



## Front-page News

### With the "Salvan" on the "Fairy path" of Buffaure



The stages of the "Fairy path" are: the bewitched lake, the magic night (S. Nicolò, the krampus), mysterious words (Ladin language and costumes), the enchanted kingdom (King Laurin), the masks (Fassa's carnival), the inhabitants (nicknames) and flight in time (farmers).

The "Salvan" (wild man), character of the Ladin legends, does know the secrets of wood and is our special Virgilio for the "Sentiero Incantato" - "Fairy path" of Buffaure. Tomorrow, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., the itinerary for children (from 4 years old) turns into a journey back in time with seven funny stages, together with dressed up entertainers. The guys discover in this way how the rocks, trees, roots tell the stories, whose protagonists are shepherds, kings, witches, elves, who have been dwelling in Buffaure since ancient times. Moreover, there is also a toy-book to read and colour, and some ability tests. To participate to the outing the booking is requested (free; ropeway at the expense of the participants) at the Tourist Offices today at 6.30 p.m.

## Amazing hikes

### From Sella Pass to Des Alpes Refuge to Col Rodella

The itinerary starts from Sella Pass Refuge (at 2.244 m), located after the pass bearing the same name, easy to reach by car from Canazei (around 13 km). From here follow the footpath no. 557-4 towards the saddle Forcella Rodella (at 2.318 m; 0,40 h) and afterward take the footpath no. 529, which get quickly to Des Alpes Refuge (at 2.318 m). Along an undemanding path, ascend on the eastern ridge of the mountain until Col Rodella's peak (at 2.484 m; 0,15 h). Here you can enjoy a wonderful landscape over Val di Fassa and all the Dolomites. You return along the same route. If someone is interested only in seeing the landscape from Des Alpes Refuge (at 2.387 m; 0,20 h) can take the cable car departing from Campitello, reaching the panoramic point Col Rodella. Go back by cable car.

## Passepartout

### The Dolomites' nature in the Brunel's brush strokes

Landscapes with intense colours crowded by brush strokes on canvas, sometimes even rough. These colourful dyes, which express the strength of the landscapes that can astonish everybody, are an evident characteristic of "Natura Dolomites", the exhibition of the Val di Fassa's painter Fernando Brunel, who lives in Soraga. His works, on exhibit at the Mini Civica in Moena till 30th August (timetable: 5.00 - 7.00 p.m. and 8.30 - 22.00 p.m.) release all the emotions of the artist, who knows very well the valley (he is also a local guide) and its culture (he is the soul of the Folk Group of Soraga). In his paintings, Brunel offers his point of view - which is a mix between the fairy tale and the reality captivating any gazes - of the mountains (with a particular attention to the Vajolè Towers), the forest, the meadows.

## Did you know that...

On 26th December 1805 the Tyrol was taken away from the Hapsburgs and annexed to the Kingdom of Bavaria, a French state to which also the Val di Fassa was aggregated. Firstly, the valley was under the domain of Chiusa in Val d'Isarco, but in March 1807 the Giudizio di Cavalese (depending from Bolzano) took it. In 1807, the South Tyrol was divided into two areas, the Adiges' one, to which belonged Val di Fassa as well, and the Isarco's one. The new state made authoritative reforms and began a fight against the local church, arousing in that way the irritation of mountain's people.

To participate in the initiatives for guests is compulsory to register at least one day in advance at the Tourist Offices of the Val di Fassa Card (ask your employer accommodation). The activities are reserved for guests of the associated structures all'Apt Val di Fassa.

## Some events of the day

### Bucolic harmony

Moena

9.00 pm - Navalge Theatre. Cristina Renzetti, singer from Terni, performs today for the festival "Moenarmonica" and proposes her pieces with Brazilian rhythms. The artist published in 2012 the album "Origem é giro", registered in Rio, where she lived for some periods.

### Santa Maria Madalena

Mazzin

8.30 pm - Church. Guided Tour to the sacred building of the village, built in 1573, that keeps several precious sacred furniture.

### White nightmare

Vigo di Fassa

9.00 pm - Council Chamber of the Municipal hall. Show put onstage by the Eos, based on the book "Mi sono perso nel mio bosco" by Angel de la Rezila.

The complete schedule of events is available in the tourist offices of the valley.

## Initiatives for our guests

29/08/2013 (8.30 am)

Around the mountain dairies: relaxation on the pastures of Contrin (outing against payment).

Canazei

29/08/2013 (9.00 am)

Raspberry MTB Tour. Booking at "Sport Check Point" (hike against payment).

Moena

We thank

