

***Pilion arrangements: choices for accommodation***

The following accommodations are possible with our Pilion arrangements. The alternatives are bookable with a surcharge depending on the date of your stay; ask for an estimate.

At the minitrekking you'll stay in the following locations:

1. [Tsangarada](#)
2. [Kala Nera](#)
3. [Portaria](#)

At the trekking the stages end in the following locations:

1. [Portaria](#)
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7. [Kala Nera](#)
8. [Agios Georgios Nilias](#). Standard after the walk Kala Nera - Agios Georgios Nilias you're taken back to Kala Nera, but at a surcharge you may also overnight in this village.
9. [Agria](#)

Agios Georgios Nilias

A quite touristic village high on the mountain slopes. We offer accommodation here as alternative to a second overnight stay in Kala Nera, during the walk Kala Nera - Agios Vlasios. You then stop in Agios Georgios Nilias and start the next day with the stage to Agios Vlasios and then on to Agria.

- **Anavolios Boutique hotel**, 15 rooms in modified stone village houses. You may choose from the various room types. See www.anovolios.gr/.

Agios Ioannis

A touristic beach village with lovely wide sandy beach, various places to eat, drink and shop.

- Standard: **Remezzo** guest house, in Agios Ioannis itself, 4 twin rooms above taverna Remezzo. Situated on the south of the village. The beach is located just past the quiet boulevard; a bit more south you'll find the wide and sandy Papa Nero beach. Remezzo also offers boat trips. See www.feelgreece.com/en/remezzo-guesthouse.
- Alternative: **Kenta Beach hotel**, close to the harbour of Agios Ioannis, 20 rooms of various types (choose yourself). With swimming pool, beach bar and lounge chairs on the beach. They also organise various activities. See www.kentabeach.gr/.

Agria

Suburb of Volos with its own fisherman's harbour and beach. The local bus brings you in 20 minutes in Volos itself. Agria itself is not very interesting, but it's located very suitable for a town visit or to admire the lovely small archeological museum of Volos.

- Standard: **Ballas** hotel, situated on a quiet spot near the beach and the harbour, about 1 kilometer from the centre. See hotelballas.gr.
- Alternative: **Valis Resort**, closer to the harbour and the centre. It's a big complex with lots of facilities like a more or less private beach and beachbar, café, spa with indoor swimming pool etc. Spacious rooms with small balcony, at choice with sea view (surcharge) or view over the parking lot towards the mountains. See valishotel.gr.

Chania

Wintersports village with ribbon development along the main road. 'Chania' means 'inns', and you'll find plenty of those! In the summer it's quiet though.

We offer **hotel Tasia** or **Hani tou Kokkini**, you may express a preference. They're located opposite of each other on the road and are operated by the same owner.

- For Hani tou Kokkini: see www.pelion-hotels.eu/en-gb/accommodation/to-hani-tou-kokkini.
- For hotel Tasia: see www.hoteltasia.gr/en/.

Kala Nera

Cosy touristic beach village. In all Kala Nera the balconies are small; this is a local bylaw. There's plenty choice from tavernas and cafés, various shops and small supermarkets. In the morning the fresh fish is sold directly from the fishermen's boats and from a tiny market stall at the jetty.

- Standard: **Nirvana** hotel-restaurant (whole year), on the boulevard and the beach. On the front there are some rooms with sea view, most have side sea view. Good kitchen and good breakfast. The back rooms with mountain view are more quiet, which is noticeable mostly in high season. See www.hotel-restaurant-nirvana.com.
- Alternative: **Enalion** hotel, on the boulevard, with swimming pool. Rooms, studios and suites. See www.enalion.com. Minimum stay is 2 nights.

Milies

Splendid mountain village with classic paved 'kalderimia' and a lovely square, situated on the slope with quite some altitude difference within the village.

There is quite a lot of accommodation, but most is situated rather out of the village centre or opens only in high season.

- Standard: hotel **Dryalos**, on the road towards the local railroad station. Lovely view, swimming pool, taverna next-door. See www.dryalos.gr/.

Portaria

Yet another lovely mountain village with a classic paved square with a huge plane tree, tavernas, cafés and various small shops.

- Standard: **Kritsa** hotel-restaurant, on the square. Relatively small rooms in a traditional building. Great kitchen and breakfast. Also triple rooms and family rooms available. See www.hotel-kritsa.gr.
- Alternative: **Karaïskos farm**, 1½ km out of Portaria, from the same owners as Kritsa hotel. The overnight stay is in the farm house, one room for 2 persons.

Breakfast may be taken from the farm (at a surcharge): collect eggs from the chicken pen and reap from the garden. See www.karaiskosfarm.gr/?l=en.

- Alternative 2: **Pelion Resort**, at the top of the village (10-15 minutes walk to the central square). With swimming pool, spa, bar and restaurant. See www.pelionresort.gr/.

Tsangarada – Agia Paraskevi

The mountain village Tsangarada consists of a couple of kernels, named after the most important church. Most hikes start from Agia Paraskevi.

- Standard: **Aleka's House** in Agia Paraskevi, near a shop and the square with the huge '1000-year old plane tree' with various cafées and small restaurants. Excellent cuisine with local specialities. See www.alekas-house.gr/en/.
- Alternative: **12 Months Luxury Resort** in Agia Paraskevi, 5* hotel a bit higher up the slope above the square. Zie <https://www.12hotel.gr/en/>. Limited availability.

Zagora

Mountain village low on the northeast slope of the Pilion. Lots of apple orchards; outside the village you'll find the apple processing plant Zagorin.

At the moment we only offer: **Rousis** guesthouse, a traditional building with 10 spacious rooms, outdoor space and spacious lounge/breakfast room. See www.roussi.gr.

The daughter of the owners exploits an outdoor activity center in Chorefto, for sea kayaks etc.