

Schenna boasts a wide selection of pubs, stube, bistros and restaurants play corners, sandpits, playrooms or outdoor playgrounds. High chairs and babies' changing tables available.



Legend

Walking time

Path length M Hight

№ Rise ✓ Descend

with pushchairs

Path not accessible with pushchairs

* Path accessible in winter

Path not accessible in winter

➡ Playground/

Children's meals High chairs

Changing facilities Farm animals

Sandbox P Parking

easy: easy hike with low difficulty

medium difficulty: moderately difficult hike

1 bacchus & pomina The New APPLE TRAIL

Do you know which colour is invisible to bees? Along the bacchus & pomina Apple Trail, with its interactive stations and informative placards, you will find a wealth of interesting facts about the history of Schenna and this fruit-farming region. Besides a beehive and apple sound effects, there are also inviting farm shops where visitors can try some of the local delicacies.

Starting in the town centre, the bacchus & pomina Apple Trail leads down the Wiesen-street behind the Hotel Schennerhof up to the Verdinser-street just before the Restaurant Petermann. Follow the trail to the Auelerhof, past the

Loth and Krebis farmsteads to the district of St. Georgen, which overlooks the city of Meran. From here, the route leads down to the Rodelstein children's playground and back to the starting point along St.-Georgener-street.

Paid parking: in the village centre.

2 bacchus & pomina The New WINE TRAIL

③ ca. 2 h ■ 5,3 km 🖊 188 m 🔵 🕸 🔣

More than twenty interactive stations describe and illustrate the work that goes into the vineyards – offering insights and an overview of the local history while revealing some curious facts about the noble vine. Along the route are a number of unusual points of interest, including an "aromatic" station. A stopover at the local wine estates and farm shops lining the route is a must. From its starting point in the village centre, the themed bacchus & pomina route leads down the Katnauweg and Leiterweg trails past the Innerleiterhof wine estate to join with the Maiser Waalweg irrigation channel path. Follow the path running alongside the canal as it winds its way down to Meran and the Planta Castle. Continue on the Haslerweg trail passing through Tschoigassl before arriving at the Lido Schenna outdoor pool. The Mitterplattweg trail leads back to the starting point.

Paid parking: in the village centre.

3 The HÖFEWEG Trail on the Schenna Mountain

Passing a number of farms the Höfeweg Trail looks out on

the panoramic terrain above Schenna. Offering spectacular views of Meran and the surrounding cultural landscape, one gains an impression of what life on a mountain farm is like. Starting from the Verdins parish church head along Wiesesteig trail #16 to the Hofweg trail past the Hoferhof farm as far as Vallplatz and Holzner. After the Zmailer, Rastl and Salfgut farms the trail finally brings you to St. Georgen and back to the centre of Schenna. The Schenna-Verdins bus line number

231 operates regularly.

Paid parking: in Verdins.

Alpine hike from KLAMMEBEN to MAHD-ALM

⊙ ca.1 h 3 km ∧ 95 m → 🞉 😹

A special experience on this hike is the alpine rose blossom in summer. Take the Verdins cable car to Tall. From there it is a 15-minute walk to Prenn to the middle station of the Hirzer cable car, which takes you to the Klammeben mountain station. Forest trail #40 takes you to the Hirzer refuge and along the trail E5 to the Hinteregg and Mahd mountain pastures. Without a stroller (with a baby carrier or with older children) the hike can be continued as a circular tour via the Almenweg Mountain Pasture Trail. After the Mahd-Alm, take trail #2B with a moderate incline up to the Rotmoos and from there to the Tallner Alm and Stafell Alm. Trail #7 takes you to the Grube chairlift, which takes you back to the Verdins cable car mountain station (from Mahd-Alm: ca. 2 1/2 h, 5,5 km, moderately difficult hike). Please note that each chairlift can only accommodate one person, children (up to the age of 8) are permitted to sit on the lap of a person. Bus connection: Hiking bus Schenna - Verdins cable car or line 231 Schenna-Verdins. Parking: Verdins cable car.

5 From OBERKIRN to VIDEGG

Parking: Verdins cable car

The hamlet Videgg lies at an altitude of approx. 1,500 m in a sunny location. From there you have a wonderful view of the Ifinger massif, Schenna's local mountain. You're probably wondering what a hamlet is? Not a village yet, but nonetheless a settlement: a hamlet is defined as a congregation of at least three, and at most ten, farms. In Videgg there is a small church, three inns and a few steep farms. This easy hike starts in the district of Oberkirn, which you can reach by taking the Verdins cable car. From here you walk to the right on the small asphalt access road through woods and meadows that leads to Videgg. Bus connection: Hiking bus Schenna-Verdins cable car or route 231 Schenna-Verdins.

6 Leisurely walk along the MITTERPLATT-WEG trail

The sun-drenched Mitterplattweg promenade leads through apple orchards and vineyards. Panoramic views included. From the village center in Schenna, the Katnauweg trail leads off to the right, at the height of the restaurant Schennerhof. A village centre.

little further on, the wide, comfortable Mitterplattweg trail runs southwards to the Lido Schenna outdoor pool. Paid parking: in the

Sunnys Family Program

During the Schenna holiday season a variety of exciting and educational activity options are on offer. Together with Elisabeth Taibon Karnutsch (herbalist, qualified local nature/landscape guide, and kindergarten teacher) the Schenna Tourist Office offers a rich didactical, games and adventure program.

For further details contact the Schenna Tourist Office, and/or see: www.schenna.com/family

Sign up at the Schenna Tourist Office. An entry fee is charged per activity.

Fun and Excitement at the Taser Alm

To reach the Taser Alm mountain pasture at 1.450 m you'll need to take the cable car. Discover this outdoor mountain adventure paradise, with its archery range (sign up at the reception), a small mountain zoo (including dwarf goats, lamas, alpacas, ponies and rabbits) as well as an American

Indian village. Embark on more challenging day-long hikes or enjoy leisurely walks (some short routes are also suitable for strollers) in this breath-taking setting. While visiting these magnificent heights, stop at the mountain restaurant with a sumptuous menu with farm-fresh platters.

www.taseralm.com



Sporting Activities

Outdoor Pool Schenna Lido

A day's outing at the Schenna outdoor pool is certainly worth your while, even if only to enjoy the magnificent views of the spa town of Meran and surrounds. With a large and welcoming sunbathing lawn, ample outdoor pool (including slide and baby pool), the recreational area remains open from the end of May to the beginning of September.

www.lidoschenna.it

Bowling

Anyone capable of hitting all 9 tenpins in one shot? Good luck! Whether you're competing or just for sheer enjoyment, take advantage of Schenna Lido's four automated bowling alleys.

www.lidoschenna.it



Play to win! In its sunny location with floodlights illuminating the courts for evening tennis games, this outdoor facility offers two well maintained clay courts open daily to the public. Beginners, advanced players, and tournament players can either learn the rudiments of the game or perfect their techniques in individual or group training sessions. Weekly children's summer tennis camps offer plenty of fun and exercise.

www.mapatennis.com

Schenna mini golf

Know what "wheel, seesaw, arch, and verticals" mean? Come and find out at the Schenna mini golf course. Relax in the rock gardens surrounded by trees and flowers.

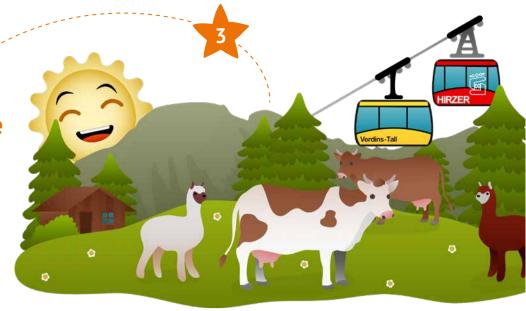
www.minigolf-schenna.com

Camp and AlpinBob at

Open both in summer and winter, the Meran 2000 rail bobsled (at 1.1 km, making it the longest in Italy) offers guaranteed thrills & spills for the whole family! Younger kids between the ages of 4 and 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Just 4 km away from Schenna, the Meran 2000 ropeway brings visitors up to the upper stations. The Outdoor Kids Camp offers instruction to children enabling them to enhance their strength, improve their sense of balance, jumping skills and overall dexterity – in preparation for their upcoming mountain adventure!

Observing Cows and Alpacas in the Hirzer Area

Take the Verdins cable car to Tall, then take the Grube chairlift or the Hirzer cable car. Depending on which difficulty level you can manage, choose your preferred hiking route. Stop at any of the family-friendly refuges with the cows and alpacas grazing freely in the surrounding meadows.





Other recommended family-friendly hiking routes and suggestions for day trips

may be found on the Schenna app or: www.schenna.com/family



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Outdoor Ice-Skating

Open from November to January, the ice rink in the centre of Schenna promises skating fun for the whole family. Besides a live music programme including shows on ice you can hire skates and take ice skating lessons. Drinks and snacks are available at the stand.

www.schenna.com/ice-skating

SCHENNA WAALWEG Irrigation Channel Trail ※ 深

The term "waale" derives from the Latin word "aquale", which means water reservoir. These water canals were built hundreds of years ago by local farmers to irrigate their fields, orchards, and vineyards – especially during the hot summer months. Starting in Schenna, head in direction of the Schennaberg mountain across the Ifingerstraße as far as the Taser cable car / Pichler. Follow the signposts to the Waalweg trail leading south until you'll reach the Café am Waal. There is a Kneipp station on the Waalweg trail. The water treading pool offers a pleasant way to cool off. Accompanied by a marvellous panoramic view over Meran, the trail crosses through meadows and forests above St. Georgen before descending down to Schenna.



Adventure map

Outdoor Kids Meran 2000

www.meran2000.com

Gardens of Trauttmansdorff Castle

Home to more than 100,000 different plants, the Gardens of Trauttmansdorff Castle lie on a sunny slope above Meran just 5 minutes by car/bus away from Schenna. With the Castle dominating these gardens, the paths around it were once walked by Empress Sissi during her Meran summer holidays. Nowadays, the castle houses the Touriseum tourism museum. Children's attractions include the aviary with its dazzling green and blue mountain parrots, an adventure rope bridge swaying above the alluvial forest, a multimedia experience in the

grotto (graphically portraying the origins of life) and a labyrinthian garden. Titled the "Botanical Underworld", the 200m long adventure trail through the rock provides visitors with a thrilling experience.

LUMAGICA

From the end of November to the beginning of January, the botanical garden is transformed into a sparkling sea of lights and opens its doors for an unforgettable experience. LUMAGICA takes you through artfully staged worlds of light that reflect the unique beauty of the gardens and the surrounding area – a spectacle that enchants young and old alike.

www.trauttmansdorff.it

Winter Fun at the Meran 2000 Skiing --and Hiking Area

The nearby Meran 2000 skiing and hiking area is an ideal family-friendly winter holiday destination. Ideal for leisurely winter hikes, classic skiing and thrilling sled runs, the sunny spots and cosy huts invite relaxation in a white winter setting. During the ski season, the Meran 2000 ski school offers private lessons, special children's courses and group beginner's courses.

www.meran2000.com



⊙ ca. 1 h = 1.5 km ∧ 50 m → 🕸 🔏 The wooded region between Thurnerhof and Schenna Castle is home to a strange cluster of mysterious figures. A face-to-face encounter with these eery wood-carved statues is sure to get your imagination going. The Schenna Trail of Legends also features a game that enables passers-by to generate sounds from a wooden instrument. The circuit trail starts and finishes at the local



What to do when the sun doesn't shine

You can visit the Rabland Train World, home to the biggest digitally operated model railway system in Italy. Lose yourself in Gargazon's tropical Orchid World. Visit the South Tyrol Museum of Archaeology in Bozen and immerse yourself in "Ötzi – the Iceman's" ancient mountain world. Or just lie back and soak in the warm thermal waters of the indoor/ outdoor pools at the Meran Thermal Baths or let off steam in the 700 square meter indoor playground with many children's areas in Burgstall.

www.eisenbahnwelt.eu | www.raffeiner.net www.iceman.it | www.thermemeran.it | www.wanda.bz