How to reach Antholz/Anterselva

By car

Coming from the north over Innsbruck – Brenner Motorway – exit Brixen/Bressanone – Puster Valley State Road SS49 - turnoff Rasen/ Antholz – Rasun/Anterselva

Coming from the west and south over Bozen/Bolzano – Brenner Motorway – exit Brixen/Bressanone – Puster Valley Sate Road SS49 – turnoff Rasen/Antholz – Rasun/Anterselva

Coming from the east over Lienz – Drautalstraße B100 and Puster Valley State Road SS49 – turnoff Rasen/Antholz – Rasun/Anterselva

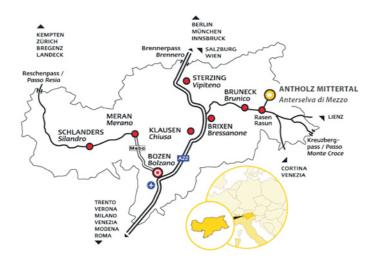
By train and bus

International train connections (Line Innsbruck-Bozen/Bolzano) until Franzensfeste/Fortezza

Change to regional train connections to Olang/Valdaora From there by bus to Rasen/Antholz – Rasun/Anterselva

By plane

The closest international airports are: :
Innsbruck (approx. 140 km) www.innsbruck-airport.com
Treviso (approx. 180 km) www.trevisoairport.it
Venice (approx. 190 km) www.veniceairport.it
Verona (approx. 250 km) www.aeroportoverona.it
Munich (approx. 300km) www.munich-airport.de
Bergamo (approx. 400 km) www.orioareoporto.it
Milan (approx. 435 km) www.sea-aeroportimilano.it



Accommodation

The Tourism Association Antholzertal is happy to give you more information about the participating hotels. Phone No° 0039 0474 496 269 Email: sarah@antholzertal.com Rooms need to be booked directly at the hotel or the apartment.

Hotel / Guest House	Half Board	Rooms
	price per person	
****	EUR 91,00 - € 146,00	60
***S	EUR 88,00 - € 130,00	30
***	EUR 44,00 - € 120,00	145
**	EUR 38,00 - € 57,00	22

Guest House	B&B	Rooms
	price per person	
**	EUR 20,00 - € 35,00	14

Self catering	Apartments
price per room	
EUR 73,00 - 140,0	0 10
EUR 30,00 - 100,0	0 27
EUR 47,00 - € 110,0	0 3
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Apartments (2-4 pax)	B&B	Apartments
	price per person	
***	EUR 30,00 - € 34,00	4

Biathlon Centre Antholz/Anterselva

Südtirol Arena Alto Adige 33 I-39030 Antholz-Obertal www.biathlon-antholz.it

Coordinates

WGS84: 46° 53′ 9.6″ N, 12° 9′ 9″ E

46.886°, 12.1525°

UTM: 33T 283063 5196433

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50th EFNS

European Forester's competition in Nordic Skiing

28.01. - 03.02.2018

Welcome to South Tyrol!

Biathlon centre Antholz/Anterselva

Südtirol Arena Alto Adige



Weekly Programme 28.01.-03.02.2018

Sunday, January 28: Arrival of the participants
Monday, January 29: 8:30am – Excursions

Tuesday, January 30: 8:30am – Excursions and Anniversary Run 50 Years EFNS 8pm: Opening ceremony in the tent – Biathlon Centre

Wednesday, January 31: 9am-1pm: Skiing and shooting training

3pm: Team Captains' meeting

5pm: Committee meeting at the Biathlon Centre 8pm: Conference evening – Biathlon Centre 9am: Individual competitions – classic

Thursday, February 1: 9am: Individual competitions – classic

2pm: Individual competitions – freestyle

7pm: Anniversary celebration 50 Years EFNS: banquet, music and dance in the tent –

Biathlon Centre

Friday, February 2: 9am: Relay competitions
1pm: Festival of the Nations

8pm: Medal ceremony and closing ceremony

Saturday, February 3: Departure of the participants

Excursions January 29-30, 2018

EXCURSION 1: FORESTRY SERVICE + FOREST + WOOD + ENERGY

Monday and Tuesday (29/30.01.) 8:30am-6pm // Place: Prags/Braies, Toblach/Dobbiaco // Bus ride: 30 min // lunch included

OVERVIEW OF THE ORGANISATION AND TASKS OF THE SOUTH TYROLIAN FORESTRY SERVICE: Visiting the forests from Lake Prags to Schmieden (2h): tree marking (for the careful selection of trees for harvest), wood sorting and measuring as well as onsite sale of wood.

TONEWOOD: The Prags Valley is famous for its spruces' tonewood. Antholz's guitar manufacturer Rudolf Bachmann shows how he chooses the perfect tonewood.

HEATING PLANT TOBLACH/DOBBIACO: In 1994, the first heating plant opened in Rasen/Rasun. Today, South Tyrol is the region with the highest density of district heating plants in Europe (72 heating plants). 1,200 customers are supplied by the heating plant in Toblach/Dobbiaco. Heating materials are wood chips, bark and sawdust. Each year, 55,000 MWh of district heating and 10,000 MWh of electrical power is produced.

EXCURSION 2: CULTURE + TECHNIQUE

Monday and Tuesday (29/30.01.) 8:30am-6pm // Place: Bozen/Bolzano // Bus ride: 1,5h // lunch included SOUTH TYROL MUSEUM OF ARCHEOLOGY: Ötzi, the iceman, is a glacier mummy from the Copper Age, who, thanks to extraordinary circumstances, has been preserved down to the present day. He was discovered accidentally by hikers in 1991, together with its clothing and equipment, on the Schnalstal/Val Senales Valley glacier and has been subject of intense research ever since.

COMPANY TECHNOALPIN SPA, BOZEN/BOLZANO: The company is global leader in snow-making systems and mainly invests in research and development with the main goal to produce high quality snow in an energy-efficient way. Around 1,800 customers in 48 countries rely on the know-how of TechnoAlpin.

EXCURSION 3: CULTURE + WINE + TRAFFIC

Monday (29.01.) 8.30am-6pm // Place: Brixen/Bressanone, Neustift/Novacella, Franzensfeste/Fortezza // Bus ride: 1h // lunch included

AUGUSTINIAN CANONS REGULAR MONASTERY ABBAZIA DI NOVACELLA AND WINE TASTING: Novacella ranks among the most noteworthy attractions of South Tyrol with its Castel Sant'Angelo or Engelsburg (eng: Castle of the Holy Angel), its late Baroque basilica, its Gothic cloister, the unique library and historical art gallery. The monastery also has vineyards and a wine cellar. Neustift's altitude and climate offer ideal circumstances for the production of the typical Eisack valley white wines which we are going to taste.



PLEASE NOTE:

On Sunday, January 28, 2018, the cross country skiing marathon "Marcialonga" takes place in the Dolomites (www.marcialonga.it). Everyone interested can register until March 30, 2017, at the Marcialonga office: Phone No. 0039-0462-501110, email: info@marcialonga.it

BRENNER BASE TUNNEL: With its 64km, this tunnel will become the longest continuous railroad tunnel in the world when completed in 2025. The costs of 9 billion Euro are funded by Austria and Italy as well as by a contribution of 40% by the EU. The exhibition in the Fortress of Franzensfeste/Fortezza as well as the underground construction site in Mauls/Mules will be visited.

EXCURSION 4: FORESTRY SERVICE + ALPIN PASTURE + CONTEMPORARY HISTORY

Monday (29.01.) 8:30am-6pm // Place: Prags/Braies // Bus ride: 30 min // lunch included

ORGANISATION AND TASKS OF THE SOUTH TYROLIAN FORESTRY SERVICE WITH MAIN FOCUS ON ALPINE PASTURE: Alpine pastures characterize the South Tyrolian landscape. Besides numerous advantages for animals and farmers, the pasture land also prevents erosion, preserves drinking water and the natural biodiversity and offers space for recreation. During a 2 hours hike to the Plätzwiese/Prato Piazza (2,000m above sea level), you get information about the development and the livestock of this alpine pasture as well as details on its special geological features. On top of that, you have an amazing view on the three distinctive peaks of the Drei Zinnen/Tre Cime, the heart of the Dolomites World Heritage Site.

DOLOMITE FRONT DURING THE GREAT WAR: The Plätzwiese/Prato Piazza was part of the Dolomite Front during the Great War. A fortress as well as bunker installations are silent witnesses of these painful years.

EXCURSION 5: ALPINE SKIING

Monday (29.01.) 8:30am-6pm // Place: Olang/Valdaora // Bus ride: 30 min // lunch included

SKIING IN THE HEART OF THE WORLD HERITAGE SITE OF THE DOLOMITES: Experienced alpine skiers will guide you through the unique ski circuit of the Sellaronda and Gran Risa in Alta Badia – slopes that have already fascinated Alberto Tomba, Hermann Maier, Michael von Grünigen and Lasse Kjus. Surely you shouldn't miss visiting the skiing area Kronplatz/Plane de Corones with its 32 lifts and 120 km of slopes. The equipment can be rented onsite.

EXCURSION 6: WOOD PROCESSING + CITY TRIP

Monday (29.01.) 8:30am-2pm // Place: Kiens/Chienes, Bruneck/Brunico // Bus ride: 30 min. // no lunch

WOOD PROCESSING – COMPANY RUBNER: The company's 5 strategic sectors guarantee a complete chain of values and thus an efficient and durable use of the raw material wood, which makes Rubner one of the leaders in the sector. Rubner Holzindustrie (eng. Rubner Wood Industry) produces glulam beam strips, solid wood panels and glulam wood. Rubner Holzbau (eng. Rubner Wood Structure) is market leader in Europe for the production of technically complex wood structures. Rubner Objektbau creates turn-key wood buildings, customised as to the client's needs. Rubner Türen (eng. Rubner Doors) produces entrance and internal doors in wood and already since 1964, Rubner Haus (eng. Rubner Homes) builds 500 wood houses per year all over Europe.

WALK THROUGH THE CITY OF BRUNECK/BRUNICO: With its 15,000 inhabitants, the city of Bruneck/Brunico is one of the main places in the Puster Valley. During a 2 hours' walk you can visit the castle and the beautiful old town.

EXCURSION 7: WOOD PROCESSING + MILK PROCESSING

Tuesday (30.01.) 8:30am-2pm // Place: Strassen – East Tyrol (Austria), Toblach/Dobbiaco // Bus ride 1h // no lunch Please bring your ID card or your passport!!

WOOD PANEL PRODUCTION IN TASSENBACH: In only one step from round timber to solid wood panels – that's the slogan of the company Nordpan Rubner in Tassenbach, East Tyrol in Austria. The company is specialized on the purchase of small diameter round timber (diameter from 12cm, length 3m) from thinning. The wood originates from the Puster Valley and East Tyrol.

DREI ZINNEN SHOW DAIRY IN TOBLACH/DOBBIACO: One hour tour through the show dairy. There, approx. 35,000 litres of milk from 180 local farmers is processed every day. The raw milk is turned into cheese, butter, yoghurt, cream and fresh milk.

EXCURSION 8: ANNIVERSARY RUN 50 YEARS EFNS

Tuesday (30.01.) 8:30am-6pm // Place: Cortina, Toblach/Dobbiaco // Bus ride: 1h // lunch included

The anniversary run is not a classical race with timing but a cross country skiing trip in the middle of the World Heritage Site of the Dolomites. Every participant has 6 hours to run 30 or 50 kilometres on the popular Tour de Ski course from Cortina to Toblach/Dobbiaco. Accompanying persons take care of the participants and make sure that everyone arrives safely. Several aid stations along the course provide drinks, fruits and cake; in Landro, every participant gets a warm meal.

Programme modifications reserved. All excursions are organized in German and English. For more information, please go to www.forstverein.it









