

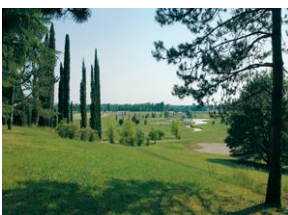
A golfer's paradise

Seven 18-hole golf courses. Play your way from the mountains right down to the sea!

Seven courses nestling in the midst of beautiful scenery, surrounded by ever-changing but still totally unspoilt nature in a climate that is gentle in every season. From the water-rimmed greens in Grado and Lignano, to the wooded mountains in Tarvisio, from the gentle slopes of the hill district to the vineyards and castles around Gorizia. No matter which course you choose, golf in Friuli Venezia Giulia has the extraordinary taste of exploration and challenge.

In a region where mountains, sea and hills cluster together in just over 100 km, 7 golf courses and a 9-hole practice range evenly distributed across the whole area enable you to immerse yourself in an abundant variety of incredibly beautiful natural settings. Friuli Venezia Giulia is also the leader of **Italy Golf&More** project, a golf promotion programme among seven regions (Emilia Romagna, Liguria, Lombardy, Apulia, Sicily, Veneto) and FIG (Italian Golf Federation), which aims at enhancing the national golf circuits, by combining sport with other activities, such as food and wine tours, guided visits to famous art cities, tours, horse-riding, rural tourism and much more.

- ✓ **Lignano Golf Club:** 18 holes (**6,301 m, par 72**), studded with lakes and bunkers but suitable for all. Practice range with 9 covered tees, putting green, pitching green, guestrooms, pro shop, changing rooms, bar, restaurant, hotel, electric golf carts, gym, beauty parlour.
- ✓ **Grado Golf Club:** 18 holes (**5,746 m, par 72**), famous for the many water obstacles and the lagoon in the background. The club, situated on the splendid Primero Estate, has chipping and putting greens, driving range with 12 covered tees, pro-shop, golf bag and trolley hire, clubhouse, bar, restaurant and changing rooms.
- ✓ **Trieste Golf Club:** 18 holes (**5,810 m, par 70**), a course with level-seeming but tricky greens and an unpredictable wind called *bora*. The clubhouse is equipped with changing rooms, video room, green tables, bar and a highly recommended restaurant. The club also has a driving range with 10 covered tees, a pitching green and a putting green.
- ✓ **Castello di Spessa Golf Country Club:** 18 holes (**5,470 m, par 71**), deep in the rustic scenery of the Collio vineyards, it is provided with a **Club House**, changing rooms, a floodlit practice range, pro shop.
- ✓ **Udine Golf Club:** 18 holes (**6,088 m, par 72**), for a course designed by the shady cherry trees and the gently rounded hills. The adjacent clubhouse has bar, tea-room, restaurant, TV and meeting lounge, pro shop, changing rooms, golf school and practice range.
- ✓ **Castel d'Aviano Golf Club:** 18 holes (**5,980 m, par 72**) in the midst of centuries-old parkland. Equipped with bar, restaurant, pro shop, tennis court.
- ✓ **Tarvisio Golf Country Club:** 18 holes (**5,693 m, par 69**) designed by the well-known Canadian architect Graham Cooke. Wide fairways on the Alpine plateau, spacious greens and treacherous bunkers. Bar, restaurant, changing rooms, driving range with covered tees, putting green, chipping green, practice bunkers, trolley hire, five-a-side football pitch, baby-sitting service, heliport, riding school.
- **Friuli Golf Club:** 9 holes (**1,489 m, par 30**), great for those who like to get started. Driving range, pitching & putting greens, bunkers, floodlit course and putting green, clubhouse, bar, restaurant, guestrooms, pro shop, swimming pool, tennis court.



Castello di Spessa Golf Club



Taking a swing



Grado Golf Club



Close-up

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