



A ROUTE TO
DISCOVERY



**Exploring the coast and
the hinterland with ATVO**



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Città metropolitana
di Venezia

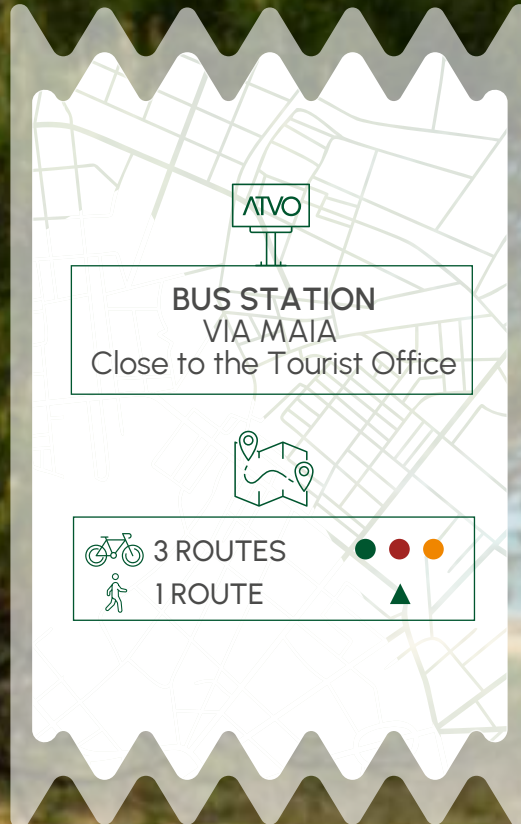


CLOSER TO BIBIONE

CHARMING VIEWS BETWEEN LIGHTHOUSE
PINEWOOD AND THE TAGLIAMENTO RIVER



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CYCLING ALONG THE COASTLINE AND
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AND THE TYPICAL CASONI



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FROM THE LIGHTHOUSE
PUNTA TAGLIAMENTO TO THE
LUXURIANT PINWOOD



CYCLING ALONG THE COASTLINE AND THE PINEWOOD, BY WAY OF THE LIGHTHOUSE PUNTA TAGLIAMENTO

Length about

37 KM ca.

Lasts about

VARIABLE DEPENDING ON YOUR PACE AND THE STOPS ALONG THE WAY

Difficulty level

LOW: the seafront stretch

MEDIUM: the pinewood-lighthouse stretch

Road

The seafront stretch: **TILES/WOOD/PORPHYRY SLABS/PAVED**

The pinewood-lighthouse stretch: **PAVED, DIRT PATH AND SAND**

Bike rental

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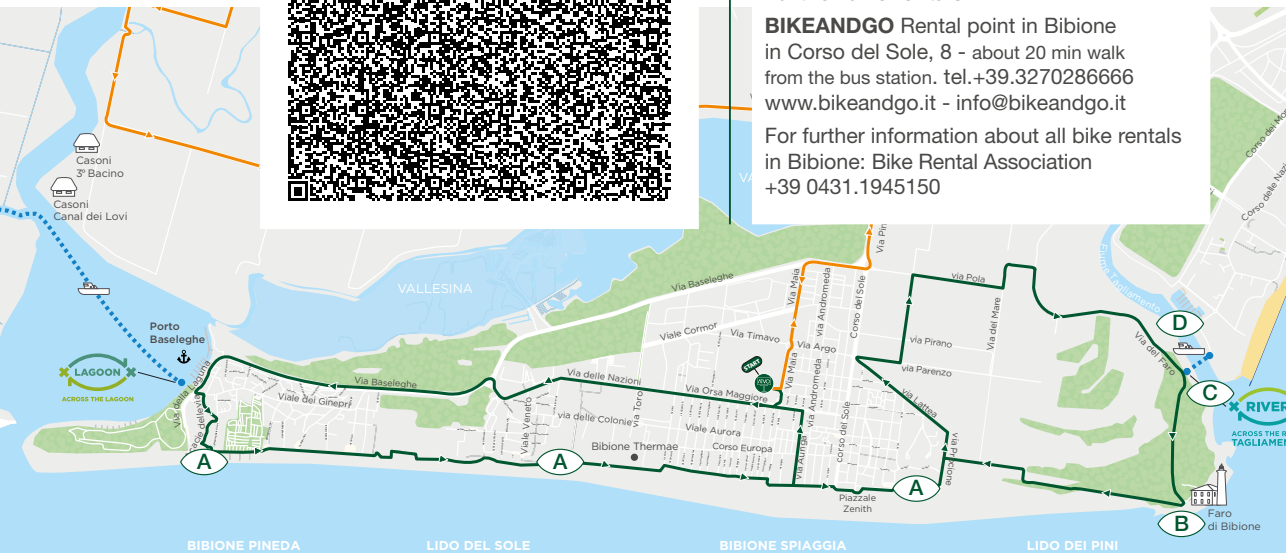
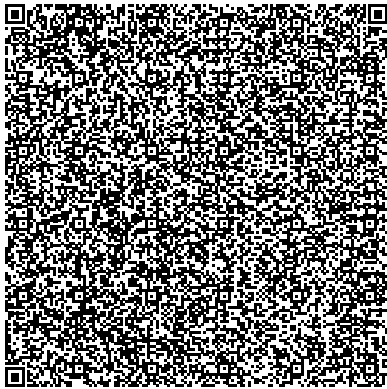
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FROM GOOGLE MAPS:



THE PATH IN DETAIL:



*Natural environment
characterized by
spontaneous vegetation,
fossil dunes, river banks
and peculiar flora and fauna.*



This tour combines a pleasant, ventilated itinerary on the sea front – namely the “**Adriatic Promenade**” - characterized by light ups and downs, liveliness and several entrances to the beach, safe for children and so particularly recommended for families, with the **shady itinerary** winding through fossil dunes and river banks covered by natural vegetation, entering then the dense, beautiful pinewood, in the eastern part of Bibione.

Particularly enjoyable the **stop at the Lighthouse**, offering an evocative view to the **mouth of Tagliamento river**.

POINTS OF INTEREST



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- A** **ADRIATIC PROMENADE:** THE SEAFRONT CYCLE PATH
- B** **BIBIONE LIGHTHOUSE OR “FARO PUNTA TAGLIAMENTO”**, WHICH CAN BE VISITED INSIDE AND OFFERS A WONDERFUL VIEW TO THE MOST EASTERN BEACH STRIP OF BIBIONE, UP TO THE MOUTH OF TAGLIAMENTO RIVER
- C** **RIVER PARK** OF THE TAGLIAMENTO RIVER MOUTH - SITE OF COMMUNITY INTEREST
- D** BOARDING POINT OF **X-RIVER** BIKE&BOAT SERVICE OFFERING THE POSSIBILITY TO EASILY REACH LIGNANO

INFOS & TIPS:

- We suggest you visit first Bibione **Tourist Office** next to the the Bus Station, via Maja, 84 for further information and material - tel. +39.0431444846;
- **Discover more about the charming Lighthouse “Punta Tagliamento”:**



CURIOSITIES

Did you know that Bibione Lighthouse hosts inside an exhibition dedicated to the events of the protagonists of its history?

Click here for details about the exhibition and the fascinating “**Stories of Light and Memories**”:



TO THE DISCOVERY OF THE GIRATAGLIAMENTO GREENWAY

POINTS OF INTEREST:



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- (E) NATURAL OASIS “VALGRANDE”**
In the municipality of San Michele al Tagliamento:
- (F) BIBIONE LIGHTHOUSE, NAMED “PUNTA TAGLIAMENTO”**
- (G) RUINS OF VILLA MOCENIGO-BIAGGINI-IVANCICH** (destroyed during the second world war)
- (H) VILLANOVA DELLA CARTERA PAPER MILL**
- (I) THE “HISTORY WALL FEATURING DISPLAYS OF WARTIME ITEMS AND PANELS PRESENTING THE LOCAL HISTORY.** It was realized as part of a project in the place where once stood the beautiful parish church designed by designer-builder Gerolamo D’Aronco and unfortunately destroyed by the bombardments that in may 1944 devastated the whole town of San michele)
In the municipality of Teglio Veneto:
- (L) I PRATI DEL PARS, AN AREA OF GREAT HISTORICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL VALUE**
In the municipality of Fossalta di Portogruaro:
- (M) WOODS OF ALVISOPOLI**
- (N) VILLAGE OF ALVISOPOLI**
- (O) CORTINO DI FRATTA WITH THE “IPPOLITO NIEVO” MUSEUM** - 10 min. by bike from Alvisopoli and reachable also by walking through Alvisopoli woods. It is situated where once stood the ancient Castle of Fratta, minutely described by the famous writer of the Italian Risorgimento in the historical novel “Confessions of an Italian”.



THE PATH IN DETAIL:

FROM GOOGLE MAPS:

Length about

50 KM ca.

Lasts about

VARIABLE DEPENDING ON YOUR PACE AND THE STOPS ALONG THE WAY

Difficulty level

MEDIUM please consider whether you should go all the way or only a part (it arrives to Alvisopoli) if you are not so trained and if the day is very hot. Many stretches are in fact in the sun

Road

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“GiraTagliamento” is the name of a touring cycle route in Eastern Veneto which connects the Lighthouse **Punta Tagliamento**, situated on the right bank of the mouth of the Tagliamento river, in Bibione, to the **Alvisopoli Woods**, near the eponymus village in the municipality of Fossalta di Portogruaro. The route winds its way through the territories of three municipalities in the Metropolitan City of Venice (San Michele al Tagliamento, Teglio Veneto and Fossalta di Portogruaro) and it is part of a net of cycle routes in the Eastern Veneto and in the nearby Friuli Venezia Giulia, which also includes “**boat link**” ferry services for cyclists and their bikes, joining Bibione, Lignano and Caorle. This cycle touring route is largely on the top of the river banks and it takes **about three hours** to follow the entire route, going through a mosaic of different landscapes, where the prominent role is played by water and natural features, such as the Adriatic Sea, the beach and the fossile dunes, the pinewood with its rare flowers and wild shrubs, the flood beds of the river (with its particular flora and fauna) and a colourful rural environment dotted with orchards and woods.



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- For more details about Alvisopoli, the Cortino di Fratta, the “Rosa Moceniga” and the places related to Ippolito Nievo, discover the literary itineraries proposed by TVO “Venice Otherlands” in collaboration with ATVO and Mazzanti Editori from an idea of the writer and journalist Sergio Frigo (the guided literary tours can be made in more languages):



CURIOSITIES

Did you know that “Alvisopoli” was conceived as an “ideal city” at the end of the 19th century by the Venetian Count **Alvise Mocenigo**?

The name “Alvisopoli” comes in fact from his name as he decided in the 1800s to create an ideal, completely self-sufficient town combining innovative techniques with traditional farming.

Another curiosity is the charming story of the “Rosa Moceniga”, a particular variety of rose related to the history of Alvisopoli and of its founder.

In some periods of the year this rare rose is still to be seen, but only in a few places, such as the Alvisopoli Woods and the Cortino di Fratta.



CYCLING TO THE 3° BACINO AND THE TYPICAL CASONI

*Insights on the route
and possible variants:*



From the access bridge to Bibione you will ride in west direction on a road running along a stretch of the so called “**Litoranea Veneta**” (a network of navigable canals going from Punta Sabbioni to Bibione) on one side and the **natural lagoon environment** on the other side, in particular the open countryside of “Terzo Bacino” with its history of rural life that continues today. Continuing in the direction of “Prati Nuovi” and taking the dirt road up to the embankment that separates the mainland from the lagoon, you will admire the **typical fishing huts (“Casoni”)**, a really characteristic landscape, with a **very peculiar atmosphere**, which so much fascinated the **great American writer Ernest Hemingway**.

Length about

25 KM ca.

Lasts about

VARIABLE DEPENDING ON YOUR PACE AND THE STOPS ALONG THE WAY

Difficulty level

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THE PATH IN DETAIL

POINTS OF INTEREST:



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- P** LITORANEA VENETA WATERWAY
- Q** THE TYPICAL FISHING HUTS, ESPECIALLY THE "CASONI 3° BACINO"
- R** VALLEVECCHIA NATURAL OASIS



4 IF YOU PREFERE TO TAKE WALK:
**FROM THE LIGHTHOUSE
 PUNTA TAGLIAMENTO TO
 THE LUXURIANT PINEWOOD**



We suggest to walk a part of the Itinerary nr. 1 proposed among the cycle tours. You take the urban bus nr. 2 to move in direction of the “Lido dei Pini” and get off at the stop “Lino delle Fate”, via Procione. From there you can take immediately the **walk path named “Lido dei Pini”**. It is a **shady, 12 km long ring route, that winds through fossil dunes and river banks covered by natural vegetation**, entering then the dense, beautiful pinewood, in the eastern part of Bibione. Particularly appreciable the stop at the lighthouse “Punta Tagliamento”, for the evocative view to the mouth of Tagliamento river. The lighthouse is also accessible inside and offers a refreshment service.

INFOS & TIPS:

You will find along the way to the lighthouse the boarding point to Lignano:

- *Infos and details about the X-River Bibione-Lignano, providing continuous boat + bike service with departures all 40 minutes, capacity 25 people + 25 bikes:*



- *Click your position on the satellite map and follow the itinerary “Lighthouse-Pinewood”:*



- *Infos and schedules of the urban bus:*

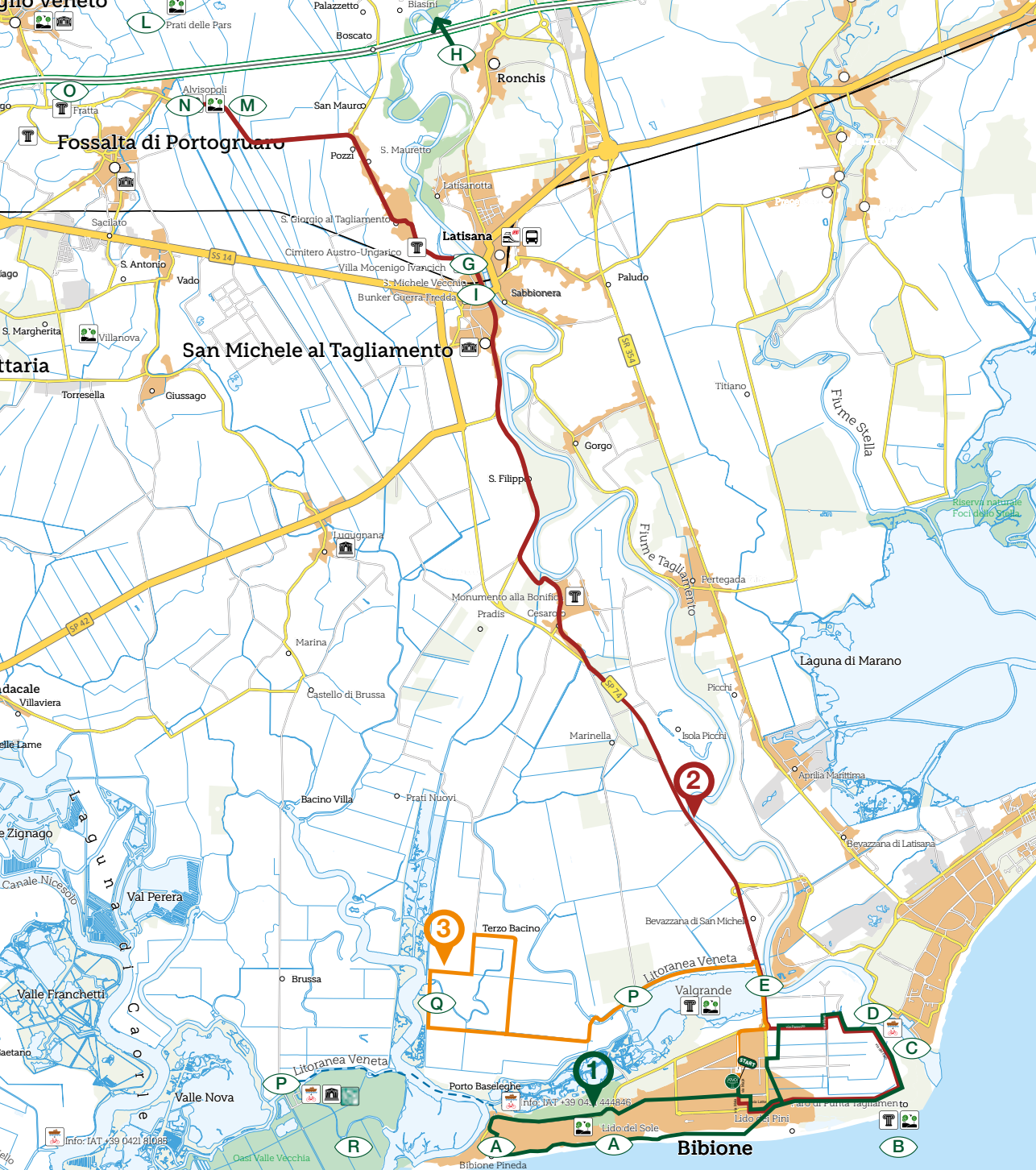


POINTS OF INTEREST



- A** ADRIATIC SEAFRONT PROMENADE
- B** BIBIONE LIGHTHOUSE
- C** PARK OF TAGLIAMENTO RIVER MOUTH
- D** X-RIVER BOAT+BIKE SERVICE BOARDING POINT
- E** “VALGRANDE” NATURAL OASIS
- G** RUINS OF MOCENIGO-BIAGGINI -IVANCICH VILLA
- H** VILLANOVA DELLA CARTERA PAPER MILL
- I** THE HISTORY WALL only in Italian language at the moment:
- L** THE “PRATI DEL PARS”
- M** ALVISOPOLI VILLAGE
- N** ALVISOPOLI WOODS
- O** CORTINO DI FRATTA
- P** LITORANEA VENETA WATERWAY
- Q** THE “CASONI” OF 3° BACINO
- R** VALLEVECCHIA NATURAL OASIS





- Click your position on this satellite map and follow the itinerary **ADRIATIC PROMENADE**



- Click your position on this satellite map and follow the itinerary **LIGHTHOUSE-PINEWOOD**



- For guided visits in different languages at **San Michele, Cortino di Fratta and Avisopoli:**



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CYCLING ALONG THE COASTLINE AND THE PINWOOD, BY WAY OF THE LIGHTHOUSE PUNTA TAGLIAMENTO

THE PATH IN DETAIL:

From the bus station or from the Info point in Via Maja proceed in east direction and turn right in Via Orsa Maggiore, continue in Via delle Nazioni and go along Via Baseleghe until you reach Via della Laguna. From there take the Adriatico cycle-pedestrian path that continues seafront for 8 Km. Turn left in Via Procione and then left in Via Lattea along the pinewood. Continue for 1,3 Km; before the roundabout in Via Parenzo turn right on a dirt path and after a short stretch turn left on a pinewood path and then turn right in Via Pola. Go straight until you reach the road junction with Via del Mare. Turn left and take Via del Mare, continue until the road bends right reaching the intersection with Via del Faro.

Take Via del Faro, on the right, and continue to the Bibione lighthouse. From the lighthouse continue the ring route until you reach the Pluto Beach, turn left in Via Procione and take the seafront bike path for the way back. Once arrived in P.le Zenith turn right in Corso del Sole and then at the roundabout take the third exit in Via Orsa Maggiore. Continue to the junction with Via Maja where you can find the bus station.

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TO THE DISCOVERY OF THE GIRATAGLIAMENTO GREENWAY

THE PATH IN DETAIL:

From the ATVO bus station in Via Maja turn right in Via Andromeda, then right in Viale Luna and finally turn left and take the seafront cycle path. Once arrived at the Bibione lighthouse take Via del Faro reaching Corso del Sole and then Via della Pineda. Continue to Bevazzana along the Tagliamento river and then in direction of San Michele al Tagliamento. Along the river you can arrive to Alvisopoli.

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CYCLING TO THE 3° BACINO AND THE TYPICAL CASONI

THE PATH IN DETAIL:

From the bus station or from the Info point proceed in Via Maja in east direction until you turn right in Via Baseleghe and then turn left in Via Pineda. Go straight on until you turn left in Via Santo Falcomer along the Lugugnana river and continue this ring route until you reach a country path, Via Valpellina.

Proceeding on this way you will arrive at the small dock situated on the “3° Bacino” area and here you can admire the typical fishing huts (“Casoni”).

Leaving the fishing huts behind you, follow the road that brings you on the way back. Then take the “Litoranea Veneta” waterway of Via Falcomer in the opposite direction and return following the same route.