

Educational Journey - South Tyrol/Northern Italy

Victorian Home Economics and Textiles Teachers' Association (VHETTA)

19th – 24th July 2008

1st day - Saturday 19th July 2008

Date of arrival in South Tyrol

Arrival in South Tyrol (Florence-Bolzano) by train.
Check in at the Hotel Sheraton Four Points - Bolzano.

Every room is air-conditioned (individually regulated) and has a satellite TV, pay-TV in room entertainment system, high speed internet connection, mini bar, telephone, safe, hairdryer.

General conditions: bar, restaurant, Sheraton Health Club on the 7th floor (the roof of the hotel) indoor swimming pool with a view, whirlpool, Turkish steam bath, sauna, fitness centre (free of charge), solarium and massages at a surcharge.

www.4p-sheraton-bolzano.it

2nd day: Sunday 20th July 2008

Journey to Braies

Visit at an educational agriculture establishment and round trip to the high mountain lake of Braies.

www.pragserkaese.com/en/lechnerhof.html

www.provinz.bz.it/natur/2803/ (virtuel walking tour: Fannes-Sennes-Prags)

lunch at a restaurant / guest house
return to Bolzano
dinner in the hotel.

3rd day: Monday 21st July 2008

**Excursion to Teodone / Vandoies in
the Puster Valley**

- Visit of the Home Economic and Agriculture School Teodone.
- Visit of the 'South Tyrol Museum of Ethnography' with a manor farm, an inn and an exhibition area with various farms, mills, granaries and folkloristic objects.
- Visit of the 'Lodenworld' in Vandoies:
http://www.provinz.bz.it/volkskundemuseen/Vkm_d_0.htm
lunch at a restaurant / guest house
return to Bolzano
dinner in the hotel

4th day: Tuesday 22nd July 2008

day trip to Venice (approx.220 km away), on the return way stop in Verona.

A personal English speaking guide will be with you to discover the artistic and cultural treasures of Venice.

Visit to the Isle of Murano with their famous crystal factories inclusive boat trip.

Lunch at the restaurant.

On the way back stop in Verona, visit of "Romeo and Juliet's town". A varied summer programme is on offer at the Arena of Verona, where entertainment is guaranteed for all opera lovers. (the prices are between € 31,00 and € 180,00. The program for 2008 is at the moment not available.)

Return to Bolzano at approxm. 2.00 - 2.30 in the morning.

5th day: Wednesday 23rd July 2008

Bolzano

Morning

Sightseeing tour in the heart of Bolzano including the Museum of 'Archaeology or Ötzi Museum' with the famous 5000 year old 'Ice Man.

Lunch at the restaurant.

Afternoon

Visit to the MMM.Messner Mountain Museum Firmiano.

www.messner-mountain-museum.it

After this visit to a historic wine cellar and wine tasting of some exquisite wines and dinner.

Return to Bolzano.

6th day: Thursday 24th July 2008

Departure day

After breakfast buffet departure to Lucerne/Switzerland via Innsbruck.

End of the program - Subject to change.

Room rates per person	for min 30 pax
double room	€980,00
extra charge single room	€180,00

Above mentioned rates include:

- 5 x room & buffet breakfast at the Hotel Four Points Sheraton in Bolzano
- 3 x dinner at the Hotel (three course menu with salad buffet)
- 3 x dinner at different restaurants
- 3 x lunch at different restaurants or guesthouses
- wine tasting and dinner
- daily guided tour in Venice (english)
- trip from Venice to Murano on waterway
- visit to a crystal factory on the Isle of Murano
- daily guided tour in Bolzano (english)
- entrance fee Archeology Museum
- entrance fee Messner Mountain Museum
- Comfortable bus:

- all day trip to Braies
- all day trip to Teodone/Vandoies
- all day trip to Venice and Verona
- transfers for visiting Bolzano and surroundings
- last day transfer from Bolzano to Lucerne.

1 person accompanying the group goes free at the hotel (double room).

For information and reservation:

Travel Agency "Rauch Reisen" within 30th June 2008

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