

Cave with an Our Lady of Lourdes statue

This cave is situated in Cima Loreto, on the western side of the Mount Avena. It is an interesting location that you can reach from Faller, following the path to get to Ramen and continuing for a few minutes on a path recently repaired



Cave with an Our Lady of Lourdes statue



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SPRING EVENTS



ARTISANAL ICE CREAM EUROPEAN DAY

The Val di Zoldo is famous for its artisanal ice cream, to which this day is dedicated.



DOLOMITI EXTREME TRAIL 103 K 53 K 23 K

A journey full of magic and emotion through the Dolomites, an uncontaminated land declared UNESCO World Heritage Site. The Val di Zoldo with its circular structure permits the development of a ring shape path through some of the most spectacular dolomitic massifs that encircle it.

The Atletica Zoldo in collaboration with the Pro Loco Forno di Zoldo organises a high mountain race without equals.

SUMMER EVENTS



GELATIAMO

The art of the ice cream between Pelmo and Civetta. The event is itinerant and its purpose is to promote, in addition to the ice-cream, the beauty of its churches.

Consorzio Pro Loco Zoldo



FORNESIGHE IN MUSIC, CLASSIC MUSIC FESTIVAL

For two days the characteristic borough of Fornesigh is animated by musicians that with workshops and concert entertain the many visitors of the event.

Piodech Zoldan and Pro Loco di Forno di Zoldo



GIRONZOLDANDO

Cultural strolls in the most characteristic areas of the valley with theatrical interludes played by storytellers that lead the inhabitants and the tourists to learn the history and the beauties of the landscape that surrounds them.

Consorzio Pro Loco Zoldo



GREEN WEEK FOR KIDS

Many summer events, to discover, while walking or riding, suggestive places rich of history dedicated to the kids.

Consorzio Pro Loco Zoldo



AUTUMN EVENTS



TRANSELMO

Mountain race alongside the beautiful bulk of the Pelmo. Consorzio Pro Loco Zoldo Alto.

Pro Loco Zoldo Alto

foto di Andrea Saguì



WINTER EVENTS



LA GNAGA/ CARNIVAL IN FORNESIGHE

Weekend in the name of good mood: handicraft, sculpture, gastronomy but overall fun for kids and adults in the little village of Fornesighe. The Pilodech Zoldan organises in collaboration with the Pro loco Forno di Zoldo the Zoldano carnival and the annual exposition of the wooden sculptures.

Piodech Zoldan and Pro Loco di Forno di Zoldo



CIASPOLATE

During winter, accompanied by expert alpine guides, it is possible to do wonderful walks with snowshoes surrounded by nature, searching for hidden tracks left by the fauna.

Consorzio Val di Zoldo Turismo

WHAT TO VISIT:

IRON AND NAIL MUSEUM IN FORNO

Starting from some elements linked to the past of the Zoldo Valley and continuing with some material and historical sources, recently we've been able to investigate on the works "Fusine a cavallo", between the nineteenth and the twentieth century. In this period, the blacksmiths specialised in the production of nails, but soon this job was abandoned.



Iron and Nail Museum in Forno

COSTUMS AND TRADITIONS MUSEUM IN THE GOIMA VALLEY

The museum, recently restored, narrates the working place and the housing of the Valley. A scale model represent a "tabià", with the phases of the transformation. The material gathered here is local



Costums and Traditions Museum

"SAN FLORIANO" PAROCHIAL CHURCH IN PIEVE DI ZOLDO

The church, which dates back to the tenth century, was consecrated in 1487, when it had the same gothic characteristics we can see nowadays. On the inside you can find: the Altar of the souls by Andrea Brustolon, the Our Lady of the Rosary statue by Valentino Panciera Besarel, the altarpiece by Francesco Frigimelica, a painter from Belluno. You can also admire the organ by Gaetano Callido.



"San Floriano" Parochial Church in Pieve di Zoldo

"SAN NICOLÒ" CHRUCH IN FUSINE

This building dates back to the eleventh century, although the documents of the Episcopal Archive in Belluno set the date in 1570.

here you can find: an altarpiece by Jacopo Mareschi (Gaspare Dizoni's disciple), a polychromatic wooden crucified Christ, probably made in the Andrea Brustolon's workshop, a crucified Christ and a Saint Anthony statue by Valentino Panciera Besarel. it is probably the only church that possess a wooden organ with cylindircal pipes.



"San Nicolò" Chrucl

SAINT ANNE CHRUCH IN ZOPPÈ DI CADORE A ZOPPÈ DI CADORE

This bulding dates back to 1530-1540. On the inside you can find: an altarpiece dedicated to Saint Anne (probably made in the Tiziano's workshop), "Transito di S.Giuseppe", a painting by Masi Simonetti and "Cristo Crocifisso" a painting by Fiorenzo Tomea.



CSaint Anne Chrucl

SAINT TIZIANO CHRUCH IN GOIMA A GOIMA

This church is situated in Goima, in a special zone of this valley. The building dates back to the 15th century, when frair Franceschino da Forlì obtained the approval to build ex novo the church, that became parochial church in 1726. The current building was restored many times, and on the inside you can see important works of art.



Saint Tiziano Chrucl



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SPRING EVENTS



CALVARY

Every year, on Good Friday, the Sacred Representation of the Calvary takes place in Tambre. The participants are dressed up in costumes and the event occurs in the town centre, with the suggestive reproduction of the most important Stations of the Cross.

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SUMMER EVENTS



GELATO IN FESTA (ICE CREAM FESTIVAL)

A tasty and colourful day dedicated to the production and the taste of every kind of ice cream. Pro Loco Longarone.

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CORTIVI APERTI (OPEN COURTYARDS)

Gastronomic and cultural itinerary in Tignes (Alpago). Inside every courtyard, cultural and artistic events take place.

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FIERA DEI OSEI (BIRDS' FAIR)

On the first Sunday of August, Sant'Anna di Tambre hosts the Fiera dei Osei, a fair in which you can hear the call of birds that come from all over the region and admire different species of birds along the path that run along the Lamraz lake.

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OPEN VILLAGES

Event in which all the districts of Ponte delle Alpi are involved and whose aim is to discover the values of the culture, the tradition and the heritage of the area.

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AUTUMN EVENTS



FIERA SAPORI DELL'ALTOPIANO (FAIR OF THE FLAVOURS OF THE UPLAND)

Two days of events dedicated to the discovery of the territory and the taste of the many agricultural and gastronomic flavours that characterise Tambre and the Upland.

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TRADITIONAL FESTIVAL OF MADONNA DEL RUNAL

Pilgrimage to the Sanctuary of the Madonna of Runal, animated by musical, cultural and recreational entertainments.

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ALPAGO BIO NATURAL

To the discovery of the traditional and biological products, on the second Sunday of September the streets of the village fills up with stands. On this occasion, it is possible to walk the trail Puos Natura, which permits to visit ancient paths like the "Road of the dead" and particular villages like Sitran, where you can find, hidden in the woods, the bike over the tree.

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WINTER EVENTS



CHRISTMAS IN TAMBRE

Local markets in which you can buy agricultural and handcrafted products. Five paths, named del s'cios -del capriolo -del cervo -dell'alchimista - dei cippi della Serenissima, depart from the square and they are really beautiful.

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WHAT TO VISIT:

LONGARONE

MUSEUM LONGARONE, INSTANTS OF HISTORY

Situated since 2009 in the headquarters of the Longarone Cultural Centre, the museum is a mean to know the local history, indelibly marked by the greatest Italian tragedy in the post-war. Through pictures, evidences and multimedia totems we can go back over the history of the village before Vajont, the building of the Dam, the disaster, the rescue and the reconstruction of the present Longarone.



Museum Longarone Vajont

MONUMENTAL CHURCH OF LONGARONE

It is situated in J. Tasso Square, in the centre of Longarone. Built after the tragedy, following the architect Giovanni Michelucci's project, the church is dedicated to the victims of Vajont. Outside it is always possible to visit the Memorial to the Victims and the Museum Pietre Vive.



Monumental Church Vajont

MONUMENTAL CEMETERY

It is located in Fortogna, 5 km south Longarone, it was built after the tragedy to host the remains of the victims. Recently It has been renovated and expanded and it was designated national monument in 2003. The cemetery is always accessible through the lateral entrances, the main Gate is open to the public on public holidays..



Monumental Cemetery Vajont

THE VAJONT DAM

The dam, symbol of the tragedy, is located on the Vajont gorge, 7 km away from Longarone and close to Erto and Casso. It was built at the end of the 50's and it resisted the force of the wave on the 9th of October 1963. Nowadays, the dam is opened to the public with guided tours and access to the walkway along the top.



The Vajont Dam

SANTA CROCE LAKE

The Santa Croce Lake, whose basin has been artificially expanded in the 30's, is a natural lake located in Alpago, on the border with Treviso. The climate, sunny and not too warm thanks to the constant breeze, allows pleasant strolls, bike excursions and relax on the beach. The value of the lake is represented by the fact that Legambiente, for some years now, confers Farra d'Alpago and its lake four sails, out of five sails on its "Guida Blu" classification, which evaluates the quality of the Italian bathing sites.



Santa Croce Lake

THE BIKE ON THE TREE IN SITRAN

There are many popular legends about the bike on the tree. The bike is actually there, perhaps it was tired to serve the men and it retired in the woods.



The bike on the tree in Sitrán

"AL FAGHERON"

The secular beech located near Pian Formosa (Chies d'Alpago) is a very fine monumental tree from a historical and natural viewpoint, not only for its size but also because it is culturally interesting. It is estimated to be 250/300 years old and it witnessed a huge part of our history, from the fall of the Republic of Venice to the present day, passing through the Napoleonic years, the Austrian domination and the birth of the Kingdom of Italy.



"Al Fagheron"

MUSEO REGIONALE DELL'UOMO AND CENTRO ETNOGRAFICO E DI CULTURA CIMBRA (MUC)

The Museum is owned by Veneto Agricoltura and is a collection of documents and evidence of man in Cansiglio and his relationship with the Plateau, starting from Prehistoric times. Here you can find historical records concerning the Venetian domination and the presence of an ethno-linguistic minority group, the Cimbri. There are also panels about forestry activities, the preparation of coal and the timber processing. There are many tools in exhibition. They were once used to turn the beeches of the Cansiglio forest into oars that were used to pilot the ancient Venetian galleys, huge boats that all the fleets in the Mediterranean Sea feared. These tools were also used to create the "scatoi", circular containers destined to the conservation of cheese and food. The food was produced by a German speaking population, the Cimbri. They arrived in the area at the end of the eighteenth century.



Museo regionale dell'Uomo in Cansiglio

ROMAN BRIDGES

In the XIV century Charles IV of Bohemia dominated the Friuli and the Bellunese, which were submitted by the Patriarch Nicolò of Aquileia. At the time, the gateway of the Fadalto had been blockaded by the Republic of Venice, so the Patriarch needed an alternative path to move from a diocese to another: that's how the Patriarchal Road was born. Starting from Udine, it leads from Friuli to the Alpagò, passing through the bridges that nowadays are known as "Roman Bridges". There were built in the second half of the XIV century with stone and had the arch as the basic structure. Nowadays, the two bridges, completely restored, belong to the itinerary "Alpagò Natura", which includes as a fundamental stage, the visit to the church of the Madonna del Runal.

HISTORY AND NATURE MUSEUM

The museum, located in the ex Primary School in Chies d'Alpagò and property of the Unione Montana Alpagò, was conceived 25 years ago by Ivan Fossa, a naturalist from Puos d'Alpagò, as an answer to the numerous requests from local scholars and teachers who wanted to see the great richness of the territory gathered in a single facility. The museum shows interesting collections and evidences of all the Natural Science of the Alpagò and the province of Belluno. The dioramas that reproduce accurately the environment populated by animals.



History and nature museum

PONTE NELLE ALPI

THE FORTS OF MONTE DOLADA

Soccher, in the past, was considered a strategic territory for the defense of the Valle del Piave, as shown by the existence of the Castle of San Giorgio and of the Sentiero dei Fortini. The first of which today remains only a few, it was built during the feudal age (probably 6th century) and was initially controlled by the family of the Caminesi, vassals of the Bishop of Belluno, while the latter served in medieval times as a link between strongholds and observation points on Mount Dolada.

THE LITTLE CHURCH OF SANT'ANDREA IN MOUNT

Following the path that leads from Polpet up the mountain Frusseda, it is possible to reach in about 40 minutes the church of Sant'Andrea. The first testimonies of its presence date back to 1362; in the sixteenth century it housed monks and nuns belonging to the Order of Saint Benedict. The building contained some canvases and a wooden statue of Sant'Andrea, now stored at the Church of Santa Maria Nascente in Polpet.

CANYONING

Val Maggiore and Valle di Rio Bars, in the hamlet of Cornolade, offer a truly fascinating natural landscape. The Rio Bars, following preferential routes given by tectonic alignments, has created a very evocative gorge, where you can admire numerous waterfalls and potholes. The place because of this, is frequented by canyoning enthusiasts.

CHURCH OF SANTA MARIA DEL ROSARIO

In Cadola, home of the municipality of Ponte, is located the church of Santa Maria del Rosario. Its foundation dates back to before of the year one thousand, but the first written attestation is dated 1340. From end of '500 onwards, the church was repeatedly expanded and modified, until in 1858 when the old building was demolished. In its place, in 1866, it was erected the church that today is the home to the Parish of Cadola, inside it you can admire works of art belonging to artists such as Cesare Vecellio and Francesco Frigimelica the Elder.



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