

Thymiana

I live in Thymiana. Thymiana is an old village with many interesting things in it. In Thymiana there is a small square with some playground toys and a few benches on the side.

There is a nice bakery too. It has possibly the best croissants in Chios! Apart from that we also have a big church made out of the special type of stone called thymianoyisiki stone.

This type of stone is quite smooth and easy to break so people from the early years started using it for building giant building such as the church I mentioned earlier. There are a few supply buildings with meat, fish, candy, toys and more. There are also a few restaurants with really nice and unique food. But, if you go further in the village you will find the castle-village area was built to defend the village from pirate attacks.

Thymiana also has a unique event called Mostra. By the time carnival starts two teams are constantly dance-fighting while doing a walk all around the village. There are two teams the pirate team and the villagers in thymiana team. In this event kids, parents and any kind of person can participate but they need to know how to dance the talimi. If you are new and want to be in the event you have 2 training weeks before the event so you know how to dance. From my experience it is really hard to learn how to dance talimi the first few times but then it becomes a relaxing lesson that focuses on getting better improving, doing tricks and more to make the dance look nicer.

Thymiana is a fantastic village and to end it off I will talk about the 3 best places to go on as a tourist! Number 1 is the Agios Stratis Church that was build 130+ years ago and it is still the most impressive building in our village.



The church of Agios Stratis

Number 2 Is near the village there is an old brick factory with some old cars in the garage.



This is the old brick factory known as "Keramia"

Number 3 For the third and last but not least you should visit the beach Megas Limionas to see some fantastic wonderful sea view and eat some great food in restaurants such as Aggira and Gargantouas. I highly recommend visiting thymiana in your next holiday!



The Megas Limionas Beach

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