

COLLETT'S SKI SAFARI – No.5

23 February – 2 March



Northern Dolomites, Cortina & Civetta

Featuring Alta Badia, Kronplatz, Brunico, San Vigilio di Marebbe, Perca, San Candido, Monte Elmo, Holreise, Cortina, Faloria, Monte Cristallo, Forcella Rossa, Freccia nel Cielo, Ra Valles, Val di Zoldo, Pelmo & Civetta.

Day 1: Saturday 23rd February

Transfer to Arabba from Venice Marco Polo or Venice Treviso airport (flight to land before 3pm). Meet your Collett's host ahead of an evening briefing with your ski safari guide.

Accommodation: Albergo La Baita

Day 2: Sunday 24th February

From Arabba skiing through the beautiful slopes of Alta Badia, you'll arrive at Plan de Corones (20 minutes ski bus transfer from Pedraces to Piccolino – early afternoon, between 1 pm and 3 pm). This ski area is well known for its variety of slopes and an amazing panorama of the small town of Brunico.

Accommodation: Rifugio Graziani (TBC)

Day 3: Monday 25th February

Welcome to Plan de Corones, a panoramic mountain (2275 m) where you will find the second biggest bell in the Alps: the "Concordia 2000" peace bell. The ski area has 116 km of slopes giving you a long ski to Brunico, San Vigilio di Marebbe, Perca or Valdaora.

Accommodation: Rifugio Graziani (TBC)

Day 4: Tuesday 26th February

In the morning ski back to Alta Badia and Armentarola. You'll ski in the Cinque Torri area: you'll see Averau and Nuvolau wonderful mountains above Cortina.

Accommodation: Rifugio Pomedes

Day 5: Wednesday 27th February

The fifth day is dedicated to Cortina d'Ampezzo: you can ski the "Olimpia" slope where every year they host the ladies World Cup downhill race. The cable car "Freccia nel Cielo" will take you to Ra Valles a wonderful lookout point above the entire valley of Cortina. In the afternoon you'll see the other side of the valley, the Faloria area, you will take Europe's highest chairlift to the Forcella Cristallo.

Accommodation: Rifugio Pomedes

Day 6: Thursday 28th February

Today you'll discover the Civetta ski area with an array of different slopes and beautiful mountains like Pelmo and Civetta. From the top of the Allege cable car (Piani di Pezzè), you can see the east side of the Marmolada glacier. The ski resort is surrounded by a breathtaking nature and beautiful mountain sceneries; you can also enjoy a night-skiing session on 5 km of slopes in Val di Zoldo. In the afternoon transfer to Passo Staulanza.

Accommodation: Rifugio Staulanza

Day 7: Friday 1st March

In the morning you'll ski from Passo Staulanza to Allege and then transfer to Falcade. From Col Margherita you'll see the south side of the Marmolada glacier and from Cima Uomo you'll see the Pale di San Martino and the Civetta mountains. In the evening transfer to Canale d'Agordo.

Accommodation: Albergo alle Codole

Day 8: Saturday 2nd March

Return airport transfer back to Venice Marco Polo or Venice Treviso airports. (Please do not book a flight that takes off before 11am). Any hired skis or boots will be taken back to Arabba by your ski guide.

Please note that the itinerary and exact accommodation details are subject to change.

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