

Trails of Life

In Sifnos

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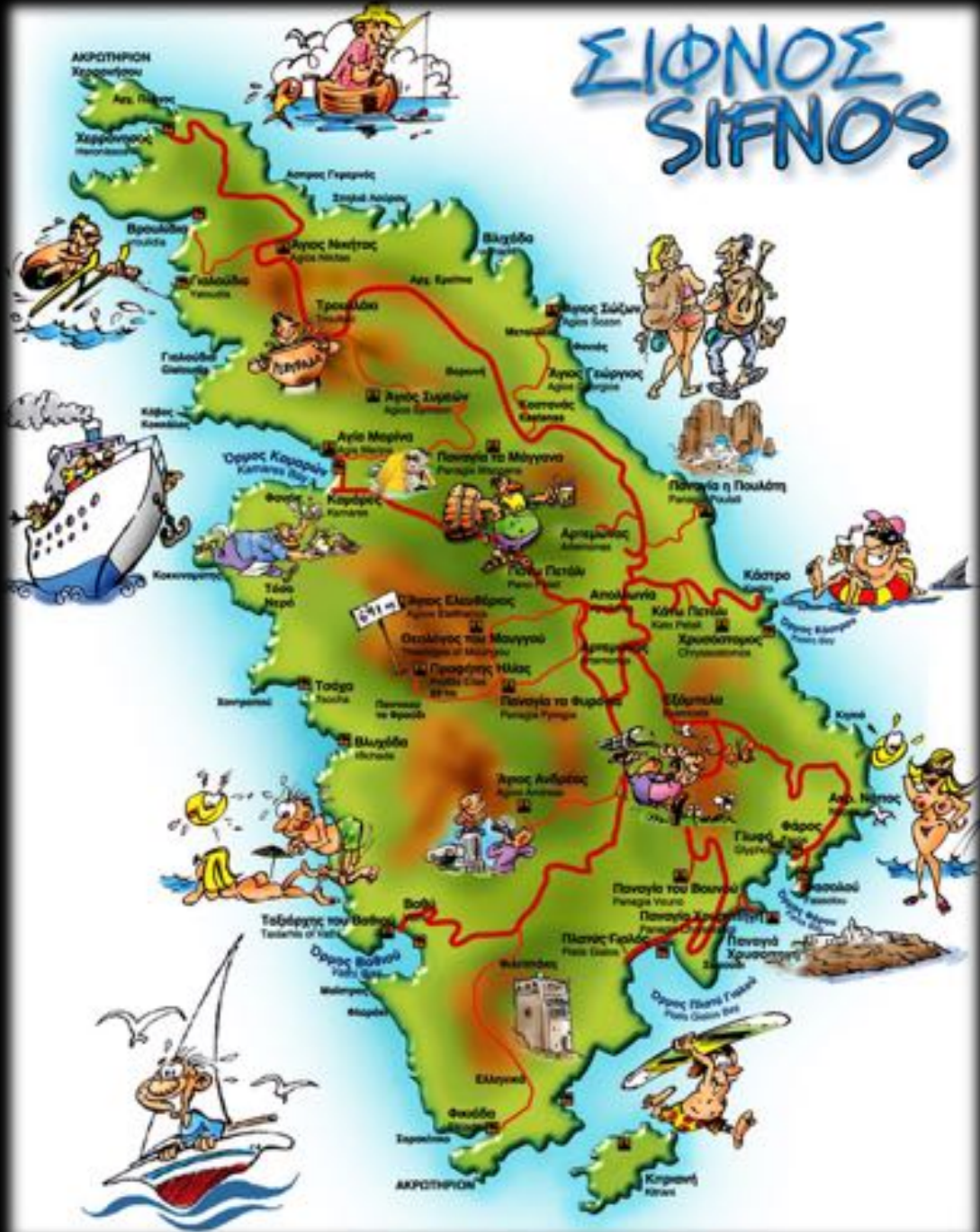




73.94 km²

2,625 habitants...

.... More than 100km Trails!!



Zampelis Giorgos



Sifnos Trails is a project of the municipality of Sifnos that started in 2015. In collaboration with [Paths of Greece](#), the Municipality of Sifnos decided to improve the hiking trails network of the island. The old way-marks have been removed and new ones have been placed, thus harmonising the way-marking of the network. Sifnos now has more than 100km of professionally designed and way-marked trails, one of the largest trail networks of the Aegean.

The ultimate aim of the Sifnos Trails project is to help the island's visitors explore its natural and cultural beauties in a pleasant way.

The project has been entirely funded by the Municipality of Sifnos.


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Nomadic Traveller7
Fuerteventura

Level 6 Contributor

"Excellent well marked and cared for trails"

5/5 (10/10) - 10/10/16

Reviewed by:

The local government - the Sifnos - have done excellently in restoring, signposting and mapping the lovely Sifnos trails. We have done a number of them and we stayed longer this year and last because of them. Not only do you see some beautiful views and walk through lovely villages like Athinonias and Kradim, you experience views of bays like Fani and Chrysiada and there are panoramic views of many other Cycladic islands. On a clear day you depending on where you are, you can see Santorini, Mykonos, Tenos, Paros and Antiparos, Kos, Naxos, etc. Skivlos, Forcipaleros, Sifnos and Ithaca. Take some time to explore some of the magnificent churches on island, particularly in Athinonias and Agios Nikolaos.

We will back to Sifnos next year for at least 12 days largely because of them. The people in our rooms and in restaurants say that it has been great for the island and helped to attract more visitors outside the main summer season. A free walking guide and map are available at the tourist offices at the port and there is more information on each of the walks on the island.

You do not need to have the trails exactly. You can make up your own walk by doing a combination of them. For instance, a nice pleasant walk is out on trail 7 from Athinonias and, rather than taking the well worn trail 1 take the broader track heading for Agios Nikolaos and Panagiotis to the sea and you reach Trail 3. Return on this one to Athinonias via Agios Nikolaos or continue on trail 3 to Agios Nikolaos, we also walked out on trail 7 to the beach near spring at The Pigeons and took the path from there right up the hillside to join trail 8 at Agios Nikolaos. The path is well marked but not too wide.

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Comment from NomadicTraveller7 on tripadvisor about Sifnos Trails, in September 30, 2016

"Smari"

Association of Craftsmen in Sifnos



RESULTS

- Increase 300% of trails visitors , mainly off-season
- Locals are using again the trails
- Increase 30% of Hikers in Sifnos, mainly Sep-Oct & Mar-Apr



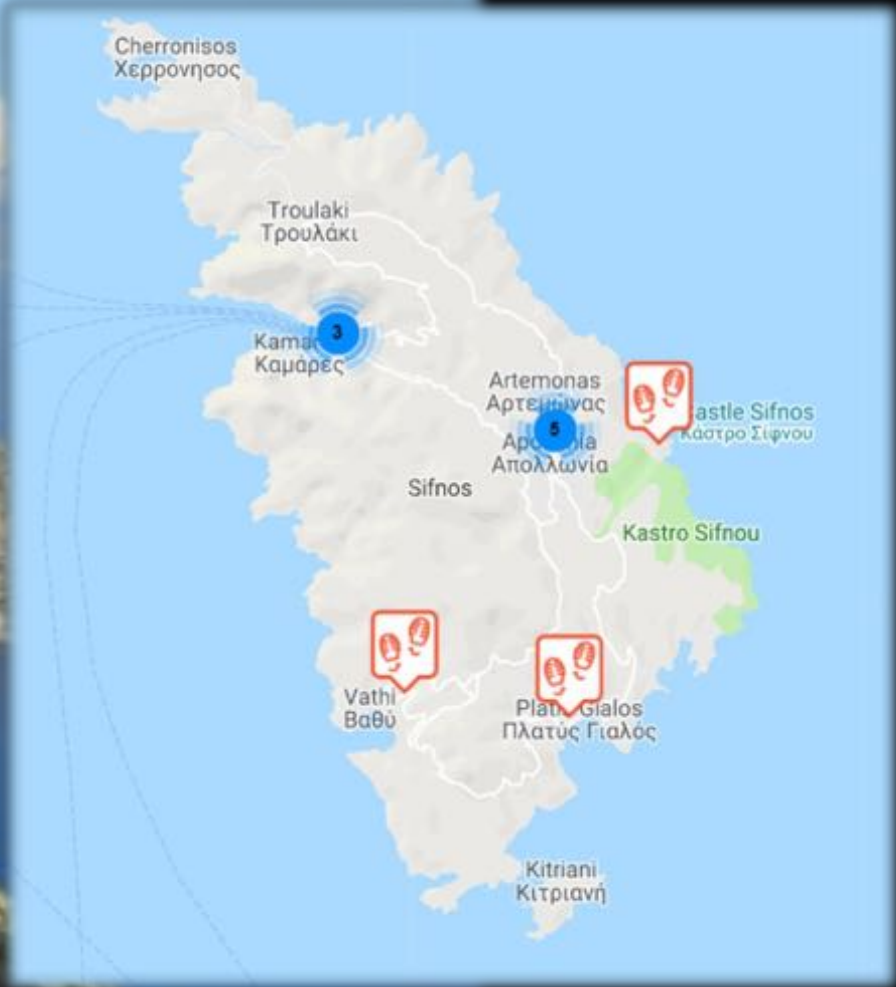
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