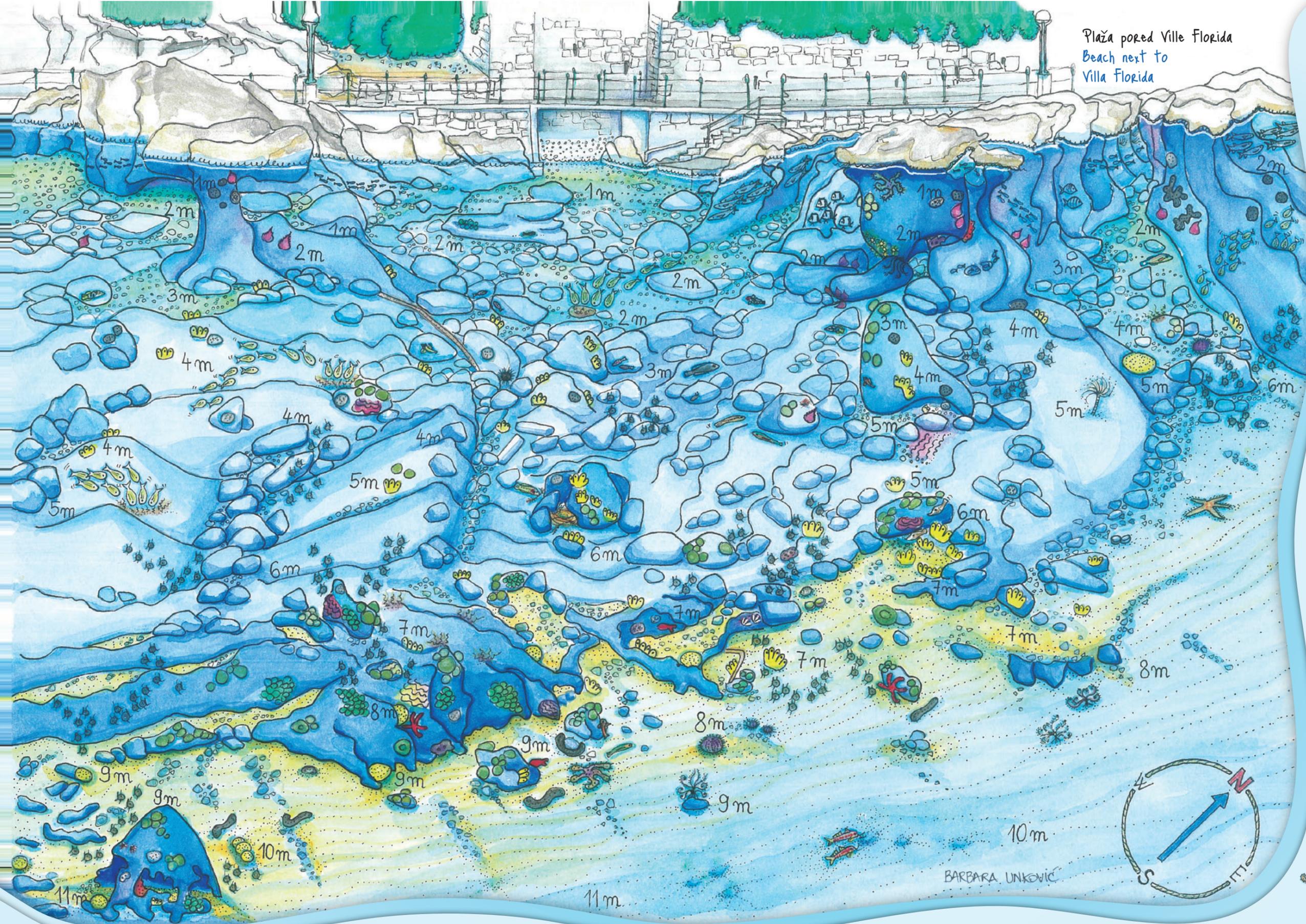


Plaža pored Ville Florida
Beach next to
Villa Florida

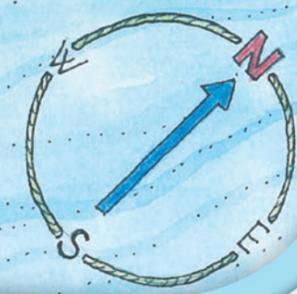
Prva SNORKELING
lokacija u IČIĆIMA

First SNORKELING
site in IČIĆI



-  CRVENE ALGE
RED ALGAE
-  ZELENA ALGA LAT. CODIUM
BURSA / GREEN ALGAE SEA BALL
-  ZELENA ALGA LAT. CODIUM
EFFUSUM / GREEN ALGAE
-  ŽUTI KORASTI KORALJ
YELLOW CLUSTER ANEMONE
-  PROMJENJIVA SUMPORAČA
YELLOW TUBE SPONGE
-  OVAPNJELE CRVENE ALGE
CRUSTOSE RED ALGA
-  PERJANČAR
MEDITERRANEAN FANWORM
-  ČJEVAŠI
RED-SPOTTED HORSESHOE
-  DIVLJA SPUŽVA / HORSE SPONGE
-  SIVA SPUŽVA / STINKER SPONGE
-  BUBREŽASTA SPUŽVA
KIDNEY SPONGE
-  BUSENASTI KORALJ
PILLOW CORAL
-  VLASULJE / MEDITERRANEAN
SNAILLOCKS SEA ANEMONE
-  NARANČASTA KRIŽALINA
RED COMB STAR
-  CRVENA ZVJEZDAČA
RED STARFISH
-  KAMENA SPUŽVA
STONY SPONGE
-  CRNI JEŽINAC
BLACK SEA URCHIN
-  KVRGAVA ZVJEZDAČA
SPINY STARFISH

BARBARA UNKOVIĆ



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|  PJEŠAN JEŽINAC
VIOLET SEA URCHIN |  PUŽ HRANOMI STRAŽNOŠKRGAS
DENDRODORIS GRANDIFLORA NUDIBRANCH |  CRNEJI
DAMSELFISH |  LUMBRAK / PEACOCK
SEA WRASSE |  PIC / SHARPSNOUT
SEABREAM |  CIPLI
GREY MULLET |  PJEVIĆE OŠTRONOŠE
RED TRIPLEFIN |  TRILJA OD KAMENA
STRIPED RED MULLET |  PETROVO UHO
ABALONE |
|  OBIČNI TRP / TUBULAR
SEA CUCUMBER |  BRBAVICA
WARTY VENUS |  SALPE
SAUPE |  KNEZ / MEDITERRANEAN
RAINBOW WRASSE |  VRANA
BROWN WRASSE |  MARTINKA
OCELLATED WRASSE |  KOSIRICA
FIVE-SPOTTED WRASSE |  MORSKI LJILJAN
MEDITERRANEAN FEATHER-STAR | |
|  GAVUNI / MEDITERRANEAN
SAND SMELT |  CRVENA ALGA LAT.
LITHOPHYLLUM STICTIFORME
PLATE CORAL WEED |  PIRKA
PAINTED COMBER |  FRATAR / COMMON
TWO-BANDED SEABREAM |  DUĀONOSKA
POINTED-SNOUT WRASSE |  GLAVOČ KROUST
RED-MOUTHED GOBY |  PJEVIĆE ŽUTI
BLACK-FACED BLENNY |  CRVENA BRADAVIČARKA
RED SEA-SQUIRT | |

SNORKELING IČIĆI

Lokacija

Ičićanska šetnica prati obalu tik iznad mora, a ispod nje, kraj Ville Floride, skriva se jedno od najljepših mjesta za snorkeling u Ičićima. U more se ulazi stepenicama koje s promenade vode na betonski plato pod malim mostićem, u sjeni velikog hrasta.

Istraživanje započinje već u plićaku. Prođite kroz kameni labirint puteljaka i otkrijte maleni prozorčić obojan crvenim algama.

Podmorje i vidljivost

Podmorje je šareno i razigrano. Sitni obluci postupno prelaze u veće kamene gromade koje se, mjestimice strmo, spuštaju prema pješčanom dnu. Za lijepog vremena vidljivost je izvrsna, a pogled pod vodom širi se u daljinu, sve do istaknute hridi koja leži usamljena na većoj dubini.

Morski svijet

Ovo je vrlo živahna i raznolika snorkeling lokacija. Već u plićaku dočekuju vas velike plove ribice crneja koje se vješto skrivaju među stijenama, da bi se već u sljedećem trenutku ponovno pojavile oko vas. Zanimljivo je da su mladi crneji izrazito florescentne plave boje te izgledaju kao ribice iz akvarija.

Kamene prolaze obilaze cipli, vječne lutalice.

Na dnu možete vidjeti veliki broj zelenih kugli i kuglica koje nalikuju na spužve, ali to nisu. Riječ je o zelenim algama koje su odličan pokazatelj zdravlja okoliša. S obzirom na njihovu brojnost pravi su čuvari ičićanskog podmorja.

Posebnost lokacije

Posebna čar ove lokacije krije se u plitkom moru – malena kolonija žutih koralja može se vidjeti već na oko 2 metra dubine, što je prava rijetkost. Nešto dublje nalaze se i lijepi primjerci busenastog koralja, jedine vrste koralja u Sredozemlju koja može stvarati koraljni greben.

SIGURNOST I PREPORUKE

- Snorkeling je najugodniji za mirnog mora i dobre vidljivosti.
- U popodnevni satima plićak je u sjeni, što pruža ugodno osvježanje tijekom vrućih ljetnih dana.
- Ako plivate dalje od obale ili ronite dublje, obratite pažnju na brodice koje prolaze ovim područjem, osobito u blizini sportske lučice.
- Ne udaljavajte se više od 100 m od obale.
- Snorkeling je uvijek sigurniji i ljepši u društvu.
- Ne uzimajte ništa iz mora, jer čak i kamen je nečiji skromni dom. Svaki pužić i školjka važna su karika cijelog staništa. Neka i drugi uživaju u čistom i zdravom ičićanskom podmorju!

Location

The Ičići seaside promenade follows the coastline just along the waterline. Beneath it, next to Villa Florida, lies one of the most attractive snorkeling sites in Ičići. Access to the sea is provided by steps descending from the promenade to a concrete platform beneath a small bridge, shaded by a large oak tree.

Exploration begins already in the shallows. Swim through a stone labyrinth of narrow passages and discover a small opening tinted red by algae growth.

Seabed and Visibility

The underwater landscape is vibrant and dynamic. Fine pebbles gradually transition into larger rocky boulders, which in places descend steeply toward a sandy seabed. In calm weather conditions, underwater visibility is excellent, offering expansive views that extend to a prominent solitary rock formation situated at greater depth.

Marine Life

This is a lively and diverse snorkeling location. Even in the shallows, large schools of damselfish greet visitors, skillfully hiding among the rocks before reappearing moments later around you. Notably, juvenile damselfish display an intense fluorescent blue coloration, resembling ornamental aquarium species. Grey mullet, the perennial wanderers of the coastal waters, patrol the rocky passages. On the seabed, numerous green spherical formations can be observed that resemble sponges but are, in fact, green algae. These algae serve as an excellent indicator of environmental health. Owing to their abundance, they can be considered true guardians of the Ičići underwater ecosystem.

Special features

The distinctive charm of this location lies in its shallow waters: a small colony of yellow coral can be observed at approximately 2 meters depth, which is exceptionally rare. At slightly greater depths, fine specimens of Pillow coral (lat. *Cladocora caespitosa*) can be found—the only coral species in the Mediterranean capable of forming true coral reefs.

SAFETY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- Snorkeling is most enjoyable in calm sea conditions with good visibility.
- In the afternoon, the shallows are shaded, providing welcome relief during hot summer days.
- If swimming farther from shore or diving deeper, remain aware of passing boats, particularly near the small marina.
- Do not venture more than 100 meters from the shoreline.
- Snorkeling is always safer and more enjoyable in company.
- Do not remove anything from the sea, as even a stone may serve as a modest home. Every snail and shell plays an important role within the habitat. Help preserve the clean and healthy underwater environment of Ičići for others to enjoy.



Crvena zvjezdica / Red starfish



Perjaničar / Mediterranean Fanworm



Plavi mramorni strazijskoškrvaš / Dendrodoris grandiflora nudibranch



Cjevaš / Red-spotted horseshoe



Glavoč crvenoust / Red-mouthed goby

Zelene alge / green algae

Promjenjiva spužvica / Yellow tube sponge



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