

Jeju Olle Route

17 Gwangnyeong - Sanjicheon Olle



Total Distance: 19.2km

Total Time: 6~7 hour

Difficulty: Medium

This is a relatively flat route that has gently sloped coastal roads and forests that are not rugged.

Wheelchair Accessible Area

Dodu-bong(peak)~Yongyeon Bridge



Starting Point: Gwangnyeong1-ri Office



Finishing Point: Sanji-cheon Plaza at Dongmun Rotary



Stamp Station

Gwangnyeong1-ri Office / Across Nilmoridong-dong on Yongdam Coastal Road(Eoyeongso Park) / Sanji-cheon Plaza at Dongmun Rotary



Restaurants for Lunch

You get to choose from many between Aljakji Beach and Dodu-hang(port). There are water sports fans at the beach all times throughout the year, so the restaurants are open most of the times. There are good restaurants on Yongdam Coastal Road, as well.



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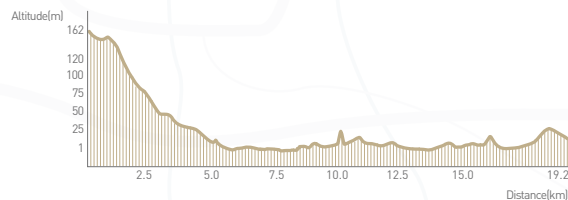
Route #17 Completion Stamp:
Dongmun Market

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Route #17

Gwangnyeong – Sanjicheon Olle

Follow Musu-cheon(stream), said to take away the anxiety, away from Gwangnyeong, you will arrive at Woldae of Oedo and Aljakji Coast of Naedo(island), where scholars enjoyed arts under the moonlight in the old times. Scenery here is quiet and peaceful, making it hard to believe that this is a place not far from downtown Jeju.

The seaside pathway that extends from Oedo begins with pebbles. Pass by the green barley pathway in spring and Iho Tewoo Beach in summer, you will arrive at Dodu-bong(peak) before you realize. Dodu-bong(peak) means the head of Jeju. Although Dodu-bong is not high, the view from the top is stunning. Yongduam and the Yongyeon-dari(bridge) you encounter at the end of the route are also very attractive. Walk through Mugeun-seong(castle) and Mokgwan-aji(Former Jeju Government Office Site), to go back in time to Ohyeon-dan(altar), where the ancestral tablets of five saints are enshrined as well as the ruins of Jeju castle surrounding Ohyeondan. When you wake up to the smell of everyday life, you are already in Dongmun Market, the largest traditional market in Jeju. The long journey finally comes to a stop when you reach the foot of Sanji-cheon(stream), restored to its original shape.

Transportation

Direction to the starting point

From Jeju-si 1) Take Intra-city Bus #26, 100 or 502 to go to New Jeju Rotary bus stop(7 minutes) → Take intercity bus #87 to Gwangnyeong 1-ri Office bus stop(17 minutes) → Walk 20m across the street to find the starting point in front of Gwangyeong 1-ri Office
2) Take Bus #960 or 970 to go to Gwangnyeong 1-ri Office bus stop → Walk 20m across the street to find the starting point in front of Gwangyeong 1-ri Office

From Seogwipo-si Take Jungmun Express Bus #781, 781-1 or 781-2 at Seogwipo Intercity Bus Terminal to Musu-cheon(stream) bus stop(50 minutes) → Walk 900 across the street toward Gwangnyeong 1-ri Office to find the starting point

Direction from the Finishing point

To Jeju-si 1) Go to Dongmun Rotary bus stop next to the finishing point → Take intercity bus #100 to Jeju Intercity Bus Terminal(15 minutes)
2) Walk for 7 minutes toward Jungang-ro, to Hyundae Pharmacy → Take intercity bus #500 at Jungang-ro Crossroads bus stop to Jeju International Airport(10 minutes)
3) Take intercity bus #200 at Dongmun Rotary bus stop next to the finishing point to

Jeju International Airport

To Seogwipo-si Take intercity bus #1, 10 or 28 at Dongmun Rotary bus stop next to the finishing point to go to Jeju City Hall(10 minutes) → Walk back the bus route for 1 minute to go to Intercity Bus Terminal → Take Jungmun Express Bus #780 to Seogwipo Intercity Bus Terminal(60 minutes)

Attractions

Woldae in Oedo Located near the downstream of Dogeun-cheon(stream). This has been a place from the old times where people can see the moon's shadow as the moonlight brightly shines on the water. Several hundred-year old nettle trees and pine trees complete the quaint beauty. Well-known as an excellent sweet fishing spot, Dogeun-cheon(stream) is also called 'tributary creek' as the regular tribute to the mainland has lasted from Korea Dynasty to Chosun Dynasty.

Iho Tewoo Beach This is the beach closest to downtown Jeju. The beach is covered with blackish sands and pebbles and a fine forest stands behind the beach. Although the area is not huge, many people visit here to enjoy the night for convenient transportation and the night view of downtown Jeju. The Iho Tewoo(Jeju's traditional raft) Festival is held here every summer.

Dodu-bong(peak) An Oreum(small inactive volcano) with the height of 65.3m and the circumference of 1,092m without any crater on top. This is an Oreum that represents Dodu Village. The sunset viewed from the top of the Oreum is impressive. It was called Dodori-san(mountain), Dodori-ak(peak) or Dowon-bong(peak) until the village name was set as Dodu-ri. On the top of the Oreum remains the Dowon Signal-fire Site used throughout the years of Chosun Dynasty.

Yongduam It's also known as Dragon's Head Rock as the rock is shaped like a dragon's lifted head. The rock is believed to have been made when some lava gushed up from the shore to create a dragon-shaped formation. There are many stories about the rock. One of them says that a messenger of Dragon King came to Hallasan(mountain) to dig an herb for eternal life, but ended up being hit by an arrow shot by the mountain spirit. The messenger's body was sunk in the ocean and only the head was hardened to form a rock above the water. #57 Natural Heritage of Jeju Special Self-Governing Province.

