

NEWS LETTER NO 41



Update 21/9/2014 Lake Ledro (Italy)

I have always praised Austria for the immaculate state of their country with free tourist bus's and attractions. But it has to be paid for some how. Tourists are taxed, we stayed at Naterer for 5 days and added to our site bill was

2 – ortstaxe 5 days 10.00 Euro

1 – umwelttaxe 5 days 12.50 Euro

Our trip out of Austria was over the Brenner pass (4125 ft) on the old road, not to steep or twisty, but fantastic scenery. We had a stop over at a small site in the Dolomites with a lovely walk up a valley to this stunning lake.



ADVENTURE BEFORE DEMENTIA

It was full of fish I thought Trout (mark Lawson or Keith could help)



Dislike of the day.

Arriving at a camp-site and finding them full. (luckierly this has only happened twice in 5 years)

So it was plan B and that is Lake Ledro and with luck we got the perfect pitch.



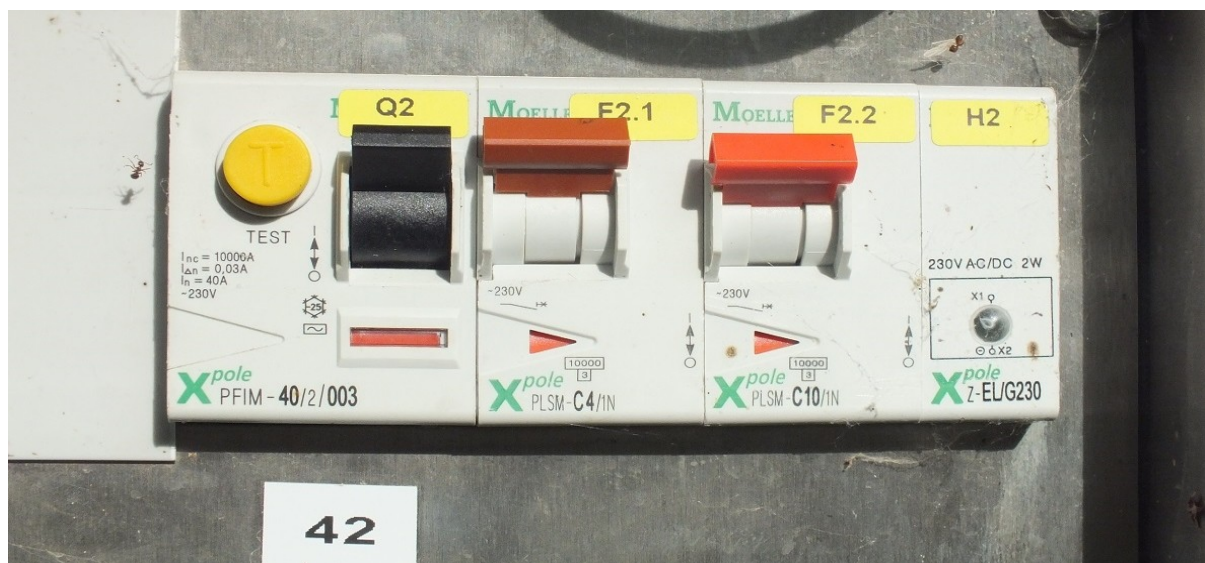
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ADVENTURE BEFORE DEMENTIA

Lake Ledro is north east of Lake Garda but 2000ft above it, the run off heads down hill then down a spectacular waterfall into Garda (sorry no pic but it is very hard to get to) The drive up here is mostly in a tunnel spiralling up inside the mountain.

Technical bit.

On this site a standard pitch gets 4 amp of electric (920 watts) but you can pay extra and have 10 amp (2300 watts) This was all done from the computer in reception, it sent a signal to the pitch and changed the supply from the 4 amp M.C.B. To the 10 amp.
(very clever these Italians)



Food

As most of you know I am very limited in the Kitchen, apart from washing up. But I can now bake bread, make a cheese sandwich, and serve beans on toast. Now I some thing new to my menu Toad in the Hole, (with a little help from my friend and mentor.)

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Lakeings sausages and Marks and Spencer Yorkshire pudding mix.

One of my pics a Hawk moth.



Tomorrow its down to Malcesine to meet Mr Jellet and is charming wife Catie.

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