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# FIEMME and FASSA VALLEYS



The Fassa and Fiemme valleys are surrounded by some of the most famous and beautiful mountains of the Trentino Dolomites. They offer a lot of interesting activities: cross-country skiing, skiing, hiking, climbing or cycling, or simply lazing in the natural environment and being pampered in a well-being centre.

It is also worthwhile to discover the culture and tradition of the region where the cuisine is special and the atmosphere is totally Italian.



Here some places of the Marcialonga Cycling craft on May, 26th 2013



## PREDAZZO

From the main square the Marcialonga Cycling Craft Granfondo starts and arrives.

Here you will find the EXPO area with cycling equipment and typical products besides music, fun and children entertainment.



Predazzo is the most populated town in Val di Fiemme and is relevant for its traditions, culture and history. The historical centre is characterized by numerous "tabià", old traditional farmers' huts, alleys and typical courts, where on Saturday 25th the MINICYCLING will take place, the race dedicated to the young bikers from 7 to 16 years old (born 1997- 2006).

The Museum of Geology and Mineralogy introduces visitors to the history of the surrounding mountains.

Five kilometers far from Predazzo the Parco Naturale di Paneveggio is situated, a wonderful natural and protected area.

# ANTERIVO and THE MONTE CORNO NATURAL AREA

The cosy village of Anterivo, far away from hustle and bustle, extends at the border of the provinces of South Tyrol and the Trentino, in the Monte Corno nature park.

Despite of its high altitude, it is positioned in a climatically favourable area, extending on a sun-oriented terrace. When hiking you can experience wetland areas, moors and meadows covered by a sea of flowers abloom.



## CARANO, DAIANO, VARENA

They are typically mountainous villages and lie on a lovely and sunny terrace from where you might watch the entire Fiemme valley.

They are situated at the foot of the Corno Nero, also called “Rocca” (2439 m), a panoramic pick on the Fiemme valley and the Lagorai Chain.

Close there is the Passo Lavazé, a real paradise for those who love hiking and winter sports, specially the cross-country skiing.





# PAMPEAGO

Passo di Pampeago is famous among the cyclist lovers. The Passo di Pampeago runs 10.4 kilometers. As mountain passes go, this one is relatively short. It's also relatively steep throughout with gradients in the 9-11% range. The hardest section comes around kilometer 7, where the gradient hits 16%. That'll leave a mark.



The Alpe di Pampeago was first made famous by Marco Pantani: during the 1998 Giro d'Italia he finished second to the team mate Pavel Tonkov, but in the 1999 he won on the climb.

Giro d'Italia runs there twice more: in 2003 Gilberto Simoni won the 14th Stage and in 2012 the winner of that Stage was Roman Kreuziger.

Passo di Pampeago lies on the feet of Latemar Dolomites. This mountain range, both in winter and summer, is a perfect outdoor pleasure ground.

## **COSTALUNGA PASS and CAREZZA LAKE**

Located in a sunny position at 1.745 metres a.s.l., the Pass offers spectacular views. It is also a vantage point for experiencing the stunning phenomenon called enrosadira (Alpenglow), when mountains turn red and purple at sunset.



Lake of Carezza in South Tyrol is known for its wonderful colours and therefore it is also called The Rainbow Lake.

On May 25<sup>th</sup> the Stage 20 of Giro d'Italia will be from Silandro to Tre Cime di Lavaredo. Four mountain passes are on the menu, and the first one is Passo di Costalunga.

# VIGO DI FASSA

Located at the bottom of the Catinaccio mountain, the village of Vigo actually boasts a fairly central position, with a stunning view of the Sella and Marmolada mountains.

Vigo di Fassa is the ideal starting point for long hikes across the legendary Dolomites. A modern cable car takes you from the village centre to higher altitudes on the Ciampedie mountain (2.000 m), from where you might embark on numerous hikes.

In Vigo di Fassa you will, moreover, find the Ladin cultural institute, dedicated to the ancient Ladin language and the Rhaetian culture.



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# MOENA

Called also “Fairy of Dolomites” it is located at the heart of the enchanting Dolomites and surrounded by such mighty mountains as the Catinaccio, Sassolungo, Monzoni and Latemar, the village is actually the gateway of Val di Fassa.

Moena has a lot to offer also from a cultural point of view.



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