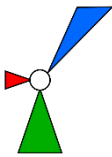


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| <p><298/c></p>  <p>Key: Footprint ConEn1 Footprint ConEn2 Footprint ConEn3</p> | <p>and rather expensive day by Turkish standards), and visits to carpet making villages where you'll have a fascinating glimpse of Turkish country life. Available in season are: Water ski Parascending SCUBA diving (not covered by insurance) Horse riding Car hire Jet Bikes (in Gumbet) Yali Han & Scedil;ah swimming pool - windsurf briefing! Bitez Bay - a few low rise hotels & restaurants, that's all Dolmus - means 'stuffed' Market day in Bodrum SARDINIA/CANNIGIONE Somewhere Different - With a Touch of Style Cannigione, at the head of the Arzachena Gulf, is a centre for Dinghy (p23) or Windsurf (p35) holidays in the north east corner of Sardinia. The area is particularly green and beautiful. Rugged granite has been carved by strong winds into fantastic shapes, and hundreds of tiny bays and inlets hide small holiday developments. Offshore, there's a maze of islands, many uninhabited. Olbia, a busy coastal town, serves the area with an airport. The gulf is a wide inlet about four miles long, half a mile at its narrowest, lined with many sandy beaches. We sail from a shallow, sandy beach in the sheltered head of the gulf, just south of Cannigione. Cannigione is a quiet little town with a fishing harbour and quay, three small supermarkets, a bank, a post office, and a scattering of other shops, restaurants and cafes. There are good swimming beaches each end of town with shallow sandy water, ideal for young families. We chose the area for its sessions of powerful westerly winds, winds which crowd nearby Porto Pollo with Europe's top windsurfers. Windy 'sessions' blast day and night across the gulf for 2 to 6 days at a time, or even longer in the early and late seasons. Beyond the town quay the strength reaches force 4 to 7 and more during a session; and it's not so strong. These windy periods are interspersed with breaks from 4 to 8 days when regular sea breezes blow into the gulf at force 2 to 3, with the odd day when the wind fails. So' if it's not blowing your tune, try something different; there are lots of alternatives. Other Things to Do Take a trip to Corsica! Picturesque St Teresa di Gallura on the north tip of Sardinia is the departure point for regular ferries to the spectacularly sited old town of Bonifacio. Or take a boat to Maddalena Island from Palau, and see some of its innumerable bays, channels, coves and promontories. Maddalena is set in</p> <p>an archipelago of seven islands</p> <p>, one of which, Budelli, has an amazing pink beach. Whole day cruises explore the islands once a week from Cannigione, and yacht trips are available too. Scuba diving is available locally for about £20 per day, and we're told there are many interesting wrecks to dive to if you're experienced. Our recommended insurance doesn't cover diving, and please don't dive in the three days preceding your return home. Golf is available at the magnificent Pevero Golf Club at Porto Cervo. Listed as one of the 30 best courses in the world, day membership costs only £25, and gives use of the superb club house, bar, swimming pool, showers and changing rooms as well as the 6,800 yd course. Tennis courts in Cannigione can be hired for about £5 an hour from early June. Also available for local payment are: Yacht and</p> |
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| | <p>Catamaran trips Water ski (novice and monoski) Car Hire Mountain Bike Hire Minibus to Porto Pollo Baby Sitting Children Self catering apartments, a shallow and safe sandy beach, and a baby sitting service make this an ideal resort for families with young children. Dinghies, Windsurfers & Lovely Beaches Accommodation Our accommodation is in holiday apartments set in pleasant grounds about 250 to 400 years inland from the sailing beach, and about half a mile south of the town centre. There's a choice of one or two bedroom units, furnished individually by their owners. All have a balcony or patio, and a shower room with bidet, basin and wc. A kitchen area with cooker and fridge leads off the living room, which could sleep two extra if you're prepared to sacrifice space and privacy for economy. If you book 'willing to share' we'll put you in a two bedroom apartment occupied by four. If you come with a group of friends or family, three in a one bedroom apartment is quite comfy. Food One of the great pleasures of an Italian holiday is the food. Whether you're eating out or buying a take-away, heating frozen meals from the supermarket or knocking up a fresh pasta and salad in the apartment, quality and variety are excellent. Italian ice-creams and coffee are imitated the world over, and there's no better start to the day than fresh rolls and croissants. However, a good fish meal with wine will cost as much as in England, and eating out is a lot more expensive than Greece (though a lot better!). Those on a budget will choose self catering or take-away some of the time, or when eating out will stick to more economic and filling pizza and pasta dishes, or the rosticceria selling</p> |
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