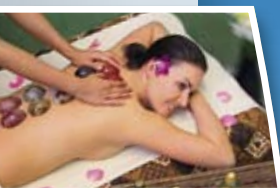


**Olomouc** region



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# The Olomouc Region

## Relaxation, sports and entertainment, sightseeing and fun!

It would be difficult to find another region in the Czech Republic that provides such a unique palette of offers for tourists.

- The **seven spas of the Olomouc Region** provide a concert of health, rest and relaxation.
- Adrenaline lovers may choose mountain **biking on the Rychleby Trails**, **parachuting**, or **ski jumping on the water ramps** used by Olympic gold medallist Aleš Valenta.
- **Five natural caves accessible** to the public make the Olomouc Region a land of underground beauty.
- For gourmets, there are the region's specialties: the **Olomoucké tvarůžky** curd cheese, the renowned **Litovel, Holba and Zubr beers**, or the **Prostějovská starorežná** rye liqueur.
- Dedicated tourists must visit the breathtaking sight of the **Holy Trinity Column** in Olomouc, a Baroque beauty inscribed in the UNESCO list, or some of the **fairytale castles and chateaux, of which there are more than 10**.
- Rejvíz is the **largest peat bog** in Moravia; the Dlouhé Stráně Pumped-Storage Hydroelectric Power Plant was called **one of the Seven Wonders of the Czech Republic** and the Šerák-Keprník nature preserve is the **oldest of its kind in Moravia**.
- **The Archdiocesan Museum**, the Museum of Witch Trials, the museums of vintage cars and motorcycles such as the renowned **Veteran Arena** in Olomouc, the museums of the spa founders V. Priessnitz and J. Schroth, the **Museum of Carriages**, the Penal Museum, the Museum of the Baroque, the **Museum of Paper**, the J. A. Comenius Museum; all these provide learning and **entertainment that is not to be found anywhere else**.
- **With your children, you can visit a zoo, ride a boat on the River Morava**, see old locomotives and trains, ride the mountain trails in the Jeseníky or visit the **gold diggers** in the Valley of Lost Mines in Zlaté Hory.
- If you can't go on holiday without a bike, choose one of Central Moravia's flat cycling paths, take the **exciting Guided Bicycle Tour of Olomouc** or **spend several days on the Witch Bike Trail in the Jeseníky Mountains**.



Ing. Martin Tesařík,  
President of the Olomouc Region

- **Hundreds of events of all kinds.** From those that are visited by only a handful of enthusiasts, with a cosy atmosphere, to huge events with tens of thousands of participants from all over the country and from abroad.

**Welcome and take your pick!**

**Please be kind to the environment, let others admire its beauty, wealth and uniqueness.**



The historical town of Olomouc is the capital of the Olomouc Region

## Good things to know...

### Important days in the Czech Republic

#### April 18 International Day for Monuments and Sites

– On this day, admission to most monuments and sights is FREE OF CHARGE.

**May 18 International Museum Day** – On this day, admission to most museums and galleries is FREE OF CHARGE.

#### September 10–18, 2011 Days of European Heritage

**2011** – On these days, admission to selected cultural monuments is FREE OF CHARGE. Also, some of the attractions that are not accessible on a regular basis are open now. For details and updates go to [www.ehd.cz](http://www.ehd.cz) or contact the information centres of the relevant cities.

### Public holidays and other holidays in the CR

During these holidays, offices, banks, and most stores are closed. Sights and monuments, similarly to hypermarkets and large shopping centres, usually remain open. However, on Mondays, the majority of sights and monuments are closed.

April 25, 2011 Easter Monday  
May 1 Labour Day  
May 8 Liberation Day  
July 5 Saints Cyril and Methodius Day

July 6 Jan Hus Day

September 28 St. Wenceslas Day

October 28 Czechoslovak Independence State Day

### Tips for you:

Avoid traffic complications. While visiting the Czech Republic remember, the beginning and the end of the summer holidays (around July 1 and August 31) may worsen the traffic situation!

### Important telephone numbers:

Czech country code +420

Emergency calls (112)

Police of the Czech Republic (158)

Paramedic services, emergency (155)

Fire fighters (150)

ABA road-side assistance (1240)

### Where to find Jeseníky and Central Moravia:



## Olomouc region Card

### Tourist Discount Card

You can get to know the Olomouc region for much less with the Olomouc region Card tourist discount card. The places offering **free admission or discount** are marked (diagram) in this brochure.

Additional information at [www.olomoucregioncard.cz](http://www.olomoucregioncard.cz).



places where you can purchase the card,  
Sale points of sale



places where you can use  
the card – discount indicated, free = free of charge



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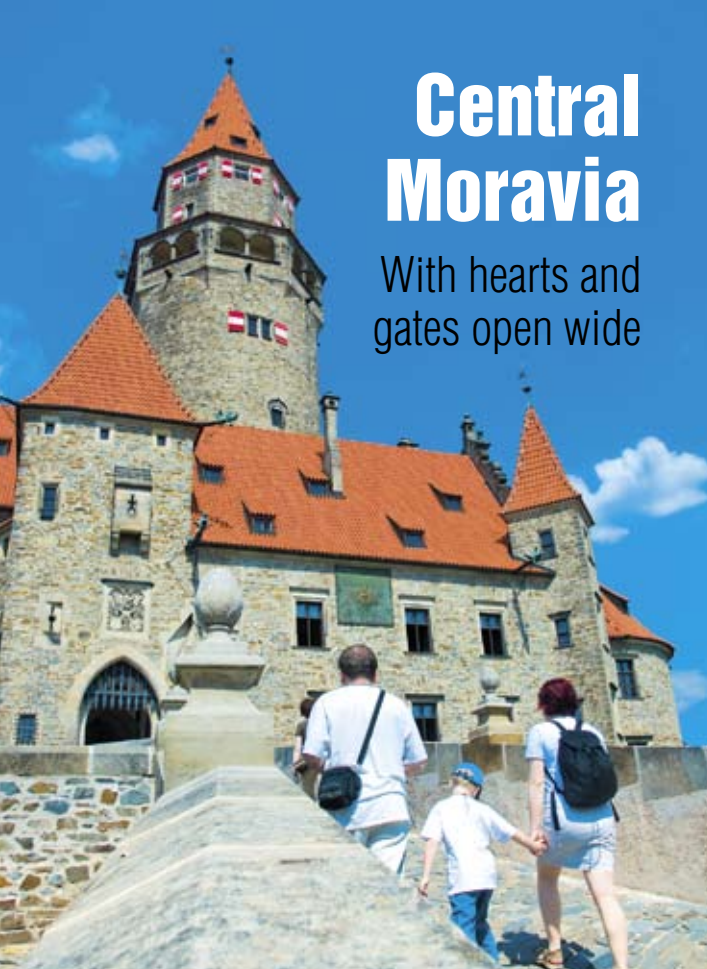


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or A.T.I.C. member



Information Centre  
– non-certified





# Central Moravia

With hearts and gates open wide

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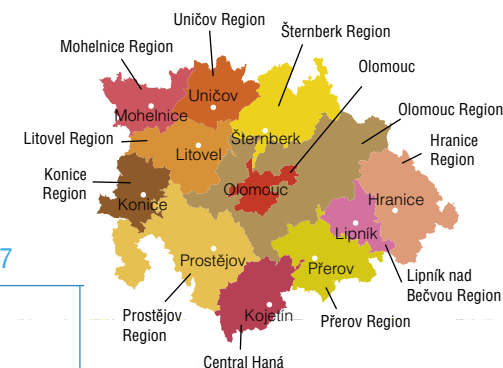
## Professional Tourism Organizations:



### Central Moravia – Tourist Association

Horní náměstí 5, 772 00 Olomouc  
Tel.: +420 585 204 627-629  
E-mail: info@central-moravia.cz  
www.centralmoravia-tourism.cz

## tourist locations:





# Olomouc Things you won't experience anywhere else



## Did you know...?

One of the unique features of St. Wenceslas' Cathedral in Olomouc is that it houses four coffins with the remains of local bishops. Three of them are made of tin, one of copper; after a demanding restoration which took several months, these Baroque receptacles have been returned to the crypt where they were found. From late 2010, these beautiful artefacts are accessible to the public! [www.oldom.cz](http://www.oldom.cz)

With more than 100,000 residents, the city of Olomouc has dominated Moravia for a thousand years. This capital of Haná, as it is sometimes called because of its location, is the administrative centre of the Olomouc Region. Thanks to its large number of sights and architectural treasures, Olomouc is proud to rank second only to Prague as the largest and most significant urban monument reserve in the Czech Republic.

## Olomouc

(p. 7 → D5) GPS: 49°35'37.209"N, 17°15'3.919"E

The city of Olomouc has a rich history and is one of the most beautiful urban centres in Central Europe. No wonder, since there was a bishopric here as early as in 1068, and in 1573 it became the city where the second oldest university in the Czech lands was established. In 1777 Olomouc became the seat of an Archbishop and was promoted to become the capital of Moravia in 1782. A number of distinguished personalities have left their mark on Olomouc, creating an atmosphere that cannot be described even in the finest words, an atmosphere that has survived until the present day. In the squares, in churches, in parks. It is unique for its architectural masterpieces. The monumentality of its chapels and churches is joined by the splendour of its palaces and the beauty of its Baroque fountains and columns. One of them, the Holy Trinity Column, is inscribed in the UNESCO World Cultural and Natural Heritage list. But it isn't just sightseeing. Olomouc is a city of students, parks, and the Flora horticultural exhibitions, a city of important museums, offering various cultural events, entertainment and sports activities. In 2009, one of the most modern water parks was opened. Olomouc will charm you; just give it a chance! <http://tourism.olomouc.eu>



**Olomouc City Information Centre**   
Upper Square – Town Hall  
Tel.: +420 585 513 385, 585 513 392  
<http://tourism.olomouc.eu>



**Czech Rail Information Centre Olomouc**  
Main station, Jeremenkova 23   
Tel.: +420 972 741 620



**Tourist Centre**   
Švédská 10, Olomouc, Tel.: +420 585 231 460  
[www.tourist-centrum.cz](http://www.tourist-centrum.cz)  
The Information centre includes a currency exchange.



## Museums

### Museum of Art

This institution is the third largest of its kind in the Czech Republic. In Olomouc it manages two branches.  
Tel.: +420 585 514 111, [www.olmuart.cz](http://www.olmuart.cz)  
Opening hours: Tue–Sun 10am–6pm.  
Free admission on Wednesdays and Sundays.

### Archdiocese Museum



Václavské nám. 3  
A museum of European importance and the only institution of its kind in the Czech Republic focuses on art from the 12<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> centuries. It is located in the reconstructed national cultural heritage the Přemyslid Castle. The site documents the thousand-year building development and is one of the oldest continuously inhabited locations in Central Europe (archaeological finds from the area date to 4200 BC). King Václav III, the last Bohemian ruler from the Přemyslid family, was murdered here in 1306. Permanent exhibits in 16 halls showcase over 300 works from the Romanesque up to the Baroque period, including the famous Šternberk Madonna and Bishop Troyer's coach. The premises include a café and a wine bar. Audio guides in Polish are available.



### Museum of Modern Art, Denisova 47



Specialising in 20<sup>th</sup>- and 21<sup>st</sup>-century art. Displays permanent and temporary exhibitions of Czech and foreign modern art. There is also a hall for cultural events and the Café 87. **Notable exhibition in 2011:** The collection of applied arts of the MUO, open: 9 June–9 October. A presentation of the museum's rich collection of the applied arts, showing the changes in lifestyle and the development of design in the 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> centuries, as shown, for example, in chairs, cloth patterns or lamps from renowned designers and companies (Thonet J. and J. Kohn, Josef Hoffmann, Dušan Jurkovič, Jan Kotěra, Mies van der Rohe, Jindřich Halabala, Milan Knížák and others).

### Museum of History and Geography



nám. Republiky 5, Tel.: +420 585 515 111, [www.vmo.cz](http://www.vmo.cz)  
The collection of a million items goes beyond the Central Moravia boundaries. Apart from the permanent exhibits, such as "From the Astronomical Clock to Modern Clocks" or "Collection of Shooting Targets and Vedutes", the museum holds about 20 temporary exhibitions every year.  
In the middle of 2009 a new exhibit Lapidarium and Monoxyl was opened in the basement of the Museum depository building – Denisova 30; approximately 100 m from the Museum.  
Opening hours:  
April–September: Tue–Sun 9am–6pm, October–March: Wed–Sun 10am–5pm

## Veteran Arena

The Veteran Arena Olomouc is the largest vintage car museum in the Czech Republic accessible to the public. In an area of over 2000 m<sup>2</sup>, visitors can see more than a hundred cars and another three hundred unique exhibits. The heart of the collection is an entire fleet of TATRA vehicles; in 2011, cars of the Wikow marque will be added to this unique collection. The most interesting exhibits include, for example, the only surviving Tatra 75 Sport vehicle and an original Tatra 49 tricycle. Regular temporary exhibitions help make the collection more lively.  
Sladovní Street 3, [www.veteranarena.cz](http://www.veteranarena.cz)

## Olomouc Aviation Museum

The newly-opened museum in Olomouc–Neředín exhibits a number of propeller and jet aircrafts used in the Czechoslovak air force.  
Olomouc–Neředín Airport, Hall No. 88  
Tel.: +420 604 772 478, [www.letecke-muzeum.cz](http://www.letecke-muzeum.cz)

## Royal Fortress Olomouc

In the past, Olomouc was a city within a fortress. The fortifications were built for hundreds of years and the construction works culminated in the 19<sup>th</sup> century with building a unique ring of forward sconces. Three out of the preserved structures are open to the public and this particular historical period is documented also in a number of other objects situated all around Olomouc.



## Olomouc and the Surrounding Area:

**Fort XVII, Fort Museum,** For more, see page 15 20%  
**Fort XIII,** Nová Ulice, Tel.: +420 603 217 611, [www.drakk.eu](http://www.drakk.eu)  
Tours can be arranged by phone.  
**Fort I Radikov,** For more, see page 15 25%

## Remnants of the Olomouc Fortifications around the City:

### Bastion Fort Model

the model is an example of the Olomouc defence system (a bastion fort is a fort based on bastions, which are the Modern modifications of citadels)  
Military House, tř. 1. máje 3, Tel.: +420 973 406 471  
Opening hours: Mo–Thu 8am–3.45pm, Fri 8am–2.30 pm

### Castle fortification line in Bezruč Garden

the remnants of the town fortification form a ring around the gardens

**Water Barracks** – former casemates, today a popular meeting place – bars, bistros, etc...

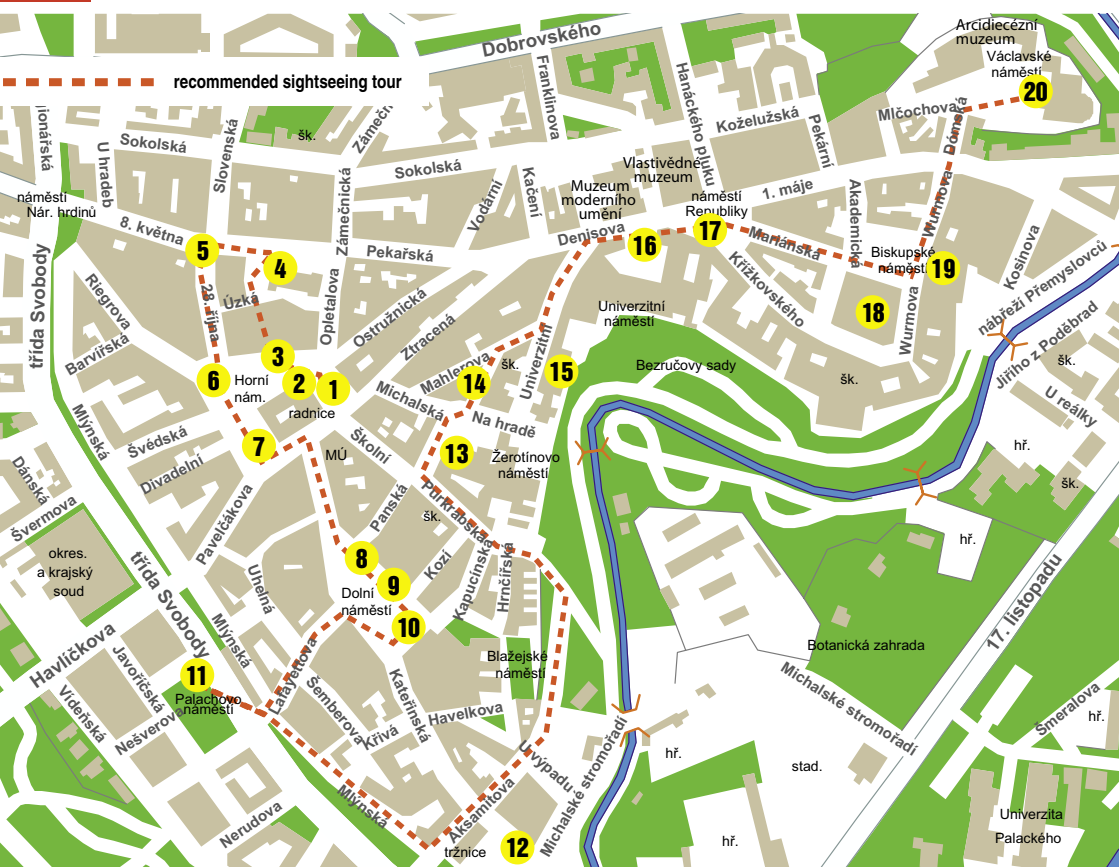


# Sightseeing Tour



There are many ways to become acquainted with Olomouc. One of them is right in front of you (for others, see page 12). It can take a few hours or the whole day if you take your time.

Starting from the Caesar Fountain/1/, go along the town hall with its astronomical clock /2/ until you come across the Hercules fountain /3/. Opposite the town hall there stands the Edelmann Palace, whose passage will take you directly to the Church of St. Moritz /4/. Pass the Mercury Fountain /5/ to return to the Upper Square, which features the dominant UNESCO monument, Holy Trinity Column /6/. On the right there is the Baroque Petráš Palace and in front of you the Arion Fountain /7/. Proceed to the Lower Square. The Neptune Fountain /8/, the Baroque Marian Plague Column /9/ the Jupiter Fountain /10/. When leaving the square and taking Lafayette street you will pass the Renaissance Hauenschlid Palace. If you pass the Theresian Gate /11/ and city market /12/, you will reach the Bezruč Gardens; by climbing the first staircase in the city walls you will arrive at the St. Michael's Church /13/. The Chapel of St. John Sarkander /14/, Jesuit Monastery /15/, Church of the Virgin Mary of the Snow /16/, Tritons Fountain /17/, Theresian Armoury /18/ and the Archbishop's Palace /19/ will lead you to the St. Wenceslas Cathedral /20/.



## The Best Of



### Holy Trinity Column [6] UNESCO monument

For more than 250 years the city centre has been adorned with this thirty-five meter high Baroque column. In 2000 it was inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List not only for its extraordinary dimensions but also for the refinement of the extensive sculptural ornamentation. Olomouc artist Václav Rindler began work on this unique piece of art and was later joined by a number of other local artists who continued the works until 1754 when the column was finally completed. Its ceremonial consecration was attended personally by the Austrian Empress Maria Theresa. Inside the column contains a small chapel, which is open to the public in the tourist season. [www.unesco-czech.cz](http://www.unesco-czech.cz)

### Magnificent collection of fountains National cultural heritage

Ancient mythology was the source of inspiration for the magnificent Olomouc fountains. You can admire them in the city centre practically everywhere you go. On the Upper Square there are no less than three of them: the fountain of the mythical founder of Olomouc, Julius Caesar [1], the Hercules fountain [3], and the contemporary Arion fountain [7]. The Lower Square is decorated with the Jupiter fountain [9] and the oldest Olomouc fountain – the Neptune fountain [8] from 1683. The Mercury fountain [5] on 8. května Street and the Triton fountain [17] on the nám. Republiky Square complete the list. The beauty of the fountains when illuminated at night is truly incomparable.



### Town hall with an Astronomical Clock [2] Free

Originally Gothic, later remodelled in the Renaissance-style – the town hall with a rare astronomical clock (daily musical display at 12 pm), a tower accessible to the public, and a Gothic chapel



### Church of St. Moritz [4], National cultural heritage

Opletalova ul., Tel./fax: +420 585 223 179 [www.moric-olomouc.cz](http://www.moric-olomouc.cz)  
Opening hours May–September: daily 9am–6pm  
Tower open to the public: May–June  
Mon–Sat 9am–5pm, July–September  
Mon–Sat 9am–7pm, for information about the tower opening hours call: +420 724 773 718



### Theresian Gate [11]

A Baroque gate from 1752–1753, received its name a year later in honour of Maria Theresa upon her visit to Olomouc



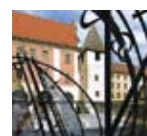
### Church of St. Michael [13], Žerotínovo nám.

Tel.: +420 585 223 915, +420 603 282 975  
[www.svatymichal.cz](http://www.svatymichal.cz)  
Tower, prayer room, peace garden open to the public.  
Opening hours May–September: daily 9am–6pm



### Chapel of St. John Sarkander [14]

Univerzitní ul., Tel.: +420 585 223 915  
[www.svatymichal.cz](http://www.svatymichal.cz)



### Jesuit Monastery [15]

Palacký University Art Centre  
Univerzity Palackého, Univerzitní 3  
Tel.: +420 585 633 099  
[www.upol.cz/fakulty/zarizeni-a-sluzby/umelecke-centrum](http://www.upol.cz/fakulty/zarizeni-a-sluzby/umelecke-centrum)  
University cinema, theatre, the Corpus Christi Chapel, exhibitions, performances and concerts.



### Church of the Virgin Mary of the Snow [16]

nám. Republiky, Tel.: +420 585 549 256  
Opening hours  
May–September: daily 9am–6pm



### Theresian Armoury [18]

An armoury from 1769–1771; today it is the university library and an art venue



### Archbishop's Palace [19]

Wurmova 9, Tel.: +420 587 405 222, +420 587 405 411, [www.ado.cz](http://www.ado.cz)  
Residence of the Olomouc Bishops and Archbishops. Tour available every Wednesday at 2.30pm for groups with reservation, minimum 15 persons required.



### St. Wenceslas Cathedral and the Olomouc Castle [20], National cultural heritage

Václavské nám., Tel.: +420 585 224 236 [www.oldom.cz](http://www.oldom.cz)  
Opening hours  
May–September: daily 9am–6pm  
A crypt with a permanent exhibit and themed exhibitions open to the public.



### Romanesque Bishop's Palace [18]

The unique Romanesque windows adorn the remains of the Zdik Palace, which is connected to the beginnings of the Olomouc diocese in the 11th century. Today it is a part of the St. Jerome Archdiocesan Museum.



### The Hradisko Monastery, National cultural heritage

Sušilovo nám., Tel.: +420 973 407 192, +420 602 965 662, +420 973 407 150, [www.vmol.cz](http://www.vmol.cz)  
Areas accessible on the monastery tour: library, Ceremonial Hall, Theresian Room, St. Stephen's Church, Angel Staircase, the tower.

Opening hours April–September: Thursdays at 2pm and 3pm, and the first Saturday of the month at 8am, 9am, 10am, and 11am.





## Flora Olomouc



More than 50 years



The extensive Olomouc gardens offer not only an escape in greenery and a pleasant rest but also contain points of interest you should not miss. Let yourself be enchanted by the botanical garden and the rose garden neighbouring Bezruč Gardens. In Smetana Gardens you can visit the unique subtropical and tropical conservatories, which are a national heritage monument. What you should definitely not miss are the traditional horticultural exhibition and gardening markets that draw tens of thousands of visitors every year.

**Výstaviště Flora Olomouc, a.s. (Flora Olomouc Fairgrounds)**  
Wolkerova 37/17, Tel.: +420 585 726 111, [www.flora-ol.cz](http://www.flora-ol.cz)

**Botanical garden including a rose garden**    
It spreads out on the area of the Korunní sčonce and you can feast your eyes on the rose garden, rock garden, nations' gardens, and temporary exhibits of spring and summer plants.  
Opening hours: April–October Tue–Sun 9.30am–6pm  
Tel.: +420 585 225 566

## Cultural experiences

The magic of the moment, joy, discoveries, new experiences, and fun – all this you can find on the Olomouc cultural scene with its permanent expositions and temporary exhibits. Theatres, cinemas, galleries, and excellent cultural events you cannot miss. Olomouc is the City of Culture. For details, go to [www.tourism.olomouc.eu](http://www.tourism.olomouc.eu)

**Moravian Theatre Olomouc**    
Horní náměstí 22 (tř. Svobody 33), Tel.: +420 585 500 500  
[www.moravskedivadlo.cz](http://www.moravskedivadlo.cz)  
Updated program, July–August CLOSED

**Moravian Philharmonic Orchestra, Chamber Music Society of the Moravian Philharmonic Orchestra**   
Horní náměstí 23, Tel.: +420 585 206 520, [www.mfo.cz](http://www.mfo.cz)  
July–August CLOSED

## DON'T MISS:

-  **April 28–May 1 2011 Flora Olomouc – spring edition**  
International gardening exhibition and trade fair
  - August 18–21 2011 Flora Olomouc – summer edition**  
International gardening exhibition and trade fair
  - October 13–16 2011 Flora Olomouc – autumn edition**  
Exhibitions of fruit, vegetables and nursery gardening cultivars
- Updates available at:  
Tel.: +420 585 726 111, [www.flora-ol.cz](http://www.flora-ol.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

-  **January–May Jazz Days 2011**  
Spring cycle of jazz concerts, Jazz Tibet Club Olomouc, Sokolská 48, Tel.: +420 585 230 399
- April 12–17 2011 Academia Film Olomouc**  
International film festival  
Palacký University Olomouc, [www.upol.cz](http://www.upol.cz)
-  **May OLOMOUC Beer Festival**  
Famous beer festival featuring more than 100 kinds of beer, Tel.: +420 608 905 905, [www.pivnifestival.cz](http://www.pivnifestival.cz)
-  **May–June Dvořák's Olomouc**  
Festival of classical music  
Tel.: +420 585 206 520, [www.mfo.cz](http://www.mfo.cz)
- June Feast of Song**  
39<sup>th</sup> annual international choral festival  
Tel.: +420 587 420 334, [www.festamusical.cz](http://www.festamusical.cz)
-  **June 24–25 2011 City Festival**  
Historical city celebrations, <http://tourism.olomouc.eu>
- June–September Olomouc Summer of Culture**  
Multi-genre festival of music, theatre, and exhibitions  
[www.okl.info](http://www.okl.info)
-  **August Marshal Radecký Celebrations**  
Celebrations with a parade of military brass music  
Tel.: +420 602 512 877
-  **September International Organ Festival**  
Festival of organ music; concerts held at the Church of St. Moritz, Tel.: +420 585 206 520, [www.mfo.cz](http://www.mfo.cz)
- September 9–11 2011 European Heritage Days**  
Open house at city monuments  
[www.olomouc.eu](http://www.olomouc.eu)
-  **September 28 2011**  
Autumn raft rides through the historic Olomouc  
Tel.: +420 603 113 344, [www.perej.cz](http://www.perej.cz)



## RECOMMENDED:

-  **Collection Conservatories**    
– palm, cactus, tropical, sub-tropical  
These are some of the largest conservatories in the Czech Republic. Exotic plants are supplemented with foreign fish and amphibians. With a playground in the vicinity it is very suitable for children.  
Tel.: +420 585 726 215  
Opening hours: March: Tue–Sun 9.30am–4pm  
April–October: Tue–Sun 9.30am–6pm



Aquapark Olomouc

## SWIMMING:

**Water Park Olomouc**    
A new modern water park full of water attractions including a relaxation area was opened in 2009. Year-round indoor operation, seasonal outdoor operation.  
TOP: SpaceBowl (the only one in Moravia), riding on special inner tubes through a water slide, length 123 m, daylight effect and Streepefekt Aquapark Olomouc, Kačkova St. (Olomouc–Slavonín)  
[www.aqua-olomouc.cz](http://www.aqua-olomouc.cz)

**Swimming Stadium**    
Legionářská 11, [www.olterm.cz](http://www.olterm.cz)  
Tel.: +420 585 427 208, +420 585 427 181  
Indoor and outdoor swimming pool, diving towers (3–10 m), water slide, children's pool with a slide, whirlpool, steam sauna




## SPORT CENTRES:


**OMEGA Sports and Health Centre**  
Legionářská 19, Olomouc, Tel.: +420 585 205 700, [www.omegasport.cz](http://www.omegasport.cz)  
Offers high-quality leisure activities all in a single location: tennis (indoor courts as well as clay courts), squash, badminton, sauna, whirlpool, spinning, group exercise, massages, café bar, grill bar, children's play area

**Best Sports Centre**, Dolní Hejčínská 36, Olomouc  
Tel.: +420 585 234 313, [www.best-sportcentrum.cz](http://www.best-sportcentrum.cz) • Sports and Cultural Center. gym, massage center, squash, bowling, table football, billiards, darts, large-screen projection TV

## ADRENALIN:

**Proud Rope Climbing Centre**    
Na Střelnici 48, Tel.: +420 605 215 348, +420 585 225 375, [www.lanovecentrum.cz](http://www.lanovecentrum.cz)

**Paintball Game Olomouc**, Ztracená 1 (company offices)  
Neředín fort, Vikoš (game location)  
Tel.: +420 776 713 600, [www.pgo.cz](http://www.pgo.cz).  
Paintball for individuals, companies, and the disabled; featuring a unique environment for the game – the premises of the Theresian fortifications in Olomouc. Please phone for reservations.

**Hlubočky Fun Park**, mountain mini-karts, quad bikes, a bike park,   
driving a HUMMER, [www.funparkhlubocky.cz](http://www.funparkhlubocky.cz), see page 15



**Weapons Ammunition – Shooting Range, Tomáš Macek**  
Timpó Shopping Centre, tř. Svornosti 57, Tel.: +420 585 416 893  
Automatic indoor air-conditioned shooting range and store; firearms license not required Opening hours: Mon–Sat 1pm–7pm




## How to get to the water park?

- By tram No. 1, 4, 6 to the terminal Nová Ulice; about 10 min walking distance
- By bus No. 21, 35 that terminates directly in front of the water park
- By car; a large car park available

## BOWLING:

**Bowland**    
tř. Svobody 31  
Tel.: +420 587 420 203  
[www.bowland-olomouc.cz](http://www.bowland-olomouc.cz),  
12 professional lanes AMF, bumpers for the youngest players



**Best Sports Centre**   
Dolní Hejčínská 36  
Tel.: +420 585 234 313, +420 721 718 768  
[www.best-sportcentrum.cz](http://www.best-sportcentrum.cz)  
6 professional bowling lanes AMF, squash, snooker, table football, darts, gym

## GOLF, MINIATURE GOLF:

**Miniature golf – MGC Olomouc**    
tř. 17. listopadu 3  
and on the open air cinema grounds  
Tel.: +420 603 530 586, +420 605 299 278  
[www.mgcolomouc.cmgs.cz](http://www.mgcolomouc.cmgs.cz)

## TENNIS:

**OMEGA** for more see the Introduction  
**TJ Milo Olomouc**  
Na Střelnici, Tel.: +420 736 136 118  
(reservation of courts and indoor hall),  
+420 777 225 185 (reservation of the inflated tennis hall)  
[www.tenisnilo.cz](http://www.tenisnilo.cz)

**Slovanský dům**  
Hynaisova 11, Tel.: +420 585 417 966

**Hotel Prachárna Olomouc**  
Křelovská 91  
Tel.: +420 585 411 271, +420 736 606 813  
[www.hotel-pracharna.cz](http://www.hotel-pracharna.cz), Please phone for reservation.

**Věska Tennis centre** – see page 15

Sports and relaxation

For the whole family





## observation towers

### Olomouc City Hall Tower



Outside the main tourist season, when the "Olomouc in a Nutshell" guided tour is not available, it is still possible to climb the tower. Tickets are available from the Information Centre in the City Hall arcade.

### The Tower of the Church of St. Moritz

The tower is 46 m high. If you climb it, you will be rewarded with unforgettable views of Olomouc, Svatý Kopeček, and in fair weather conditions also of the Jeseníky peaks. The tour is unguided; only in fair weather conditions; tickets available at the tower. It is open from May to September.



## with earphones

### Around Olomouc with an audio guide

For individual visitors interested in a tour around the historical centre, there is an audio guide available. You won't be rushed, you can listen to the audio guide five times in a row if you want and you will understand much of what Olomouc has to offer. Texts available in five languages! Rentals at the information centre in the city hall arcade. 300 CZK deposit required. <http://tourism.olomouc.eu>



Around Olomouc Any Way You'd Like

For the new season, the City of Olomouc in cooperation with a number of entities has prepared attractive routes to help visitors get to know Olomouc in the best way possible. The offer is very diverse and ideal for leisure explorers, passionate travellers, sports and adventure enthusiasts, as well as for families with children. The array of the services on offer is something of a rarity insofar as you will not encounter them in any other city in the Czech Republic. You can select several different ways how to get to know Olomouc with a guide and have fun at the same time. Olomouc is a lady who deserves your attention!

Unless specified otherwise, you will find more information at <http://tourism.olomouc.eu> or if you call +420 585 513 385, +420 585 513 392

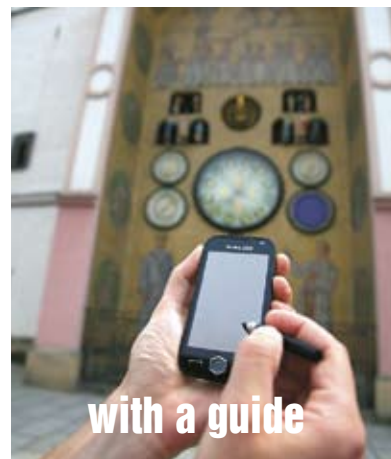
## Olomouc in a nutshell



An approximately one-hour-long guided tour of the sights of the Upper Square is concluded with a climb up the City Hall tower. Tickets are available from the Information Centre in the City Hall arcade. The service is available from June to September.



## on foot



## with a guide

## Multimedia guide

Those interested in a tour of the city may wish to use a multimedia guide. Just visit the Information Centre in the City Hall arcade, where you can borrow one.

## Boat trips through the Historic Olomouc

Unusual view of Olomouc from raft trips on the Morava River. You can choose from several options:

### 1. Rafting on the main branch of the Morava River

- from the centre along the Hradisko Monastery and the Orthodox Church, length 3 km, duration approximately 40 minutes
- through a part of the protected landscape of the Litovel Morava River Basin and through Olomouc – from Chomoutov through the alluvial plain and then continuing through Olomouc to the city centre, length 8 km, duration approximately 130 minutes

### 2. Rafting on the Mlýnský Stream (a branch of the Morava River)

- from the city centre under the St. Wenceslas Cathedral and under the historical city walls, length 3 km, duration approximately 45 minutes
  - through a part of the protected landscape of the Litovel Morava River Basin and through Olomouc – from Horka nad Moravou through the meanders of the overgrown Mlýnský Stream riverbed, through romantic nature and then continuing through Olomouc to the city centre, length 12 km, duration approximately 180 minutes
- Minimum 3 people required for booking.

**CK Peřej tours**, Tel./fax: +420 585 313 176, Mobil: +420 603 113 344 20 % [www.perej.cz](http://www.perej.cz)

**CK Pressburg**, Trída Svobody 20 Sale  
Tel.: +420 587 301 659, [www.pressburg.cz](http://www.pressburg.cz)

## Guided Bicycle Ride around Olomouc

The guided bicycle ride around Olomouc has two variants (A is longer and B is shorter) and includes the most beautiful places in Olomouc. When cycling, you can get acquainted with the interesting places in Olomouc within just one day; at every stop, you will learn interesting information from our knowledgeable guides. You will see famous sights (churches, fountains, columns, city walls) and take breathtaking rides through all the parks of Olomouc. The longer variant includes a stop at a typical local pub (food and drinks not included in the price) where you can taste specialties and excellent beer. The routes run mostly on cycling trails and on quiet streets. The longer A route that takes visitors to a marsh and below one of the most important pilgrimage sites in the Czech Republic – Svatý Kopeček – lasts 4.5 hours and is 18 km long. The shorter B route lasts 2 hours and is 9 km long. The price includes the bicycle rental, a guide, a reflective vest, and a helmet for children up to the age of 15.

However, you can also rent only the bicycle at the travel agency.

Information, booking: CK Peřej tours, 779 00 Olomouc, Tr. Svobody 39  
Tel./fax: +420 585 313 176, mobile: +420 603 113 344  
[www.olomoucbiketour.cz](http://www.olomoucbiketour.cz), [www.perej.cz](http://www.perej.cz)

## by boat



### NEW! Regularly scheduled boat trips under Olomouc landmarks

The route starts under the St. Wenceslas Cathedral, continues under the town fortification through Bezruč Gardens to the city centre. Length 1.5 km, duration approximately 25 minutes, regularly scheduled bus transportation from the Upper Square (in front of the Town Hall)

There are also other companies providing boat rides through Olomouc and its surroundings. Choose, for example, from the offer of Rafting Morava, [www.raftingmorava.cz](http://www.raftingmorava.cz).

## by bicycle





# Svatý Kopeček, Haná Outdoor Folk Museum, golf, and the Zoo

## Extra TIP

Take a trip to Velká Bystřice! There is a newly restored square and a new amphitheatre in the Chateau Park, the venue for various cultural events. On wooden benches in a pleasant environment, you can enjoy the atmosphere of the annual "Haná, the Navel of the World" and "The Folk Year" folklore festivals. [www.velkabystrice.cz](http://www.velkabystrice.cz)

## Svatý Kopeček and the ZOO

*Lots of fun for both adults and children*

(p. 5 → D6) GPS: 49°38'0.224"N, 17°20'35.457"E

One of the most popular outing and pilgrimage destinations of the region. There are ideal conditions for hiking, bicycle touring, and relaxation. The dominant feature is the Church of the Visitation of the Virgin Mary from the 17<sup>th</sup> century. On his visit to the city Pope John Paul II elevated the church to the status of basilica minor.



The Zoological Garden at Svatý Kopeček covers over 40 hectares. In a pleasant environment, there are more than 400 species of animals, including several

The surroundings of Olomouc are ideal for walks in the countryside, visiting interesting sites, getting to know the folklore of Haná or for sports activities. There's something interesting for everyone! Be it a visit to an arboretum or an exhibition of vintage vehicles or trains at the Garden Railway in Strážov. The joy of exercising can be experienced in the recently opened sports and recreation grounds in Bystrovany. Lovers of folklore will be delighted by traditional events that take place in the nearby villages and by the Haná Open-Air Museum in Příkazy.



**Olomouc Information Centre, Sv. Kopeček branch**  
Darwinova 29 (by the entrance to the ZOO)  
Opening hours:  
May 15–September 15, 2011, 9am–5pm Sale

true rarities. These include a common enclosure for American black bears and arctic wolves, a bat pavilion, a giant aquarium, an exotic tropical pavilion, or open walks through the Japanese Macaque Pavilion, with a hanging bridge. Animal feeding time, with commentary by the animal handler, is very popular with visitors. Children will enjoy a new rope course and a fun playground by the zoo exit. [www.svatykopecek.cz](http://www.svatykopecek.cz)

## Horizont Natural Paradise, Bystrovany Arboretum

(p. 5 → D6) GPS: 49°35'59.57"N, 17°19'28.25"E

A remarkable arboretum with 200 species of exotic trees and plants spreads on an area of four hectares. It includes a small lake with a waterfall, a gardening store, a small petting zoo, and a restaurant. Romantic night tours with lit lanterns every Wednesday during summer holidays.

Tel.: +420 585 157 119, [www.horizont-zs.cz](http://www.horizont-zs.cz)

Opening hours: March 24–October 31: Mon–Sun 8am–8pm

July–August every Wednesday open after dark with optional night tours.

## Forts *The power of defense*

For military history lovers, Olomouc offers unique royal forts situated in the city's vicinity.



**Fort II Radíkov** (p. 5 → D6) GPS: 49°38'20.899"N, 17°21'55.013"E 25 %  
Svatý Kopeček, Tel.: +420 777 135 001, [www.pevnost-radikov.cz](http://www.pevnost-radikov.cz)  
An artillery fort preserved as the only one of its kind in the whole Czech Republic. Tours can be arranged by phone

**Fort XVII, Fort Museum** (p. 5 → D5) GPS: 49°36'52.988"N, 17°11'58.308"E,  
Na Fortu 392/1, Křelov u Olomouce, Tel.: +420 605 937 842, +420 603 444 010  
Permanent exhibition focusing on fortress design and 19<sup>th</sup>-century military history. Cultural events. Opening hours: June and September: Sat, Sun: 11am–5pm., July and August: Fri–Sun 11am–5pm. On other days by appointment only. For current information, visit [www.forty.cz](http://www.forty.cz)

## Příkazy – Haná Open-Air Folk Museum

(p. 5 → D4) GPS: 49°38'41.78"N, 17°8'21.023"E

Exposition dedicated to the life of the Haná region inhabitants, including an original Haná pub, a toy collection, various tools and machines.

Příkazy 54 Free   
Tel.: +420 585 967 310, +420 776 576 598  
[www.hanackeskanzen.cz](http://www.hanackeskanzen.cz)



Opening hours:  
May: Sat–Sun, holidays 11am–4pm  
June–August: Tue–Sun 11am–5pm  
September: Tue–Sun 11am–4pm



## SELECTED EVENTS:

**Velká Bystřice**  
June 18 2011  
**Hanácké pupek**  
folk celebration  
[www.velkabystrice.cz](http://www.velkabystrice.cz)



**Doloplazy**  
July 3 2011 **Ride of the Kings**  
folk celebration, [www.doloplazy.cz/olesnica](http://www.doloplazy.cz/olesnica)

## RECOMMENDED:

**Olomouc Zoological Gardens** Sale 15. 9.–15. 5.  
Darwinova 29, Sv. Kopeček  
Tel.: +420 585 151 601, [www.zoo-olomouc.cz](http://www.zoo-olomouc.cz) Free   
Opening hours: April–August 8am–6pm March  
September: 8am–4.30pm, October–February: 8am–4pm

**Lanáček at the Olomouc ZOO**, Tel.: +420 605 215 348  
Rope climbing park for children inspired by the wild

**Church of the Visitation of the Virgin Mary**, Sv. Kopeček  
Tel.: +420 585 385 342, +420 777 742 177   
[www.svatykopecek.cz](http://www.svatykopecek.cz)

**Dub nad Moravou** – pilgrimage site  
Tel.: +420 585 964 263, [www.dubnadmoravou.cz](http://www.dubnadmoravou.cz)

**Hlubočky Fun Park**, Tel.: +420 775 771 077 11 %  
[www.funparkhlubocky.cz](http://www.funparkhlubocky.cz)  
Mountain mini-karts, quad bikes, a bike park, driving a HUMMER

**Dolany–Věska 18 and 9 hole-golf course** other training areas  
Tel.: +420 585 397 278, +420 733 691 333  
[www.golf-olomouc.cz](http://www.golf-olomouc.cz) Free  
Tel.: +420 733 101 422



**Health Centre – Bohuňovice Water Park** 30 %  
Tel.: +420 585 151 731, [www.bohunovice.cz](http://www.bohunovice.cz)

**Sightseeing flights, Mamba Air Bohuňovice** 10 %  
Tel.: +420 585 389 100, +420 608 528 073, [www.mamba-air.cz](http://www.mamba-air.cz)



# Swimming, adrenaline, chateaux and original museums

## Extra TIP

The outdoor water park in Prostějov is the perfect destination for your trip to Central Moravia. There are swimming pools for young and adult visitors and many varied attractions. You can try the wave machines or water spouts; those who are more courageous can ride the toboggans and slides. There are also sports courts and miniature golf. <http://dsp-pv.cz>

**R**ichly decorated folk costumes and folklore that is still alive are some of the attractions of the Prostějov region. There are other eye-pleasing sights to see, such as architectural landmarks and, in particular, the Art Nouveau National House, a venue of many social and cultural events. And let's not forget the Museum of Carriages and the Chateau in Čechy pod Kosířem. Sit for a while in the chateau park, relax and enjoy the beauty!

## Prostějov

*More than just the Haná traditions*

(p. 5 → F4)

GPS: 49°28'20.312"N, 17°6'34.865"E

Prostějov, a town with a remarkable town hall and the superb Art Nouveau architecture of the National House, a National Cultural Monument designed by Jan Kotěra, as well as many other interesting landmarks, is a place not just of traditions, history and culture, but also sports. There is a modern outdoor water park, the Hotel Tennis Club with tennis courts, bowling and squash, and many other facilities.



### Prostějov Museum

nám. T. G. Masaryka 2

Tel.: +420 582 330 991

Museum exhibition hall

– Špalíček, Uprkova 18

Tel.: +420 582 330 603

[www.muzeumpv.cz](http://www.muzeumpv.cz)

Opening hours: Tue–Sun  
9.30am–12pm and 1pm–5pm

### National House, Vojáčkovo nám. 1, Prostějov

Tel.: +420 582 333 389, [www.divadlo.prostejov.cz](http://www.divadlo.prostejov.cz)

The pearl of the Czech Art Nouveau

Tours can be arranged by phone (call +420 582 336 840)

### Hotel Tennis Club, Sports centre – tennis

(hall and clay), squash, bowling, swimming pool

Za Kosteleckou 49, Tel.: +420 604 222 204

[www.sportonline.cz](http://www.sportonline.cz)

### JUMP-TANDEM

Tandem skydiving, parachuting courses, sightseeing flights, gift packages.

Restaurant with a panoramic terrace,

children's playground, accommodation.

Letecká 1, Prostějov

Tel.: 724 175 175, [www.jump-tandem.cz](http://www.jump-tandem.cz)



## Plumlov

*Holidays spent at the dam under a chateau*

(p. 5 → F3)

GPS: 49°27'53.68"N, 17°0'51.16"E

The surroundings of the Plumlov Chateau can be the location for a pleasant holiday, with many opportunities for trips by bicycle or on foot. And when the sun hides behind the clouds, there is the chateau itself to visit, with an exhibition called The Wings of Victory about Czech pilots in England during WW II.

### Plumlov Chateau

Tel.: +420 582 331 196, [www.zamek-plumlov.cz](http://www.zamek-plumlov.cz)

Opening hours: April: Sat, Sun, holidays 1pm–6pm,

May, June, September: Sat, Sun, holidays 10am–6pm,

July–August: Tue–Sun 10am–6pm. Visits for groups of at least 4; last tour begins 1 hour before closing time. Resting is possible in the Stone Hall.



## Čechy pod Kosířem

*Unique museums and a romantic chateau*

(p. 5 → E3) GPS: 49°32'59.691"N, 17°2'15.421"E

In addition to the chateau surrounded by romantic gardens, Čechy pod Kosířem are also the seat of one of the largest firefighter museums in Moravia and of a newly emerging unique museum of historic horse-drawn coaches. While walking around the gardens full of exotic trees from all over the world, you will discover a man-made cave and a number of small structures.

### Čechy pod Kosířem Chateau

Tel.: +420 582 373 724, [www.muzeumpv.cz](http://www.muzeumpv.cz)

Opening hours: April–October: Tue–Sun 9.30am–5pm

### Firefighter Museum

Opening hours: April–October: Fri–Sun 10am–12pm, 1pm–5pm

or upon arrangement by phone: +420 582 373 531, [www.cecypk.cz](http://www.cecypk.cz)

### Historical Carriages Museum

• largest collection of carriage lanterns in Central Europe

• largest collection of funeral carriages

• restoration workshop part of the tour

• reconstructed and original carriages

• sound and light effects, projection

Náměstí Svobody 377, Tel.: +420 602 557 167, [www.historickekokary.cz](http://www.historickekokary.cz)



## Baldovec (p. 5 → F2)

Holiday for the whole family and adrenaline-filled experiences deep in the forests. Also available are a swimming pool, sports rental, tennis and volleyball courts, football field, and a playground.

Adventure Education Center Baldovec, Baldovec 319

Tel.: +420 582 395 440, +420 602 722 899, [www.baldovec.cz](http://www.baldovec.cz)



**Prostějov Regional Information Centre**  
Pernštyňské nám. 8, Tel.: +420 582 329 723  
[www.prostejov.eu](http://www.prostejov.eu)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

### Plumlov

**July 22–23 2011 Celtic Night**

International music festival at the Plumlov dam

[www.keltska-noc.cz](http://www.keltska-noc.cz)

### Prostějov

**June 14–18 2011 Wolker's Prostějov**

54<sup>th</sup> year of the national poetry festival commemorating

the poet J. Wolker, a native of Prostějov

Tel.: +420 582 351 477

**June–September Prostějov Summer 9+1**

(T. G. Masaryk square, chateau courtyard, aquapark)

music, creative and theatre activities

Tel.: +420 582 329 620, [www.prostejov.eu](http://www.prostejov.eu)

**September 10–11 2011**

**29<sup>th</sup> Annual Prostějov Haná Festival**

Folk festival, fair, Tel.: +420 582 329 620, [www.prostejov.eu](http://www.prostejov.eu)



### Čechy pod Kosířem

**August Čechy pod Kosířem**

**A Day at a Manor House**

Performance at 10am and 2pm, historical costumes,

carriages, and fire engines, [www.cecypk.cz](http://www.cecypk.cz)

## RECOMMENDED:

### Water Park – Prostějov-Krasice

Krasická 6

Tel.: +420 582 330 895, [www.dsp-pv.cz](http://www.dsp-pv.cz)

Recreational, multi-purpose and children's swimming

pool, water attractions.

### Exhibition hall of the Prostějov Chateau

Pernštyňské nám. 8, [www.prostejov.eu](http://www.prostejov.eu)

Opening hours: Mon–Fri 9am – 5pm

Sat, Sun 9am–12noon

### Minibrewery U krále Ječmínka

Újezd 4, Prostějov, Tel.: +420 582 346 401





# Mammoths, brewery, tennis, and a castle packed with of special events

## Extra TIP

In Přerov, visit the Bečva lagoons, where the Přerov Festival of Dragon Boats takes place every summer. There are also many playgrounds with plenty of equipment to delight children. Refreshing shade is offered by the trees of the Michalov Park, quite close to the of the Michalov Station or the Přerov Ornithological Station. If you wish, you may also ride along the unique Bečva Cycling Trail. [www.prerov.eu](http://www.prerov.eu), [www.cyklostezkabečva.com](http://www.cyklostezkabečva.com)

The region will welcome you with a beautiful and colourful landscape. You can set out in the mammoth tracks to an important archaeological discovery site or learn about the renowned teacher of nations – John Amos Comenius. The Medieval castle Helfštýn is truly enchanting not only thanks to its vastness but also because it holds permanent exhibits of works by blacksmith artists.

## Přerov *Heritage of the teacher of nations*

(p. 5 → F7) GPS: 49°27'18.396"N, 17°27'3.248"E

The Přerov Renaissance Chateau, surrounded by a picturesque square, is the seat of the Comenius Museum – the oldest museum dedicated to pedagogy in the Czech Republic. The tour includes climbing the castle tower for a wonderful view. In the town centre, there is the charming Neo-Renaissance City House, with Art Nouveau elements. Various cultural events take place here – among the most important of them is a jazz festival. Children will be delighted by the half-metre-tall puppets in the Přerov puppet theatre. In addition to culture and history, Přerov also boasts sports centres, including one of the largest tennis court complexes in the Czech Republic, and numerous other opportunities to stretch your body. There is also an indoor pool, as well as an outdoor swimming pool with heated water. The Michalov town park is great for walks; the Bečva bike trail, which crosses it, is also suitable for in-line skating. In Přerov, there is also the ORNIS ornithology station, with the largest exhibition of birds in Central Europe. For lovers of nature and learning, thematic educational walks through the town and its surroundings are the perfect choice.

## Educational historical trail "Through Předmostí to Prehistory"

(p. 5 → F7) GPS: 49°28'9.998"N, 17°26'26"E

The trail leads through the site where 25 thousand years ago the mammoth hunters camped. If you like history, follow the blue trail markings on an 8-kilometer-long hike with 9 stops. The trail starts at the Předmostí residential area, by a sculpture "Dig into Prehistory" (about 50 m from the cemetery, close to the parking lot and the bus stop). The highest point of the trail is the Čekyřský Hill (305 meters above sea level), holding a life-size statue of a juvenile mammoth. [www.mu-prerov.cz](http://www.mu-prerov.cz)



## Lipník nad Bečvou

*The Magic of History*

(p. 5 → E8) GPS: 49°31'39.169"N, 17°35'10.707"E



As the other one of the two town heritage zones in the Olomouc Region, the historical centre of Lipník offers Renaissance buildings, the town hall, Baroque fountains, and St. Jacob's Church with a unique bell tower.

The castle (the interior is not open to tourists) is surrounded by a landscaped park with a remarkable roof garden. The oldest synagogue in Moravia and two Jewish cemeteries recall the local Jewish history and culture.

**Guide services:** Present

May–September, daily except Mon at 10am and 2pm  
Free guided narrated tours of the town heritage zone. Tours start on the T. G. Masaryk Square in front of the Tourist Information Centre. For more information and reservations, call or visit the TIC.

## Helfštýn Castle

*Stone and Metal That Are Not Cold*

(p. 5 → E8) GPS: 49°31'4.461"N, 17°37'43.269"E



Helfštýn, one of the largest castles with the longest castle walls in the Czech Republic. You can view the castle premises on your own or with a guide. The tour includes a permanent exhibit of blacksmith art and a historical mint. For more than a quarter of a century, every year this major medieval structure comes alive with the famous gathering of artistic blacksmiths – Hefaiston.

**Helfštýn Castle**, Týn nad Bečvou Free

Tel.: +420 581 797 093, [www.helfstyn.cz](http://www.helfstyn.cz)  
Guided tours March 22–October; 31 for groups of minimum of 9 people.  
Guided tours not available during all-day events.  
Opening hours: April, September–October Tue–Sun 9am–5pm, May–August Tue–Sun 9am–6pm



**Přerov** Sale  
Kratochvílova 14  
Tel.: +420 581 217 187, [www.prerov.eu](http://www.prerov.eu)  
IC Předmostí, Tel.: +420 581 217 404



**Lipník nad Bečvou** Sale  
nám. T. G. Masaryka 13  
Tel.: +420 581 773 763, [www.mesto-lipnik.cz](http://www.mesto-lipnik.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

**Přerov**

**June 17–18 2011 The Castle and the Village**  
folk festival, Tel.: +420 732 119 050

**August 5–7 2011 Přerov Fest**  
nám. TGM, Přerov, Tel.: +420 581 205 131, [www.mu-prerov.cz](http://www.mu-prerov.cz)

**October 20–22 2011**  
**Czechoslovak Jazz Festival Přerov 2011**  
Tel.: +420 581 205 131, +420 606 961 192, [www.csjfi.cz](http://www.csjfi.cz)

**Dřevohostice**

**July 30–31 2011**  
**International Festival of Brass Music**  
Tel.: +420 581 297 911, [www.drevohostice.cz](http://www.drevohostice.cz)

**Lipník nad Bečvou**  
**June 10–11 2011 Záhorský Festival**  
Folk festival, Tel.: +420 581 771 142  
[www.mesto-lipnik.cz](http://www.mesto-lipnik.cz)

**July 21–24 2011 St. Jakub's Feast**  
festival, Tel.: +420 581 771 142,  
+420 581 722 255

**August 26–28 2011, Helfštýn Castle**  
**HEFAISTON**  
International gathering of artistic blacksmiths  
Tel.: +420 581 797 093, [www.helfstyn.cz](http://www.helfstyn.cz)

## RECOMMENDED:

**Comenius Museum Přerov** Free   
Horní náměstí 7, Tel.: +420 581 250 531  
[www.prerovmuzeum.cz](http://www.prerovmuzeum.cz)  
Opening hours: year-round  
Tue–Fri 8am–5pm, Sat–Sun 9am–5pm

**Zubř Brewery**, Komenského 35, Přerov  
Tel.: +420 581 270 111, [www.zubry.cz](http://www.zubry.cz)  
Free excursions (only for persons above the age of 18, and in some cases 15). Must be booked one week in advance, tours for groups of minimum of 10 people  
Opening hours: Mon–Wed 8am–2pm

**Pod Helfštýnem Rope Course** 20%  
Týn nad Bečvou, Tel.: +420 774 178 538  
[www.lanovy-park.cz](http://www.lanovy-park.cz). Test your courage and dexterity on rope obstacles hung above the ground between the trees, of course under the supervision of trained instructors. Route with 11 obstacles, 4 metres above the ground. Opening hours: by appointment, for a group of 5 or more, [info@lanovy-park.cz](mailto:info@lanovy-park.cz).

**Mustang Horse Farm – Veselíčko**, horseback riding  
Tel.: +420 603 870 308, [www.rancmustangveselicko.cz](http://www.rancmustangveselicko.cz)



# Caves, spa wellness and mills

## Did you know...?

The Zbrašov Aragonite Caves were discovered at the end of 1912 by the Chromý brothers. If you decide to visit the caves, you will learn these are the warmest caves in the Czech Republic, as well as many interesting tidbits from their history. Walking on the smoothed paths in the caves, you will reach the spot where St. Anthony stands, allegedly fulfilling people's wishes. If you are lucky, you will also see cave sprites.

[www.jeskyne.cz](http://www.jeskyne.cz)

## Hranice

Rich history,  
modern water park

(p. 5 →E9) GPS: 49°32'52.675"N, 17°44'4.892"E



The town offers many points of interest for those who truly enjoy sightseeing. Some of the fantastic sights include the Renaissance castle with a unique roofed courtyard or a synagogue now used as a modern art exhibition hall. The nearby cemetery reminds Hranice's visitors of the historical local Jewish community.



**B**eautiful walks through cities and the countryside, famous spas, unique caves and a gorge surrounded by legends... But also windmills, picturesque small churches, wayside shrines and crosses in the shade of trees. Welcome to the region of Hranice, a charming hilly landscape of dozens of towns and villages! In each and every one of them, you can find a reason for coming back to this region. Be it beautiful countryside, landmarks or cultural and social events. Why not make a trip here on a bike?

## In the Footsteps of Mills

Accessible both by car and bicycle, tours can be booked by phone. For those interested in traditions and mill technology, there is the bike trail "In the Footsteps of the Harnessing the Water and Wind".



[www.regionhranicko.cz/cyklotrasy](http://www.regionhranicko.cz/cyklotrasy), Tel.: +420 733 137 754

**Skalička – Červek Mill**  
(p. 5 →E9) GPS: 49°30'55.436"N, 17°47'45.117"E  
Tel.: +420 736 180 770, [www.povetnik.cz](http://www.povetnik.cz)  
[www.obec.skalička.net](http://www.obec.skalička.net), [www.hranicko.eu](http://www.hranicko.eu)

**Partutovice – Maršálek Windmill**  
(p. 5 →D9) GPS: 49°37'52.757"N, 17°42'29.136"E  
Tel.: +420 581 625 293, +420 777 198 570  
[www.povetnik.cz](http://www.povetnik.cz), [www.hranicko.eu](http://www.hranicko.eu)

**Stráž nad Ludinou, Humplík Water Mill and Mineral Museum** (p. 5 →D9)  
GPS: 49°36'33.618"N, 17°44'20.07"E  
Tel.: +420 581 626 202, +420 733 137 754  
[www.strazenzl.cz](http://www.strazenzl.cz), [www.hranicko.eu](http://www.hranicko.eu)



## Teplice nad Bečvou Spa

Unique healing source

(p. 5 →E9) GPS: 49°31'53.472"N, 17°44'32.238"E

The spa located on the banks of the Bečva River offers attractive and peaceful green parks and, above all, high-quality services. It specialises in top-quality physical cardiotherapy for its clients, emphasising the prevention of cardiac arrests and strokes, as well as relaxation. As one of only a few facilities in the Czech Republic, it provides therapeutic frost treatment in the Arktika Polarium. The clients may also use the newly opened Moravan wellness centre.



**Teplice nad Bečvou Spa**  10%  
Teplice nad Bečvou 63  
Call centre: +420 581 818 181, [www.tlnb.cz](http://www.tlnb.cz)


## Zbrašov Aragonite Caves and the Hranice Gorge

The warmest caves and the deepest place

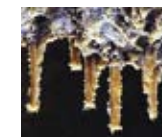
(p. 5 →E9) GPS: 49°31'54.584"N, 17°44'44.389"E, 49°31'57.998"N, 17°45'1.998"E




Caves of European importance. Remarkable formations are composed of the mineral aragonite, and the site also features raft stalagmites and walls with spherical incrustations known as doughnuts. Thanks to the temperature (14 °C) of the air inside, these caves are the warmest in the Czech Republic. Hranice Gorge, the deepest in the CR, is to be found near the caves. Its bottom has not been reached as yet. The dry part of the gorge, visible from the top, is 69.5 m deep; the total documented depth is 289.5 m. The gorge is freely accessible, by following the educational trail of the National Nature Reserve Hůrka near Hranice.

[www.caves.cz](http://www.caves.cz), <http://propast.speleo.cz>  22–40%  
Tel.: +420 581 601 866

Opening hours of the caves:  
March, November: by special appointment  
April, September, October: Tue–Sun  
9am–4pm May, June: Tue–Fri 9am–4pm, Sat–Sun  
9am–5pm July, August: Tue–Sun 9am–5pm



**Hranice**, Masarykovo nám. 71  
Tel.: +420 581 607 479  
[www.mic.hranet.cz](http://www.mic.hranet.cz)  Sale

## Potštát Simple beauty

(p. 5 →D8) GPS: 49°38'12.939"N, 17°39'6.247"E

The historical square dominated by a clock tower with a Baroque onion dome and the local chateau are among the most precious sights. The surrounding area invites visitors for trips, e.g. to the Lipná village where there is a small Baroque wooden church.

Tel.: +420 581 624 270, [www.potstat.cz](http://www.potstat.cz)



## On Horseback

Horse trail in the Potštát Region

In 2011, a new 31-kilometre horse trail will be opened in the Potštát Region, connecting the villages around the town of Potštát.

**Rouské, JUKO Riding Stables**

GPS: 49°28'18.244"N, 17°46'44.916"E  
**Horse-drawn carriage rides, horse or pony rides.**  
Tel.: +420 581 622 708, +420 603 973 049,  
+420 739 048 258, <http://rouske.zahoran.cz>

**Slavič, Coufalík Kolňa Riding and Tourist Stables**

GPS: 49°32'35.387"N, 17°39'23.176"E  
Hippotherapy, horse-drawn carriage rides, skijoring,  
food and accommodation. Tel.: +420 604 837 026

**Středolesí – Evžen Blecha Riding Club**

GPS: 49°32'52.675"N, 17°44'4.892"E, Tel.: +420 776 823 330  
Horse riding lessons, guided rides around the surrounding area.

**Hluzov – R Appaloosa's Farm**

GPS: 49°32'31.452"N, 17°46'42.144"E   
Western horse breeding, training, advanced horse riding, jockey training and indoor riding hall.  
Tel.: +420 608 148 574, +420 774 066 819  
[www.rappaloosasfarm.cz](http://www.rappaloosasfarm.cz)

**Potštát Stable – Kovářov**



GPS: 49°39'30"N, 17°38'52"E, Tel.: +420 605 259 879

**Boňkov Stable**, GPS: 49°36'16"N, 17°41'10"E

Tel.: +420 732 751 269, [www.stajbonkov.estranky.cz](http://www.stajbonkov.estranky.cz)



## RECOMMENDED:

 **Hranice Water Park, Žáčkova ul.**  55%  
Tel.: +420 581 606 060, +420 581 606 666  
[www.aquaparkplovamahranice.cz](http://www.aquaparkplovamahranice.cz)  
Indoor water park with a broad selection of attractions and services

## EXTRA TIP!

Hranice: an access to the Town hall tower plus guided tours is available for visitors.  
Tel.: +420 581 607 479, [www.mic.hranet.cz](http://www.mic.hranet.cz)



# The fascinating heritage of our forefathers and the Haná Ride of the Kings



## Extra TIP

What was it like in the time when princesses and princes lived? You will learn the answer during your visit to the fascinating Tovačov Chateau. And did you know that wishes are also fulfilled here? All you have to do is find the spot from which you can see yourself in two mirrors at once and stroke the statue of a lion at the foot of a unique staircase, a copy of the one in the Viennese State Opera. <http://zamek.tovacov.cz>

## Tovačov

*Town under the Graceful Tower*

(p. 5 → F5) GPS: 49°25'48.89"N, 17°17'29.801"E

The almost 100-metre Graceful Tower of the Tovačov Chateau offers a superb view of the town surrounded with water and alluvial woods. The entrance portal of the tower (1492) is designated as the oldest Italian Renaissance work in the country. Tovačov attracts with its nature, spectacular ponds, lakes, and a great number of interesting events. [www.tovacov.cz](http://www.tovacov.cz)

## Kojetín

*Authentic Haná Feast*

(p. 5 → G6) GPS: 49°21'6.459"N, 17°18'7.442"E



The Baroque church with a double tower is the dominant feature of this town. Likewise worthy of interest is the local town hall or the Marian Baroque column. One of the oldest synagogues and a Jewish cemetery recall the local Jewish community. The folk festival Kojetín Feast is famous for its Ride of the Kings. Enjoy active relaxation at the water centre with three swimming pools. [www.kojetin.cz](http://www.kojetin.cz)

## Kroměříž Chest full of jewels

GPS: 49°17'52.268"N, 17°23'35.219"E



The centre is a town heritage zone and thanks to its numerous architectural treasures it is called "The Athens of Haná". Some important features of the heritage zone include the Archbishop's Castle and Gardens, the square, quaint streets, ancient houses and monumental churches.

Another point of interest is the Kroměříž Regional Museum, which manages the Memorial of Max Švabinský – the native to Kroměříž and an acknowledged painter. Do not miss the cultural events for which the town is well-known.

### Kroměříž Regional Museum

Velké náměstí 38, Tel.: +420 573 338 388  
[www.muzeum-km.cz](http://www.muzeum-km.cz), Opening hours:  
year-round: Tue–Sun 9am–12pm, 1pm–5pm



### Archbishop's Castle and Gardens

One of the most important monuments in Moravia, inscribed on the UNESCO List. For centuries the castle was the seat of Olomouc bishops and archbishops. The picture gallery inside contains a rare collection of paintings and is world-famous for its priceless treasure – The Flaying of Marsyas by Titian. The extensive archbishop's wine cellars beneath the castle entice visitors to sample the local wine. The Castle Gardens and the Floral Gardens feature unique gardening architecture. They boast of a great number of ponds, fountains, romantic structures, and they contain many rare plants and trees.



Castle tours: Historical rooms (90 min), Castle Picture Gallery (60 min), Sala terrena (30 min), Tower (30 min), Bishop's Mint (30 min)

#### Opening hours Castle:

April, October: Sat–Sun 9am–4pm  
May, June, September: 9am–5pm  
July, August: 9am–6pm

**Gardens:** in summer 7am–7pm; in winter 7am–4pm for reservations of castle and mint tours, call +420 573 502 011 [www.azz.cz](http://www.azz.cz)

#### Archbishop's Castle Wine

Tel.: +420 573 336 922, [www.arcibiskupskevino.cz](http://www.arcibiskupskevino.cz)



**Kojetín**, Masarykovo nám. 8  
Tel.: +420 581 202 202, [www.kojetin.cz](http://www.kojetin.cz)



**Kroměříž**, Velké náměstí 50/45  
Tel./fax: +420 573 331 473  
[www.mesto-kromeriz.cz](http://www.mesto-kromeriz.cz)



## Chropyně

*Emil Filla Birthplace*

GPS: 49°21'23.191"N, 17°21'52.238"E

The dominant feature of the town is the early Baroque chateau connected to the legend of Haná King Ječmínek. The historical rooms contain a rare collection of historical weapons and an exhibit of local people of importance: Emil Axman, and above all, the famous Cubist painter Emil Filla. The adjacent Chateau Pond is a National Cultural Heritage.

[www.muchropyne.cz](http://www.muchropyne.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

**Kojetín**

**August 12–14 2011 Kojetín Feast 2011**  
Tel.: +420 581 762 046, [www.kojetin.cz/meks](http://www.kojetin.cz/meks)

**Tovačov**

**August 13 2011 Tovačov Portal**  
Folk festival  
Tel.: +420 723 334 794, [www.tovacov.cz](http://www.tovacov.cz)

**September 25 2011 Feast of Tovačov**  
Tel.: +420 723 334 794, [www.tovacov.cz](http://www.tovacov.cz)

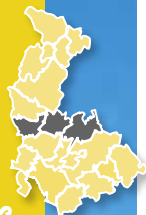
## RECOMMENDED:



**Tovačov Chateau** Free  
Tel.: +420 581 731 309, +420 723 334 794  
[www.tovacov.cz](http://www.tovacov.cz)

Opening hours:  
April, May, September: Wed, Sat, Sun 1pm–5pm  
June–August: Tue–Sun 10am–5pm  
October: only by advanced reservation





# A castle full of entertainment, European Championship races and attractive trips

## Extra TIP

Whether you are looking for a nice place for a family trip or are one of those who do not have a family just yet but are planning a fairytale wedding, Šternberk Castle is a great location for you. As a testimonial to its attractiveness, let's mention the fact that more than 70 wedding ceremonies took place here last year, as well as the Wedding Day expo. Come and be inspired! [www.hrad-sterberk.cz](http://www.hrad-sterberk.cz)

## Šternberk In the rhythm of time and engines

(p. 5 → C5) GPS: 49°43'49.601"N, 17°17'55.999"E

The castle and the Church of the Annunciation of the Lord with the adjacent former Augustinian Cloister are precious treasures. The cloister holds the Hanke Gallery with works of this important Baroque painter. A special information system, which you can use while on the tour, will help you discover the past of the town and its monuments. In summer the town comes alive with many events. [www.sternberk.eu](http://www.sternberk.eu)

## Ecce Homo Šternberk

### European Hill Climb Championship

For more than a century, each year the best European drivers come to Šternberk to compete on the famous Ecce Homo track. [www.eccehomo.cz](http://www.eccehomo.cz), GPS: 49°43'36.27"N, 17°18'10.821"E

Near Olomouc, three tourist locations neighbour with each other. They boast a unique combination of nature, historical monuments, as well as a world famous race and excellent beer. Together they create an unusual selection of experiences. Learn more!



## Šternberk Castle

### National Cultural Heritage

The castle was often rebuilt, expanded and modified so it is possible to find elements of all the architectural styles here – from the Gothic style to Classicism. The interior is interesting for its artistic decoration from the 14<sup>th</sup>–19<sup>th</sup> century and for pieces of art by Dutch, Italian, German and Czech artists. Extremely rare is a group of Gothic and Renaissance wood sculptures, as well as a unique collection of tiled stoves. For foreigners there are audio guides available while touring the castle.

GPS: 49°43'59.63"N, 17°18'5.231"E  
Tel.: +420 585 012 935, +420 602 543 562, [www.hrad-sterberk.cz](http://www.hrad-sterberk.cz)  
Opening hours: April, October: Sat, Sun and holidays 10am–6pm, May, June, September: Tue–Sun 10am–6pm, July–August: Tue–Sun 10am–6pm (every other Saturday until 8pm)

## Uničov Town of Rises and Downfalls

(p. 5 → B4) GPS: 49°46'15.299"N, 17°17'17.171"E

The town of Uničov, boasting the oldest surviving founding charter in the Czech Republic, dating back to 1213, has many landmarks to be proud of. Chief among these are the Neo-Gothic Church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary and the Church of the Elevation of the Holy Cross, restored in the Baroque style after a fire. Today, it serves as a concert hall and a gallery. To remind visitors of history, there are the local museums. For relaxation, visit the outdoor swimming pool with a water slide, an indoor pool and various other sporting facilities. [www.unicov.cz](http://www.unicov.cz), [www.unicovsko.cz](http://www.unicovsko.cz)

## Sovinec Castle Packed full of events

(p. 5 → A5) GPS: 49°50'15.1"N, 17°14'46.94"E

The mysterious castle lies approximately 15 km far from Uničov. It used to be an important Hussite fortress and jail, and a SS base. The observation tower provides a splendid view of the natural park landscape. During the season the castle holds a continuous string of events. [www.sovinec.cz](http://www.sovinec.cz)

Tel.: +420 554 295 113, +420 777 205 029, Opening hours: April, October: Sat–Sun 9am–5pm May–September: Tue–Sun 9am–5pm



## Rešovské Falls

(p. 5 → A5) GPS: 49°52'47.078"N, 17°12'39.569"E

Cascades on Huntava Stream formed by the canyon pass. Wooden footbridges and steps run along the waterfalls. Rešov is about 20 km away from Šternberk and you can get there by taking road No. 370; the parking lot is in front of the restaurant. Then you have to walk a 3-kilometer-long marked trail to reach the waterfalls. [www.rymarovsko.cz](http://www.rymarovsko.cz)

## Litovel The Venice of Haná

(p. 5 → C4) GPS: 49°42'4.361"N, 17°4'34.135"E

Six branches of the Morava River flow through this town, which is aptly called "The Venice of Haná". Built in 1592, St. John's Bridge is one of the most important sites – the third oldest functioning stone bridge in the country. The square holds a town hall with a 72-metre observation tower, offering a beautiful view. An educational trail Historical Litovel will teach you about the monuments in the city centre; other two educational trails take visitors to the surrounding nature. You can

refresh yourself with a beer from the local brewery, which heralds more than a hundred-year tradition.



**Šternberk, ČSA 19** Tel.: +420 587 571 243, [www.sternberk.eu](http://www.sternberk.eu)  
**Uničov, Dr. Beneše 15** Tel.: +420 585 054 880, [www.unicov.cz](http://www.unicov.cz), [www.mkzunicov.cz](http://www.mkzunicov.cz)  
**Litovel, nám. Přemysla Otakara 754** Tel.: +420 585 371 076, [www.mestolitovel.cz](http://www.mestolitovel.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

### Šternberk

**June 4–5 2011 Šternberk, Ecce Homo**  
European Hill Climb Championships  
Tel.: +420 585 013 400, [www.eccehomo.cz](http://www.eccehomo.cz)

**August Šternberk, Šternberk Mound**  
8<sup>th</sup> annual rock festival, Tel.: +420 736 534 798

**September 9–11 2011 Šternberk, Ecce Homo Historic**  
Vintage car climb races, Tel.: +420 585 013 400, [www.eccehomo.cz](http://www.eccehomo.cz)

### Litovel

**June 11 2011 Litovel, The Venice of Haná**  
Town festival, Tel.: +420 585 341 633

**August Litovelský otvřák**, Excursion to the brewery, music and entertainment programme  
[www.litovel.cz](http://www.litovel.cz)

**October Bobr Cup 2011**, International Czech Championships of extreme 3-man team relays,  
Tel.: +420 585 342 941  
[www.inrace.cz](http://www.inrace.cz), [www.freelitovelsport.cz](http://www.freelitovelsport.cz)

## RECOMMENDED:

**Guided tours of Uničov** from July to August begin every Tuesday at 10 am (other days available by appointment; call 585 054 880) at the town information centre. The duration is 2 hours and you will get to visit otherwise inaccessible locations.

**The Penal Museum**, Příční 205, Uničov  
Tel.: +420 734 513 953, Opening hours:  
September–June: Wed, Thu, Fri, Sun: 2pm–5pm  
July, August: Tue–Sun: 10am–12noon, 2pm–5pm

**The Museum of the Baroque**  
Kostelní náměstí 153, Uničov, Tel.: +420 602 395 271

**Litovel Museum**, Smyčková 795   
Tel.: +420 585 341 465, [www.muzeumlitovel.cz](http://www.muzeumlitovel.cz)  
Opening hours: June–September: Wed–Sun 9am–5pm  
October–May: Wed–Sun 9am–4pm

**Litovel Town Hall Tower**   
Narrated climb up of the tower, reservations at the information centre, minimum of 7 people required or the minimum charge of CZK 100, Tel.: +420 585 371 076  
Opening hours: within the Information Centre opening hours, always at 1 and 2 pm

**Litovel Brewery**  
Palackého 934, Tel.: +420 585 493 580, [www.litovel.cz](http://www.litovel.cz)  
Excursion including tasting for groups (of minimum of 15 people), must be booked in advance.



# Enchanting landmarks, nature, caves and Litovel beer



## Did you know...?

Bouzov Castle is very popular among filmmakers. The list of classic Czech fairy tales filmed in the interiors of the castle includes perennial favourites such as Arabella Returns, The Kingdom of Streams, Ondřej the Bear, Princess Fantaghiro and others.  
[www.hrad-bouzov.cz](http://www.hrad-bouzov.cz)

## The Chateau in Náměšť na Hané

*Spectacular interiors, rare collections*

(p. 5 → D4) GPS: 49°35'54.55"N, 17°45'8.09"E



Come and visit the early Classical chateau in the French style, standing in the middle of a circular park with four paths running in the cardinal directions of the compass, lined with linden trees over 200 years old. During the tour of the chateau, you can admire rare collections which are nowhere else to be seen. These include a collection of antique prams, a valuable collection of Meissen porcelain and an exhibition of the carriages of the Archbishops, from the 18<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries.



**The Chateau in Náměšť na Hané** Free  
Tel.: +420 585 952 184, <http://zamek.namestnahane.cz>  
Opening hours: April, October: Sat, Sun, holidays 9am–4pm, May–September: Tue–Sun 9am–5pm  
The last tour is always 1 hour before closing.  
Saturday mornings reserved for weddings.

## Bouzov Castle

*National Cultural Heritage*

(p. 5 → C2) GPS: 49°42'17.71"N, 16°53'22.11"E

One of the most visited and most graceful castles in the country dominates the landscape of rolling green hills around the town of Bouzov. The magical and attractive surrounding area of the castle has drawn countless producers of both Czech and foreign fairytales. Remodelled for the last time in 1910, the spectacular castle creates a perfect illusion of the medieval times and attracts great attention with its bright red roofs and towers. There are several tours available, including the castle observation tower. Historical performances with an attractive program and displays of the historical weapons are also on offer.

**Bouzov Castle** Free

Tel.: +420 585 346 202, [www.hrad-bouzov.cz](http://www.hrad-bouzov.cz)

Opening hours: April, October: Sat, Sun, holidays 9am–3pm May, September: Tue–Sun 9am–4pm June–August: Tue–Sun 9am–6pm (last tour always 1 to 1.5 hour before closing)



## Bílá Lhota *National Nature Landmark*

(p. 5 → C3) GPS: 49°42'35.289"N, 16°58'35.24"E

Nature lovers will find walking around the peaceful pond an ideal spot for relaxation. The arboretum of nearly 3 hectares holds almost 500 species of both European and exotic decorative trees. The original trees, planted here at the time when the park was founded in around 1700, are a true rarity.

**Bílá Lhota Arboretum** Free

Tel.: +420 585 340 075, +420 585 340 081, [www.volny.cz/arboretum](http://www.volny.cz/arboretum)

Opening hours: April, October: Sat–Sun 9am–5pm  
May–September: Tue–Sun 8am–6pm



## Javoříčko Caves

*Exceptional variety of stalactites*

(p. 5 → C2) GPS: 49°40'13.791"N, 16°54'48.51"E

The Javoříčko Caves are admired for the unique stalactite beauty of the underground kingdom. The passages in the complicated underground complex connect giant and sensitively lit domes and halls full of bizarrely shaped stalactites, which are rich in both forms and shapes. The caves are considered one of the most beautiful ones in the Czech Republic. There are two tours available – 800 m or 450 m long.



**Javoříčko Caves** 17–40%  
Tel.: +420 585 345 451, [www.caves.cz](http://www.caves.cz)  
Opening hours: April: Tue–Sun 9am–3pm  
May–September: Tue–Sun 9am–5pm  
October: Tue–Sun 9am–3pm



## SELECTED EVENTS:

**Náměšť na Hané**

**July 1–4 2011 Zahrada**

Festival, 22<sup>nd</sup> annual international multi-genre festival (folk, world, folk rock, ethno, country, bluegrass, jazz, tramp blues), Tel.: +420 222 541 889, +420 585 951 399  
[www.folkcountry.cz](http://www.folkcountry.cz)

**Bouzov**

**August Craft Market, A Castle Ringing with Songs,**

Tel.: +420 585 346 202  
[www.hrad-bouzov.cz](http://www.hrad-bouzov.cz)

**August**

**Balloons over the Castle**

Gathering of hot-air balloons  
Tel.: +420 585 346 205



## RECOMMENDED:

**Trojan Horse** – Probably the largest wooden structure of a horse (15 m) in the world, inside gallery – Bouzov Castle grounds

**Sightseeing flights over Bouzov**

Aero Club Šumperk  
Information: Tel.: +420 608 147 934, +420 583 212 067

**Horseback riding, carriages**

Jan Pokorný, Bouzov–Obecov 33  
Tel.: +420 585 346 155  
<http://staj-bouzov.webpark.cz>





# Unique power plant, tvarůžky cheeses and hunting collections

## Extra TIP

If you are an admirer of various technical achievements, you shouldn't miss the water power plant in the part of Třeština known as Háj during your visit to the Mohelnice region. It was built in the 1890s by Hubert Plhák, the owner of the local mill, and is a national cultural heritage site. Nearby, there is another intriguing landmark – the Háj villa and several riding halls.  
[www.ic.regionmohelnicko.cz](http://www.ic.regionmohelnicko.cz)

## Mohelnice

### Annual Tramping Gathering

(p. 5 → B3) GPS: 49°46'37.144"N, 16°55'10.062"E

The most important Mohelnice sights and monuments include a square-shaped St. Thomas of Canterbury tower and a Bishop's castle, where you can visit a museum with interesting exhibits. Come enjoy the events organized here – the

most famous is the Mohelnice Stagecoach, one of the most prestigious music festivals in the CR. If you wish to spend your spare time in an active way choose the recreation centre Morava Auto-Camp or any of the many tourist and bike trails.

What does "the Mohelnice region" suggest to you? The Mohelnice Stagecoach, the Hunting and Forestry Museum at the Úsov Chateau or the Olomoucké tvarůžky curd cheese? Yes, all these are connected to this region, lying between Central Moravia and the Jeseníky Mountains. And did you know that in Loštice, where tvarůžky have been made for centuries, there is also the historically first vending machine for this gourmet cheese? Choose whatever suits you best from this region's menu!



## Mladeč Caves

Underground mystery linked to the history of mankind

(p. 5 → C3) GPS: 49°42'23.211"N, 17°0'56.713"E

The caves are located in the Litovel Morava River Basin protected nature area. The underground spaces are richly decorated with stalactites and sintered crusts. Among the most beautiful parts of the caves are the so-called "Nature's Temple" and "Virgin Cave." Findings of human bones and stone tools document the long and rich history of these caves.

**Mladeč Caves**, Tel.: +420 585 347 148, [www.caves.cz](http://www.caves.cz)  
Opening hours: April: Tue–Sun 9am–3pm  
May–September: Tue–Sun 9am–4pm  
October: Tue–Sun 9am–3pm



## Loštice Golden treasure of the Haná people

(p. 5 → B2,3) GPS: 49°44'46.097"N, 16°55'40.13"E



In the museum close to the central square of Loštice, you can discover the secret of the production of Olomoucké tvarůžky – the only original Czech cheese, with its distinctive strong taste and aroma. This unique delicacy, well known in the Czech Republic and abroad, has been made in the local factory for more than 130 years. A visit to the museum takes you through the exhibition and also gives you an opportunity to watch an interesting film about the history of the production of tvarůžky in Loštice. The cheese itself may be bought in the factory shop (Mon–Fri 7.30am–6pm, Sat 8am–12noon, 12.30pm–3.30 pm) or the unique vending machine in the hallway of the U Coufalů restaurant.

## Úsov Chateau with a unique museum

(p. 5 → B3) GPS: 49°47'56.57"N, 17°0'52.031"E



One of the oldest preserved northern Moravian chateaux seats a unique hunting-forestry museum, unique in Central Europe. While visiting, you can see approximately ten thousand exhibits, from various stuffed exotic and local animal species, antlers and insects, to models of forestry constructions, hunting and poaching weapons and other curios.

### Hunting-Forestry Museum, Úsov Chateau

Zámecká 1, Tel.: +420 583 435 111  
[www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni](http://www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni)  
Opening hours:  
April, October:  
Sat, Sun, holidays 9am–12pm, 1pm–4pm  
May–August:  
Tue–Sun 9am–5.30pm  
September: Tue–Sun 9am–12pm, 1pm–4pm

Free Sale



**Mohelnice**, nám. Svobody 1  
Tel.: +420 583 452 111  
[www.ic.regionmohelnicko.cz](http://www.ic.regionmohelnicko.cz)  
[www.regionmohelnicko.cz](http://www.regionmohelnicko.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

### Mohelnice

**May 21–22 2011 Truck Trial**  
The toughest truck trial in the CR  
Tel.: +420 602 529 609  
[www.velkacenamohelnice.cz](http://www.velkacenamohelnice.cz)

**August 25–28 2011 Mohelnice Stagecoach**  
38<sup>th</sup> annual music festival of folk and tramp songs  
Tel.: +420 583 430 099, [www.mohelnickydostavnik.cz](http://www.mohelnickydostavnik.cz)

### Loštice

**May The Loštice Tvarůžky Walk**  
[www.mu-lostice.cz](http://www.mu-lostice.cz)

**June The Loštice Festival of Music and Tvarůžky**  
[www.mu-lostice.cz](http://www.mu-lostice.cz)

## RECOMMENDED:

### Mohelnice Museum

Kostelní náměstí 3  
Tel.: +420 583 430 693  
[www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni](http://www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni)  
Opening hours: year-round:  
Tue–Sat: 9am–12pm, 1pm–4pm

**The Museum of Olomoucké Tvarůžky**  
Palackého 4, Loštice  
Tel.: +420 583 388 610, [www.tvruzky.cz](http://www.tvruzky.cz)  
July–August: Mon–Fri every hour 9am–11am, 12.30pm–3.30pm, Sat–Sun by appointment,  
September–June: only by previous appointment, 8 persons minimum



### Adolf Kašpar Memorial

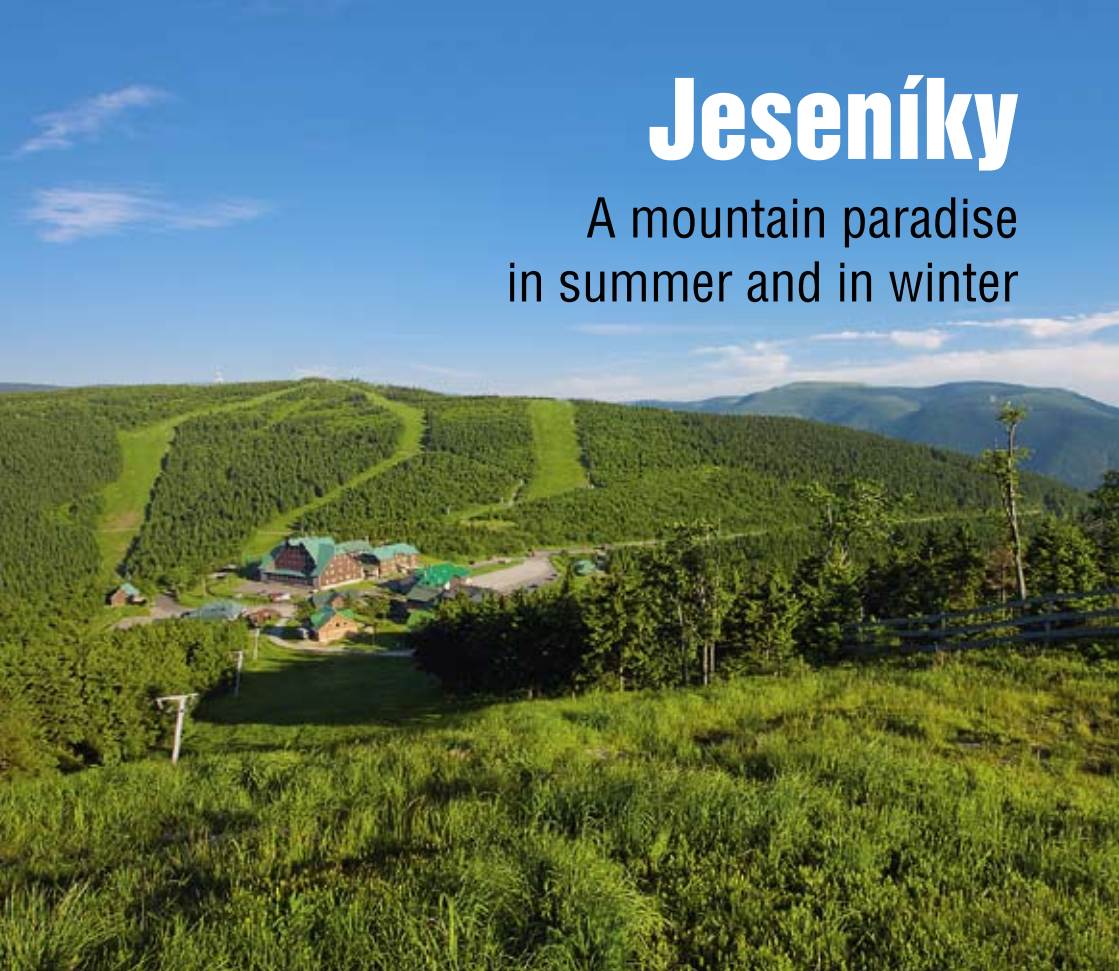
Palackého 343, Loštice, Tel.: +420 583 445 256  
[www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni](http://www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni)  
Opening hours: April–October  
Tue–Sat 9am–12pm, 1pm–4pm

### McTeroz Loštice Delicatessen, Komenského 325

Tel.: +420 583 455 062, [www.mcteroz.cz](http://www.mcteroz.cz)  
Selection of "tvarůžky" specialities

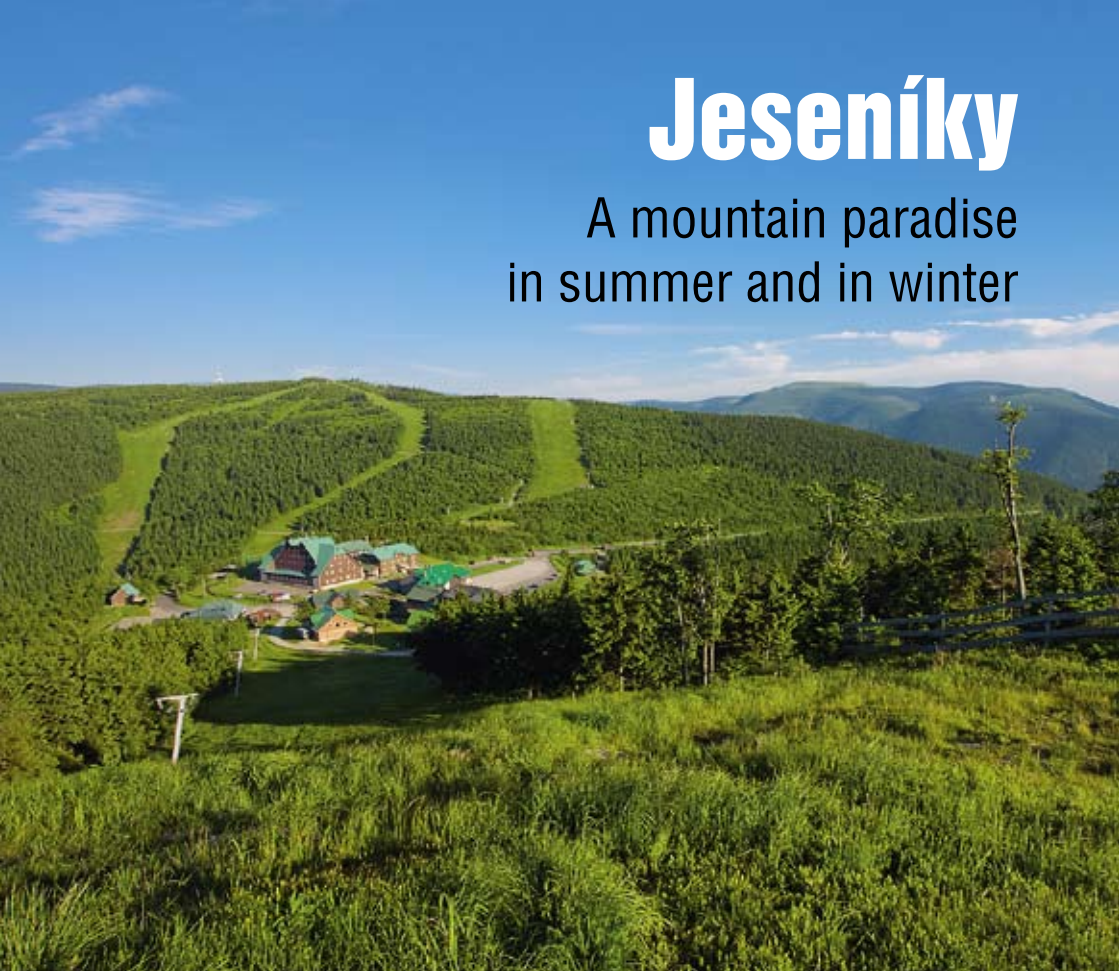






# Jeseníky

A mountain paradise  
in summer and in winter



# Jeseníky

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### Červenohorské Saddle

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# Witch trials, monuments and nature

## Extra TIP

If you want to learn more about the time of the infamous witch trials of the 17<sup>th</sup> century, you must visit Šumperk. The multimedia exhibition in the appropriately furnished cellar of the Geschader House has an unusual guide: the voice of Boblig the Inquisitor himself. Thankfully, only in your headphones! [www.infosumperk.cz](http://www.infosumperk.cz)

You will travel through a peaceful hilly landscape offering relaxation, active tourism and a great number of landmarks and unusual artifacts. Prominent Viennese architects participated in designing Šumperk and while visiting the town, you will understand why it is called "Little Vienna". Zábřeh is usually linked to the name Jan Eskymo Welzl – polar explorer, hunter, gold-miner, and a traveller; while the town of Štítý is connected to Aleš Valenta – Olympic Champion in Acrobatic Skiing.

## Šumperk Gateway to the Jeseníky Mts. (p. 31 → G3)

GPS: 49°57'55"N, 16°58'14"E

Šumperk lies on the main road to Poland and is designated as the southern "Gateway to the Jeseníky Mts.". You will learn about the beauties of the historical centre best on a guided tour, and you can choose from several options. By climbing the town hall tower you will get a fine view not only of the town but also of the fascinating panorama of the Jeseníky Mts. with its highest mountain – Praděd. Try some of the numerous bike trails. And do not miss the folk festival held in August. [www.sumperk.cz](http://www.sumperk.cz)

**Museum of History and Geography**, Hlavní tř. 22, Tel.: +420 583 363 070, [www.muzeum-sumperk.cz](http://www.muzeum-sumperk.cz)  
Opening hours: Tue–Fri 9am–12pm, 12.30pm–5pm, Sat 9am–1pm, Sun 1.15pm–5pm Free  
All areas are not yet handicapped accessible!

**Witch Trials exhibition**, Kladská St, Šumperk Free  
Tel.: +420 603 174 499, +420 583 363 072, [www.muzeum-sumperk.cz](http://www.muzeum-sumperk.cz)  
Opening hours: June, September: Monday–Sunday 9am–3pm, July–August: Monday–Sunday 9am–12noon, 1pm–5pm  
After purchasing a ticket, each visitor will receive the guidePORT™ guiding system, providing them with interesting information about the witch trials of the second half of the 17<sup>th</sup> century and the exhibition itself.

- Guided tours around the town:** Free  
A Walk from the 13<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Where Witches Lived in Šumperk, Origins of "Small Vienna"
- Town hall observation tower** Free  
Nám. Míru 1, Šumperk, Tel.: +420 583 388 610  
Opening hours: June, September: Mon–Sun 9am–3pm, July–August: Mon–Sun 9am–12noon, 1pm–5pm More information available at [www.sumperk.cz](http://www.sumperk.cz)

## Bludov Healthy relaxation

(p. 31 → G2) GPS: 49°56'23.363"N, 16°54'33.761"E

A brand new 4.5 km trail – "Bludov Hillside" educational trail runs through this spa town. Important landmarks include the Žerotín Chateau with gardens, St. George's Church, The Žerotín family tomb, Church of the Corpus Christi, and the family home and memorial of Adolf Kašpar – famous painter and illustrator. The local spa offers relaxation.

**Bludov Spa**, Lázeňská 572, Tel.: +420 583 301 211, [www.lazne-bludov.cz](http://www.lazne-bludov.cz)



## Zábřeh

*In the footsteps of the gold miner Eskymo Welzl*

(p. 31 → H2) GPS: 49°52'57.369"N, 16°52'20.017"E

An exhibit in the town museum is dedicated to the best-known native to Zábřeh, J. E. Welzl (statue near the station). Other points of interest include a fountain, the Plague Column, St. Bartholomew Church with the parish museum, and the ancient town hall with the Tunklův dvorec Gallery. Go-carts, off-road four-wheelers, and an outdoor swimming pool are available for active relaxation. The town is the starting point for many interesting trips into the surrounding area. A new educational trail will take you around the Moravian Sázava valley.



**Zábřeh Museum**, Žižkova 1, Tel.: +420 583 413 646 Free  
[www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni/muzeum-zabreh](http://www.muzeum-sumperk.cz/zarizeni/muzeum-zabreh)  
Open year-round: Tue–Sat 9am–12pm, 1pm–4pm Free

## Štítý, Acrobat Park

*The largest centre of its kind in the world*

(p. 31 → G1) GPS: 49°57'40.7"N, 16°45'34.829"E

The park was co-founded by the Olympic Champion in Acrobatic Skiing, Aleš Valenta, and now it holds international races. Here you can do acrobatic ski jumping or snowboard jumps into water, and many other adrenaline activities available for the public. Anyone can try the jumps under the supervision of trainers. The centre offers other services; including accommodation, equipment rental, and also interesting events you would not be able to see anywhere else!

U Parku 349, Tel./fax: +420 583 440 117, [www.acrobatpark.com](http://www.acrobatpark.com)



- Šumperk**, Hlavní třída 22 Free  
Tel.: +420 583 214 000, [www.infosumperk.cz](http://www.infosumperk.cz)
- Bludov**, A. Kašpara 353 Free  
Tel.: +420 583 238 177 [www.bludov.cz](http://www.bludov.cz)
- Zábřeh**, Čs. armády 1 Free  
Tel.: +420 583 411 653, <http://tourism.zabreh.cz>
- Štítý**, nám. Míru 55 Free  
Tel.: +420 583 440 109, [www.stity.cz](http://www.stity.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

- Šumperk**  
**June Šumperk Town Festival 2011**  
Procession of knights, period fair, other attractions  
Tel.: +420 583 388 610
- June 18 2011 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Blues Aperitif**, Two-day  
Šumperk blues open-air festival, Tel.: +420 583 363 033
- August International Folk Festival**  
Groups from around the world, Tel.: +420 604 978 017  
[www.festivalsumperk.cz](http://www.festivalsumperk.cz)

**Zábřeh**  
**June 26 2011 7 and a Half Fest**  
Multi-genre festival, Tel.: +420 583 415 400

**Štítý**  
**June 25 2011**  
**Gathering at the Bohemia-Moravia Border**  
inhabitants of the Olomouc and Pardubice regions and Polish guests meet at the imaginary Bohemia-Moravia border, Tel.: +420 583 440 109, [www.stity.cz](http://www.stity.cz)

**July Freestyle Czech Open 2011**  
Acrobatic Skiing World Cup, Tel.: +420 583 440 117  
[www.acrobatpark.com](http://www.acrobatpark.com)

**August 14 2011 Štítý Fair**  
Tel.: +420 583 440 109, [www.stity.cz](http://www.stity.cz)

## RECOMMENDED:

- AQUA centre**, Lidická 81, Šumperk  
Tel.: +420 583 214 295, [www.aquacentrum.net](http://www.aquacentrum.net)  
Indoor and outdoor swimming pool, wading pool, sauna, steam, massages, playground, buffet
- Bratrušov Swimming Pool**  
Zemědělská 20, Tel.: +420 583 214 295, +420 602 168 972  
Swimming pool, water slide (90 m), playground, rope climbing pyramid, rental, refreshment, operation: from June 2009
- Na Háji Observation Tower**  
631 meters above sea level, height 29 m  
Tel.: +420 774 664 648, [www.kctsumperk.cz](http://www.kctsumperk.cz)
- Aero Club Šumperk**  
Tel.: +420 583 212 067, [www.aeroklub-sumperk.cz](http://www.aeroklub-sumperk.cz)
- Horseback riding, VIKTORIE RANCH CLUB**  
Bohdíkovská 70, Šumperk  
Tel.: +420 777 114 422, [www.ranchviktorie.cz](http://www.ranchviktorie.cz)  
The horse farm offers cowboy style horseback riding





# Thermal spa, hikes, historical and technical rarities

**Extra  
TIP**

Bathing outdoors in water that has a pleasant temperature of 36.8 degrees Celsius is fantastic! All the more so because the waters of the Velké Losiny thermal springs have healing effects. Whether you are big or small, this is an unforgettable experience. After a refreshing dip, you will have lots of energy to explore Velké Losiny and its surroundings. [www.lazne-losiny.cz](http://www.lazne-losiny.cz)

## Velké Losiny Chateau

*National cultural heritage*

(p. 31 → F3) GPS: 50°1'23.6"N, 17°1'52.781"E

The chateau is dominated by an octagonal tower and decorated with arcades undulating along the three chateau wings in three rows above each other. A national cultural heritage, the chateau interiors illustrate the life noble families led at the 16<sup>th</sup> century. Located on the second floor is the hall of justice and a room in which the infamous witch trials were held in the 17<sup>th</sup> century. Later, they provided inspiration for many books and films.

Tel.: +420 583 248 380, [www.losiny-zamek.cz](http://www.losiny-zamek.cz)  Free  
for information about chateau events, call +420 724 271 615  
Opening hours:  
April, October: Sat–Sun, holidays 9am–12pm, 12.30pm–4pm  
May–August: Tue–Sun 8am–12pm, 12.30pm–5pm  
September: Tue–Sun 9am–12pm, 12.30pm–4pm





## Velké Losiny Thermal Spa

*The oldest thermal spa in Moravia*

(p. 31 → F3) GPS: 50°1'58"N, 17°2'19"E

The recently opened Eliška spa hotel provides a wide array of high-quality services under a single roof. Indulge yourself in a rich selection of spa treatments. There is also a café with a summer terrace. The visitors will appreciate the indoor and outdoor thermal pools with their sulphurous water, with a temperature of 36.8 degrees Celsius.

**Velké Losiny Spa**, Lázeňská 323  10%   
Tel.: +420 583 394 111, [www.lazne-losiny.cz](http://www.lazne-losiny.cz)

**Thermal swimming pool in the spa park**   
Tel.: +420 583 394 223  
May, June, September: Tue–Sun 10.30am–6pm, July–August: Tue–Sun 10.30am–7pm



## The Museum of Paper, Velké Losiny Handmade Paper Mill

*National cultural heritage*

(p. 31 → F3) GPS: 50°1'54.478"N, 17°2'25.408"E

Paper has been continually produced here using traditional manufacturing processes for four hundred years. This exceptional technical monument contains exhibits related to the manufacture history and a section of workshops where visitors can watch how paper is made. The facility includes a gift shop and a restaurant.

**The Museum of Paper, Velké Losiny Handmade Paper Mill**  Free

Tel.: +420 583 248 433, [www.rucnipapirna.cz](http://www.rucnipapirna.cz)

Opening hours: January–April, October–December: Mon–Fri 9am–4pm

May, June, September: Mon–Fri 9am–5 pm, July–August: Mon–Fri 9am–6pm

## Witch Bike Trail 138 km, 20 stops



This themed trail takes riders to locations connected with the witch trials that were held in the Jeseník and Šumperk regions in the 17<sup>th</sup> century. The trail is unique not only thanks to its theme but also to its length – it runs through the entire Jeseníky Mts. and is intended for advanced

hikers. It features 20 stops with commemorative plaques and small memorials recalling the events that took place here. A printed guide is available for the bike trail.



[www.jeseniky-tourism.cz](http://www.jeseniky-tourism.cz), Tel.: +420 583 283 117

## Rapotín



*Agricultural open-air museum, Historic Car Museum, Zoo*

(p. 31 → G3) GPS: 49°58'38.3"N, 17°0'19.9"E

This unique open-air museum has an atmosphere of the old days and memories. There are toys, film props, prams, agricultural, fire, and military equipment, and many other interesting things. Children may ride horses, donkeys and camels and see small caimans. There are facilities for cyclists. The museum is open year-round, including at night by prior arrangement.

U Lávký 34, Rapotín, Tel.: +420 603 870 921, +420 583 216 197  10%  
<http://zemedelskyskanzen.svet-stranek.cz/>, [www.skanzen-rapotin.cz](http://www.skanzen-rapotin.cz) 



**Velké Losiny**, Lázeňská 674  Sale   
Tel.: 583 248 248, [www.losiny.cz](http://www.losiny.cz)

## Small wooden churches Dainty beauty



### St. Martin's Church in Žárová

An important monument of rustic Renaissance architecture dating back to 1610–1611. Tel.: +420 583 295 129  
GPS: 50°3'14.776"N, 17°0'53.801"E

### St. Michael's Church in Maršíkov

Built in 1609, the oblong timber sacral construction of the originally Lutheran church is an important example of Late Renaissance rustic architecture. Tel.: +420 583 248 546  
GPS: 50°2'10.173"N, 17°4'18.463"E

### St. John of Nepomuk's Chapel in Klepáčov

Timber construction with an entrance portal and a hipped roof documents the wooden architecture of the 17<sup>th</sup> century.  
GPS: 50°0'39.5"N, 17°8'42.78"E

## Horseback riding

**Velké Losiny, Petra Stables, Zdeněk Musil**  
Velké Losiny 528, Tel.: +420 728 736 849, +420 775 207 029  
<http://staj-petra.unas.cz>

**Vernířovice, Ranch M, Václav Merta**  
Vernířovice 175, Tel.: +420 583 237 050  
[www.equichannel.cz/ranch-m](http://www.equichannel.cz/ranch-m)  
Enjoy the splendid nature of the Jeseníky region from the Hucul horseback. You can go for a 1-hour ride or stay two weeks.

## SELECTED EVENTS

**Velké Losiny**  
**May Zpěváček**  
Competition of children folk singers  
Tel.: +420 234 621 218, [www.fos.cz](http://www.fos.cz)

**June 17–19 2011 Feast of St. John**  
Traditional feast of the town  
Tel.: +420 583 248 422, +420 583 248 361, [www.losiny.cz](http://www.losiny.cz)

**July–August Losiny Summer of Culture**  
Theatre and music festival at the Velké Losiny Chateau  
Tel.: +420 583 212 293, [www.scarongroup.cz](http://www.scarongroup.cz)



# Up to the mountain peaks for sports, improved health, and a water reservoir



## Extra TIP

You can try the classical types of beer in the newly opened Bravúr microbrewery in Loučná nad Desnou. The Loučná Václav beer on tap is exceptional.  
[www.pivo-vaclav.cz](http://www.pivo-vaclav.cz)


Indeed, you will be on the mountain peaks, at over 1,000 meters above sea level. Whether you choose hiking, biking, adrenaline activities, or sight-seeing (the Dlouhé Stráně Reservoir is located at 1,350 meters above sea level), you will soon realize you will have to come back again to be able to discover all the beauty and attractions of this area. Enjoy the virgin beauty of the mountains, the clarity of the streams, attractive entertainment, and, for example, great fishing and fish restaurants.


## Loučná n. D. and Kouty n. D.

### Trips in all directions

(p. 31 →F4) GPS: 50°4'17.631"N, 17°5'27.45"E

The towns at the foothills of the Červenohorské sedlo ridge are interwoven with colour trail markings taking hikers and bikers to all geographical directions. Over 90 km of bike trails around Loučná are divided into four interconnected loops. Each of them has a different colour. The surrounding forests are noted for various kinds of mushroom. When you have had enough of nature, you can try summer skiing or mountain go-carts. The KMsport Adrenaline Centre offers a range of activities that will definitely warm you up. Next to the Rybářská bašta restaurant there is a pond where you can catch your own fish, which the chef can then prepare for you. Enjoy! [www.loucna-nad-desnou.cz](http://www.loucna-nad-desnou.cz)

 **SKI centre Kareš – summer attractions**, Kouty n. Desnou – Loučná n. D.  
Tel.: +420 603 288 581, +420 604 595 192, [www.letni-atrakce.cz](http://www.letni-atrakce.cz)  
Mountain mini-karts, summer skiing, mountain scooters

 **Adrenaline contests and games for visitors of all age categories – KMsport**  
Kociánov 76, Tel.: +420 604 608 489, [www.kmsport.cz](http://www.kmsport.cz), Adrenaline sports and attractions of all kinds, party games, cultural programmes for children and adults.

## UNIQUE AND NEW

### KOUTY Culture and Sports Grounds

The KOUTY Sports Grounds are located in the protected landscape area of the Jeseníky Mountains, in the small town of Kouty nad Desnou, 650–1100 metres above sea level, with 500 metres between the lowest and highest points. Because of its natural beauty, the area is a favourite destination for tourists, both in summer and in winter. Just above the grounds, another attractive destination is located: 1350 metres above sea level, there is the Dlouhé Stráně pumped-storage hydroelectric power plant. To get there, you can ride a unique six-seat chairlift, with its lower station in KOUTY. There are several trails for bicycles and walking, a specialised bike park under the chairlift with a bike rental service, a track for in-line skating and an open-air museum with interesting scenes from the history of the Jeseníky region. Services offered in the grounds include restaurants, cafés, bowling, and a sporting goods shop; many cultural and sports events take place here, too.  
[www.kouty.cz](http://www.kouty.cz)

## Dlouhé Stráně pumped-storage hydroelectric power plant

Three marvels at an elevation  
of 1,350 meters above sea level

(p. 31 →F4,5) GPS: 50°5'10.999"N, 17°10'45.999"E

Open for visits all year round by appointment. For reservations, go to [www.dlouhe-strane.cz](http://www.dlouhe-strane.cz) or call +420 583 283 282, +420 602 322 244. The power plant itself cannot be accessed by your own car; use the regular bus service. A free car park is available near the starting point of the tour (100 m).

**Information Centre – Helia sport store**, Kouty nad Desnou 1  
Tel.: +420 583 283 282 • Tour starting point, sale of booked tickets  
[www.dlouhe-strane.cz](http://www.dlouhe-strane.cz), [www.cez.cz](http://www.cez.cz)



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The Dlouhé Stráně pumped-storage hydroelectric power plant (PVE) is one of the 7 wonders of the Czech Republic and every year about 60 thousand people come to see it.

A technical wonder and the largest hydroelectric works in the country boast three exceptional feats: The facility has the largest reversing water turbine in Europe, it is a power plant with the largest head in the Czech Republic, and it has the greatest installed capacity in the Czech Republic – 2x 325 MW. At periods of surplus electricity, water is pumped from the lower to the upper reservoir, and vice versa: when there is a shortage of electricity, the power station's turbines generate electricity. The upper reservoir lies at the elevation of 1,350 meters above sea level, and is connected with the underground power station by two penstocks (1.5 km long and 3.6 m in diameter), each feeding one turbine set. Two discharge tunnels, 5.2 m in diameter, connect the station with the lower reservoir. The tour includes a film, visit to a section of the power plant, and a lift to the upper reservoir – possible only in good weather conditions.

## Červenohorské Saddle

Winter and summer delights

(p. 31 →E4) GPS: 50°7'33.613"N, 17°9'5.604"E



Situated on the ridge of the Hrubý Jeseník Mountain Range, Červenohorské sedlo is the starting point for important hike and bike trails in the direction of the Švýčárna Chalet – Praděd (1,492 meters above sea level), and in the opposite direction to the oldest nature reservation in Moravia Šerák – Kepník. Červenohorské sedlo is one of the most popular ski resorts. The local hotel of the same name offers a swimming pool, sauna, gym, table tennis, snooker, internet, children's play area, and refreshment in the Lobby Bar and Sport Bar. A mountain bike storage facility and rentals are available.

## Švýčárna Tourist Chalet

Tourist spot with a tradition

(p. 31 →E5) GPS: 50°6'6.003"N, 17°12'50.949"E

Švýčárna is located at the busiest part of the main Jeseníky ridge trail, between Červenohorské sedlo and Praděd, where many marked tourist trails meet. Built in 1887, it is one of the oldest chalets around. It provides accommodation as well as refreshment and on the knoll near it there is an 8 m bell tower made from acacia wood.



**Švýčárna Tourist Chalet**, Kouty nad Desnou 74  
Tel.: +420 554 779 018, +420 737 249 573, [www.svyčarna.cz](http://www.svyčarna.cz)





## Králický Sněžník (1424 metres), wartime fortresses and beer from the mountains

### Extra TIP

In the Hanušovice brewery, beer has been brewed for 136 years. Its taste is praised by many, including the experts who awarded it the prestigious Regional Food prize in April 2010. From the autumn 2010, the brewery also attracts visitors with a newly opened museum. Here, you can see an exhibition of tools and other items related to the brewing or drinking of beer. The premises also include a relaxation zone and a children's playground. [www.holba.cz](http://www.holba.cz)

Stroking an elephant does not have to be dangerous. It certainly isn't with the one made of stone and standing on the top of Králický Sněžník, a mountain that dominates the landscape. The climb will not be effortless, but there's a reward at the end: a breathtaking vista in all directions. Or would you prefer to visit Poland? In that case, plan an easy trip to Kladské sedlo!

## Staré Město and surrounding area

*At the foothills of Králický Sněžník Mountain*

(p. 31 → D, E 2, 3) GPS: 50°9'42.249"N, 16°56'50.428"E

The historical centre of the town is dominated by the town hall from the beginning of the 17<sup>th</sup> century, a Baroque sculpture, and St. Anna's Church. The area surrounding the town is ideal for walks, challenging hikes, biking trips, and in general is tempting for those seeking active relaxation. The local riding schools offer both tourist horseback riding and riding training. On the edge of the town there are also tennis courts. The rich past of Staré Město is documented in the Military Museum and reflected in the border fortification system built here in 1937–1938. It is one of the most sophisticated fortification systems in Europe. [www.mu-staremesto.cz](http://www.mu-staremesto.cz)



## Hanušovice Mountain fresh beer

(p. 31 → F2) GPS: 50°4'11.831"N, 16°55'39.758"E

Beer has been made in the gorgeous environs of the Jeseníky Mountains since 1874. Holba Brewery tours – for groups only – are offered on weekdays, from Monday to Thursday (9am–2pm). Individuals can join groups for the tour. Tours must be booked by phone at least two weeks in advance.

**Holba Brewery**, Pivovarská 261  
Tel.: +420 583 300 880, [www.holba.cz](http://www.holba.cz)

**New: Brewery Museum**  
Opening hours (weekdays only): 10:30am–4pm  
Tel.: +420 583 284 698



## Králický Sněžník 1,424 meters above sea level

(p. 31 → D2) GPS: 50°9'32.713"N, 16°51'27.216"E



The 1,695-hectar national nature reserve Králický Sněžník, where the largest Moravian river Morava has its spring, is located in the central part of a mountain range bearing the same name. The observation tower that used to stand on the top of Králický Sněžník is no longer there but the spot still offers a splendid view of Hrubý Jeseník, Orlické Mountains, Krkonoše, and the Polish Owl Mountains.

Under the peak, not far from where Morava River springs, you can see remnants of the once-famous Lichtenstein Chalet and nearby an elephant calf statue – the symbol of Králický Sněžník. You can reach the peak by following e.g. the "Králický Sněžník" educational trail with its 15 stops, which starts at the parking lot in the northern part of the village of Dolní Morava. The trail is 14 km long and the drop is 685 meters. [www.kralickysneznik.cz](http://www.kralickysneznik.cz)

### Summer skiing, BERST – Vleký Hynčice ski centre

Hynčice pod Sušinou 103, Staré Město pod Sněžníkem  
Tel.: +420 583 239 070, +420 608 050 618, [www.vlekymhynvice.cz](http://www.vlekymhynvice.cz)  
Grass ski, mount boards, scooters, mountain bikes, mountain go-carts, trampolines

### Horseback riding

Černý kůň Staré Město, Sportovní 333, Staré Město pod Sněžníkem  
Tel.: +420 608 501 269, [www.cernykun.eu](http://www.cernykun.eu), year-round horseback riding

**Staré Město pod Sněžníkem**  
nám. Osvobození 166  
Tel.: +420 583 239 134  
[www.staremesto.info](http://www.staremesto.info)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

**Staré Město pod Sněžníkem**  
**June Organic food Festival, organic food tastings**  
Excursions, Probio lectures, s.r.o.  
Tel.: +420 583 301 952, [www.probio.cz](http://www.probio.cz)

**July Anenská Fair**  
Music, dancing, fair, and pilgrimage mass  
Tel.: +420 583 239 267, +420 725 502 753, [www.staremesto.info](http://www.staremesto.info)

**September To the Morava Spring**  
Hike to Králický Sněžník, [www.kpramenimoravy.wz.cz](http://www.kpramenimoravy.wz.cz)

**Hynčice**  
**July–August Hynčice Cup**  
Off-road scooter slalom, off-road go-carts, grass skis, disco, and barbecue  
[www.vlekymhynvice.cz](http://www.vlekymhynvice.cz), [www.skhyhynvice.cz](http://www.skhyhynvice.cz)

**Hanušovice**  
**August Hanušovice Fair**  
Theatre and music festival, stalls, refreshment  
Tel.: +420 583 283 250, +420 603 579 163  
[www.hornipomoravi.eu](http://www.hornipomoravi.eu)

**September Beer Festival**  
Excursion to the brewery, music and entertainment programme, [www.holba.cz](http://www.holba.cz)



## RECOMMENDED:

**Staré Město Military Museum**  
Tel.: +420 732 530 774, +420 605 567 548  
[www.opevneni-stm.cz](http://www.opevneni-stm.cz)  
Opening hours:  
January–March and November–December:  
Sat 9am–3pm, Sun 9am–2.30pm  
April–October 2011: Sat 9am–5pm, Sun 9am–3pm  
12pm–1pm lunch break. Other times are available upon previous agreement. The museum is situated in the former army barracks, in Building No. 11. Border fortification system  
Updated information about the accessibility of individual fortifications available at [www.opevneni-stm.cz](http://www.opevneni-stm.cz)





# In the midst of the mountains, fun for everyone, unique vistas

## Extra TIP

Beautiful landscape, sprawling green meadows and fresh air. Welcome to Ramzová. The beauties of this region are best experienced from the four-seat chairlift which will take you to Čerňava. Do you want more? Then hop on one of the mountain mini-karts, ride a scooter, roll down the hill in a zorbing ball, or play golf or paintball! [www.haltmar.cz](http://www.haltmar.cz)

**R**amzovské sedlo has something for everyone: romantic walks in the countryside or hiking along the ridge of the Hrubý Jeseník mountains, challenging uphill bike trails, or the unforgettable experience of riding the chairlift to Šerák or riding the bobsleigh track. And for relaxation? Visit the Kolštejn Relax Centre in Branná, with the Vital World wellness complex offering a range of unconventional treatments!

## Šerák – Keprník

*The oldest preserve in Moravia*

(p. 31 →D4) GPS: 50°11'11.821"N, 17°6'23.831"E

The national nature preserve Šerák – Keprník is the oldest in Moravia. It conceals a number of rare plants, trees, as well as several large highland peat bogs. At Keprník (1,423 meters above sea level) there are Alpine meadows with remarkable flora. From the Šerák Mountain (1,351 meters above sea level; accessible also by chairlift) and Keprník Mountain you have a view of the entire Králický Sněžník massif, the Jeseníky peaks, and the Rychlebské Mountains. Many tourist trails run through here. The trail called "S Koprníčkem na výlet keprnickými horami" is also suitable for children.



[www.jeseniky-tourism.cz](http://www.jeseniky-tourism.cz), [www.jeseniky.ochranaprirody.cz](http://www.jeseniky.ochranaprirody.cz)

## Ostružná – Ramzová

*Winter and summer delights*

(p. 31 →D4) GPS: 50°11'25.973"N, 17°3'57.781"E

Ramzová, a part of the Ostružná village, is an ideal place for both summer and winter recreation and boasts the highest situated fast-train station in the country (760 meters above sea level). Ramzová is the starting point for many tourist trails. It also holds a departure station of the year-round operated chairlift travelling across Čerňava to Šerák. Mountain go-carts offer adrenaline and attractive entertainment for the entire family.

**Sun Ski&Board school** – golf, zorbing, paintball  
Tel.: +420 777 295 524, [www.sunski.cz](http://www.sunski.cz)



## Ostružná – Petřikov

*Tourist paradise for all seasons*

(p. 31 →D3) GPS: 50°12'14.188"N, 17°2'31.749"E

Thanks to its location, Petřikov – a part of the village Ostružná – is a sought-after summer and winter destination. Popular attractions include the summer bobsled run, which is enjoyed both by children and adults.



**Summer bobsleigh track**  Free

KASTE sports grounds, Ostružná–Petřikov 82, [www.kaste.cz](http://www.kaste.cz)  
Tel.: +420 583 230 098, +420 720 574 813  
800 m long, with 15 curves, 3 jumps, a vertical drop of 100 metres (the greatest in the country) and a maximum speed of 45 kph. Suitable for all generations (children over the age of 7 may ride alone). Archery. Operating hours: May, October:  
Mon–Sun 10am–6pm, 28 May–31 August: daily 10am–6pm  
For more information, visit [www.kaste.cz](http://www.kaste.cz)

## Branná Picturesque spot rich in history

(p. 31 →E3) GPS: 50°9'1.24"N, 17°0'43.261"E



On a rocky cliff, high above the Branná stream valley, are located the remnants of the Kolštejn Castle, which used to guard the ancient road from Moravia to Silesia. In the town of Branná there is a ruin of the Gothic Kolštejn Castle with a stunning view of the surrounding area, and adjacent a half-ruin of a Renaissance chateau of the same name. It is one of the highest situated ruins in the Czech Republic. Lovers of military forts will be delighted by a visit to the Museum of the Pre-war Czechoslovak Fortification.

Tel.: +420 583 230 111, [www.obecbranna.cz](http://www.obecbranna.cz)



**Ramzová** – parking lot by the road  
Tel.: +420 739 386 555, [www.jesenicko.eu](http://www.jesenicko.eu)  
July–August:  
9am–12pm, 12.30pm–6pm daily

## SELECTED EVENTS:

**Branná**  
**September 10–11 2011**  
**The Kolštejnský Circuit**  
**Motorcycle Races**

Tel.: +420 583 230 189, [www.kolstejnkyokruh.org](http://www.kolstejnkyokruh.org)




## RECOMMENDED:


**Ramzová Chairlift at Šerák, Ostružná**

Areál Bonera, Tel.: +420 723 460 486, +420 602 468 453  
[www.bonera.cz](http://www.bonera.cz). The centre offers accommodation and refreshment. New! Four-seat chairlift from Ramzová to Čerňava.

**Mountain go-carts Haltmar – Ramzová**

Ramzová 36, Tel.: +420 603 482 433,  10%  
+420 603 485 619, [www.haltmar.cz](http://www.haltmar.cz)

**Summer skiing, PROSKIL – Branná**  
Tel.: +420 777 878 999, +420 777 271 609,  
+420 603 787 999, [www.proskil.cz](http://www.proskil.cz)

**Branná Museum of the Pre-war Czechoslovak Fortifications**  Free


A structure of light fortifications is located near the Splan hamlet, and you can get there by following the tourist and bike trail from Branná in the direction of Ostružná, or the educational trail "Pasák". A partly equipped reinforced infantry bunker and a structure of heavy fortifications StM-S52 also open to the public. Visits are possible by advanced arrangement by phone  
Tel.: +420 773 273 007, [www.kvhol.wz.cz](http://www.kvhol.wz.cz)



**Ruin – Kolštejn Castle and Chateau**

Tel.: +420 732 856 703  
Opening hours: April–May, September–October:  
Sat–Sun 9am–5pm, June–August: Tue–Sun 9am–5pm  
(12pm–12.45pm lunch break)  
Other times and night tours with lanterns are available upon reservation.

**Kolštejn Relaxation Centre**

Branná 60  10%  
Tel.: +420 583 286 421  
[www.relaxkolstejn.cz](http://www.relaxkolstejn.cz)  
The relaxation centre in Kolštejn, along with the Kolštejn Hotel and gorgeous wellness centre offers a wide range of services to ease your body and mind.







## Famous spa and caves, fun and sightseeing

### Extra TIP

If Mr Priessnitz knew that his healing methods, which are 160 years old, would make Jeseník's latest spa park a European rarity, he would certainly be pleased. The treatments he invented may be tried on the meadow above the spa by everyone, free of charge! All it takes is a little courage; what awaits you is an ice-cold shower, the Priessnitz walk (a water bed with large pebbles) or arm and leg baths, but believe us, it's truly worth it! [www.priessnitz.cz](http://www.priessnitz.cz)

The Jeseníky region is a place renowned for its spa, as well as its exceptionally clean air, that invites you to take a walk. During such walks, there are landmarks and natural beauties to discover that have stood there for many years, but also a few things that are quite new. For example the unique patterns – the cosmograms. On your trips around the town of Jeseník, you will certainly welcome several highly original places to rest which are made of wood, where you can take a break for a while or make a picnic. Or you may choose to do almost nothing at all and use the services of our wellness experts who provide various spa treatments to make your body feel good.

## Jeseník

More than just a spa town

(p. 31 → D5) GPS: 50°13'46"N, 17°12'17"E



The town has a peaceful atmosphere, is rich in history, and provides an ideal starting point for many delightful trips. If you decide to go, you will discover monuments, rock formations, and observation rocks – e.g. the Čertovy kameny rock, commemorative plaques, crystal clear streams, and splendid nature. In clear weather, the observation tower Zlatý chlum provides breathtaking views. When in Jeseník, history lovers should not miss the mysterious Water Fort, which dates back to the 13<sup>th</sup> century and now seats a museum. And do not forget to taste the well-known Jeseník Priessnitz herbal liqueur.

## Na Špičáku Caves

Since 1430 29–43 %

(p. 31 → C5) GPS: 50°17'0.539"N, 17°14'58.998"E

One of the oldest documented caves in Central Europe, with written records dating back to 1430. The tour of the caves is 220 metres long and accessible for the disabled. The astonishing sights to be seen in the cave include the marble sides of the Heart Corridor, where an engraved tournament shield may be found, which is dated 1519. [www.caves.cz](http://www.caves.cz)

Písečná, Tel.: +420 584 423 123, +420 602 295 562  
Opening hours: April–June, September–October:  
Tue–Sun 9am–4pm, July–August: Tue–Sun  
9am–5pm, closed on Mondays

## Priessnitz Health Spa

Spas of the “water doctor”

(p. 31 → D5) GPS: 50°14'28"N, 17°11'22"E

One of the best-known and most visited spas in Moravia is situated in the picturesque landscape above the town of Jeseník, at an average elevation of 620 metres above sea level. The treatment is based on the favourable climatic conditions and the healing power of the local springs (there are about 80 of those), discovered by the legendary “water doctor” Vincenz Priessnitz; a museum dedicated to this man can be found in the house where he was born. The spa offers high-quality accommodation and a wide range of healing and relaxation treatments. After extensive reconstruction, the new and modern spa treatment facilities in the Priessnitz spa house were opened to the public in 2010. The combination of Priessnitz's traditional water-healing method and modern wellness and beauty programmes is very pleasant. Short-term stays designed to regenerate your organism are also available. There is a swimming pool with counter-currents, a waterfall and a jacuzzi, a sauna world (aromatic sauna, Finnish sauna, steam sauna, a cooling pool, the Priessnitz walk, relaxation area, whirlpool), an outdoor spa park, a gym, tennis courts, miniature golf and other facilities. Visitors can discover the surrounding area by following the Vincenz Priessnitz educational trail.

Priessnitz Health Spa   
Priessnitzova 12/299, Jeseník, Tel.: +420 584 491 111, [www.priessnitz.cz](http://www.priessnitz.cz)

## Česká Ves Fun experiences you would not expect

(p. 31 → C5) GPS: 50°16'23.998"N, 17°13'38.998"E



Would you like to have a fantastic time, test your physical fitness on six rock climbing trails, experience the rush of adrenaline you will feel when you jump on a bungee trampoline? Go and visit the Jeseníky Adrenaline Park. The raw nature of the local mountains will welcome you regardless of how you arrive – on foot, by bicycle, car, or motorcycle.

Orel Ranch, Polská 9, Tel.: +420 602 722 961, [www.ranc-orel.cz](http://www.ranc-orel.cz)

Adrenaline Park, Polská 9, Tel.: +420 731 543 237, [www.adrenalin-park.cz](http://www.adrenalin-park.cz)  
Opening hours: April, May, September, October: weekdays upon arrangement,  
Sat–Sun 10am–5pm, June: daily 10am–6pm, July, August: daily 10am–8pm  
November–March: upon arrangement by phone

Česká Ves Antique Car Museum

Tel.: +420 584 428 218, +420 608 502 601  
[www.veteranklub.cz](http://www.veteranklub.cz), Opening hours:  
May, September: Sun 11am–4.30pm  
June–August: Mon–Sun 11am–5pm

Aqua Center – Česká Ves, Jánského 534  
Tel.: +420 584 428 186  
[www.krtybazen.jesenicko.com](http://www.krtybazen.jesenicko.com)



**Jeseník**, Palackého 2/1341   
Tel.: +420 584 498 155,  
+420 584 459 514, [www.jesenicko.eu](http://www.jesenicko.eu)

**Vidnava**, Radniční 84   
Tel.: +420 588 517 237  
[www.vidnava.cz](http://www.vidnava.cz)



## SELECTED EVENTS:

Jeseník

April 30–May 1 2011

Opening of the 2011 international tourism and spa season, Tel.: +420 777 823 611, [www.mkzjes.cz](http://www.mkzjes.cz)

June

11<sup>th</sup> International Festival of Brass Music  
Tel.: +420 603 271 791

August 5–6 2011 Jeseník Astur Center

Jeseník se baví 2011, programs for children, fair  
Tel.: +420 774 801 971, [www.mkzjes.cz](http://www.mkzjes.cz)

## RECOMMENDED:

Vincenz Priessnitz Birthplace   
– Museum, Tel.: +420 584 411 633  
[www.muzeum.jesenik.net](http://www.muzeum.jesenik.net)

Jeseník Museum of National Art and History  
Zámecké náměstí 120/1, Tel.: +420 584 401 070  
<http://muzeum.jesenik.net>   
Opening hours: September–May:  
Tue–Sat 9am–12pm, 1pm–4.30pm  
June–August: Tue–Sun 9am–12pm, 1pm–5pm

Zlatý chlum Observation Tower  
875 meters above sea level,  
height 26 m, 145 steps  
Tel.: +420 603 509 943  
[www.zlatychlum.cz](http://www.zlatychlum.cz)

Křížový vrch  
Chappel, observation, restaurant  
671 meters above sea level  
Tel.: +420 584 402 063  
[www.krizovyvrch.cz](http://www.krizovyvrch.cz)







# Nature, relaxation, caves, and mushroom picking championships

## Extra TIP

Located at the Horní Lipová train station, the Silesian Semmering Railway Museum houses an exhibition of railway technology and a score of various documents connected to the railway industry. Open from 5am to 10pm [www.lipova-lazne.cz](http://www.lipova-lazne.cz)

Have you been dreaming of combining relaxation with a stay in splendid nature and new experiences? Then you have come to the right place. A number of marked tourist and educational trails provide pleasant walks as well as challenging hikes. Spoil yourself in the Dolní Lipová spa or set out for the mysteries of the local caves. Cosy pubs and the spa museum offer refreshment and interesting facts.

## Lipová-lázně

### Starting point for many trips

(p. 31 → D4) GPS: 50°13'39.974"N, 17°8'25.603"E

In summer, this picturesque mountain town is an ideal place for hiking and cycling. Tourists can visit the museum dedicated to Johann Schroth, the founder of the spa in Dolní Lipová – with an exhibit focusing on the spa industry and the pre- and post-war history of the town. Together with the information centre, the museum is located in a building below the Lipová-lázně train station. Those interested in history and technology will be delighted to visit the Silesian Semmering Railway Museum (Horní Lipová train station, Tel.: +420 972 745 627).



## Dolní Lipová Spa

### Health in the midst of nature

(p. 31 → D4) GPS: 50°13'43.239"N, 17°8'48.687"E

Situated in the unique climate of the Jeseník Mts. (within 6 km from the town of Jeseník), the spa has a long tradition in the treatment of metabolic and skin disorders, obesity, thyroid disease and metabolism disorders. The spa offers numerous treatment, reconditioning, and relaxation programs. It also features a rich variety of sports and leisure activities.



Dolní Lipová Spa, Schroth 10% Sale  
Lázeňská 248, Lipová-lázně, Tel.: +420 584 421 351, [www.lazne.cz](http://www.lazne.cz)

### The selection of stays includes:

Spa treatment programs, Relaxation stays – Don't Move!, Starting to Move, Starting to Work Out, Introduction to the Jeseníky, Oiling My Hinges, Obesity Prevention and Treatment, Getting in Shape, Movement System Analysis, Looking after My Skin.

## Na Pomezí Caves

### Will entice your imagination

(p. 31 → C4) GPS: 50°14'45.452"N, 17°8'18.379"E



Na Pomezí Caves are the largest system of caves in the Czech Republic created by dissolving marble. A large part of them consists of "living" caves – new stalactites continue to form and older stalactite formations are originating. The more than a 0.5km long route includes e.g. the Ice and White Domes, the Roman Baths, the Royal Chimney, etc. There is a parking lot for visitors directly in front of the entrance.

Tel.: +420 584 421 284, [www.caves.cz](http://www.caves.cz) 20–40 %  
Opening hours: April–June, September–October: Tue–Sun 9am–4pm  
July–August: Mon–Sun 9am–5pm

## Bělá pod Pradědem

(p. 31 → E5) GPS: 50°7'53.747"N, 17°12'57.054"E

The starting point for hiking and bicycle trips in the Jeseníky region. Several favourite tourist destinations are easily reachable from this point – nature preserves: The Vysoký Waterfall, Filipovické Meadows, Šumárník, Borek, Sněžná kotlina and Šerák – Keprník.

[www.bela.cz](http://www.bela.cz)

**Domašov 4, Bělá pod Pradědem**  
Tel.: +420 584 452 834, [www.bela.cz](http://www.bela.cz)

**Lipová-lázně 476**  
Tel.: +420 584 421 209, [www.ic-lipova.cz](http://www.ic-lipova.cz)  
Opening hours: Tue, Fri 1pm–5pm

## SELECTED EVENTS:

### Horní Lipová

**April 30 2011 Launch of the Spa Season at the Kovárna Guesthouse**

Tel.: +420 584 421 613, [www.penzionkovarna.cz](http://www.penzionkovarna.cz)

**July 2 2011 Launch of the „Na Shroth“ Cultural Summer at the Dům u ospalého heligonu**

Tel.: +420 608 961 866, [www.korcian.cz](http://www.korcian.cz)

**September The Horní Lipová Fair**, Tel.: +420 584 421 613

**September 3 2011 Emperor Joseph II in Horní Lipová**  
[www.penzionkovarna.cz](http://www.penzionkovarna.cz), tel.: 737 283 770

**Miroslav: www.rsmiroslav.cz**

**July 9 2011 Jeseník Nugget**

Jubilee 17<sup>th</sup> multi-genre open-air festival  
Tel.: +420 777 823 611, [www.mzkjes.cz](http://www.mzkjes.cz)

### Bělá pod Pradědem

**September 3 2011 Jeseníky Harvest**  
Harvest parade, contests, rich program  
Tel.: +420 721 354 260, [www.bela.cz](http://www.bela.cz)



## RECOMMENDED:

**Johann Schroth Museum** Free  
Multi-purpose centre, Lipová-lázně 476  
Tel.: +420 584 421 209, [www.ic-lipova.cz](http://www.ic-lipova.cz)



[www.jeseniky-tourism.cz](http://www.jeseniky-tourism.cz)





## Beautiful trips, panning for gold and historical monuments

### Extra TIP

Ski areas are also alive in the summer! It isn't necessary to have skis on your feet if you seek an active day full of sports activities. Just borrow a mountain scooter or a tricycle and down you go. Or do you find a chairlift trip more attractive, enjoying the landscape from a bird's eye view? [www.skipricna.cz](http://www.skipricna.cz)

### Zlaté Hory *Mystery of gold*

(p. 31 → C6) GPS: 50°15'49.676"N, 17°23'45.663"E



will show and tell you all about the history of gold mining in this location, as well as what a mining school looked like.

In a long-gone age, gold really was mined here, as the name of the place suggests. Today, the memories of this era live on in the Zlatorudné mlýny upon the Olešnice river, where anyone may try their luck and pan for some gold. For other interesting experiences, visit the central town of the region, Zlaté Hory, or the Golden Mountain, itself. In the local museum, you can see a model of a mine tunnel and a mineral exhibit. The region lies in a picturesque landscape with many unique features, reachable by educational trails. Take a walk along the Javorné Valley Educational Trail (Rejvíz).

### Gold Ore Mill *Pan your own gold!*

(p. 31 → C6) GPS: 50°15'39.998"N, 17°23'50.999"E

A trail explaining the mining process runs through Údolí ztracených štol (Valley of Lost Tunnels) to replicas of medieval mining mills. A cabin with a mill for crushing gold ore and a gold ore mill powered by water wheels that extract power from the original canal are operated on the site. You can try gold panning for yourself here!



**Mining open-air museum – Gold ore mill**  Free  
Zlaté Hory–Ondřejovice, Tel.: +420 776 897 483,  
+420 584 425 397, [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)  
Opening hours: May–August: Mon–Sun 10am–5pm  
September–October: Tue–Sun 10am–4pm

### Maria Hilf – The Virgin Mary of Mercy Pilgrimage Site

(p. 31 → C6) GPS: 50°13'30.769"N, 17°23'41.268"E



The pilgrimage site dates back to the Swedish times. It is closely connected with a legend about a painting of Mary to which miraculous powers are ascribed. The location is the annual destination of crowds of pilgrims.

Tel.: +420 584 425 916, [www.mariahlf.hyperlink.cz](http://www.mariahlf.hyperlink.cz)

### Rejvíz *The largest peat bog in Moravia*

(p. 31 → D6) GPS: 50°13'44.88"N, 17°17'53.287"E

Rejvíz is one of the most beautiful villages of Jeseníky. A guesthouse of the same name, famous for carved chairs with portraits of Rejvíz inhabitants, is the starting point for an educational trail leading to the Moss Lake. The 3 km trail consisting of a wooden path that protects this national nature reserve takes visitors up to the peat bog, which was formed 6–7 thousand years ago. At Rejvíz you can visit also a rediscovered pilgrimage site – the Lourdes Cave.



#### Rejvíz Educational Trail

Opening hours: May–November 8am–6pm  
Tel.: +420 606 418 460

#### Weaving Exhibit

Tel.: +420 603 249 551, [www.kpzh.cz](http://www.kpzh.cz)

### Biskupská Kupa Observation Tower *Magnificent views*

(p. 31 → C7) GPS: 50°15'24.459"N, 17°25'43.217"E

The observation tower at the Biskupská kupa is located on the Polish border and it is the oldest observation tower in the Jeseníky region. Marked tourist trails coming from all directions meet here. Numerous interesting events are held at the observation tower throughout the year.

[www.rozhlednabiskupskakupa.cz](http://www.rozhlednabiskupskakupa.cz)  50%

Opening hours: May–October: Mon–Sun 9am–6pm

During favourable weather from sun up to sun down.

Visits at other times can be booked at +420 603 342 011



### Mikulovice *Gold mining tradition*

(p. 31 → C6) GPS: 50°17'54.738"N, 17°19'17.581"E

In this town with a gold mining tradition, the metal used to be found in the alluvium brought by the Bělá and Olešnice rivers. One of the greatest local attractions is the protected, 700–800 year old yew tree.

**Aeroclub Jeseník** (Mikulovice airport), Nová Ves 163, Hradec–Nová Ves

Tel.: +420 584 423 090, [www.aeroklubjesenik.cz](http://www.aeroklubjesenik.cz)

Airplanes, gliders, and skydiving.



**Zlaté Hory**, Bezručova 144

Tel.: +420 584 425 397, [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)



**Mikulovice**, Hlavní 214

Tel.: +420 584 429 381, [www.mikulovice.cz](http://www.mikulovice.cz)

### SELECTED EVENTS:

**Zlaté Hory**

**April 30 2011 Burning of Witches**

Launch of the tourist season

Tel.: +420 584 425 397, [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

**August Zlatá hoblna**

open-air woodcarving festival

Tel.: +420 584 425 327, [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

**October 1 2011 Zlaté Hory Trekking**

Traditional tourist hike (15, 25 or 50 km), [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

**Gold Ore Mill**

**May Tour of the Beauties of the Zlaté Hory Region**

tourist walk of the Czech Tourist Club

Tel.: +420 731 781 290



**August The Mayor's Golden Pan Competition**

traditional gold panning competition for men, women and children, Tel.: +420 584 425 397, [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

**Church of the Virgin Mary of Mercy**

**August 13 2011 Main Pilgrimage**

[www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

**September 17 2011 Pilgrimage of Three Nations**

[www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)



### RECOMMENDED:

**Town Museum Zlaté Hory**  Free

nám. Svobody 94, Tel.: +420 584 425 329,

+420 721 930 684, [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

Opening hours: May–June, September–October:

Tue–Fri 9am–12pm, 1pm–4pm, Sat 9am–1pm, July, August:

Mon–Fri 9am–12pm, 1pm–5pm, Sat–Sun 10am–4pm

**Sanatorium EDEL Zlaté Hory**

Lázeňská 491, Tel.: +420 584 425 327, [www.speleoterapie.cz](http://www.speleoterapie.cz)

Guided tour of the underground tunnel, speleotherapy

(the sanatorium is accessible by car, within approximately

3 km from Zlaté Hory), May–October: Sun 10.30am–1pm

**Ski Center Příčná Zlaté Hory**

A new four-seat chairlift fantastic in winter as well as in summer. [www.zlatehory.cz](http://www.zlatehory.cz)

**Educational trail Údolí ztracených štol**

Tells about the origin of gold and its processing

method 2 km long, 11 stops, undemanding trail

suitable also for children.

**NEW:** The longest continuous bicycle trail in the Jeseníky region can be found in Mikulovice. It is 5 kilometres and 100 metres long and can be used by cyclists or, for example, in-line skaters. The trail may be followed all the way to neighbouring Poland. The Leisure and Sports Centre was also opened recently.





# Adventures, a chateau, waterfalls and an observation tower

**Extra TIP**

The popular Rychleby Trails, intended for everyone who likes riding in difficult mountain terrain, have had a new track added this year for the less athletic biker. The trail is 7 kilometres long and goes from Černá Voda to the natural swimming pool in Velká Kraš, near Vidnava. While enjoying the ride, you may also admire the beautiful brook alongside.

[www.rychlebskestezky.cz](http://www.rychlebskestezky.cz)

## Žulová Refreshment for travellers

(p. 31 → B,C4) GPS: 50°18'33.606"N, 17°55'53.353"E



When in Žulová, do not forget to visit the parish church with its tower of a unique design. For refreshment, have a swim in the local flooded quarries and in the nearby waterfalls. [www.zulova.cz](http://www.zulova.cz)

### Ferstr – Žulová quarry

Situated in the forest, swimming at one's own risk.

## Nýznerovské Waterfalls

### Stříbrný potok waterfalls

(p. 31 → C4) GPS: 50°16'30.998"N, 17°3'14.998"E

A body of small waterfalls and cascades in the Stříbrný potok valley. The turbulent stream erodes the rock and creates holes, basins, and "giant pots" of various shapes. This nature reserve lies about 5 km south-east of the town of Žulová and the village of Skorošice. [www.rychleby.cz](http://www.rychleby.cz)



## Javorník, Jánský Vrch Chateau

*A unique collection of pipes and smoking accessories*

(p. 31 → A,B3) GPS: 50°23'23.21"N, 17°0'0.549"E




Ancient seat of Wrocław bishops, the Jánský Vrch Chateau is the most beautiful spot of the town of Javorník. Apart from having exquisite interiors it holds also the largest Czech collection of pipes and smoking accessories amounting to roughly 1,200 exhibits. The Town Museum is dedicated to the history of the municipality. Visitors enjoy a stunning view of the surrounding hills from the Rychleby Castle ruin, overlooking the Račí Stream valley near Javorník. Hikers can get to the castle by following red trail markings, which start in Javorník (approximately 4 km).



**Žulová**, Josefské nám. 1  
Tel.: +420 584 437 151  
[www.knihovnazulova.wz.cz](http://www.knihovnazulova.wz.cz)  
[www.sweb.cz/heide](http://www.sweb.cz/heide)



**Javorník**, Nádražní 160  Sale  
Tel.: +420 584 440 688, [www.mestojavornik.cz](http://www.mestojavornik.cz)

## SELECTED EVENTS:

### Javorník

**May 1 2011 May Day climb to the top of Borůvková Mountain**  
Tel: +420 584 440 688, [www.mestojavornik.cz](http://www.mestojavornik.cz)

**June 17–19 2011 Days of Javorník Region**  
Tel: +420 584 440 688, [www.mestojavornik.cz](http://www.mestojavornik.cz)

### September International Karel Ditters von Dittersdorf Classical Music Festival

Opening concert of the  
19<sup>th</sup> annual festival  
Tel: +420 584 440 688  
[www.mestojavornik.cz](http://www.mestojavornik.cz)



## Borůvková hora Observation Tower

*Views over the border*

(p. 31 → A,B2) GPS: 50°23'26.328"N, 16°54'9.629"E



The observation tower forms a part of hiking, skiing, and cycling trails. The 24 m high tower provides a wonderful view of the Otmuchów and Nysa lakes situated in Poland and of Šerák, Praděd, Smrk, and Králický Sněžník on the Czech side of the border. To reach the tower, follow the trails from Javorník, Travná, Bílá Voda and Poland. There is free access, open year-round. More information available at information centers.



**Jánský Vrch Chateau**  Free  
Tel.: +420 584 440 286, [www.janskylvrch.cz](http://www.janskylvrch.cz)  
Opening hours: April, October: Sat, Sun, holidays:  
9am–3pm, May–August: Tue–Sun 9am–4pm  
September: Tue–Sun 9am–3pm

**Town Museum Javorník**  Free  
Nádražní 160, Tel.: +420 584 440 276, [www.mestojavornik.cz](http://www.mestojavornik.cz)  
Opening hours: October–April Mon–Fri 8am–3.30pm,  
May–September Mon–Fri 8am–4.30pm, Sat 11am–5pm

**Javorník swimming pool**  
Školní 72, Tel.: +420 584 440 622

**Rychleby Bike Trail**, [www.rychlebskestezky.cz](http://www.rychlebskestezky.cz)

**Stonemasons' Museum and Gallery of the  
Rychleby Mountains and the Žulovská pahorkatina**  
Josefské náměstí 1 (1st floor) Opening hours:  
April to October, daily except Mondays, 9am to 4pm



## Vidnava On the Polish border

(p. 31 → B5) GPS: 50°22'17.913"N, 17°11'9.833"E



On the Czech – Polish border it is a town featuring an important heritage zone and a town museum. Other noteworthy points include a row of houses on the square, Church of St. Catherine, 18<sup>th</sup> century statues, and the former bailiff's chateau. On hot days, visitors can refresh themselves in the local quarry.

Tel.: +420 584 435 185, [www.vidnava.cz](http://www.vidnava.cz)

### Exhibit of the Vidnava Region settlements

Tours can be arranged by phone (call +420 721 368 926), [www.vidnava.cz](http://www.vidnava.cz)



# Over the Bílá Opava waterfalls to the highest mountain of the Jeseníky

## Extra TIP

To get to know the beauties of the Moravian-Silesian part of the Jeseníky, there is the Bílá Opava education trail. If you have the time and a bit of courage to handle this somewhat difficult hike, you should plan a trip right there. As a reward for your effort, there are astonishing sights of singing waterfalls, pristine natural beauties and abundant plant and animal life. [www.ejeseniky.com](http://www.ejeseniky.com)

## Praděd The highest peak in Moravia

(p. 31 → E5) GPS: 50°4'57.547"N, 17°13'51.202"E

One of the most attractive places of the Praděd national nature reserve is a peak of the same name – the highest mountain of Hrubý Jeseník and of the entire Moravia. Its natural altitude of 1,492 meters above sea level is prolonged by a broadcasting tower measuring 146.5 meters. The tower holds a restaurant and an observation tower. The whole area is interwoven with dozens of hiking and bike trails.

## Petrovy kameny Legendary place

(p. 31 → E5) GPS: 50°4'4.516"N, 17°13'53.974"E

The unusual tabular-shaped rock towering on a bare ridge is clearly visible even from a large distance. This legendary place surrounded by mystery contains rare plants and bushes and is therefore closed to the public. However, in close vicinity runs the main Jeseníky ridge trail.

## Observation tower Praděd

(p. 31 → E5) GPS: 50°4'57.547"N, 17°13'51.202"E

Praděd broadcasting tower. 1,492 meters above sea level, tower height 146.5 m, the highest observation deck at the height of 70 m, a lift runs through the centre of the tower.

Tel.: +420 604 136 577, Open daily: 9am–5pm

## Bílá Opava Gurgling waterfalls

(p. 31 → F5) GPS: 50°4'27.977"N, 17°17'58.597"E

The valley of the Bílá Opava creek is lined with a 6.5 km educational trail of the same name. The rather challenging yellow-marked trail starts near Karlova Studánka and runs through a deep valley with numerous wild rapids, cascades, and waterfalls, up to the Barborka and Ovčárna chalets.

[www.jeseniky-praded.cz](http://www.jeseniky-praded.cz)  
[www.jeseniky.ochranaprirody.cz](http://www.jeseniky.ochranaprirody.cz)

## Karlova Studánka Healthy climate

(p. 31 → F6) GPS: 50°4'24.591"N, 17°18'22.246"E

The timbered Imperial-style spa buildings are located in a beautiful mountain environment featuring some of the freshest and cleanest air in the Czech Republic. The water from local natural carbonic mineral springs is used for bathing and drinking treatments. The surrounding area is ideal for trips and excursions.

**Karlova Studánka Spa** 10%

Apart from treatment and relaxation stays and treatments, visitors can choose from a wide range of high-quality services: salt water pool (32–34°C), whirlpool, Finnish sauna, salt cave, Wacu Well cross-trainer, Vibro Sauna, etc. Tel.: +420 554 798 111, [www.k.studanka.cz](http://www.k.studanka.cz)



## Velká kotlina Treasure of Nature

(p. 31 → F5) GPS: 50°1'2.939"N, 17°18'47.278"E

It is the most precious location in the Jeseníky Mountains. It stretches over the hillsides of the Vysoká Hole Mountain (1,464 m above sea level). Some of the local species of plants cannot be found at any other place in the whole Czech Republic! A challenging 7 km long educational trail runs through the reserve. The trail starts in Malá Morávka-Karlov and terminates at Ovčárna. [www.jeseniky.org](http://www.jeseniky.org), [www.ejeseniky.com](http://www.ejeseniky.com)

## Malá Morávka – Karlov

Magnificent views

(p. 31 → F5) GPS: 50°1'2.939"N, 17°18'47.278"E

If you climb the nearby peaks, you will be rewarded with a view of the entire valley. On the Kapličkový vrch Hill there is a graceful shrine standing, holding a museum inside.

Tel.: +420 554 273 095, [www.malamoravka.cz](http://www.malamoravka.cz)

## Skřítek A crossroad of many roads

(p. 31 → G4) GPS: 49°59'55.968"N, 17°9'15.345"E

This 877m high mountain saddle is the starting point for many tourist destinations; the most popular is the main ridge trail to the Jelení studánka Well, Petrovy kameny, and to Ovčárna. A statue of Skřítek – the good gnome of the Jeseníky Mountains, guards the parking lot belonging to a local pull-in cafe, which provides refreshment. <http://sedlo-skritek.ceskehory.cz>, [www.jeseniky-tourism.cz](http://www.jeseniky-tourism.cz)

## Slezská Harta Ideal vacation

(p. 31 → H7) GPS: 49°54'25.015"N, 17°33'7.759"E

The valley reservoir on Moravice River offers swimming, boat rides, fishing, yachting, and windsurfing. The surrounding woods entice mushroom and strawberry picking and the peaks of the Nízký Jeseník invite you for hikes. [www.slezskaharta.cz](http://www.slezskaharta.cz), [www.slezska-harta.cz](http://www.slezska-harta.cz)



**Bruntál**, nám. Míru 7  
Tel.: +420 554 713 099, [www.mubruntal.cz](http://www.mubruntal.cz)

**Karlova Studánka**, Tel.: +420 554 772 004  
[www.jeseniky-praded.cz](http://www.jeseniky-praded.cz)

**Vrbno pod Pradědem**, Jesenícká  
Tel.: +420 554 751 585, [www.jeseniky-praded.cz](http://www.jeseniky-praded.cz)

## Rýmařov

At the threshold of the Jeseníky Mts.

(p. 31 → H5) GPS: 49°55'52.718"N, 17°16'20.376"E

Situated on the border between the Nízký and Hrubý Jeseník, the town is dominated by the parish Church of St. Michal and an Early Baroque town hall and offers a number of high-quality services and points of interest. [www.rymarov.cz](http://www.rymarov.cz), [www.rymarovsko.cz](http://www.rymarovsko.cz)



## Bruntál Rich in history

(p. 31 → G7) GPS: 49°59'25.39"N, 17°27'52.789"E

The town is the former centre situated on the trade route from Olomouc to Silesia. Precious metals used to be mined here. Of exceptional interest are the local chateau, the dean's Church of Assumption of the Virgin Mary with a rare Gothic chancel, the Uhlířský vrch area, and many other remarkable sights.

**Bruntál Chateau**,  
Tel.: +420 554 717 947, 420 554 717 949  
[www.bruntal-zamek.cz](http://www.bruntal-zamek.cz)



## RECOMMENDED:

### Slunce Water Park

[www.hotelslunce.jeseniky.com](http://www.hotelslunce.jeseniky.com)  
Tel.: +420 554 219 958, +420 777 273 776  
Children's wading pool, a swimming pool with a counter current, a relaxation pool, whirlpool, Finnish sauna, massages, and a wet bar

### Praděd Garden Gallery in Jiříkov

Tel.: +420 554 295 127, [www.pradedovagalerie.wz.cz](http://www.pradedovagalerie.wz.cz)  
The largest European nativity scene inscribed in the Guinness World Records, etc.





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