STROMBOLI, STAYING ALIVE UNDER AN ACTIVE VOLCANO

5 hours + transfer from/to Lipari with fast ferry/private boat

difficulty: high, elevation range 500 m

Among many interesting traits from geological and biological point of views, one of the most remarkable on Stromboli is the occurrence of the largest population of the endemic *Cytisus aeolicus*, which survives on the edge of the areas affected by volcanic activity, while elsewhere it is in decline or has now disappeared due to the massive deforestation.