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## Pleasures of the Carso – Summer 2018

**8 nature trails on the Carso around Trieste and Gorizia**  
**Nature, culture, history and gastronomy**

**On Sundays, from 5 August to 23 September**

**Carso environments and ecology presented by "Curiosi di Natura" guides**  
**With live readings (in Italian) about local nature, history and culture**

**Easy itineraries along shaded paths, suitable for all ages and fitness levels**  
**Long trousers and closed shoes with treaded soles recommended**

**Possibility of discounted meals at affiliated "Saponi del Carso" restaurants**

### SUNDAY EXCURSIONS:

**5 - 26 August (17.30-20.30), 2 September (9.30-17.00), 9 - 23 September (9.30-12.30)**

**Meeting time: 20 min before departure, at indicated venue (see GPS & Google Maps)**

#### **5 AUGUST and 9 SEPTEMBER - From Trebiciano to Monte dei Pini**

A walk on the plateau, through the cool pine and broadleaf woods as far as the meadows of the Slovenian Karst with their bright-coloured summer flowers. With views of the Julian Alps and upland Carso. **Meeting venue: main square in Trebiciano** (Saint Andrew's Church). Bus n. 39 from Trieste. **GPS:** 45°40'20.6"N 13°49'30.9"E - [45.672386, 13.825250](https://www.google.com/maps/place/45.672386,13.825250)

#### **12 AUGUST and 16 SEPTEMBER - From San Martino del Carso to Mount San Michele**

A walk through the woods, among sites testifying to the Great War: trenches, galleries and fortifications. From the monumental area of San Michele the view spans over the plain, the Isonzo river, the gulf and the Carso plateau. With live historical readings. **Meeting venue: Piazza della Fontana, San Martino del Carso (Sagrado).** **GPS:** 45°52'34.4"N 13°32'03.6"E - [45.876215, 13.534324](https://www.google.com/maps/place/45.876215,13.534324)

#### **19 AUGUST and 23 SEPTEMBER - From Santa Croce to Vedetta Slataper**

Along the rim of the plateau, amid pine trees, oaks and Mediterranean vegetation. The clearings and the Slataper lookout tower offer spectacular views of the Carso, Miramare and the gulf. With live readings about Trieste's past. **Meeting venue: Santa Croce**, Provincial road n. 1, at the **junction for Bristie**. Bus n. 44 from Trieste. **GPS:** 45°44'05.3"N 13°41'46.2"E - [45.734804, 13.696158](https://www.google.com/maps/place/45.734804,13.696158)

## 26 AUGUST - Along the Strada Napoleonica at sunset

A walk in the woods of the Carso looking out over Trieste at sunset; with views of the sea, the city and its sights. With themed readings. To discover nature and history with new eyes, while walking along one of Trieste's most popular trails. **Meeting venue: Opicina Obelisk.** Buses n. 2 and 4 from Trieste. **GPS:** 45°40'47.2"N 13°46'51.7"E - [45.679778, 13.781028](#)

## 2 SEPTEMBER - From Basovizza to Mount Cocusso (whole day)

A slow-paced excursion across woods and grasslands up to the highest point of the Trieste Carso (672 m); with views spanning from the sea to Slovenia. Lunch at leisure (packed or at Mount Cocusso lodge). Return to Basovizza via a different route. **Meeting venue: Basovizza**, start of the **Ressel Trail.** Bus n. 39 from Trieste. **GPS** 45°38'42.2"N 13°51'45.8"E [45.645063, 13.862714](#)

**PRICES: € 8.00 full (2 September € 12); € 5.00 reduced, under 14 years; free under 6 years**

**BOOKING IS RECOMMENDED**

**FOR GROUPS, ON REQUEST: excursions also possible on other dates, all year round**

**Tour languages: IT, ENG, DEU, SLO - [www.piacevolmentecarso.it](http://www.piacevolmentecarso.it)**

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### AFFILIATED RESTAURANTS



**All participants in a "Curiosi di natura" excursion  
will receive a coupon for 2 persons, valid from 5 August to 23 September 2018,  
entitling them to a 10% discount on menus of the following "Sapori del Carso" restaurants**

**Trattoria - Gostilna OŠTERIJA FERLUGA** – Conconello / Ferlugi (TS), Via / Ulica Bellavista 12, tel. 347 1396133 - [dimitriferluga@gmail.com](mailto:dimitriferluga@gmail.com) - *Closed: Mon*

**Trattoria - Gostilna VETO - Opicina / Opicine (TS)**, Via di Prosecco / Proseška ulica 35, tel. 040 211629, [www.trattoriapizzeriaveto.com](http://www.trattoriapizzeriaveto.com) - *Closed: Tues*

**Trattoria sociale - Društvena Gostilna** - Gabrovizza / Gabrovec 24 (TS), tel. 040 229168, [dimitriferluga@gmail.com](mailto:dimitriferluga@gmail.com) - *Always open*

**Hotel&Restaurant KRIŽMAN** - Repen 76, Monrupino / Repentabor, tel. 040 327115 [www.hotelkrizman.eu](http://www.hotelkrizman.eu) – *Closed: lunchtime Mon, all day Tues*

**Trattoria - Gostilna GUŠTIN** - Sgonico / Zgonik 3/a, tel. 040 229123, [www.gustintrattoria.com](http://www.gustintrattoria.com) - *Closed: dinner time Mon, all day Wed*

**Trattoria - Gostilna SARDOC** - Precenico / Prečnik 1/b, Duino Aurisina - Devin Nabrezina tel. 040 200871 - [www.sardoc.eu](http://www.sardoc.eu) - *Closed: Mon, Tues*

**Trattoria - Gostilna LOKANDA DEVETAK** - Savogna d'Isonzo / Sovodnje ob Soci (GO), San Michele del Carso, Vrh sv. Mihaela / Brežiči 22, tel. 0481 882488 - [www.devetak.com](http://www.devetak.com) - *Closed: all day Mon and Tues, and lunchtime Wed and Thurs*