

## **Grado Information!**

**GRADO:** Grado is a small town located on the eastern edge of Northern Italy, in the Gulf of Trieste, by the Adriatic Sea, and one of the most famous spa resorts in the region. The town is accessible by a picturesque island city road, which has been transformed into a medieval causeway.

The island, inhabited for over 2000 years, was initially the port of Aquileia, but later became a rival port. The historical center of Grado, Grado Vecchia, was established in the 5th century. The Roman fort, the Castrum, was a rectangular area about 360 x 90 meters, with reinforced walls and towers, where the first churches were built. In the old town, two ancient churches stand close to each other: the smaller Santa Maria delle Grazie and the larger, three-aisled cathedral dedicated to Saint Euphemia. Next to the cathedral stands the Battistero, the baptistery. By the end of the 19th century, Grado became one of the fashionable seaside resorts. Its sandy beach, rich in iodine and mineral salts, is ideal for treating rheumatic complaints. The beach stretches nearly twenty kilometers.

**Camping:** The Belvedere Pineta Camping \*\*\*\* is located 5 km from the historic center of Grado. The campsite offers pleasant relaxation and entertainment for all age groups. There is a swimming pool available for guests. Wearing a swim cap is mandatory to use the pool, and this is checked.

The campsite's animation team takes care of providing a variety of programs and entertainment for both children and adults. The smallest guests can enjoy several playgrounds. Adults can enjoy football fields, mini-golf, tennis courts, and bicycle rentals. The private beach has a wide, fine sandy shore, with shallow, gradually deepening water, making it ideal for families with small children.

For those who prefer beaches with deeper water, there are blue flag beaches nearby.

Our mobile homes are especially recommended for:

- Families with small children (baby-friendly campsite, gently sloping sandy beach, several playgrounds).
- Several families vacationing together (on one site but separate in different mobile homes). Booking 2-3 mobile homes together is possible, but must be communicated in advance.
- Groups of friends (large terrace for conversation, beer evenings, card games).
- Families with multiple generations (children, parents, grandparents) who can enjoy the beauty of the beach and relaxation together. The mobile homes are located on shaded, wooded areas of 120 m<sup>2</sup> each. The 24 m<sup>2</sup>, fully equipped mobile homes accommodate 5+1 people.

Each mobile home has its own parking space, shower, WC, and washbasin, so there is no need to use the shared showers on the campsite. All houses have a covered terrace. Each mobile home provides comfortable accommodation for 5+1 people. The campsite also has a well-equipped supermarket, just a few meters from the mobile homes.

At the restaurant (located next to the main stage, left from the reception), you can enjoy excellent Italian specialties, which are also available for take-out.

At the beach bar, you can try refreshing cocktails, ice cream, and taste Italian beers and wines.

Free Wi-Fi is available at the beach and at the restaurant.

**Mobile Home Equipment:**

- SAT TV, currently with Italian and Croatian channels, but also children's channels.
- Free Wi-Fi is available at the restaurant and on the beach.
- Air conditioning and heating.
- Microwave.
- Refrigerator with freezer.
- Gas stove (4 burners).
- Coffee maker.
- Electric kettle.
- Sandwich maker.
- Hairdryer.
- Fully equipped kitchen for 5+1 people.
- Kitchen/Living Room (with an optional 2-person bed in the dining area).
- 1 bedroom with 3 beds (2 beds 70x190 cm, the loft bed is 70x160 cm – max load 50 kg).
- 1 bedroom with a double bed (140x200 cm).
- Covered terrace with table and 6 chairs.
- Mosquito-proof windows, indoor and outdoor electric mosquito repellents.

**Sports and Leisure Activities at the Campsite:**

- Free pool use, swim cap is MANDATORY.
- Several playgrounds for small children.
- Bike rental (4 hours 5 €/day, full day 10 €).
- Several large football fields and 1 small football field.
- Mini-golf course.
- Tennis courts (artificial grass and clay).
- 8 outdoor fitness equipment.
- Table tennis tables.
- Beach volleyball court.
- Canoe rentals.
- Children's music animation programs at the pool and in the evening on the stage near the restaurant.

**Arrival:** Upon arrival, guests must check in at the reception with the completed registration form (Voucher).

The price does not include: bed linen and towels – these must be brought by the guests themselves.

**Payment Conditions:** The deposit of 40% of the accommodation price must be paid within seven working days after booking confirmation. The remaining 60% must be paid 30 days before departure. (Installment payments are also possible, please contact us for this).

The price includes: the use of air conditioning, TV, electricity, gas, water, waste fee, and parking.

Accommodation is available from 16:00 and must be vacated by 10:00.

**Additional Costs:**

- Final cleaning fee: 50 € / house, including disinfecting and sanitizing cleaning (since COVID-19 required). The mobile home must be left clean and tidy, with the trash emptied, dishes washed, and fridge cleaned as it was upon arrival.
- Deposit: 100 € (which will be refunded when the house is handed back in good condition, along with the receipt for the tourist tax payment).
- Tourist tax: 2 € / person / night, 1.2 € / person / night for children under 12 years old.

**Camping Address:** Belvedere Pineta Camping Village, Via M.L.King, 13, 33051, Belvedere, Udine, Italy.

GPS coordinates can be found on the voucher.