



Front-page News

Badaloni footages on the Unesco Dolomites



The documentary by Badaloni follows the line of the project launched by the 5 Provinces of the Dolomites. The territories, part of the Foundation Unesco Dolomites, are putting many efforts in several levels to promote the entire area in its uniqueness.

The stories of the Ladin area are the protagonists these days: Catinaccio, Marmolada, Alpine Rescue, Museum of Vigo, Ladin culture, ski, alpinism and much more are the themes filmed by Piero Badaloni. The journalist is author and director of a documentary on the Dolomites, commissioned by the Foundation Dolomites Unesco. The film will be broadcasted in 2014 on the Italian TV Rai Storia and Rai International, and it develops in 6 episodes. The project by Badaloni - who knows very well Val di Fassa - is a beautiful journey through the Dolomites, described in their entirety, as the Unesco did to declare them a World Natural Heritage. The shooting - started in July in the Brenta area - will finish in September on the Dolomites of South Tyrol.

Amazing hikes

In the wild Valsorda

Every lumberjack of Fassa knows this valley. Valsorda is wonderful and wild, and faces Latemar Group. A river bearing the same name flows through it, and nearby it there is still the ancient "cava de le bore" (the cave of logs), a passage for logs and woods five km long, built with stones and rocks and very well designed in its slopes and bends. In winter the ice cave becomes a sleigh slope, but until the seventies thousands of cubical metres of woods had passed through it. You can set off for it from Forno di Moena, taking path no.516 that starts at the entrance of the cave. Arrived at Valsorda Mountain Hut (1.676 m; 2 hrs) the fit hikers could continue towards Bivouac Latemar (2.365 m; 1 h). The less trained can walk along path no.517 leading to Medil, and thence Forno or Moena.

Passepartout

The itinerant "Fassa Art"

After the successful edition of 2012, the "Fassa Art. Forma, colore e fotografia" - Fassa Art. Shapes colour and photography - is back. It is an itinerant show in around 10 hotels of Canazei and Alba, organized by 6 local artists. On exhibit the works of the sculptors Andrea Soraperra, who took part to important shows, and Matthias Sieff, graduated at the University of Applied Arts in Wien. Moreover, there are the paintings of Renato Fuccini (from Tuscany, lives now in Val di Fassa), depicting several genres, and his colleagues - closer to the Ladin tradition - Tullio Bernard and Walter Riz, and the young photographer Matteo Soraperra, graduated in Sociology for ad-communication, author of metropolitan and sport shots. At the Tourist offices you will find the brochure detailing the whole programme, including the venues.

Did you know that...

In the summer 1906 the luxurious "Bamberger Haus" (Refuge Bamberga) on Fedaia was inaugurated with a majestic ceremony. The section of the DUÖAV of Bamberga, the designer, invested 75 thousand marks (a fortune for the time) for the building and the furniture of the 4-floors refuge. It boasted 25 rooms (48 beds with soft duvets), the services in the floor with washbasins fitted out with running water, many halls and a veranda of 100 square metres, from where you could admire the Marmolada glacier, the Vernel, the Fedaia's pastures and the great face of Civetta.

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

Street market in the centre

Campitello di Fassa

9 am - 7 pm - Piaz de Ciampedel. The heart of the village hosts "Botteghe in piazza", a nice market of typical products. It is funny to go shopping among the stands, displaying technical cloths for the mountain, furniture, woven for the home and many handicraft objects.

The festival of Fontanazzo

Mazzin

9.00 am - Square in front of the Municipal Hall. The village parties today, thanks to the traditional Ladin gastronomy and the folk music.

Author melody

Canazei

9.00 pm - Cinema Marmolada. The artist Paolo Bernard - on the piano - plays some of the most famous pieces of illustrious composers like Mozart

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

Initiatives for our guests

15/07/2013 (5.00 pm)

Introductory Workshop for adults on Val di Fassa's geology: from Dolomieu up to now.

Vigo di Fassa

16/07/2013 (9.00 am)

Climbing course for youngsters (7-14 years old): climb the vertical gym with the guides.

Pozza di Fassa

We thank

