

ITINERARY 3A

ALLEGHE LAKESIDE



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description

UNESCO Dolomites system	Pale di San Martino, San Lucano, Dolomiti Bellunesi, Vette Feltrine
mountain group(s)	Civetta
UNESCO values	<p>Landscape: the charming Alpine lake in Alleghe was formed by the Cordevole river in the 18th century when part of Mount Piz collapsed, creating a landslide which blocked the course of the river. It is one of the most significant examples of a lake landscape on the valley floor in the Dolomites and affords one of the most beautiful views of the marvellous north face of Civetta that makes this landscape so majestic.</p> <p>Geology: the stratigraphic sequence in this northern section covers a period of about 150 million years, from the early Palaeozoic to the late Carnian/Norian periods. Most of its rocks belong to the Permian-Triassic eras, with a large percentage from the Anisian-Ladinian periods. The Civetta-Moiazza group has some breath-taking vertical walls (the north wall of Civetta and south wall of Moiazza), reaching over one thousand metres and rising from the level beds of Dolomite and calcareous rock of the late Triassic-early Jurassic era.</p> <p>[source: https://www.dolomitiunesco.info/?lang=en]</p>
description of the route	The walk around Alleghe lake is one of the prettiest and most popular in the Agordino area. The itinerary starts in the square Piazza Kennedy, in the centre of Alleghe, where there is a car park with reserved spaces. Take Via Monte Pape, which will quickly lead you to the lakeside, then turn left in the direction of the Alvisè De Toni ice rink (the public car park at the rink offers alternative parking). Go over the bridge over the Zunaia stream then head right along the lakeside path which is for both pedestrians and cyclists. After about 400 m,

you will get to the small Rusech public park which lies on the shores of the lake, where you can stop for refreshments and rest; afterwards, continue for about 700 m until you reach the village of Masarè. Go over the bridge over the Cordevole stream and turn right along the small road which leads to the other side of the lake. The itinerary continues for about 2 km until you get to the "Terrazza sul lago" viewpoint which affords a beautiful view of Alleghe and the Civetta mountain group.

advice


recommended period	All year (in winter check for snow) info: https://www.dolomiti.org/en/alleghe
recommended gear	Wear layers and comfortable boots. It is important to have sunscreen with you at all times, a change of clothes should it rain and a small first aid kit.
recommended equipment	Wheelchair with front wheel if on your own. Normal wheelchair if accompanied.
recommendations	Always travel with others, so they can help you deal with any difficulties you may encounter. When following the itinerary in a wheelchair, on a mountain bike or with a pushchair, always carry a complete tyre repair kit with a pump and spare inner tube.
N.B.	when using an electric wheelchair, it is a good idea to take some spare batteries.

info

altitude	1000 m a.s.l.
starting point	Piazza Kennedy, 32022 - Alleghe (BL) GPS coordinates: 46.406176,12.0203067 Altitude: 979 m Alternatively: public car park at the ice rink GPS coordinates 46.405387, 12.022019 Altitude: 978 m a.s.l.
arrival point	Terrace overlooking the lake, 32022 - Alleghe, BL GPS coordinates: 46.4105458,12.0146228 Altitude: 916 m a.s.l.
distance	3640 m
overall difference in height	83 m uphill; 89 m downhill
incline	Average 2%, max 5% for a short stretch
minimum width	2.5 m
terrain	Tarmacked road; the final 150 m are on a dirt road which is well packed
obstacles	None
exposed stretches	None

facilities

access	The starting point can be reached using both public and private transport <u>Public transport:</u> buses no. 003 and 072, bus stop in Piazza del Municipio <u>Private transport:</u> centre of Alleghe, up to Piazza Kennedy
restrictions	None
car park	Car park in Piazza Kennedy (paying, with reserved spaces); car park at the ice rink (no charge, no reserved spaces)
accessible toilets	At hotels and restaurants in the centre of Alleghe
refreshments	At hotels and restaurants in the centre of Alleghe and along the route

recharging stations for electric bikes	None
network coverage	Good
GPS mapping	3A_track.gpx
street view	https://www.google.com/maps/@46.4062082,12.0204999,3a,90y,254.21h,87.44t/data=!3m6!1e1!3m4!1sFqT-IJr-vcang1d38Yroew!2e0!7i13312!8i6656?hl=it-IT
signs along the route	Information boards when entering Alleghe and along the route
UNESCO info points	The information boards in piazza Kennedy also contain information about the World Heritage Site
guides	Local guides available who have attended the special training course run by the UNESCO Dolomites Foundation-Accademia della Montagna del Trentino [info: www.assionlus.it]
rental services	None
emergency numbers	112 European emergency telephone number 118 Italian emergency telephone number
contacts	
contact for info	assi.onlus@gmail.com
information provided by and itinerary checked by	 <p>ASSI ONLUS ASSOCIAZIONE SOCIALE SPORTIVA INVALIDI</p> <p>https://www.assionlus.it/</p>
route mapped on	May 2017
revised	July 2019
responsibility	<p>The contents of this information sheet do not exempt hikers from responsible behaviour.</p> <p>The weather in the mountains can change very quickly and the degree of difficulty of the itineraries depends on a number of factors which often cannot be foreseen, including the conditions of the route, how fit you are and your equipment. Before starting out, always check the weather forecast and contact the local tourist board for an update on the conditions of the route.</p> <p>Weather: https://www.arpa.veneto.it/previsioni/en/html/meteo_dolomiti.php Conditions of the route: https://www.dolomiti.org/en/alleghe</p>