



## Excursions for **expert hikers** up to the summit area of the volcano



| 1                  | <b><u>Excursion to the summit craters from Etna Nord with descent on foot from an altitude of 3300 meters to 1800 meters</u></b>   |   |
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| Prices             | <b>140€ per person</b>   | The indicated price includes transport <b>(one way)</b> from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> .    |
| Starting point     | <b>Piano Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 7:30AM</b>   |   |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)   |   |
| Please note        | <b>Not suitable for children</b>   |   |
| Excursion duration | 5/6h   |   |
| Experience tab     | <p>4x4 bus uphill from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>5km trekking from an altitude of 2800m to the Central Crater 3300m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Visit to the Central Crater</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Positive height difference uphill: 500 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>7km descent on foot to the starting point 1800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 12</p> |   |
| 2                  | <b><u>Excursion to the summit craters from Etna Nord (round trip by 4x4 bus + trekking on foot from an altitude of 2800 m to 3300 m)</u></b>   |   |
| Prices             | <b>120€ per person</b>   | The indicated price includes transport <b>(round trip)</b> from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Piano Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 7:30 AM and at 12:30 AM</b>  |   |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)   |   |

| 2                  | <b><u>Excursion to the summit craters from Etna Nord (round trip by 4x4 bus + trekking on foot from an altitude of 2800 m to 3300 m)</u></b>   |  |
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| Please note        | <b>Not suitable for children</b>   |  |
| Excursion duration | 3/4h   |  |
| Experience tab     | <p>4x4 bus uphill from an altitude of 1800 meters to an altitude of 2800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking of 5km from 2800m up to 3300m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Visit to the Central Crater</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Positive height difference uphill: 500 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Descent of foot to 2800m for 3km</p> <p>↓</p> <p>4x4 bus (return) from an altitude of 2800m to 1800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 8</p> |  |

| 3                  | <b><u>Excursion to the Summit Craters of Etna South</u></b>   |   |
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| Prices             | <b>120€ per person</b>  | The indicated price includes transport <b>(round trip)</b> from an altitude of 1900m to an altitude of 2500m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Rifugio Sapienza Etna Sud 1900m, at 8:00 AM</b>  |   |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)  |   |
| Please note        | <b>Not suitable for children</b>  |   |
| Excursion duration | 5/6h  |   |
| Experience tab     | <p>Ascent by cable car from the meeting point with the guide at an altitude of 1900m up to an altitude of 2500m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>4x4 bus up to an altitude of 2700m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>6km of trekking from an altitude of 2700m to 3300m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Visit to the Central Crater</p> <p>↓</p> <p>5km of descent on foot</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Cable car from 2500m to 1900m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 11</p> |   |

| 4                  | <b><u>Volcanological Excursion (ALTERNATIVE IN CASE OF SUMMIT CRATERS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC)</u></b>   |  |
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| Prices             | <b>90€ per person</b><br><b>85€ for children under 12</b>   | The indicated price includes transport <b>(one way)</b> from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 7:30 AM</b>   |  |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)  |  |
| Please note        | <b>For children used to walking</b>   |  |
| Excursion duration | 4/5h  |  |
| Experience tab     | <p>4x4 bus uphill from the meeting point with the guide from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking on the north side for 6km from an altitude of 2500m to an altitude of 1800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Visit of fractures, large craters and caves</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Positive height difference uphill: 200 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Return inside the channels of volcanic sand to the starting point at an altitude of 1800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 6,5</p> |  |

| 5              | <b><u>Excursion up to an altitude of 3000 meters from Etna Sud</u></b> |   |
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| Prices         | <b>100€ per person</b><br><b>95€ for children under 12</b>             | The indicated price includes transport <b>(round trip)</b> from an altitude of 1900m to an altitude of 2500m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point | <b>Rifugio Sapienza Etna Sud 1900m, at 8:00 AM</b>                     |   |
| Please note    | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)                 |   |
| Please note    | <b>For children used to walking</b>                                    |   |

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| Excursion duration | 5h  |  |
| Experience tab     | <p>Ascent by cable car from the meeting point with the guide at an altitude of 1900m up to an altitude of 2500m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking up to an altitude of 2900m for 3km</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Positive height difference uphill: 500 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Descent on foot up to an altitude of 2500m for 4km</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Return by cable car</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 7</p> |  |

**Easy touristic excursions up to and **no more than 3000 meters** from Etna Nord with 4x4 vehicles**

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| <b>6</b>           | <b><u>Excursion to the Volcanological Observatory</u></b><br><b>2800m + visit to the 2002 craters</b>  |   |
| Prices             | <p><b>69€ per person</b><br/><b>48€ for children under 12</b></p>  | The indicated price includes transport ( <b>round trip</b> ) from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Piano Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 10:00 AM and at 13:00 AM - Possibility of departure at 15.30 PM</b>  |   |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)   |   |
| Please note        | <b>For children used to walking</b>  |   |
| Excursion duration | 2/3h   |   |
| Experience tab     | <p>4x4 bus uphill from 1800m to 2800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking to 2850m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>4x4 bus downhill</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking to the 2002 craters</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Return by 4x4 bus to 1800m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 2,5</p> |   |

| 7                  | <b>Sunset at an altitude of 3000m</b>  |   |
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| Prices             | <b>79€ per person</b><br><b>60€ for children under 12</b>  | The indicated price includes transport <b>(round trip)</b> from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Piano Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 18:00 until 31 July - at 17:30 from 1 August to 30 September and at 17:00 from 1 to 29 October</b>                                       |   |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)   |   |
| Please note        | <b>For children used to walking</b>  |   |
| Excursion duration | 2/3h   |   |
| Experience tab     | 4x4 bus uphill from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800 m<br>↓<br>Trekking to the craters of 2002<br>↓<br>4x4 bus up to 2800m<br>↓<br>Sunset view<br>↓<br>Return 4x4 bus |   |

### Hiking up to altitudes **not exceeding 2500 meters**

| 8                  | <b><u>Excursion to the craters of 2002, hornitos, and eruptive fractures of 1911 and 1923</u></b> |  |
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| Prices             | <b>30€ per person</b><br><b>20€ for children under 12</b>   | The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Piano Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 9:45AM and at 16:30 PM</b>                                |  |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)  |  |
| Please note        | <b>For children used to walking</b>   |  |
| Excursion duration | 2/3h  |  |

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| Experience tab | <p>Beginning of the trek</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Visit to the eruptive fractures up to a maximum altitude of 2100 meters</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking descent to the starting point</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Positive height difference uphill: 300 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Maximum altitude reached: 2100 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 4.5</p> |  |
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| <b>9</b>           | <b><u>Excursion to the cave of Serracozzo and on the crest of the Valle del Bove</u></b>  |  |
| Prices             | <p><b>45€ per person</b></p> <p><b>35€ for children under 12</b></p>  | The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Rifugio Citelli 1741m   Etna Nord at 9:00 AM</b>   |  |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)  |  |
| Please note        | <b>For children used to walking</b>   |  |
| Excursion duration | 4/5h  |  |
| Experience tab     | <p>Beginning of the trek on path n.723</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Visit to the Cave of Serracozzo 1840m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Ascent towards the Belvedere di Serracozzo up to a maximum altitude of 2170 meters</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Positive height difference uphill: 400 m</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Trekking descent to the starting point</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Total km: 6</p> |  |

In case of **snow** that prevents the arrival at an altitude of 3000 m by means of transport (often active in **May** and **November**)

| 10                 | <b>Excursion to the craters of 1809 + craters of 2002 up to an altitude of 2500m</b>   |   |
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| Prices             | <b>45€ per person</b><br><b>35€ for children under 12</b>  | The indicated price includes transport ( <b>round trip</b> ) from an altitude of 1800m to an altitude of 2800m - The cost of the transfer from your accommodation to the starting point of the excursion is <b>not included</b> . |
| Starting point     | <b>Piano Provenzana Etna Nord 1800m, at 10:00 AM</b>   |   |
| Please note        | (DEPARTURE WHEN THE MINIMUM OF 6 PARTICIPANTS REACHED)   |   |
| Please note        | <b>For children used to walking</b>  |   |
| Excursion duration | 2/3h   |   |
| Experience tab     | 4x4 bus from an altitude of 1800 m uphill to an altitude of 2500 m<br>↓<br>Stop at the large craters of 1809<br>↓<br>4x4 bus (downhill)<br>↓<br>Trekking to the craters of 2002<br>↓<br>4x4 bus to return to the starting point at 1800m |   |

**PRICES OF PRIVATE EXCURSIONS FOR INDIVIDUALS OR GROUPS - (VARIABLE ACCORDING TO THE TYPE AND DURATION OF THE EXCURSION) To be agreed BY PHONE on the number: + 39 3455741330**

The excursions listed here and more are illustrated and described in detail on our website:  
[www.guidevulcanologicheetna.it](http://www.guidevulcanologicheetna.it)

## IMPORTANT

### ALL OUR EXCURSIONS ARE MADE BY RESERVATION

In order to correctly make the reservation, it is necessary to check the availability of the excursion (which may vary due to force majeure not dependent on the organizer) at the number: +393455741330. There is no advance payment of the indicated sum except for: agencies, organized groups or private guide services.

### ADVANCE PAYMENT POLICY

For the purpose of the correct execution of the reservation, the Coop. of the Etna Nord Volcanological Guides undertakes to withhold 50% of the total cost of the service, which can only be refunded in the event of cancellation by the guide company for reasons of force majeure: bad weather, volcanic ⚠️ risk, breakdown of a vehicle transport or for health problems accused by the guide, before the start of the activity. In case of adverse weather conditions it will be possible to postpone the service to the first available date. In the event that the payment of the fee was made by bank transfer, bank charges will be deducted from the refund.

The advance payment guarantees the availability of the places requested and the ordinary performance of the booked services.

CANCELLATION for objective personal reasons or subjective assessments of the weather by the participants does not give the right to a refund of the amount paid.

For last minute cancellations or non-presentation of the participants at the meeting point with the guide, there is no refund, for any reason, as the reserved seats can no longer be reoccupied on the same date.

## Warnings

- Trekking is not recommended for those who usually do little motor activity.
- The excursion may undergo variations at the discretion of the Guides or be interrupted should the environmental, atmospheric or volcanic conditions change, such as to compromise the safety of the entire group.
- The total duration of the trek will depend on the pace.
- The excursion will take place within the limits established by the ordinances in force.
- The route includes the climb and the passage along the crater rims, this could cause vertigo problems for sensitive subjects.
- The itineraries, in relation to the type, are suitable for people in good physical health, who do not suffer from particular pathologies (cardiovascular, respiratory or hypertension).
- For pregnant women who have passed the third month of pregnancy, no type of excursion activity is allowed.
- To allow the excursion to be successful and the activity to be carried out correctly, it is good practice to know your health conditions perfectly and to bring them to the attention of the Guide, if necessary, all this to reduce the occurrence of any problems and avoid taking risks.



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