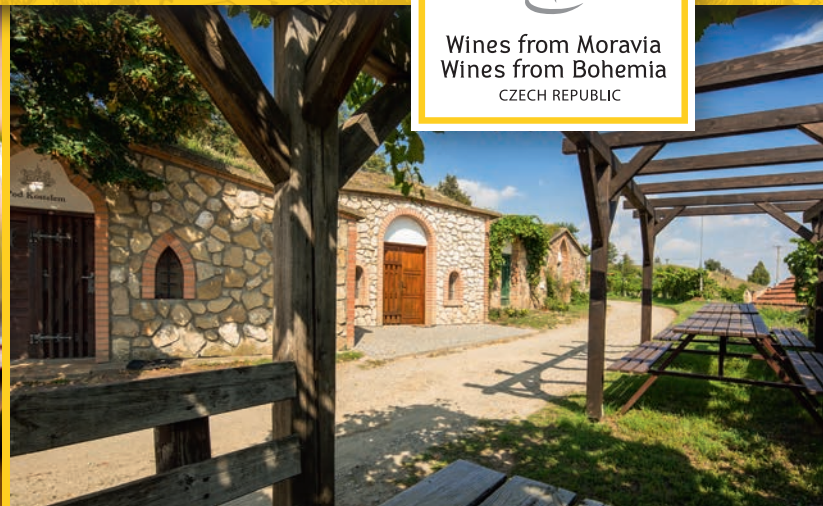


LAND OF WINE

2021–2022



Wines from Moravia
Wines from Bohemia
CZECH REPUBLIC



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tourism in the Czech Republic



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WELCOME TO THE CZECH REPUBLIC

twelve years in the Land of wine

This Land of Wine edition will already offer you in 2021–2022 the best of wine tourism in Bohemia and Moravia for the twelfth time. We will guide you through the Morava and Čechy (Moravia and Bohemia) Wine Regions, we will take a look at all the wine sub-regions and complete the list of attractive places that you cannot miss while traveling for wine. Browse through, read and travel because it is hard to find a place, event or wine that we would not know, have visited, viewed, tasted and categorized. In short, you cannot find as much about Moravian and Bohemian viniculture as

here. You will find here both the Wine Regions, Morava and Čechy (Moravia and Bohemia), together in one publication, also accompanied by a separate wine calendar for this year. The guide and maps of this Land of Wine edition is published every two years, the wine calendar is published every year.

The same, but different every year, is a new and up-to-date list of interesting wine destinations in each wine sub-region, accompanied by attractive places that you should not miss while traveling with wine. On the following pages, we will introduce you to the ever-growing VOC

family, wines with original certification. You will find the text about red wines and texts related to St. Martins´ and rosé wines again. In addition, the map of Morava (Moravia) Wine Region provide a list of wineries, wine cellars, wine stores, restaurants, hotels and guesthouses with certified wine tourism services again.

You can find more information and interesting facts about wine history and viticulture in the Czech lands and news from the world of Moravian and Bohemian wines in the portal www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.



THE CZECH REPUBLIC IN NUMBERS

The Czech Republic has 2 wine regions – Morava and Čechy (Moravia and Bohemia), which are further divided into 6 sub-regions. There are 383 wine municipalities and 18,189 ha in 1,313 vineyard sites, which almost 17,700 growers manage. Most of the vineyards (96 %) lie in Moravia, the remaining 4 % in Bohemia. 71 % of the total area of vineyards is planted with white varieties. There are around 1,300 registered wineries, from large companies to small family businesses, and thousands of small private winemakers.

The Morava (Moravia) Wine Region (308 wine municipalities, 17,529 ha of vineyards) has four sub-regions: the Znojemská Wine Sub-region (90 wine municipalities, 3,198 ha of vineyards), the Velkopavlovická Wine Sub-region (70 wine municipalities, 4,871 ha of vineyards), the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region (30 wine municipalities, 4,984 ha of vineyards) and the Slovácká Wine Sub-region (118 wine municipalities, 4,469 ha of vineyards). 7 ha are grown outside the vineyard sites.

The Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region (75 wine municipalities, 659 ha of vineyards) is formed by the Mělnická Wine Sub-region (40 wine municipalities, 326 ha of vineyards) and the Litoměřická Wine Sub-region (35 wine municipalities, 322 ha of vineyards). 11 ha are grown outside the vineyard sites.

THE LAND OF WINE EDITION

This publication is part of a large project dealing with wine tourism. This edition was created in cooperation with the Wine Fund of the Czech Republic and the National Wine Center, with the contribution of the South Moravian Region, the South Moravian Tourist Authority, the Czech Tourist Authority – CzechTourism and the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation, which will reliably guide you through the wine regions of the Czech Republic – the Morava (Moravia) Wine Region and Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region. Maps are also part of the edition, including maps of the individual wine sub-regions in Moravia with a list of the most interesting places, events and the certified facilities. The wine guide of the Czech Republic and the map of Moravia are also available in English.



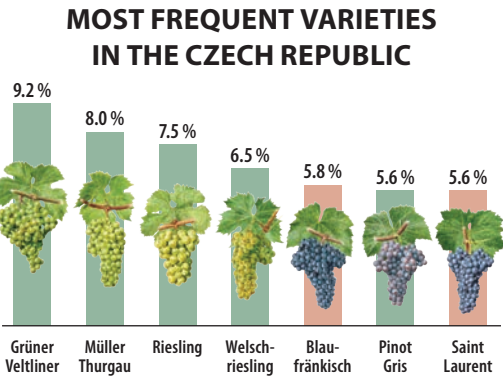
VINICULTURE IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

Viniculture in the Czech Republic has about a two-thousand-year-old tradition. Already in the Middle Ages, our wines used to have a good name, noble and burgher houses were supplied by them, Poland, Silesia and the Imperial Court in Vienna were interested in them. Even today, Moravian and Bohemian wines are well known and belong among the best in Europe and the world. The Celts were possibly the first people to cultivate the grape vine in our area. Wine in the territory of Moravia is tied to the Romans, specifically to the 10th Roman Legion of the Emperor Marcus Aurelius, which had a base near to the village of Mušov in southern Moravia during the second half of the 2nd century AD. Next news about the vine-growing is from the Slavic settlements in the times of Great Moravia, from where vine came to Bohemia. The Czech King and Roman Emperor Charles IV had a big credit for the development of viniculture.

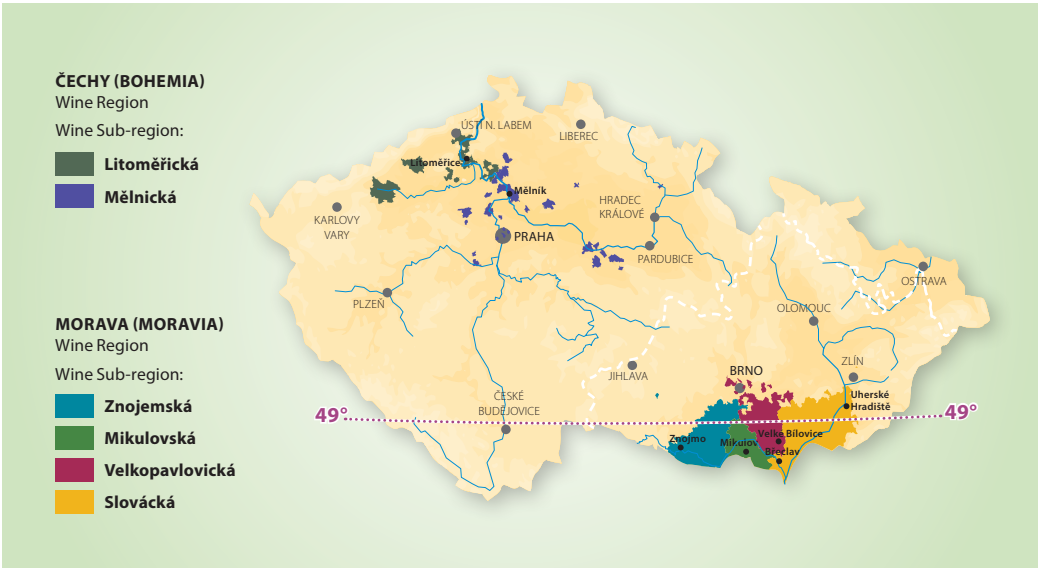


The first surviving documents about wine are monastic chronicles and documents of the Czech rulers. The time from the 14th to 16th century is known as the golden age of Moravian viniculture. Further development of viniculture happened at the end of the 20th century. The restitution of vineyards and privatisation has led to the restoration of the family wineries and the establishment of new companies. The Wine Act from 1995 and its harmonisation

with legislation of the European Union brought big changes. Present viniculture uses modern environmentally-friendly technologies and focuses on the production of wines that rank among the world leaders, which carry many of the awards at the world's most prestigious wine competitions. Moravian and Bohemian wines are characterised by their exciting range of aromas, rich agents and harmonious combinations of full taste with the fresh acids of white



wine. The red wines have become popular recently. They are, thanks to modern technological processing, full and strong, but smooth and velvety, with a pleasant fruit aroma. Rosé wines – beautiful not only because of their colour, but also because of their exceptional youthful character – are slowly becoming the trend of the future. Its climatic conditions are similar to the Alsace (France), Weinviertel (Austria) or in the best wine-growing areas of Germany. A wide range of varieties is typical for the Czech Republic. The largest areas are occupied by Grüner Veltliner, Müller Thurgau, Riesling, Welschriesling, Blaufränkisch, Pinot Gris and Saint Laurent – each variety in an area of more than 1,000 ha. Among the grown varieties are included several domestic new cultivated vines, for example, Moravian Muscat, Pálava, Aurelius and André, Cabernet Moravia and Neronet from the blue varieties. Wine tourism is developing hand in hand with viniculture.



VARIETIES

One of the reasons why the Czech Republic gives birth to wines of original taste and renowned diversity is the unusually rich varietal composition. In these vineyards, 35 varieties of white and 26 varieties of red wines listed in the State Variety Book besides this, other varieties can be found. However, one shall not forget that this wide range of Czech wines is also influenced by the combination of natural conditions and work of human hands. In the Czech Republic, there are

more than 850 registered wineries. The specialty of domestic winemaking is the many varied composition of the vineyards even of small winemakers. Therefore, the resulting style of individual wines is not determined only by terroir, diverse terrain, differing soils and microclimate but also by the winemaker with his invention, experience, and application of traditional methods or new trends. In other words, original Czech wines are everything but insipid and mediocre.



Veltlínské zelené (Grüner Veltliner)

The aromas and tastes of the green-yellow wine reveal the composition of the vineyard's soil. Sometimes it is the aroma of linden flowers that prevails, or of bitter almonds; sometimes the character is spicy, tones of green pepper.



Müller Thurgau (Müller Thurgau)

A variety frequent in all northern wine-growing areas in Europe and overseas. Wines of a green-yellow colour and muscat-fruity aroma with tones of grapefruits or peaches are best young and fresh.



Ryzlink rýnský (Riesling)

One of the best quality varieties for white wines is grown all over the world. The wines stand out with a wide spectrum of aroma tones resembling linden blossom, peaches, apricots or citrus according to the soil type and a year.



Ryzlink vlašský (Welschriesling)

This fresh green-yellow wine with a medium-full taste and spicy acid is the most frequent variety in the Mikulov area. Fruit tones of black currant or gooseberry prevail, later the aroma of meadow flowers.



Rulandské šedé (Pinot Gris)

Harmonic wines from a variety with a French origin, spread all over the world, are usually full-bodied, smooth and have a long aftertaste. In the honey sweet aroma you can discover orange tones.



Chardonnay (Chardonnay)

This variety comes from Burgundy, France. It produces exceptional quality mineral-driven white wines and is widespread throughout the world. It has tones of apples, pears, citrus fruits, white flowers, roasted nuts or honey.



Frankovka (Blaufränkisch)

The blue variety grown especially in Central Europe. Wines have light and dark ruby colour with purple sparks, in the matured vintages you can reveal a typical pleasant spiciness and blackberry aroma.



Svatovavřínecké (Saint Laurent)

The second most cultivated red variety in the Czech Republic providing velvety bright dark red wines of harmonic taste, smelling of a sour cherry, black currant or prune, with a distinct and full taste.

MOST FREQUENT VARIETIES

List of white wines

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| – Veltlínské zelené (Grüner Veltliner) | – Chardonnay | – Hibernal |
| – Müller Thurgau | – Sauvignon (Sauvignon Blanc) | – Neuburské (Neuburger) |
| – Ryzlink rýnský (Riesling) | – Rulandské bílé (Pinot Blanc) | – Sylvánské zelené (Sylvaner) |
| – Ryzlink vlašský (Welschriesling) | – Tramin červený (Traminer) | – Veltlínské červené rané (Frühroter Veltliner) |
| – Rulandské šedé (Pinot Gris) | – Pálava | – Solaris |
| | – Muškát moravský (Moravian Muscat) | – Irsai Oliver |
| | | – Kerner |

List of red wines

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| – Frankovka (Blaufränkisch) | – Cabernet Sauvignon |
| – Svatovavřínecké (Saint Laurent) | – André |
| – Zweigeltrebe (Zweigelt) | – Cabernet Moravia |
| – Rulandské modré (Pinot Noir) | – Dornfelder |
| – Modrý Portugal (Blauer Portugieser) | – Merlot |
| | – Neronet |
| | – Alibernet |

CLASSIFICATION OF WINES IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

General principles – In line with the current valid European and Czech regulations wines are classified into a range of categories. The basis of the classification is on the one hand the system of categorising wines according to the ripeness of the grapes at the time of harvest, indicated by the sugar content in the must and measured in degrees of the standardised must-meter (°NM) which states the content of natural sugar in kilograms per 100 litres of must, and on the other the classification system founded on the differentiation of wines according to their place of origin – the locality whence the wine originated. The European regulations have introduced the possibility of protection for designations of origin and geographical indications. In this context we find the terms “protected designation of origin”, which guarantees, inter alia, the exclusive origin of the grapes from a given geographical region and a specific classification of the wines (among these are quality wines, incl. wines with predicate and VOC wines) and “protected geographical indication”, into which our land wines fall. These indications do not need to be included on the labels.

WINE WITHOUT ORIGIN/WINE

This is a category which the customer previously knew under the designation of table wine. It applies to wines for the production of which grapes that were grown in any member state of the EU were used, and this from either wine grape cultivars, table or unregistered grape varieties. This is the lowest wine category. The yield in the vineyard is not subject to any limits. In some cases the wine may bear the denomination of a grape variety or vintage. These are simple and less extractive wines. Such wines with origins in the Morava and Čechy (Moravian and Bohemian) wine regions are scarcely available on the market.

WINE OF ORIGIN

PROTECTED GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION (PGI)

Land wine

Land wine has to fulfil the following requirements: it is produced only from domestic grapes harvested in vineyards designated for quality wines of the given region from grape varieties authorised in at least one of the member states of the European Union or from varieties that are not registered in the State Variety Book, but from which land wine is authorised to be made (e.g. Damascenka, Modrý Janek, Bouquetriesling). The sugar level of the grapes at harvest must reach a minimum of 14 °NM. This wine is denoted by the names “**moravské zemské víno** (Moravian Land Wine)” or “**české zemské víno** (Bohemian Land Wine)”, and includes vintage and grape variety/varieties on the label. The grapes must come solely from the stated geographical region and the wine must have also been produced there. This category is sometimes utilised by winemakers to denote wines that have been

produced from grapes which, although fulfilling the conditions for the production of quality wines, they have decided not to classify in the quality-wine category due to the small amount of grapes in the batch in question.

PROTECTED DESIGNATION OF ORIGIN (PDO)

This is a designation of an exceptional wine from a given region or location whose quality or characteristics are given due to the specific geographical environment. The PDO classification may only be applied to wines which come from a particular territory (region, specific location or, in exceptional circumstances, country), in which the quality or characteristics are exclusively or predominantly due to the particular geographical environment with its characteristic natural and human factors, and in which the production, processing and preparation of such a wine takes place within the defined area.

Morava (Moravia) Wine Region

Znojemská Wine Sub-Region

Mikulovská Wine Sub-Region

Velkopavlovická Wine Sub-Region

Slovácká Wine Sub-Region

Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region

Litoměřická Wine Sub-Region

Mělnická Wine Sub-Region



These PDO wines may be:

Quality wine (jakostní víno)

Wine made from local grapes with a minimum of 15 °NM. Wine must be produced in the origin wine-growing area of the grapes. It can be marked by the statement:

Varietal (odrodnové)

Wine made from the grapes or grape must combine at most 3 vine varieties.

Branded (známkové)

Wine produced by combining grapes, grape must or wines according to a stated formula.

Quality wine with predicate (jakostní víno s přívlastkem)

Grapes must have all the requirements for the production of quality wines and come from one wine sub-region. No beet or any other sugar can be added to the must. Wines of higher degrees are intended especially for festive occasions or storage.

Kabinet wine (kabinetní víno)

Light, dry wines is made from grapes of min. 19 °NM of sugar content.

Late harvest (pozdní sběr)

Quality dry or semi-dry wines made from grapes harvested with min. 21 °NM of sugar content.

Selection of grapes (výběr z hroznů)

Full extractive wines with a higher alcohol content and sometimes also a higher residual sugar content made from grapes with min. 24 °NM of sugar content.

Selection of berries (výběr z bobulí)

Full and extractive, semi-sweet or sweet wine is produced from grapes that matured for a long time in the vineyard and reached the sugar content min. 27 °NM.

Ice wine (ledové víno)

Rare, very sweet wine made by pressing frozen grapes harvested at the temperature of max. -7 °C, the must has to have min. 27 °NM of sugar content. Grapes must not defrost during pressing, part of the water stays in berries in the form of ice crystals, therefore the pressed must is very concentrated.

Straw wine (slámové víno)

Very sweet wine made from well ripened grapes that are dried on straw or reed mats or hung up in a well-ventilated space for at least 3 months after harvesting. Part of the water is evaporated from the berries and the juice concentrate extractive substances. The must has to have min. 27 °NM, can be pressed even after 2 months if the sugar content reaches min. 32 °NM.

Selection of bortytised berries (výběr z cibéb)

Very extractive, sweet and rare wine made from grapes with min. of 32 °NM of sugar content. Berries in these grapes usually turned into raisins thanks to an extremely long period of ripening.

Quality wine and Quality wine with predicate must be classified by the Czech Agriculture and Food Inspection Authority.



Wine with original certification (Vino originální certifikace, VOC, V.O.C.)

Wines from varieties typical for a particular region, from selected vineyards, from grapes of a declared origin, with a typical aroma and taste – all of which meet the wines with original certification offered under the VOC label.

The labelling is used in parallel with the system of wine classification where the quality of wine is based mainly on the sugar content of grapes. The VOC system, with an emphasis on originality, authenticity and quality of wine, corresponds, for example, to French AOC, Italian DOC or Austrian DAC. The VOC category diversifies the offer of domestic winemakers. Winemakers themselves determine which wines are typical for the terroir, they also choose the vineyard sites and the most suitable locations. VOC wines are accompanied by strict controls on the origin of the grapes and the varieties allowed, the amount of production, cultivation methods and processing techniques. Before going to market, each bottle is then marked with the VOC symbol, usually a neckband or a logo sticker. These guarantee that you get exactly what you expect, which is really good and well-made wines with the typical taste and aroma of the region, which does not differ from year to year – wines that give the unique character of climate, soil and variety, of course in conjunction with the art of local winemakers.

WINE WITH ORIGINAL CERTIFICATION (voc)

VOC MIKULOVSKO



Since 2011, six typical and traditional varieties of this sub-region have been included in the appellation system in the Mikulov region: Pálava, Riesling, Welschriesling, Pinot Blanc, Pinot Gris and Pinot Noir. Wines may only be produced from selected and registered vineyards, and must be of a unique regional nature. You can taste them at the Pálava Vintage Festival in Mikulov and other gastro-nomic events.

www.vocmikulovsko.cz

VOC PÁLAVA



Since 2012, VOC Pálava is only possible to award to wine produced from Welschriesling, which is unique for its character and unrepeatable originality, in the area of Pálava. Grapes for wine production can come only from the best vineyards of Pálava near the villages of Perná, Horní Věstonice, Dolní Věstonice, Pavlov, Klentnice, Mikulov and Bavorsky.

www.voc-palava.cz

VOC ZNOJMO



The first appellation system concerns wines from the three most typical varieties of the Znojmo region: Sauvignon Blanc, Riesling and Grüner Veltliner, or their cuvée, which show a regionally typical flavour profile. Grapes must come from selected and recognized vineyards. VOC Znojmo wines are regularly introduced to the market on 8th May at the VOC Znojmo Wine Festival. You can buy all wines at the VOC Information Centre in the Vlkova věž in Znojmo.

www.vocznojmo.cz

VOC MUTĚNICE



Wines labelled VOC MUTĚNICE are wines with guaranteed origin and quality. Grapes for their production may come from selected registered vineyards of the wine-growing village Mutěnice of the varieties Riesling, Sylvaner, Traminer and Zweigeltrebe. VOC MUTĚNICE consists of four wineries, with an effort to spread among other family wineries.

www.vocmutenice.cz

VOC VALTICE



The wines from the two most typical varieties of Valtice, Sylvaner and Riesling, as well as the coupage of both varieties, have had the label VOC Valtice since 2015. The grapes for wine production come only from approved vineyards located in Valtice and Úvaly, where Sylvaner and Riesling have been grown for centuries. The composition of the soil gives the wine varietal character that creates interesting compositions while maturing.

www.vocvaltice.com

VOC MODRÉ HORY



The winemakers from Modré hory have carefully selected these three varieties: Blaufränkisch, Saint Laurent and Blauer Portugieser, from their most traditional and most suitable for their VOC in 2011. Grapes for the production of red and rosé wines must come from selected vineyards in the area of Bořetice, Kobyly, Němčičky, Velké Pavlovice or Vrbice. The VOC wine store is located in one of the oldest wine cellars in Bořetice under Kraví hora.

www.vocmodrehory.cz

VOC KRAVÍ HORA



Members of VOC Kraví Hora have been granted a permit to produce wines in 2017. This VOC is the only one in the Czech Republic that produces wines from only one variety – the national newborn André, from one village – Bořetice and from only one vineyard – Kraví hora. The very high proportion of biologically active substances in wines from this vineyard is the subject of research of UTB in Zlín.

www.facebook.com/vockravihora

VOC BLATNICE



Cech blatnických vinařů (Guild of Blatnice Winemakers) founded the first appellation in the Slovácká Wine Sub-region in 2013. Wines must be made from varieties typical of the local region, which are Riesling and Burgundy varieties, namely Pinot Blanc, Pinot Gris, Chardonnay and their cuvée. The grapes must come only from registered vineyards in the vicinity of Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, Uherský Ostroh, Lipová and Louka.

www.vocblatnice.cz

VOC SLOVÁCKO



You will find white, rosé and red wines from Moravian Muscat, Riesling, Welschriesling, Pinot Blanc, Blaufränkisch and Pinot Noir. These wines have a guaranteed origin and quality that differ from the common wines of the Slovácká Wine Sub-region. The grapes must come from the vineyards of the Slovácká Wine Sub-region, with the exception of vineyards belonging to VOC Blatnice.

www.vocslovacko.cz

VOC HUSTOPEČSKO



Varieties Grüner Veltliner, Riesling, Traminer and Pinot Noir were chosen by local winemakers for VOC Hustopečsko with regard to the history and typical composition of the cultivated varieties in Hustopeče, Křepice, Kurdějov, Nikolčice, Popice, Starovice, Starovičky, Strachotín, Šakvice and Velké Němčice. You can taste rosé, claret or cuvée, in addition to a purely varietal VOC.

VOC BZENEC



VOC Bzenec expanded the family of VOC wines in November 2017. These are wines of the Riesling and Pinot Blanc varieties. They can be produced from grapes grown in the municipalities of Bzenec, Čeložnice, Kostelec, Kyjov, Medlovice, Moravany, Osvětimany, Polešovice, Skoronice, Újezdec, Vážany, Vlkov, Vracov, Vřesovice, Domanín, Hostějov, Hýslý, Ježov, Kelčany, Labuty, Moravský Písek, Ořechov, Skalka, Syrovín, Těmice, Žádovice and Žeravice.

VOC VINICE VELKÉ PAVLOVICE



The tradition of vine-growing in Velké Pavlovice is more than 767 years old. The wine-growing municipality, known for its distinctive red varieties, also hides great white wine in its vineyards. Seven befriended wineries decided to identify the most typical ones, thanks to the appellation system, in 2019. From the selected grape varieties of Neuburger, Grüner Veltliner, Traminer, André, Blaufränkisch and Pinot Noir, only one varietal white, rosé and red wine can be produced.

MORAVA (MORAVIA) WINE REGION

WINE SUB-REGION

- ZNOJEMSKÁ
- MIKULOVSKÁ
- VELKOPAVLOVICKÁ
- SLOVÁCKÁ

VOC ZNOJMO

Horní Dunajovice, Hostěradice, Miroslav, Tvoroház, Oleksovice, Borotice, Znojmo, Dobšice, Dyje, Tasovice, Krhovice, Nový Šaldorf, Sedlešovice, Havraníky, Vrbovec, Strachotice, Slup, Hrádek, Dyjákovický, Jaroslavice

VOC MIKULOVSKO

Ivan, Pasohlávky, Strachotín, Mušov, Horní Věstonice, Perná, Pavlov, Klentnice, Mikulov, Sedlec, Úvaly, Valtice

VOC HUSTOPEČSKO

Velké Němčice, Křepice, Nikolčice, Starovice, Kurdějov, Hustopeče, Starovičky, Šakvice, Velké Pavlovice, Vrbice, Bořetice, Mutěnice

VOC KRAVÍ HORA

Kobyly, Vrbice, Bořetice, Velké Pavlovice

VOC MODRÉ HORY

Mutěnice

VOC VINICE VELKÉ PAVLOVICE

Velké Pavlovice

VOC PÁLAVA

Pálava

VOC BZENEC

Vřesovice, Čeložnice, Labuty, Moravany, Kostelec, Kyjov, Vlkov, Vracov, Bzenec, Osvětimany, Medlovice, Vážany, Polešovice, Ořechov, Domanín, Uherský Ostroh, Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, Lipová, Louka

VOC BLATNICE

Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, Uherský Ostroh, Lipová, Louka

VOC SLOVÁCKO

VOC Slovácko includes all wine-growing municipalities of the Slovácká Wine Sub-region except for the municipalities of VOC Blatnice and VOC Bzenec.

VOC MĚLNÍK



The very first appellation system in the Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region was born in 2015 in the Mělnická Wine Sub-region. The aim of VOC is to increase the prestige of Mělník as one of the oldest wine municipalities in the Czech Republic. It includes three varieties – Riesling, Müller Thurgau and Pinot Noir, and possibly the coupage of both white varieties. Grapes must be grown on approved vineyards in the municipalities of Mělník, Liběchov and Kly.

www.vocmelnik.cz

ČECHY (BOHEMIA) WINE REGION

WINE SUB-REGION

- MĚLNICKÁ
- LITOMĚŘICKÁ

VOC MĚLNÍK

Liběchov, Mělník, Kly

CAMPAIGNS OF THE WINE FUND

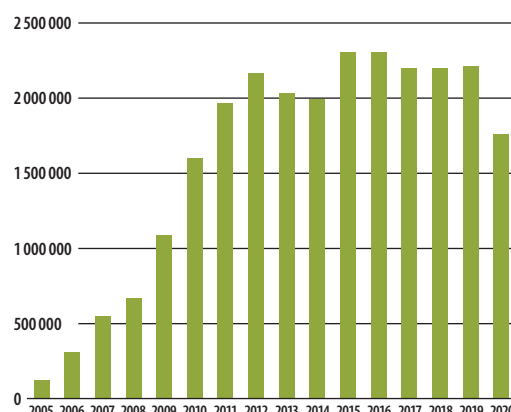
ST. MARTIN'S WINES



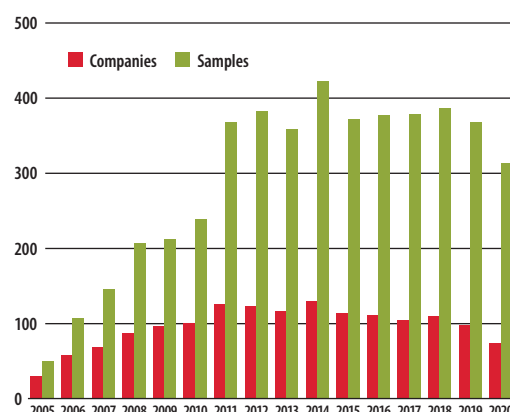
St. Martin's wines (svatomartinská vína) are the first wines of the new year, with which, according to tradition, you can clink glasses on St. Martin's day on November 11. Fresh young wines are produced exclusively from early ripening varieties, so you will meet red wines from Blauer Portugieser and St. Laurent, white wines from the Müller Thurgau, Grüner Veltliner and Moravian Muscat varieties, and rosé wines and clarets from Blauer Portugieser, Zweigelt and St. Laurent. St. Martin's wine can be recognized by the trademark (see picture) on the label and capsule/screw cap, which was registered in 1995 and has been owned by the Wine Fund since 2005. The wines go through strict evaluation of the tasting committee, more than 300 wines are awarded each year. The popularity of St. Martin's wine is growing every year and more than million seven hundred fifty thousand bottles are now opened. St. Martin's menu, with roasted goose and young wines, is prepared by a number of restaurants and a number of events are held: St. Martin's wines and goose festivals, St. Martin's wandering through open wine cellars, and, elsewhere, St. Martin's wines are blessed when young wines are baptized. The year 2020 was unfortunately paralyzed by the Covid pandemic.



NUMBER OF ST. MARTIN'S BOTTLES / YEAR



NUMBER OF COMPANIES – SAMPLES / YEAR



CAMPAIGN TO SUPPORT WINE TOURISM



The Covid crisis affected both Moravian and Bohemian winemakers in 2020. In addition to the loss on wine sales in the spring due to the closure of restaurants and wine bars, hundreds of popular wine events were canceled before the summer holidays, and those in the summer and autumn had to be significantly reduced. There are many places in South Moravia, but also in Bohemia, where you can go for wine. When visiting interesting interesting places, you can not only taste the wine, but also learn something interesting about it. The presentation of wine at wine events and the opportunity to not just buy wine but also experience it right where it originates is one of the foundations of wine culture. It is also one of the economic pillars of smaller wineries and deserves support from all lovers of quality Moravian and Bohemian wines now more than ever.



Let's make a toast and support wines in our national colours!



Light Veltliner, more distinctive Rhine Riesling or some of our other varieties? Be inspired by wines from Moravia and Bohemia and visit our winemakers for an unforgettable experience!

Here's to wine!



Drink responsibly

LABELLING THE WINE FROM THE CZECH REPUBLIC

The slogan "Wines from Moravia, Wines from Bohemia" has been encountered in the past twelve years on labels, promotional materials, during wine events and in the campaigns of the Wine Fund. Our winemakers started gradually to mark wines originating in Moravia or Bohemia with a uniform mark in January 2015. The top circular surface of the valve or screw cap is marked with a sector of the famous logo "Wines from Moravia, Wines from Bohemia" in the form of a glass in national colours (see picture). You will find it on wines with protected geographical indication and wine with protected designation of origin, on wines for the production of which only grapes originating from the Czech Republic have been used. According to surveys of public opinion and according to our winemakers, it follows that customers prefer Moravian and Bohemian wines and perceive them as better quality than from foreign competitors. The clearly visible logo guarantees the origin of Moravian and Bohemian wines, and makes the position of sellers of foreign wine that appear domestic at first sight more difficult. At the same time, the label supports all honest winemakers by reducing unfair competition.



RED WINES

High-quality red wine is not only a paradise for the taste buds, but also a pleasant relaxation when the weather outside is not quite full of optimism. However, there is one universal remedy for autumn depression and ground frosts, a sip of delicious red wine and a high quality, preferably dark, chocolate bar. Then, just sit comfortably and feel the perfect harmony of aromas and tastes. The Blaufränkisch and St. Laurent belong among the most typical varieties of our region. The Velké Pavlovice region is the heart of the blue varieties in the Czech Republic. The vineyards of the so-called Modré hory (i.e. blue vineyards) are mostly hilly and the soils are characterized by a high magnesium content. Warm winds blowing on the southern slopes accelerate the ripening of the grapes, and this suits the blue varieties, which are more demanding of heat and sunshine. Red wine from local vineyards is an ideal companion to Czech gastronomy. It is suitable for any preparation of dark meat, more spicy or grilled white meat, as well as for more substantial preparation of meatless dishes.



GOOD WINE AND GOOD FOOD: WE BELONG TOGETHER



The Wine Fund launched the very first thematic campaign aimed at deepening the perception of wine and food as a natural combination among the general public in 2018. They belong to each other from time immemorial, and just as people initially followed the simple rule of whether or not the combination tastes good or not, it is not a complex discipline today.

Because wine underlines the flavours and aroma of food and vice versa, fine wine is suitable for fine food,

and for more distinctive or spicy food, we choose stronger, fuller wine. It is same with meat where we can help ourselves by sight - white meat to white, red to red, and rosé when we hesitate. Wine and food should be matched also visually, i.e. by colour. It's a simple aid, but it works very well. Wines with rich aromas are suitable for fragrant, spicy dishes. Sweet food is complemented by sweet wines, which should not miss freshness so that we would not have too much sweetness. But you can also try opposites, such as sweet wine for savoury food. The rule of character similarity does not work for foods with a sour taste and wines with a higher acidity, where both sensations reinforce each other, and the combination is usually problematic. But we know safely that dry wine with a higher acid is great for fatty food, as the acids in the wine dissolve fats and will lighten the food and raise it. Whether you choose to adhere to the centuries-proven rules or follow your imagination and taste buds, one thing is clear: quality Moravian or Bohemian wines turn every meal into a feast.

GLOSSARY OF BASIC WINE TASTING TERMS

Wine aroma – natural substances contained in wine that can be detected by the senses during smell and taste examination.

Barrique – oak barrel with a volume of about 225 l used for wine maturing to gain typical aroma and taste.

Bouquet – sum of aromas resulting from maturation of wine in barrels and bottles.

Cuvée – wine made from two or more varieties or vintages.

Decantation – separation of clear wine in a bottle from the “depot” (sediment) by pouring it into a decanter or a different vessel.

Aftertaste – total impression in the mouth after swallowing the wine.

Extract – substances that remain after evaporation of water and alcohol. Amount of extract varies depending on variety, vintage and ripeness of grapes.

Bottle maturity – after bottling, the wine further develops to optimum maturity, depending on variety, quality class, storage temperature as well as both quality and length of corks.

Persistence – the length of aftertaste, i.e. how long the taste perception lasts after swallowing wine.

Cream of tartar – precipitates in the reaction of tartaric acid with potassium or sodium during must fermentation or in bottled wine, means no fault.

Residual sugar – sugar that does not ferment into alcohol and remains in the wine.

YEAR WITH WINE

January

If the weather is nice, work in the vineyard starts with vine pruning which usually ends in February. In the winery, wine is being prepared for bottling – it is treated.

May

Vine-growers treat young vines and fight the pests by careful spraying. They hope for a lot of sun so the vineyards will finish blossoming successfully. It is necessary to cultivate the soil and remove the weeds.

February

Machines are maintained, the seedlings for planting are arranged. The wine is under the supervision of the winemaker, who leaves his unique signature on it. It is necessary to finish the pruning, and collect and burn unwanted canes in the vineyard.

June

The vegetation period begins – after lush blossoming shoots appear. Vine-growers tuck in the summer shoots and remove the lateral shoots.

March

Spring in the vineyard starts with ploughing the soil that protected individual vine plants in winter. The soil is cultivated, shoots are tied to the wire support, and other small tasks are carried out.

July

By pruning the shoots and excess grapes vine-growers reduce the load on the vine plants and save their energy for the production of healthy fruit. It is necessary to weed and spray the vineyard.

October

While some stum are already fermenting in cellars, late-season varieties are just harvested. Wine-makers watch over the grapes intended for ice wine production.

December

A beautiful time when the winemaker and his friends can raise glasses of young sparkling wine. The year-long toil was worth it and now it is time to meditate on life and to plan the future.

April

In addition to routine work in the vineyard, winemakers evaluate wines, discuss them and take part in local and regional wine exhibitions. Most of the wine has already been treated and is prepared for bottling.

August

The wineries prepare for the upcoming harvest. Inspection in the vineyard is full of expectations. In ideal weather conditions the first harvest can start at the end of August.

November

In vineyards, soil is ploughed to the plants. In the winery, winemakers treat and rack wine. On St. Martin's day (11. 11.) young wines are drunk under the name “Svatomartinské” for the first time. Events take place throughout the CR to celebrate them.



SEPTEMBER – VINTAGE

Grape harvest is the most important part of the wine grower's year. Schedule of harvesting both early and late-season varieties is determined according to weather; ideally, with the content of natural sugars and acids in optimal ratio. From vineyards, the grapes are carefully transported to the winery where they are destemmed and pressed.



WINE TOURISM SERVICES CERTIFICATION

The wine areas with mosaics of vineyards, cycling paths, cellar lanes, wine cellars and wine stores attract thousands of visitors each year. But how can you orientate yourself in the offer of services? Where will they offer wine for tasting to you, which winery will welcome you with open arms and where is the best to stay overnight? The advice is simple – look if there is a certificate.

The places, whose owners understand the requirements of the modern age and their menu of services show taste, ingenuity and professionalism, differ from other similar buildings, an enamel sign with logo of Vína z Moravy or Vína z Čech (Wines from Moravia or Wines from Bohemia) and Czech and English writing “wine tourism certification”. Lists of these facilities, together with their brief introduction, contacts and logo or photo, can be found in this publication after the chapters introducing the wine sub-regions. All comply with the mandatory requirements for a given category and a set number of optional criteria. Certification is awarded to five types of facility. For all presentation at www.vinazmoravy-vinazcech.cz, distribution of promotional materials about wine and providing information about wine tourism are obligatory. For foreign visitors, materials in one world language are prepared.



What will the 79 certified wineries offer you?

A certified winery has a range of at least 90% of domestic wines from at least 6 varieties, among which are wines typical for the region. At least part of the wines is listed in CAFIA (SZPI) or has the VOC sign and awards from a selected domestic competition. They will allow you to explore the vineyards or winery. Of course, there is the possibility of buying wines and wine packaging.

What do the 85 certified wine cellars offer?

The structure of wine is, according to the rules for certified wineries (with the exception of awards of the competition), in the offer of certified cellar. They will offer wine tasting and other programmes to you here. You can choose hot or cold snacks for wines served from corresponding glasses. Certified cellars have simple and clean equipment and a matter of course is hygienic facilities.

What can you expect in the 30 certified wine stores?

It does not have to be only a wine store, but, for example, a wine store linked with the information centre, but with trained staff for wine presentation, sommelier needs and other services. A certified wine store offers wine tasting of at least two bottled wines for at least 7 months of the year, from June to September, at least four days a week. In addition, regularly organizes or, on order, arranges wine tasting or other programmes. Offers at least 40 types of bottled and clearly priced wines, where at least 70% comes from the Czech Republic and at least 30% from the given sub-region. You will often meet the offer of other regional products.

What services do the 16 certified restaurants with wine or wine bars offer?

You will be presented with a bilingual food and drinks menu with a sufficient selection of bottled wines, at least 20 wines from the given sub-region and at least four bottled wines by the glass at a certified restaurant. You will learn not only about the origin, but also the basic analytical value of wines. A qualified person will help you with their selection. At least half of the menu is traditional meals of rural cuisine from fresh products and food according to the seasons, each with a recommended wine. The restaurant organizes special wine and culinary events at least twice a year, e.g., a menu with more courses combined with wines.

What do the 40 certified places of accommodation offer?

Certified accommodation differs by wine themes from regular hotels and guesthouses – connection with viticulture and wine is obvious at first look here. This accommodation is located either directly in the winery or by the wine cellar, wine store or restaurant oriented at wine and their capacity does not exceed 50 beds. You will get information about winemaking in the region and an overview of the main tourist and wine services and events from the staff. A matter of course is cleanliness and a breakfast buffet.



There is only part of the list of offered services in the text, you will find the exact wording of certification conditions at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.

MORAVIAN WINE TRAILS

A unique 1,200 km long network of marked cycling routes interlacing all South Moravian wine sub-regions. The project, coordinated by the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation, involves 250 wine villages and towns. Tourist maps MWT are published by SHOCart. The trails are also available to download from www.vinarske.stezky.cz. Maps of sub-regions are available from the TIC in the Moravia Wine Region. Information boards and signposts with pictograms identify points of interest and services along the way.

THE MIKULOV WINE TRAIL

In the south the route passes through the Lednice-Valtice Composed Landscape, it is 84 km long and quite flat, reaching the highest point at the Rajstna colonnade from where it further follows the Austrian-Czech border. In the north it leads through places of the oldest human settlement, the wine-growing region of Pálava and the surroundings of the Nové Mlýny reservoirs.

THE BRNO WINE TRAIL

The trail is divided into two branches and connects the Moravian metropolis to the circuits passing through the Znojemska and Velkopavlovická Wine Sub-regions. It is 92 km long, and leads cyclists, for example, to the region of excellent red wines in the vicinity of Dolní Kounice, to the valley and nature park of the Jihlava river, and to the Nové Mlýny reservoirs below Pálava.

THE MORAVIAN WINE TRAIL

The red-marked spinal route of the Moravian wine trails connects the ancient town of Znojmo with Uherské Hradiště, the metropolis of Slovácko. The 289 km long arterial road passes through all the Moravian wine sub-regions and crosses 7 out of the 10 local wine route circuits. 70 wine municipalities and 10 protected nature areas are located along the route.

THE ZNOJMO WINE TRAIL

The longest route connecting nearly 60 wine towns and villages on 165 km of length. This route is not a closed circuit, but it passes through the most interesting places of the Znojemska Wine Sub-region. The area along the Dyje river offers flat road sections and fine roads between fields and vineyards. Lovers of rougher terrains will enjoy the Podyjí National Park.

THE VELKÉ PAVLOVICE WINE TRAIL

The northern part of the 110 km long, richly branched trails leads to a wine region with an attractive terrain and several lookout towers (Velké Pavlovice, Bořetice). From the Velké Pavlovice region, an area with a number of open wine cellars, the route leads via the vale of Dolnomoravský úval around the Nové Mlýny reservoirs to the Lednice-Valtice area.

THE MUTĚNICE WINE TRAIL

The Mutěnice area forms the border between the northern and southern Moravian wine sub-regions. The mostly flat, 65 km long route through the gently undulating landscape of the Kyjov Hills can be divided into two smaller circuits following well passable consolidated dirt roads. There are several short climbs leading to nice lookout points.

THE UHERSKÉ HRADIŠTĚ WINE TRAIL

An ideal route for a day-long family trip is 75 km long and leads through a gently undulating hilly area along quiet roads and cycling trails. The heart of the route is Uherské Hradiště, the metropolis of Slovácko, from where it heads to Kostelany. In other directions, it is possible to continue to Polešovice along the Morava river or to the south to a spa town of Ostrožská Nová Ves and to Dolňácko.

THE STRÁŽNICE WINE TRAIL

A 101 km long, winding road leading mostly along quiet roads, with about 20 km of consolidated or grassy dirt roads. The flat route rises up only in the White Carpathians foothills and in several parts of the Hluká Highlands. Thanks to its rich branching, the route connects the Strážnice region with Podluží, Uherské Hradiště and Bzenec wine routes.

THE PODLUŽÍ WINE TRAIL

The route through the flatland of Podluží is 115 km long, with asphalt roads alternating with dirt roads. In several places it is possible to admire rural architecture of cellars. The southern part of the route leads to two well-known Slavic settlements of Pohansko and Valy u Mikulčic; the northern part enters the forested area of Dolňácko near Kyjov.

THE BZENEC WINE TRAIL

The shortest, only 26 km long route follows mostly roads of the 3rd class via the hilly area of the Kyjov Hills, and near Bzenec and Vracov it enters the vale of Dolnomoravský úval.

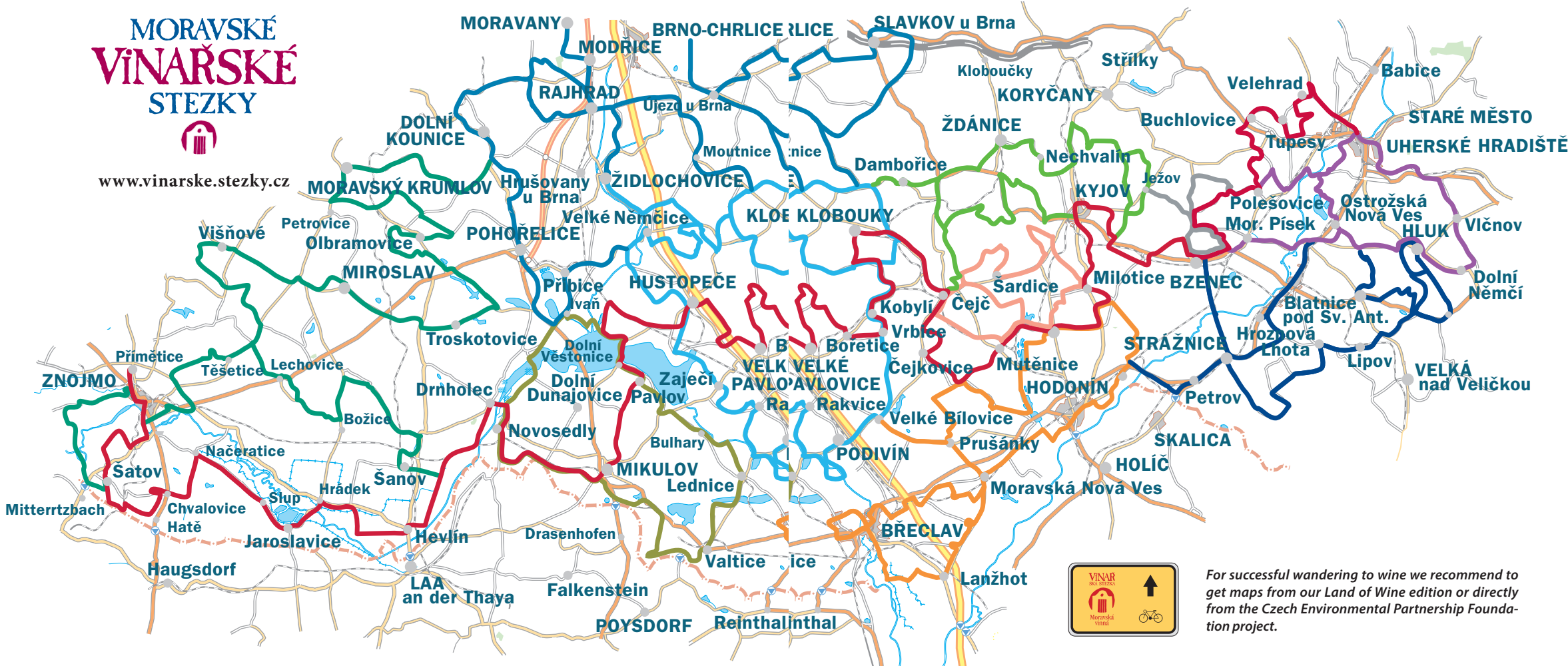
The circuit is connected to the Kyjov, Uherské Hradiště and Strážnice Wine Trails, and part of the route is parallel to the spinal Moravian Wine Trail.

THE KYJOV WINE TRAIL

85 km long route with a rougher hilly profile presents a challenge for capable cyclists. The route follows the gently undulating Kyjov Hills and the Chřiby foothills, passing by several lookout points. Several of its branches are connected with routes passing through the neighbouring areas of Bzenec, Velké Pavlovice and Mutěnice.

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WHERE TO GO FOR OUR WINES

A wide range of varieties, a large number of wine-makers, the variability of vintages and the types of wines produced in the Czech Republic open up a great area for exploring to wine lovers. If you do not have enough time for such investigation, we recommend visiting the “shop window” of Moravian and Bohemian wines – the Wine Salon of the Czech Republic in Valtice. In the basement of the chateau, you can taste a sample of a selection of the 100 best wines that represent all Czech wine sub-regions. Another option is to visit the tasting of wines from many organized competitions – international or regional – or just one of the countless local tastings. You can meet the winemakers directly during the days of open cellars. It is possible to visit certain wine municipalities within the services of open wine cellars anytime during the summer season, and there will be always, at least, one wine cellar where it will be possible to taste and buy wine. You have the possibility of exploring several wine areas through wines from the VOC appellation system.



If you visit the wine-growing regions in the autumn, do not miss the opportunity to taste “burčák” (half-fermented grape must), its drinking is not common around the world. Vintage festivals are associated with it; some of them have a historical character and a rich cultural programme (in Znojmo, Mikulov, Mělník etc.). The tradition of winemaking can be evoked at festivals “zarážání hory” (closing the vineyard) and wine blessing. Another wine attraction of

the Czech Republic is St. Martin’s wine – young wine placed on the market during the feast of St. Martin (11. 11.), often associated with serving goose specialties. In the spring, you can admire the wide variety of colours, scents and flavours of rosé wines, of which the greatest celebration takes place in Prague on the 1st of May. (Villa Richter and St. Wenceslas Vineyard).



The popularity of wine in the Czech Republic is rising and with it the development of wine tourism goes hand in hand. You can choose to visit a series of wine facilities. Wineries, wine cellars, wine stores, restaurants and accommodation certified in the framework of the wine tourism project offer a guaranteed level of service, including language skills. You will meet most of them during tours in the dense network of local wine trails. Many educational wine trails leading directly to the vineyards and wine trails dedicated to some varieties are devoted to wine. Worth visiting are Moravian wine cellar lanes. You can use a mobile application to explore them. You can see the beauty of the local wine landscape, even from a height – from a number of recently built lookout towers, one of which even has the shape of a wine glass. If you are interested further in the history of the viniculture, do not miss the interactive exhibition about our, and also world, viniculture at the Chateau Mikulov. Do not forget to taste the local varieties, for example, Pálava, Moravian Muscat, André or Cabernet Moravia.



OPEN CELLAR LANES TELL STORIES

Discover the magic of the cellar lanes and feel free to get to know the local winemakers and their wines personally.



Have you already discovered the special and beautiful places in South Moravia, usually at the end of the village, where rows of vines, from the surrounding slopes, run up to the roof of the cellars and by a door leading out to the country, a bench and table are waiting for you? Have you experienced that nice atmosphere in our pleasant wine region, when you walk at dusk around the cellars and from the open



door the clink of glass, sociable talk or singing are heard? So, you are in a wine cellar lane. In places where the local winemakers have been trying to turn the local sun, soil and fruit of the vine into wine for centuries. There are about 100 cellar lanes in Moravia. Their genius loci, better and better quality of wine and the hospitality of local people, attracts thousands of visitors. Come!



For your easy orientation, we have prepared a new web page www.sklepni-ulicky.cz, which is full of information about cellar lanes, their history and the present day. You can find here invitations to wine and gastronomic events and much other information. The web page is available not only in Czech, but also German and English. A new edition of the

printed materials has been published. It will guide you through cellar lanes and places that are associated with wine and regional cuisine in South Moravia and Weinviertel.



The South Moravia Tourist Authority has prepared for visitors of the so-called TOP of cellar lanes in Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice, Pavlov, Bořetice and Prušánky, exhibitions directly in authentic cellars spaces. They open during the summer season and major events or on the basis of ordering in advance.

Have you happened to be at South Moravia in a cellar lane and looking for tips for where to go? You just need to download a new application for smart phones and tablets, and it will direct you. Owners of these devices simply download the application by entering the phrase cellar lanes in their app store, the application is free. The application is available in three languages: Czech, German and English, and offers information about 33 cellar lanes in South Moravia. Also installed there are so-called info-barrels in nine municipalities, where visitors can learn basic information about a given cellar lane and, thanks to a QR code, can easily download this new application. You can use these info-barrels in Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice, Bořetice, Pavlov, Prušánky, Mutěnice, Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, Hnanice, Vrbice and Plže in Petrov.

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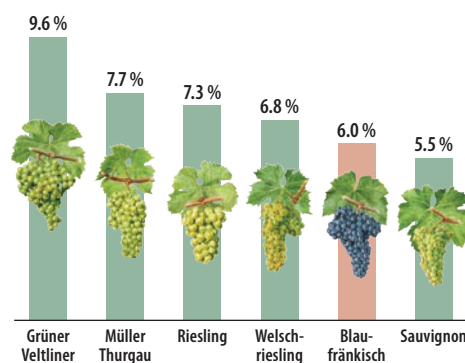
WELCOME TO MORAVIA

The Morava (Moravia) Wine Region is located in the South Moravian and Zlín region, a small part of it is also in the Vysočina region. The oldest viticultural area in the Czech Republic is proud of the wine-growing traditions from the days when the Roman legions temporarily settled under Pálava, and soldiers established the first vineyards on its slopes. Moravia was, due to climatic conditions, considered to be an area with excellent prerequisites for the production of white wines with an interesting range of aromas and spiciness for a long time. Fresh acids underlining the harmony of the aromas and flavours stimulate the repeated sipping of this harmonious wine. Blue varieties for the production of red wines received less attention, but they already had

good conditions in some sub-regions before, and in recent years, thanks to the warmer weather and modern technology, their importance is increasing.

Maps of the Morava (Moravia) Wine Region changed several times, most recently in 2004, when the wine law adjusted the division of the wine sub-regions. 10 wine regions existed until then: Brněnská, Bzenecká, Kyjovská, Mikulovská, Mutěnická, Podluží, Strážnická, Uherskohradištská, Velkopavlovická and Znojemská. The naming of the known wine trails comes from their names. Since 2004, the Morava (Moravia) Wine Region has been divided into four sub-regions: Znojemská, Mikulovská, Velkopavlovická and Slovácká.

MOST FREQUENT VARIETIES IN MORAVIA



WINE REGION MORAVA (MORAVIA) IN A NUTSHELL

*The most important wine region in the Czech Republic stretches from Znojmo to Uherské Hradiště. It consists of four Wine Sub-regions: **Znojemská, Mikulovská, Velkopavlovická** and **Slovácká**. It covers **17,529 hectares of vineyards**, which represents **96 % of registered vineyards** in the Czech Republic.*

*The **Morava (Moravia) Wine Region** is the area, according to legends and archaeological sources, with the oldest viticultural and vinicultural tradition in the country. It lies around the 49th parallel, as well as the wine region of Champagne or the best wine regions of Germany. It consists of **308 wine municipalities** and **1,142 vineyard sites**, which are managed by over **17,618 vine-growers**. The most municipalities and vine-growers can be found in the Slovácká Wine Sub-region, the largest area of vineyards is in the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region, close behind it is the Velkopavlovická. The largest wine municipalities are Velké Bílovice, Valtice, Mikulov and Čejkovice.*

*According to a six-year measurement at the Wine Breeding Station in Velké Pavlovice, the average annual temperature reaches 12.4 °C, the average annual precipitation is 463 mm and the approximate annual sunshine duration is 1,700 hours. Although the growing season is shorter than in Western Europe, in most years, it is characterized by a higher heat intensity of the summer months, which allows the cultivation of varieties with late ripening grapes. The ripening process is slower, so more aromatic substances are concentrated in the grapes. Varietal representation almost copies the overall statistics of the Czech Republic – dominated by **Grüner Veltliner** and **Müller Thurgau** – the other ranks are divided by **Riesling**, **Welschriesling**, and from the red varieties, **Blaufränkisch** and **St. Laurent**.*





MORAVA (MORAVIA)

Wine Region

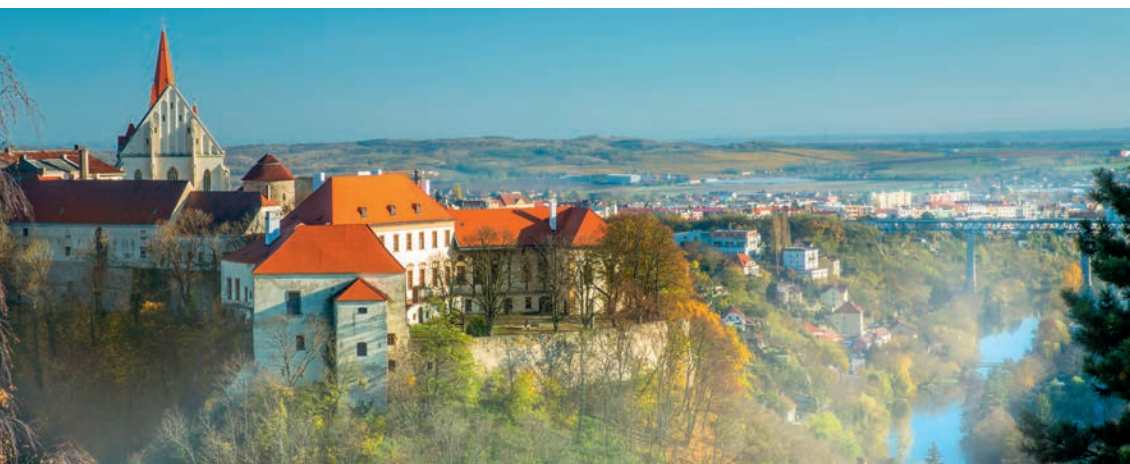
ZNOJEMSKÁ

Wine Sub-region



The **Znojemská Wine Sub-region** includes the western part of South Moravia from Podyjí and the eastern slopes of the Českomoravská vrchovina over the Dyje valley, Jevišovka, Jihlava, and other smaller rivers to Rajhrad by the Brno city. It is the Kingdom of aromatic white wines, where the uncrowned king is **Grüner Veltliner**, followed by **Müller Thurgau**, **Riesling** and **Sauvignon Blanc** varieties. The composition of the soil and climatic conditions suit **Pinot Gris**, **Treminer**, **Pinot Blanc** or muscat varieties such as **Moravian Muscat** and **Irsai Oliver**. The proportion of blue varieties is smaller, but the original **St. Laurent**, **Blaufränkisch** and **Pinot Noir**, from the area of **Dolní Kounice**, has an excellent reputation. **Znojmo**, the Royal Town, which celebrated the 790th anniversary of its founding in 2016, is the wine centre of the sub-region. When walking to meet wine, you will discover a number of interesting places, from the Znojmo medieval underground through **extensive cellars** and **a wine museum in Louka Monastery**, up to the picturesque **Painted Wine Cellar** in Šatov. The Znojmo region is the cradle of wine tourism. You can ride around vineyards and wineries with a specialized wine bus **Vinobus** in the high season. **Tasting stands** are waiting for you in many places: at the **Rajská vineyard** in **Znojmo**, at the famous **vineyard Šobes** in the **Podyjí National Park**, at the **Castle Lampelberg**, in **Hnanice**, in the **wine cellar lane** in **Chvalovice** or on the cycle paths in the **Staré vinice vineyard** above **Havraníky** village. A whole series of events is connected with wine. For example, the **VOC Znojmo Wines Festival** in 8 May, where the wines of the first-ever appellation system in the Czech Republic from the Sauvignon Blanc, Riesling and Grüner Veltliner varieties enter the market every year. Not to be missed are the wines at the **Znojmo wine tasting** in **Znojmo** in March, the **Conquering of the Dobšice Cellars**, the **Znojmo Historical Vintage Festival** and the **Burčákfest** in September.

Total area: 3,198 ha Wine municipalities: 90 Vineyard sites: 218



ZNOJEMSKÁ Wine Sub-region

1 LOUKA MONASTERY IN ZNOJMO – the monastery, founded in 1190, was for centuries a centre of artistic, economic and spiritual life of Znojmo. You can find here, instead of the Premonstratensian convent, abolished during the Josephine reforms, the Visitors' Centre of Znovín today. You will visit the gallery of art work, wine and the coopers museum and courtyard with its preserved Gothic cloister during the tour. The tour of the extensive wine cellar and Romanesque-Gothic crypt below the church, which was occasionally used as house cell for punished monks, is a great experience. Louka Monastery is also the starting point of the Wine tourist programme of Znovín and one of the Znojmo tourist train stops. | www.znovin.cz



2 GENE POOL OF CR – a collection of wine varieties of the Czech Republic vine gene pool, is planted in the Nad sklepy vineyard near the village Vrbovec. It includes 290 varieties – current cultivated varieties and also older and regional varieties, which are not included in the State Variety Book. The company Ampelos, the oldest breeding vine station in Central Europe, founded in 1895, takes care of the collection.

You can find the Headquarters of the company in Vrbovec cellar colony, an area of approximately 260 winery buildings, west of the village below the Nad sklepy vineyard.

www.ampelos.cz

3 KRAVÍ HORA – the long hill with thermophile and rare heathland vegetation, a historic vineyard, one of the best in the Czech Republic, lies south of Znojmo. The western part passes into the valley of Dyje and to the National Park Podyjí, the eastern part is planted with vines. A nice view of Znojmo opens from the northern slopes.

4 ŠOBES – one of Europe's best vineyards lies on the sunny slopes of a rock in the meander of the Dyje river in the heart of the Podyjí National Park. Šobes wine owes its excellent quality especially to the ideal microclimate. The vineyard is open all year, the tasting stand of the company Znovín Znojmo is open from the end of March to late September. | www.znovin.cz

5 NOVÝ ŠALDORF AND SEDLEŠOVICE – two well-known wine villages south of Znojmo formed shortly after the founding of Louka Monastery in 1190 at the fords across the Dyje river. The local residents dug more than 200 wine cellars during six centuries. The most famous area of the Modré sklepy is located on both sides of the road facing south, a historic press from the 18th century stands in the centre. The cellars are named after the special sandstone, spread through with layers of blue-grey clay colour. Cellar lane in Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice, with 200 cellars, is one of the largest and most picturesque in Znojmo. Local winemakers united into the association Šaldorfské sklepy, and you can taste and buy their excellent wine directly in the cellars of individual winemakers.

www.saldorfske-sklepy.cz



6 PAINTED WINE CELLAR – wine cellar decorated with fantastic sculptural paintings excavated in the sandstone slope above Šatov down the road to Havraníky. Although the Painted Wine Cellar is a wine cellar, wine was never produced or even stored here. It should have served as a private wine room and a place to relax. Both sides of the main halls and walls of the 5 adjacent lounges are decorated with colourful sculptural paintings of mermaids, dwarfs, alpine landscapes and other motifs, created by Maxmillian Appeltaufer, a Šatov native. He worked in the Painted Wine Cellar Sunday after Sunday for 36 years and was even injured in the Second World War, when he lost an arm, which did not stop him. He was holding a container of paint in the left armpit, a brush in the right hand and by the candles attached to his hat, which lit the area in front of him.

www.malovany-sklep.cz

7 DOLNÍ KOUNICE – the largest wine locality in the vicinity of Brno is famous for producing red wines, especially Blaufränkisch. You can see the romantic ruins of Gothic convent Rosa coeli, the chapel of St. Antonín and a small Jewish quarter, with cemetery and synagogue, also cellars with underground presses in the Tovární street or in the locations Na Závodí and Za Měšťankou. | www.dolnikounice.cz

8 DOBŠICE – belonged to the largest wine municipalities in the Znojmo region, the old wine-growing terraces are evident till today. You will find three wine cellar lanes here. Next, the cellars are in individual homesteads. In the village, there are two vineyard sites, Pod tratí and U Hájku, where you can find molдавite. Several monuments and wine trail Po stopách Napoleona (In the Footsteps of Napoleon) are reminders of the battle, which happened near Dobšice on 11–12 July, 1809; the French Emperor had his observation post on today's vineyards. You will taste the wine of local winemakers during Wandering Around the Dobšice Cellars every year in February and the Conquering of Dobšice Cellars in July, the event associated with the reconstruction of the battle.

www.dobsice.cz

9 IVANČICE – the church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary with its characteristic prismatic tower, once stood alone with a defensive function, domi-



nates the town with many Renaissance houses, the remains of medieval fortifications and the Jewish cemetery. Remains of buildings of the Church of Czech Brethren with tower and uncovered original foundations of the church recalls the time when Ivančice was an important centre of the Unity of the Brethren. The Ivančice hymn-book, one of the most beautiful European Renaissance books, was created by a local printer in 1562. Also popular is the permanent exhibition of two local natives, Art Nouveau painter Alfons Mucha and actor Vladimír Menšík. You can taste the wines from Ivančice and neighbourhood every year in late May, when the city holds its Asparagus Festival. | www.ivancice.cz



10 MIROSLAV – legend says that Miroslav winemakers helped to establish the vineyards in the Znojmo area. The first mention of Miroslav from 1222 is also about the wine. The Czech King Přemysl Otakar I and his wife Konstancie confirmed by written document the dedication of the wine from Miroslav vineyards to the Rajhrad Benedictines. Worth seeing is the castle, 2 churches and the Jewish cemetery from the 16th century. The most famous vineyard site is Weinperky, lying at the foot of Markův Hill. You can taste the wine from local vineyards at Miroslav wine tasting in March or at the Meruňkobraní in July, celebrations recalling the tradition of growing apricots.

www.mesto-miroslav.cz

11 JAROSLAVICE – a small town surrounded by vineyards lies in a valley stream of Daníž not far from the border with Austria. The Renaissance chateau, Classical church St. Jiljí and several areas of wine cel-



lars deserve attention. The wine cellars, with presses on the western edge of Jaroslavice, are the oldest, slightly younger are cellars in a place called V psím příkopě or U ledárny and two streets at Bažantice. Wines of Jaroslavice winemakers can be tasted in August, when the Day of Open Cellars is. A wine rarity is the cellar with the wine archive of company Znovín Znojmo. The mysterious labyrinth of mutually interlocked manually-dug tunnels hides officially the oldest collection of vintage wines in the Czech Republic. Wines from 1945 up to the present are stored according to year in the wine cellar. The real treasure is the last few bottles of Blauer Portugieser 1945.

www.obec-jaroslavice.cz



12 LAMPELBERG CASTLE – the picturesque castle surrounded by vineyards is a popular destination for cycling and hiking. It was built by Jaroslavice castle lord Count Vilém Hompesch as an observation gazebo in 1860. Lampelberg is also the only reminder of the defunct settlement Ječmeniště. The LAHOFFER Winery tasting stand is open here from April to September. Lampelberg is connected by an almost 18 km long nature trail with vineyard Šobes from 2012. | www.lahofer.cz

13 LECHOVICE – Baroque pilgrimage church, Navštívení Panny Marie, dominates the village. The Vinné sklepy Lechovice, which have a company store, wine store, wine cellar and a restaurant, are based in the village. It is possible to visit wine cellars combined with wine tasting. A rarity is the annual auction of champagnes stored for ripening in a stable temperature at the bottom of the Vranov Dam to a depth of 40 metres.

www.obec-lechovice.cz | www.vslechovice.cz



14 ZNOJMO – is one of the oldest Moravian towns with a famous wine-growing tradition where you can find two towers: the St. Mikuláš tower and the 80 m high Radniční tower dating from the mid-15th century. You can see the historic city centre and its surroundings from the gallery. The Romanesque rotunda of Panny Marie and St. Kateřiny from the mid-11th century, can be found in the former Přemyslid castle, where there is one of the exhibitions from the South Moravian Museum in Znojmo. You can see the exhibition of brewing, visit the brand new Enotéka of Znojmo wines in the original brewery building in the forecourt of Znojmo Castle, where beer has been brewed for 300 years. A rarity is the Znojmo underground, an extensive maze of passages and cellars, built from the 13th to the 17th century. The approximately 1 km long classic route and now 3 other adrenaline routes are open to the public from the approximately 27 km of corridors. Another attraction is the sightseeing route along the Castle Fortifications, which leads from the Town Hall Tower through the Střelníční, Psí, Prašná and Nová towers. You will also visit the Vlkova věž (Wolf Tower), the largest prismatic tower of the original fortification, where the VOC Znojmo Information Center is based. You can taste the wines either on the ground floor from a special wine bar or directly on the observation deck. The Louka Monastery with the Znovín Znojmo Visitor Center, the restored Rajska vineyard with a tasting stand on the steep slopes under the Church of St. Mikuláš, which is looked after by the Lahofer Winery, and a number of wine bars and wine shops should not escape your attention.

www.znojmocity.cz | www.znojensko.info

15 HOSTĚRADICE – the ancient wine village is first mentioned in 1200, when the property belonged to the Louka Premonstratensian. An order of the Teutonic Knights lived here from 1237–1486. They are recalled by the Gothic stone building with the preceptories' early Gothic chapel and crypt, part of the rebuilt Baroque parish office. The church of St. Kunhuta with funerary chapel and crypt from the 13th century is a curiosity. Volné pole, the largest vineyard of Znojmo, with a total area of 142 ha is located at Hostěradice. | www.hosteradice.cz



16 HAVRANÍKY – the pilgrimage chapel Panny Marie Bolestné and a remarkable natural monument – the largest protected heath in southern Moravia – are above the village. A tasting stand of Znovín Znojmo is annually open in Stará vinice vineyard from end of April to late September. The area of wine cellars can be found on the southern edge of the village. They are extremely deep and long, up to several 100 metres, but do not believe the legends that they go to Vienna. Only the extremely fine sand, dredged during the excavation, used by high-quality house plasters, travelled to Vienna.

www.havraniky.cz | www.znovin.cz

17 THE PODYJÍ NATIONAL PARK – the Dyje river is the most beautiful between Podhradí and Znojmo, where the river created a 38 km long, deep valley with a number of meanders. A few dozen kilometres of marked hiking trails for walkers and cyclists are in the park area. You can visit the Information Centre in Čížov, information panels and wooden shelters in case of bad weather are placed at the park's most interesting places. Hardegg Lookout, Sealsfield Stone and Šobes vineyard belong among the most beautiful Podyjí places. | www.nppodyji.cz

18 CROSS WINE CELLAR IN PŘÍMĚTICE – wine cellar with cross-ground plan, one of the largest in the world, was built by Jesuits in the 18th century. A modern cellar management for processing the white wines is placed in the historic interior. The cellar is open to the public within the Wine Tourism Programme of the company Znovín Znojmo.

www.znovin.cz

19 VINOBUS – an attractive VOC Znojmo project is a special wine bus with a bicycle trailer which departs from Znojmo several times a day on a 45 km route in the high season. You will get to know Znojmo wines, vineyards, wineries, wine cellars and famous lanes lined with cellars along the way. At the seven stops, with a professional guide, you can enjoy top wines with the original certification from winemakers of the Znojmo region.

www.vinobus.cz | www.vocznojmo.cz

20 SÁDEK – vineyards, hotel with restaurant, wine cellars, wine store, an amphitheatre and park are part of the Wine and Cultural Centre at Kojetice,



which manages the westernmost Moravian vineyards. The educational wine path, accessible only with a guide, is open from the beginning of May to the end of October. It will guide you through the vineyards, where are planted dozens of grape varieties. You will also see various types of vine training system, trellis and vine pruning, a curiosity is the plant garden of traditional Chinese medicine.

www.vinohrady-sadek.cz

21 ŠATOV – several cellar lanes survived in the town, in one of them is a 300-year-old Moravian Wine Cellar, operated by Znovín Znojmo. It is renowned for wine tasting events, you can also look into the underground private archival boxes. The educational vineyard of old varieties is planted behind the cellar. The Painted Wine Cellar is a European rarity, from early April to late October. The area of the Czechoslovak fortifications and the Iron Curtain with the MJ-S 3 Zahrada infantry bunker is also accessible.

www.technicalmuseum.cz | www.znovin.cz

22 HNANICE – Gothic church St. Wolfgang had been an important pilgrimage place, pilgrims have been coming here from all over Europe to be washed in the miraculous water of the sacred spring since the 13th century. More than a 100 wine cellars and presses have survived in the village, concentrated along both sides of the picturesque Sklepní street. You can find the Devět mlýnů lookout, offering an attractive view of the meanders of the Dyje river and Šobes vineyard on the edge of the U kapličky vineyard. | www.daniz.cz

23 CHVALOVICE – You will examine the wine colony with more than 100 wine cellars in the valley by the Daniž brook. The original appearance is retained only by the late baroque cellar from 1770, which served as a tithe cellar of the Premonstratensian monastery in Louka by Znojmo. | www.chvalovice.cz

24 VRBOVEC – the largest wine-growing village in the Znojenská Wine Sub-region has a very active Vrbovec Winegrowers' Guild, which has been renewing the wine-growing traditions in the village, organizes events and dreams up attractive projects such as the legendary Hroznová koza (Grape goat) and the fun Grape Goat nature trail.

www.cechvrbovec.cz

tips for trips WITH CHILDREN

BÍTOV CASTLE – romantic castle (open from April to October) over the Vranov Dam. The exhibited collection of fifty stuffed dogs is registered in the Guinness Book of Records as the largest in the world. Castle restaurant, cellar of ghouls, wine store, exhibition hall. You will find sports-recreational compound Rumburak with a look-out tower in the nearby village Bítov or the expertly awarded Fire Brewery.
www.hradbitov.cz
www.restaurantrumburak.cz



CORNŠTEJN CASTLE – ruins of the 14th century are accessible only in the summer months. A number of events are held here, with a historic programme and entertainment for children.
www.muzeumznojmo.cz

BOATING ON THE NAVIGABLE DYJE – the ideal section of the river Dyje for families with children or for beginners begins below the dam of the Znojmo reservoir. You can rent all the boating equipment and use one of the 3 boating camps in Stará vodárna. The others are in Krhovice and Hrádek, from where a special boating bus runs back to Znojmo in the summer. You can sail all the way to the Nové Mlýny reservoirs.
www.pujcovna.vodaci.org



OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOLS ÚNANOV AND LOUKA – two aqua parks with water slides, geysers and a variety of water attractions; open in the summer months, according to the weather.
www.obecunanov.cz
www.plovarnalouka-znojmo.cz



WATER MILL IN SLUP – Renaissance water mill with an exhibition of the flour milling industry (branch of the Technical Museum in Brno, open from April to October).
www.technicalmuseum.cz



MUSEUM OF MOTORING IN ZNOJMO – cars, motorcycles, bicycles and other means of transport and motoring accessories are exhibited in the former power station (open all year round) on the banks of the Dyje river.
www.muzeum-motorismu.cz

#tasteznojmo

Let the taste of Znojmo carry you away

It is not just the wine, beer and pickles, that make the town famous and add to its uniqueness. Znojmo is, above all, a place, where history breathes upon you. Learn about its romantic nooks and crannies, one of the largest underground labyrinths in central Europe and a range of other significant sights. You will be enchanted with the nature surrounding the town, which is a target destination for tourists, cyclists, and boaters. Enjoy the beauties of the National Park Podyjí or the lavish vineyards girding the town. And you are welcome at any one of the cultural events that take place here all year round.

Znojmo is the heart of a winegrowing region

Znojmo prides itself in having introduced the first system for certifying wines in the Czech Republic, the VOC – Vína Originální Certifikace (Wines of Original Certification). This Appellation System applies only for three most typical grape varieties in the Znojmo Region: **SAUVIGNON, RHINE RIESLING AND GRÜNER VELTLINER**. The tradition of wine cultivation and wine production in this area dates back to the 9th century. The ubiquitous vineyards and wine cellars in and around the town are an ideal destination for tasting VOC-certified wines. To reach them, you can use Vinobus, the first bus route in Czechia going directly to the winemakers and vineyards. The most illustrious vineyard is Šobes, which lies in the region of the National Park Podyjí, above the picturesque meanders of the river Dyje.

Znojmo, the second largest town in the South Moravia, is a historically unique place, lying in an impressive location on the river Dyje. The first written record of Znojmo dates to the 11th century – in 1226 Znojmo was granted the status of a Royal City by Ottokar I of Bohemia. History emanates from the city at every step. Burghers' houses and palaces dotting the whole urban conservation zone – declared in 1971 – make up an exceptional textbook of all architectural styles. Znojmo also boasts two National Monuments – the Rotunda of St. Catherine, and the Louka Monastery.

Experience Znojmo with all of your senses

Experience the distinctive atmosphere of cultural and social events taking place in Znojmo throughout the year. The most notable of all is undoubtedly **The Znojmo Historical Vintage**, a magnificent festival of wine and the greatest festival of its kind in Czechia. The May festival, the summer Music Festival Znojmo, the Beer festival in June, or Pickle festival in August too are unmissable. No less sought-after are wine events including wine degustation, such as wine tasting, or open-cellar events in wine villages close to and around the town. The Town Theatre also offers a rich programme all year round and, on the summer break, the August Festival Znojmo lives and breathes the stage drama.

... to top it all

extended weekend

ON A BIKE IN THE ZNOJMO REGION

1st day: Znojmo – Dyje – Tasovice – Slup – Jaroslavice – Chvalovice – Hnanice

2nd day: Hnanice – Devět mlýnů – Šobes vineyard – Nový Hrádek – Vranov nad Dyjí – Lančov – Cornštejn – Bítov

3rd day: Bítov – Štítary – Šumná – Boskovštejn – Jevišovice – Hluboké Mašůvky – Přímětice – Znojmo

Route length: 135 km



The first day you will see the wine-growing region, the second day you will visit the Podyjí National Park and Vranov Dam, the last day you will spend in the Jevišovice region and the pilgrimage destination Hluboké Mašůvky. Along the way you can visit many interesting landmarks – e.g. the motorbike museum in Lesná, castles Bítov and Cornštejn or the chateau in Vranov nad Dyjí.

www.znojensko.info

other tips for trips through THE ZNOJMO REGION

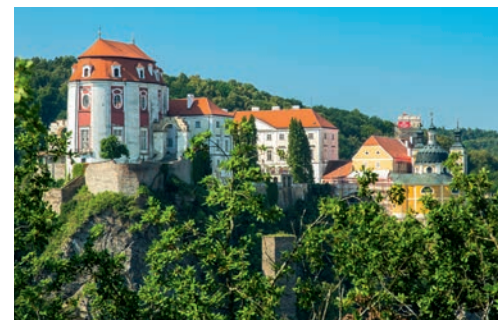
VRANOV DAM – recreation area on the Dyje river with a 30 km long lake. Cruises, restaurants, accommodation.

www.navstivtevrnovsko.cz



VRANOV NAD DYJÍ – town under the dam of the Vranov Dam, on a rock above it stands the impressive Baroque chateau (open from April to October; exhibitions, wine bar, café).

www.zamek-vranov.cz, www.vranov-nad-dyji.eu



NOVÝ HRÁDEK – ruin of a medieval castle with a view of the valley of the Dyje river (open from May to September), the only national cultural monument of the Czech Republic in the first, strictly protected zone of the Podyjí National Park.

www.hrad-novyhradek.cz

CHATEAU UHERČICE – Renaissance chateau with interior stucco decorations and a large English park (open from April to October).

www.zamek-uhercice.cz



BENEDICTINE ABBACY RAJHRAD – extensive Baroque complex with a year-round accessible temple of St. Peter and Paul and the Museum of Literature in Moravia. **www.rajhrad.cz/benediktini**

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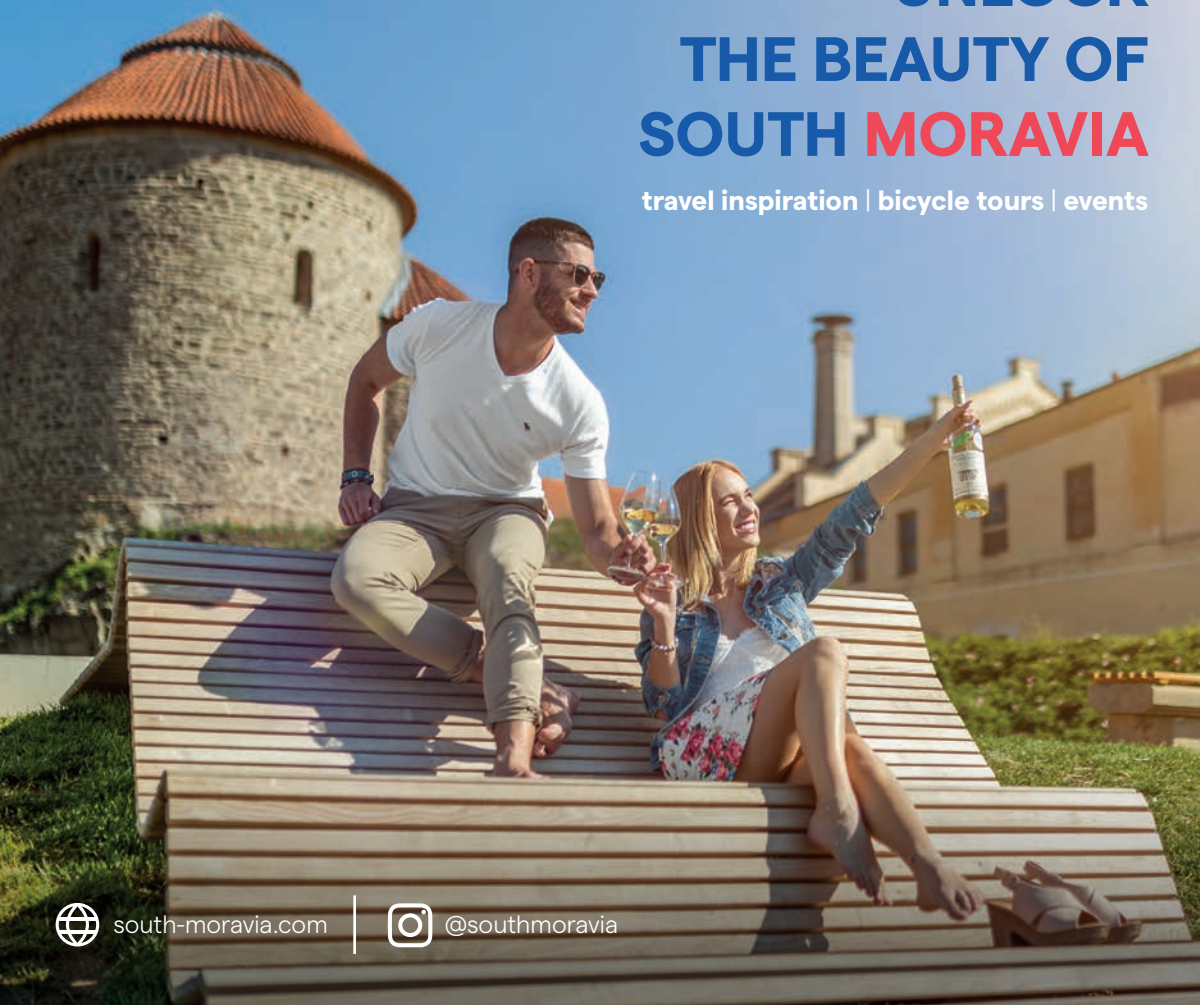
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IN THE ZNOJMO REGION

The first part of the seven-day journey you will spend in Znojmo. On the following days you will see the environs of the Vranov Dam, visit the northernmost vineyards in the Znojmská Wine Sub-region, travel crisscross the vineyards in the Znojmo region and see the unique UNESCO site – Jewish quarter Záměstí in Třebíč.

1st day

Znojmo – tour through the town (Town Hall Tower, underground, Znojmo Castle – rotunda, museum, Louka Monastery), Přímětice (Cross Wine Cellar, Memorial to Prokop Diviš), in summer swimming pool Louka or aquapark Únanov

2nd day

Znojmo – Nový Šaldorf (wine cellars) – Havraníky (vineyard) – Šatov (Painted Wine Cellar, Moravian Wine Cellar, infantry log cabin) – Hnanice (horse-rides, church of St. Wolfgang) – evening walk to Šobes vineyard – Znojmo

3rd day

Znojmo – Lesná (motorcycle museum, wind mill) – Vranov nad Dyjí (chateau) – Lančov – Cornštejn (castle ruins) – Podhradí nad Dyjí (Frejštejn castle ruins) – Uherčice (chateau) – Vranov Dam

4th day

Bítov (castle) – Moravské Budějovice – Jaroměřice nad Rokytinou (chateau) – Kojetice (Wine and Cultural Centre Sádek) – Třebíč (basilica of St. Prokop, Jewish quarter Záměstí, Jewish cemetery)

5th day

Třebíč – Dalešice (brewery from the Postřižiny movie) – Dukovany (nuclear power station, exposition of ČEZ) – Moravský Krumlov (chateau) – Ivančice (museum of A. Mucha, Jewish cemetery, Réna look-out tower)

6th day

Ivančice – Dolní Kounice (Rosa Coeli Monastery, Jewish synagogue and quarter, Jewish cemetery, castle and chateau, vineyard) – Miroslav (Jewish cemetery, Weinperky vineyard) – Hostěradice (Volné pole vineyard) – Lechovice (wine cellar tour, pilgrimage church)

7th day

Vrbovec (Vine Gene Pool) – Slup (water mill, technical monument) – Lampelberg (vineyard) – Jaroslavice (vintage wine cellar) – Velký Karlov (crocodile farm) – Hrušovany nad Jevišovkou (chateau Emlín, ranch Rolf-town)



WHAT AND WHEN

Znojmská Wine Sub-region

OPEN WINE CELLAR SERVICES (SLUŽBY OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ)

Winemakers are open throughout the summer (and often for longer) in a number of wine municipalities. So, you can visit the wine cellar when you go for wine in South Moravia. In these municipalities, you can visit at least one wine cellar during the specified opening hours from Friday to Sunday, and on the remaining days of the week, by prior arrangement. This service is available in the Znojmská Wine Sub-region as part of the Vrbovské sklípky (Vrbovské wine cellars) special event weekends.

Where and when: Vrbovec, May – September, www.cechvrbovec.cz

ZNOVÍN WALKING DAY (DEN ZNOVÍN WALKINGU)

You can spend Saturday on hiking trails with sticks at “Znovín Walking” in a beautiful wine-growing landscape and, of course, with wine. You register at the football field in Hnanice, choose one of the two offered routes and it is up to you whether you choose a walk with a guide or go along your chosen route on your own. You can taste several interesting wines at the four tasting stalls.

When and where: Hnanice, Podyjí National Park, mid-April, www.znovin.cz

VOC ZNOJMO INFORMATION CENTRE (INFORMAČNÍ CENTRUM VOC ZNOJMO)

You will find the VOC ZNOJMO information centre in the Vlkova věž, on Kolárova Street. Here you have the chance not just to buy wines from the VOC Znojmo winemakers or taste them from the special wine bar, but mainly to peruse the inexhaustible amount of information about viticulture and wine events in the Znojmo region in the Vlkova věž. Among other things, the Vlkova věž offers a view from the tower while tasting wine.

Where and when: Znojmo, April – October, www.vocznojmo.cz

VOC ZNOJMO WINE FESTIVAL (FESTIVAL VÍNA VOC ZNOJMO)

The VOC label is applied to the three most successful varieties of the Znojmo region – Sauvignon Blanc, Riesling and Grüner Veltliner. The VOC wines are launched at the beginning of May as part of the VOC Znojmo Wine Festival. The event follows the local tradition of merging culture and wine. There is the tasting of the newly certified VOC Znojmo wines. While tasting, visitors can enjoy not only VOC wines, but also dulcimer and ethnic music, folklore performances and the gastronomy of Znojmo restaurants.

Where and when: Znojmo, 8 May, www.vocznojmo.cz

ZNOJMO HISTORIC VINTAGE FESTIVAL (ZNOJEMSKÉ HISTORICKÉ VINOBRANÍ)

A grand celebration in the historic centre of Znojmo reminds visitors of the medieval history of the royal town. Tens of thousands of visitors experience the atmosphere of the days in May 1327, when the Bohemian King, John of Luxemburg, with his wife, Elisabeth, and the Royal Court came to the town. The stylish festival of music, dance and entertainment is accompanied by a rich programme – parades with hundreds of characters in historical costumes, a medieval fair, military camp, performances of conjurers, jugglers and historic fencing groups, jousting, and theatre, competitions for children and fireworks. Of course, there is the tasting of wine and burčák (partially fermented grape juice) and a spiritual programme in the church of St. Michael and St. Nicholas and the exhibition “Znojmsko – zahrada Moravy” (the Znojmo Region – Garden of Moravia).

Where and when: Znojmo, September, www.znojemskevinobrani.cz

SERIES OF EVENTS “KRAJEM VÍNA” (VÝLETY KRAJEM VÍNA)

A series of 10 cycling trips along the Moravian wine trails called Krajem vína (i.e. Around the Land of Wine) take you to all the wine regions of South Moravia over 10 Saturdays from April to October. You will discover the beauty of the sunlit landscape, experience the friendly atmosphere when meeting winemakers, and discover the secrets of wine right in the cellars and lanes lined with cellars. In the Znojmská Wine Sub-region, you can go on the ‘Tour de burčák po vinařských stezkách Znojemska’ (partially fermented grape juice tour along the wine trails of the Znojmo region).

When and where: Znojmo region, September, www.vinarske.stezky.cz

BURČÁKFEST

If you really want to enjoy real good burčák (partially fermented grape juice) and quality wine and also sit in a pleasant environment with an unforgettable atmosphere, then the Burčákfest is the right event that takes place in the courtyard of the Louka Monastery in Znojmo. You can enjoy a lot of music and, last but not least, the traditional barefoot treading of grapes during the programme.

When and where: Znojmo, end of September, www.burcakfest.cz



ZNOJMO HISTORIC VINTAGE FESTIVAL



VOC ZNOJMO WINE FESTIVAL



SERIES OF EVENTS “KRAJEM VÍNA”



ZNOVÍN WALKING DAY

Legend:

Name of the wine facility

Wine municipality, address, postal code, telephone
e-mail and website



Certified services in wine tourism



The facility that fulfilled criteria of the service certification in wine tourism carried out by the National Wine Centre and the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation. The certified facilities represent the best of wine tourism in Bohemia and Moravia. **More about certification at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.**



Certified winery



Certified wine cellar



Certified wine store



Certified accommodation with wine themes



Certified restaurant with wine

Other services in wine tourism



Winery – wine producer from whom you can buy wine, usually with a possibility to taste the wine offered.



Wine cellar – seating area directly in the wine cellar or the wine pressing room with a possible wine tasting and refreshments.



Wine store – specialised wine shop offering especially local bottled wine, winery shop, municipal wine stores etc.



Accommodation – hotel, guesthouse or other accommodation directly connected with the premises of a winery or wine cellar.



Refreshments – the facility has in its permanent offer or by order cold or hot meals and refreshments.



Regular opening hours – facility has regular opening hours.



Irregular opening hours – it is necessary to book in advance by phone.

Certified services in wine tourism are listed in an alphabetical order by the wine municipalities and a name of the facility. Many other wine facilities (non-certified) can be found at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.

Certified services of wine tourism

Penzion Černý sklep

A guesthouse (** Superior) in the wine-growing village of Dobšice near Znojmo (opened 1. 7. 2010) is found in the historic cellar lane. The guesthouse includes a wine cellar – hand dug original sandstone corridor, that serves for storage of wines offered in a stylishly equipped wine bar of the guesthouse – wines made only by the local wineries (Hort, Lahofer, Waldberg etc.). The wine bar also offers supervised wine tasting. By arrangement it is possible to visit cellars of the local small winemakers.

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www.vinice-hnanice.cz



VINICE – HNANICE s.r.o. – vine cellar

The Vinice – Hnanice winery was founded in 2001. Two years later, the first 103 hectares of vineyards in Hnanice were planted and the history of winemaking here was restored. At present, the company manages 150 hectares of young vineyards in Hnanice on the Knížecí vrch, Fládnická, U Chlupa and U kapličky. The composition is Sauvignon Blanc, Riesling, Pinot Blanc, Traminer, Pálava, Pinot Noir and Zweigeltrebe. In addition, it manages another 114 hectares in Vrbovec and Jaroslavice. The winery is able to produce half a million bottles per year.

Hnanice, Sklepní, 669 02

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e-mail: hamzova@vinice-hnanice.cz

www.vinice-hnanice.cz



Vinařství WALDBERG s.r.o.

The winery was founded in 1994. The vineyards providing grapes for our winery are situated south of Znojmo near the wine municipalities Vrbovec, Dyjádovičky and Chvalovice. There are the vineyard sites Waldberg, U sv. Urbana, Divčí hora, and others with a total area of 100 ha. In the Chvalovice cellar lane, we use modern technology and proven traditional practices to produce high quality wines, by their characteristics typical for the varieties, quality predicate wines and wines with original certification. Wines are stored in a sandstone cellar built in 1770.

Chvalovice ev.č. 58, 669 02

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www.vino-waldberg.cz



ARTE VINI

Arte Vini aims to offer the best quality wines, which are based on the best traditions of Moravian viticulture and winemaking. The vineyards are grown organically and in balance, we use a high proportion of craftsman work and natural processes in the cellar. Wine labels are adequately and artistically depicted. We label our wine "Moravian regional wine" as a reminder of Moravian traditions. It is very important for us to use ancient local varieties such as Grüner Veltliner, which its first occurrence was documented under the name "Manhartsrebe" in the Znojmo region.

Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice

Nový Šaldorf 29/S, 671 81

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www.artevini.cz



PENZION ŠALDORF

The family guesthouse was established in 2007. Our goal is to provide clean and quality accommodation, information about the region and create a pleasant atmosphere in our wine bar.

Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice

Sklepní ulice 128/S, 671 81

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e-mail: info@penzionsaldorf.cz

www.penzionsaldorf.cz



Vinařství Špalek

The family organic winery manages 10 hectares of vineyards on Kraví hora near Znojmo. As the first winery in the Znojmo region, they started with gravitational processing of grapes, in a new, but historically conceived cellar in Nový Šaldorf. In addition to traditional white, rosé and red wines, it also manufactures special wines such as ice wine, yeast-matured and oak-aged wines (sur lie) or liqueur wines (šaler). Vinařství Špalek (Špalek winery) won the "Small Winery of the Year" award in 2015.

Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice
Nový Šaldorf 104/S, 671 81
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Víno Náprava

Our winery was founded in 2003, but we have been engaged in wine production since 1995. We do not have vineyards. We purchase the grapes from proved growers, where we place an emphasis in our choice on their approach to vine cultivation and the quality of grape production. We specialize in predicate wines production. The philosophy of our winery is to produce small lots of high quality wines that we sell directly from the cellar. The customer can come directly to the cellar for the wine, to sample and choose according to their taste at any time, or for their favourite wine cash on delivery.

Nový Šaldorf-Sedlešovice,
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AMPELOS, ŠLECHTITELSKÁ STANICE VINAŘSKÁ ZNOJMO, s.r.o.

AMPELOS, ŠLECHTITELSKÁ STANICE VINAŘSKÁ ZNOJMO, Inc. is the oldest breeding establishment in the Czech Republic and one of the oldest in the world. It was founded in 1985. AMPELOS continues with breeding in Vrbovec even these days. It deals with the new cultivation of grape varieties that would be early and would give grapes with high sugar content. The breeding of 30 varieties is carried out on land of AMPELOS. There is also a republican genofond of grapevine.

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– vinotéka Vrbovec

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Apartmány-Znojmo-Konice

Visit our wine cellar. You will taste wines from our area of the picturesque village of Konice, close to the famous Šobes vineyard. Our sommelier will tell you something about the history of the winery, you will learn a lot about wine production and its varieties. We will also arrange a visit to the local rustic cellars for you. Then you can stay in our apartments, each with its own kitchen and bathroom. Wi-Fi in all areas. Storage of bicycles under a roof, guarded by a camera system. Corporate events. Seating at the grill. Beautiful nature of the Podyjí National Park, cycle paths.

Znojmo, Konice 19, 669 02
tel.: +420 604 202 442
e-mail: alesrepka@gmail.com
www.apartmany-znojmo-konice.eu



Hotel LAHOFER

The LAHOFER Hotel is found directly in the town centre in the Veselá Street No. 13. It is not far to any of numerous Znojmo sites, inns and points of interest. The hotel restaurant offers delicious cuisine and a wide selection of excellent wine.

Znojmo, Veselá 13, 669 02
tel.: +420 515 220 323
e-mail: hotel@lahofer.cz
www.hotel-lahofer.cz



Informační centrum VOC Znojmo Vlkova věž

The Information Centre of VOC Znojmo in the Wolf Tower is open from April to October. On the ground floor, you can get information on VOC Znojmo wineries and wine events in Znojmo and its surroundings, of course, with the possibility to taste and purchase the wines. You can taste them either on the ground floor from a special wine bar or at the top of the tower, after climbing 123 steps. You can walk around on the viewing platform with a glass in your hand and enjoy not just the wine, but also the view of Znojmo and its surroundings.

Znojmo, Kollárova 2, 669 02
tel.: +420 734 732 019
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www.vocznojmo.cz



Vinotéka VÍNOVÍN – Znojmo

The largest wine store in the Znojemská Wine Sub-region with a wide range of quality wines and barrels. The wine store also offers a postal service, gift shop and service for companies in addition to the sale of wine. Very good access from the main road with a large car park (bus).

Znojmo
Pražská zahrádka A 3737/102, 669 02
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www.vinovin.cz



ZNOVÍN ZNOJMO, a.s. – podniková prodejna Loucký klášter

The roots of the company go back to the end of the 18th century. The company has been a joint stock company since 1992. It has several processing centres and wine cellars. It also offers a wine tourism programme in addition to the production and sale of wine.

Znojmo, Loucká, 669 02
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INFORMATION CENTRES

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Information centre VOC Znojmo
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Visitors' and information centre Znovín Znojmo, a.s.
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Wine-growing information centre – Ampelos
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Visitors' and information centre NP Podyjí
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Tourist information centre Vranov nad Dyjí
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e-mail: infocentrum@ouvranov.cz, www.navstivtevrnovsko.cz

Town information centre Moravský Krumlov
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Town cultural and information centre Miroslav
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e-mail: mkic.miroslav@volny.cz, **www.mesto-miroslav.cz**

Cultural and information centre in Ivančice
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Tourist information centre Dolní Kounice
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Tourist information centre Hrušovany
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MORAVA (MORAVIA)

Wine Region

MIKULOVSKÁ

Wine Sub-region



The dominant feature of the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region is the Pálava limestone cliff. **Welschriesling** is born here, **Grüner Veltliner**, **Riesling**, **Sauvignon Blanc**, **Chardonnay**, **Pinot Gris**, **Müller Thurgau**, **Saint Laurent**, **Blaufränkisch** and **Pinot Noir** belong among the appreciated varieties. The wine of the brands **VOC Mikulovsko**, **VOC Pálava** and **VOC Valtice** will offer all of the flavours of the Mikulov region to you.

The jewel of the sub-region is the fabulous city of **Mikulov**. You can see two wine exhibitions and a collection of historical wine presses in the castle, and, of course, the **Lednice-Valtice area**, registered on the list of World cultural and natural heritage of UNESCO as the most extensive artistically depicted landscape in the world. Wine tours will take you through a number of districts, from **Pavlov** and **Perná** through **Dunajovické kopce**, **Novosedly** and **Drnholec**, to **Pouzdřany** and **Popice**. The beautiful view of the **Nové Mlýny reservoirs** and **Pálava**, with the ruins of two medieval castles, will open to you from Sonberk vineyard. A new tourist attraction is **the Mušov Visitors Centre** – Gateway to the Roman Empire in Pasohlávky, which presents the extraordinary archeological site of Hradisko near Mušov and everything that archeology has ever found out about the stay of the Romans in our country. You will not forget **Valtice**, with the baroque residence of the Liechtensteins and **tasting exhibition** of the **Wine Salon of the Czech Republic**, open for the whole year.

You can enjoy plenty of wine at many events at the Mikulov region. For example, at **Valtice Wine Markets** in May, at **Summer Open Wine Cellars** in **Pavlov**, **Dolní Dunajovice** and **Březí** during the holidays, at **Pálava Vintage Festival** in **Mikulov** and **Novosedly Vintage Festival** in September, at **Day of Open Wine Cellars** in **Pavlov** and at **St. Martin's Mikulov** in November.

Total area: 4,984 ha Wine municipalities: 30 Vineyard sites: 185



MIKULOVSKÁ Wine Sub-region

1 WINE SALON OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC IN VALTICE – the Wine Salon is located in the cellar of the monumental Baroque chateau in Valtice. It is a permanent tasting exhibition of best Moravian and Bohemian wines. The collection is selected annually in the contest The Wine Salon – National Wine Competition of the Czech Republic, the highest and the most all-encompassing national wine competition. Wines registered in the Salon must be made exclusively from local grapes and must pass the system of nomination exhibitions. 100 wines get the right for their bottles to be signed with the gold medal of the Wine Salon of the Czech Republic every year. The wines are then presented to the public in Valtice, each of the exhibited samples has complete information about the wine and its producer. You can taste all of the opened samples or you can choose a wine tasting accompanied by a sommelier in the tasting programmes. | www.salonvin.cz



2 VALTICKÉ PODZEMÍ – labyrinth of extensive cellars, which are the remains of Minorite monastery from the 13th century. This indicates the extent of vineyards in Valtice and importance of the local wineries. Thirteen interconnected

cellars of the ANNOVINO VINAŘSTVÍ LEDNICE reaches a total length of 900m and offers tours with wine tasting, guided wine tastings, private storage boxes, company and private events for up to 200 people. You can taste predicate wine originating from the Lednice-Valtice area. Valtické Podzemí (Valtice underground) is open year-round to the public, in the high season daily. | www.valtickepodzemi.cz

3 EXHIBITION OF HISTORIC WINE PRESSES VALTICE – when you arrive in Valtice, you will see the impressive Baroque church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary. You will find a museum of viticulture, horticulture and the environment in close proximity to the church on the main square. It is a branch of the National Museum of Agriculture in Prague, which celebrated its 125th anniversary in 2016. Exhibitions document the development of market gardening and fruit growing, viticulture and viniculture in the Czech lands. You can see mainly herbal and historical examples of types of seeds, of vegetables and flowers, logs of wood, moss and cones. An attractive part is devoted to the environment where the magical landscape of the Lednice-Valtice area is the focus. The museum also charts the evolution of flower growing with a demonstration of flower bonding, and parafin models of fruit and vegetables. For those that love wine and can admire the technical beauty of monuments, an insight into a winery is prepared. Wine presses from the 18th and 19th century belong among the most valuable objects, mostly fully functional. The museum got them from different Břeclav winemakers. You will see wine barrels with volumes specified in the original rates, and small tools used in olden times – grinders, baskets, pipets and more. | www.nzm.cz



4 WINE SCHOOL VALTICE – Valtice could not be called the capital of wine without a specialized school. About the establishment of the farmer-winery school, which operates under the name Střední vinařská škola Valtice. It was established in December 1872 and teaching began in November 1873. Students come here from all over Europe. The uniqueness of this institution underscores the fact, that it is the only secondary school in the Czech Republic, throughout its existence, that teaches about the wine and viticulture industry.

www.svisv.cz

5 FACULTY OF HORTICULTURE OF MENDEL UNIVERSITY LEDNICE – You can study gardening, horticulture and garden and landscape architecture in Lednice. The only university in the Czech Republic that has viticulture and enology as a study programme is part of Mendel University in Brno. The predecessor of this university was the University of Agriculture, Brno, established in 1919 as the first independent agricultural school of its kind in former Czechoslovakia.

www.zf.mendelu.cz

6 CHATEAU AND CROSS WINE CELLAR VALTICE – Valtice attractions would not be complete without the famous wine cellars. The Chateau Cellar, with a capacity of 600,000 litres, originated around 1430. The Cross Cellar with a capacity of over 1 mil litres, 120 m long and 100 m wide is from 1640. The CHÂTEAU VALTICE – Vinné sklepy Valtice uses both of the cellars for ageing the wine, it is one of the largest producers of wine in Mikulovská Wine Sub-region. You can discover more than 500 other wine cellars used mainly by hobby winemakers in the streets Vinařská, Sklepní, Josefská, Růžová and Polní.

www.vsvaltice.cz | www.valtice.eu

7 LOWER MORAVA BIOSPHERE RESERVE – reserve with an area of more than 300 km² includes the massive limestone cliff Pálava with its highest peak Děvín (550 m), the ruins of two castles and water meadow countryside in the basin of the rivers Morava and Dyje. Unique forests with meadows, wetlands, blind branches and pools near Lednice smoothly pass into the large landscape park with a castle in the style of English Gothic. The park paths lined by Baroque avenues among fields, ponds, orchards and



vineyards lead to Valtice, once the seat of the famous family of Lichtenstein, or to the ancient Mikulov, where it is just a short bit to the cave in the belly of the hill Turol. If you receive an invitation to visit the Lower Morava Biosphere Reserve, you will enjoy exploring one of the most beautiful cultural landscapes in the world. Lower Morava offers a varied beauty of nature with a number of plants and animal species, many historical sights, fine wines and centuries-held folk traditions to visitors. The Worldwide Network of Biosphere Reserves is a varied mosaic of unique areas that UNESCO have inducted under the programme, Man and Biosphere. The classic reserve differs not only in its focus on conservation, but also by its beneficial human activities in the countryside, leading to a positive and sustainable development. In the Czech Republic there are currently six biosphere reserves – Šumava, Krkonoše, Křivoklátsko, Třeboňsko, Bílé Karpaty and Lower Morava.

www.dolnimorava.org



8 BAROQUE WINE HOUSES IN PÁVEK – Pávek village common, the ancient residence of wealthy winemakers and streets Česká and Na cimbuří offer unique examples of country Baroque. The wine cellar houses, nineteen of them, are historically protected, built by the small owners of the vineyards. The entrances to the presses, which continues into the cellars, are on the ground floor of the houses. Richly decorated shields, similar to the peasant farms in the village, are inspired by the architecture of Mikulov



and reveal how rich the wine village of Pavlov was. A traditional part of the wine house is also the niche for a statue of a saint, usually the patron of wine-makers St. Urban. The space to sit with guests is in the presses now. Accommodation is available on the floors of houses where winemakers once lived with their families. You can see an ancient spindle wine press from 1851 on the road to Mikulov on the edge of Pavlov. | www.obec-pavlov.cz

9 THE WINE THROUGH THE CENTURIES EXHIBITION, MIKULOV – You can see the largest exhibition in the Czech Republic dedicated to the history of viticulture and winemaking at the chateau. The barrier-free exhibition, with many interactive features and descriptions in Braille, was inaugurated in June 2012 in the renovated Baroque stables. Visitors travel from ancient Egypt to the present day through contemporary environments, where they can see both rare originals and replicas of documents, books or vinicultural tools. The exhibition attracts visitors of all ages and interests by its diversity. Mikulov Chateau also offers other wine exhibitions – Traditions in Moravian viticulture, Giant Barrel and the Gallery of Wine Presses. | www.rmm.cz



10 PAVLOV NATURE TRAIL – 3 km long nature trail with 7 interceptions will introduce you to the best of Pavlov. You come to know the local vineyard and terroir of Pálava, you will learn about the history of local wineries and typical varieties of vines. The trail was prepared by the Pavlov village together with



the association of winemakers Vinitores Palaviensis. Pavlov winemakers also hold a traditional spring exhibition of wines, Summer of Open Wine Cellars of open cellars and November Open Wine Cellars Day. You can visit the municipal wine store, located in the arched cellar below Pavlov town hall.

www.otevrene-sklepy-pavlov.cz

11 PERNÁ CULTIVATION STATION – Ing. Josef Veverka worked almost thirty years as a major breeder in the cultivation station, based at the southern foothills of the Pavlov hills. Under his leadership such varieties as Pálava and Aurelius arose.

www.obec-perna.cz

12 MIKULOV – St. Kopeček with the Baroque pilgrimage St. Sebastian's Chapel and Baroque chateau, the Regional Museum in Mikulov seat, with an extensive wine exhibit is a dominant of the major wine centre. Permanent exhibitions also show an art book in the Baroque chateau library and Dietrichsteins' picture gallery, the family that lived in Mikulov from 1575 to the end of the Second World War. You can visit the Deitrichstein Tomb in the square. A Jewish monuments complex with an accessible Horní synagogue in Husova Street recalls that Mikulov was for centuries the spiritual, cultural and political centre of Moravian Jews and in 1851 also the seat of the Moravian rabbis. A nature trail with 14 stops will take you to an extremely important Jewish cemetery.

www.mikulov.cz

13 WINE ACADEMY VALTICE – you can go to Valtice not only because of the wine but also because of the education. The Wine Academy Valtice offers several types of courses that allow familiarization with wine, special technology and modern trends and knowledge of wineries in various parts of the world. After completion of the courses it is possible to write a final themed work and pass a sommelier exam.

www.vinarska-akademie.cz

15 DOLNÍ DUNAJOVICE – The first vineyards around the village were founded at the beginning of the 13th century and today, Dolní Dunajovice is the third largest wine-growing village of the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region with more than 450 ha of planted vineyards. The area, consisting of several dozen wine cellars with a view of the Pálava massif, lies to the



west of the village. Their façades are distinguished by the variety of materials, the richness of their shapes and colour combinations, and the contrast between white and red bricks and the accentuated lining of windows and doors that are often used.

www.dolni-dunajovice.cz

15 NOVOSEDLY – one of the six largest domestic wine villages. Areas of vineyards with an area of 419 ha are part of the largest vineyards in the Czech Republic, which in total, with vineyards in Brod nad Dyjí, Dolní Dunajovice and Nový Přerov, are over 1,100 ha and this creates an almost continuous vineyard area. You can see the ground presses with granaries, multi-storey presses and sunk cellars with brick facades in the area of dozens of cellars Na jámě. Year-round wine tasting are offered, for instance, by Vinařství Kovacs and Víno Marcincák.

www.novosedly.eu

16 SEDLEC – known wine village is situated between the towns Mikulov and Valtice on the bank of the largest Moravian pond Nesyt. The famous vineyards owe their quality to limestone bedrock, the mirror effect of the Nesyt pond and position in the alluvial plain, and shelter from the north by Pálava and several hills. You will see a tasting stand with seating, which offers wine tasting of Sedlecká vína company on the cycle path near Nesyt in summer.

www.sedlecumikulova.cz

17 THE VALTICE WINE NATURE TRAIL – 5 km long nature trail starts before Chateau Valtice and ends at Valtické Podzemí. You can go by foot or bicycle with the exception of the park around the Chateau Valtice where cycling is prohibited. 16 panels of information will educate you about the happenings in the vineyards, with a history of domestic wine and vine growing in the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region. The vineyard of the Wine School Valtice is an interesting point, different varieties of vines are planted here and a different types of cultivation and vine training systems are introduced. The trail will lead you to a medieval wine cellar in the chateau gardens and to the colonnade Rajstna. A beautiful view opens onto the north, nearby Pálava, floodplain forests, forested slopes of Chříby and the Bílé Karpaty from the roof terrace.



18 THE STARÁ HORA WINE NATURE TRAIL – 3.5 km long educational wine trail Stará hora begins above the village Novosedly on the road from Dobré Pole to Drnholec between 2 stone pylons. It will guide you through the vineyards on Stará hora, they are taken care of by the Novosedly winery Víno Marcincák. 11 panels are devoted to the history and present of growing vine, vine varieties and correct wine tasting. | www.marcincak.cz

19 THE MIKULOV WINE NATURE TRAIL – Mikulov is the starting point of a 20 km long route with 17 stops, which will introduce you to the wine traditions of the region under Pálava. The path leads through Pálava across Bavory to Perná, then continues through Horní and Dolní Věstonice to Pavlov and Klentnice, villages that lie under the ruins of Siroťčí castle. The route takes you also to Mikulov Chateau and a permanent archaeological exhibition in Dolní Věstonice. You can go by foot, bicycle or car.

www.mikulov.cz



20 THE LEDNICE-VALTICE LANDSCAPE – the area near Břeclav is registered on the list of World Cultural and Natural Heritage by UNESCO as the largest artistic renderings of landscapes in the world since 1996. Admiration belong to the chateau area in Lednice and Valtice, the historic palm greenhouse from the 19th century, the aqueduct and Minaret in Lednice chateau park, the artificial ruins of Janohrad, Temple of Apollo, Temple of the Three Graces, Diana's Temple and to the colonnade on Rajstna.

www.lva.cz

tips for trips WITH CHILDREN

AQUALAND MORAVIA IN PASOHLÁVKY

– all year round open aqua park with water slides, spa in the style of Roman baths and the largest number of roofed attractions in the Czech Republic lies on the banks of the Nové Mlýny reservoirs.

www.aqualand-moravia.cz



ARCHEOPARK PAVLOV – a awarded the title Building of the Year, 2016. A non-traditional museum open year-round, it is hidden underground – light flows into it from the top via asymmetric towers. A real gem is the “junkyard” of mammoth bones, discovered during the construction and incorporated directly into the exhibition.

www.archeoparkpavlov.cz



MUŠOV VISITORS CENTRE – Gateway to the Roman Empire in Pasohlávky, which presents the extraordinary archeological site of Hradisko near Mušov and everything that archeology has ever found out about the stay of the Romans in our country.

www.branadorimskerise.cz

HÁJENKA PARK – a sports-relaxation area with a rope centre, erected by the former Liechtensteiner gamekeeper's lodge behind Břeclav. The rope park for the smallest is completed by two paths of medium and higher difficulty. There is a playground and a refreshment point, balance obstacles, archery and stilts. It is open in the main season, outside that is subject to agreement. | www.hajenkabreclav.cz

ATC MERKUR PASOHLÁVKY – An ideal place for a summer family holiday, school and sports stays. The closed camp area with two water lagoons is situated on the bank of the upper Nové Mlýny reservoir. Both have sandy-grassy beaches and gradual entry into the water, which is especially suitable for families with small children.

www.kemp-merkur.cz

primordial gem of our ancestors VENUS OF VĚSTONICE

An abundance of game and a favourable climate attracted the first inhabitants of South Moravia half a million years ago. Archaeological findings from a number of places confirm that the mammoth hunters, the 1st farmers and cattle breeders lived here. Villages of metal workers of Bronze and Iron Age arose here. Findings confirm the presence of Romans, Celts, Germanic tribes and nomadic Huns and Vandals. Dolní Věstonice has become famous because of systematic surveys of archaeological sites from the Early Stone Age. Prof. Karel Absolon, a researcher in the area of caving and archaeology led them 1924–1938. The little sculpture of a Palaeolithic beauty was found in the remains of a fire at the top of a prehistoric place between Dolní Věstonice and Pavlov on 13. 7. 1925. An unknown creator moulded it from a mixture of clay approximately 25,000 years ago.

The Venus of Věstonice statue, 11.5 cm tall and 4.3 cm wide at the hips, is not only unique in the world, but it also gets recognition as the oldest ceramic work in the world. The original is in the possession of the Moravian Museum in Brno in the collections of the Anthropos Institute. A copy can be seen directly in Dolní Věstonice, in the permanent exhibition The Age of Mammoth Hunters.



SMALL STRUCTURES

When walking through the romantic landscape between Valtice and Lednice you will discover many small structures. They all date back to the beginning of the 19th century and their builders placed them into the landscape as precious pearls.

Janohrad – romantic artificial castle ruins with several grand halls, a perfect replica of medieval castle ruins.

Minaret – a 60-metre-tall look-out, one of the biggest structures of its kind in the non-Islamic countries, from the highest gallery you can sometimes see even the spire of the church of St. Stephen in Vienna.

Temple of Three Graces – the Classicist sheltered colonnade south of the Prostřední pond, hall with a mosaic floor, sculpture of three ancient goddesses chiselled from one piece of stone.

Nový dvůr – the Liechtenstein family bred sheep, cows and horses on Empire farm. The horses were prepared for races in Vienna on the prince's horse racing track.

Apollo's Temple – a small structure with eight Doric columns by the dam of the Mlýnský pond, the attic gable decorated by the scenes from mythology.

St. Hubert – the open Neo-Gothic chapel in the middle of the forest glade.

Rendez-vous (Diana's Temple) – a big structure in the shape of the Roman victory arch, interiors are accessible.

Colonnade at Rajstna – a monumental Classicist structure above Valtice with a look-out terrace, decorated by figures from the ancient mythology.

Border Chateau – classicist residence on the historic border between Moravia and Lower Austria.



lookout tower

U KŘÍŽKU IN DRNHOLEC

A new 11 m high tower with an observation deck at a 9.9 m height was opened in June 2012. It's placed in the vineyard U Křížku, in a place with a nice view of the surroundings. A floodplain forest Drnholecký luh, Austrian castles Falkenstein and Staats, border hill Langewarte and village Wildendürnbach with wine cellars area on the hill Galgenberg are visible from the tower to the south. To the east you will see Drnholec, Pálava and a place where the Dyje flows into the Nové Mlýny reservoirs.

A. D. 1430 CHÂTEAU VALTICE

Vinné sklepy Valtice, a.s.

Rodinné vinařství



Castle cellar A.D. 1430

Visit the unique castle cellar from 1430 – one of the oldest and largest wine cellars in Czech Republic, located in the left wing of the castle Valtice.

Opening hours:

May – June: Saturday – Sunday
from 10⁰⁰ AM – 6⁰⁰ PM

July – August: Daily
from 10⁰⁰ AM – 6⁰⁰ PM

September: Saturday – Sunday
from 10⁰⁰ AM – 6⁰⁰ PM

October: Saturday – Sunday, according to communication on tel.: 606 309 959

Three wine tasting and tour programs



Wine barn

Take a look in the wine shop of the winery CHÂTEAU VALTICE with the style of a traditional rural building, located in Valtice at Vinařská 407. Cosy atmosphere and a look at an large historic winepress from 19. century is perfect to taste some selected wines, or buy your favorite one.

Opening hours:

Monday – Saturday
from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Sunday – from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Tours of Cross-shaped cellar A.D. 1640 and the temple of wine underneath the Wine barn can be arranged for groups of over 10 people at the e-mail: sekretariat@vsvaltice.cz

www.vsvaltice.cz

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ON A BIKE THROUGH MIKULOV

1st day: Mikulov – Dobré Pole – Nový Přerov – Novosedly – Pasohlávky

2nd day: Pasohlávky – Ivaň – Strachotín – Dolní Věstonice – Pavlov – ruins of Děvín on the peak of Pálava (by foot) – Klentnice – Mikulov – Milovice – Bulhary – Lednice

3rd day: Lednice – Janohrad – Apollo's Temple – Three Graces – Rendez-vous – Valtice, Wine Salon of the CR – colonnade at Rajstna – Sedlec – Mikulov

Route length: 85 km



The programme includes a tour through Mikulov, chateaux in Lednice and Valtice. As cycling is forbidden on the crest of Pálava and in the chateau parks, the best is to combine hiking and cycling. In summer you can go swimming in the Nové Mlýny lakes and in the Mlýnský pond near Lednice.

other tips for trips through THE MIKULOV REGION

LEDNICE SPA – spa compound connected with the village centre and chateau park by a new 365 m long roofed colonnade with benches and fountains. Part of it is also the amphitheatre and a small lookout tower.

www.lednicelazne.cz, www.lazne-lednice.cz



HERB GARDEN IN VALTICE – unique garden with more than 300 kinds of herbs is in the chateau park in Valtice (open from April to October). Ornamental flowerbeds, sandpit, courses on the use of herbs.

www.bylinkovazahradavaltice.cz



NOVÉ MLÝNY RESERVOIRS – a cascade of three water reservoirs below the Pálava, the winter habitat for many species of birds and a centre of recreation and water sports. Swimming, cruises, water sports.

www.pasohlavky.cz

CAVE ON TUROLD – cave on the outskirts of Mikulov (open from May to October, 280 m long route, 350 stairs) with special décor, reminiscent of coral reefs. A lake dome with a pond with emerald-coloured water is also accessible. www.caves.cz

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If you can find a week to see the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region, you should visit the Lednice-Valtice Composed Landscape, Pálava and the wine municipalities. And because this trip couldn't go without tasting of wine and local specialties, you can choose from the rich offer of the local winemakers, hotels and guesthouses.

1st day

Mikulov (tour through the town – historic centre, Dietrichstein Tomb, St. Kopeček, chateau – museum, exposition of wine-growing, giant barrel) – Jewish quarter (nature route) – look-out Koží Hrádek – cave Turolď (tour)

2nd day (by bike)

Mikulov – Novosedly (nature wine trail Stará hora, vineyards) – Pasohlávky (holiday resort, boat trip) – Pouzdřany (steppe) – Strachotín – Dolní Věstonice – Perná – Bavory (visit to the winery) – Mikulov

3rd day

By foot to Pálava: Mikulov – Turolď – Kočíí skála (Cat's Rock) – Klentnice (ruins of Šírotčí castle) – Růžový Hill – Soutěska (mountain pass) – Děvín (nature route, castle ruins) – Pavlov – and back

4th day

Valtice (tour through the town, chateau, Wine Salon of the Czech Republic, Museum of viticulture, gardening and environment) – nature wine trail Valtice – colonnade at Rajstna – Hlohovec (Border Chateau) – Sedlec (wine tasting)



5th day

By bike or by foot from Valtice to Lednice around the small structures in the Lednice-Valtice Composed Landscape – Rendez-vous (interiors) – chapel of St. Hubert – Three Graces – Nový dvůr – Apollo's Temple – Lednice ponds (nature route) – Lednice

6th day

Lednice (spa, chateau, greenhouse) – chateau garden – Minaret (look-out) – Janohrad (tour) – Podivín (Jewish cemetery)

7th day

Břeclav (tour through the town, modern church of St. Wenceslas, synagogue) – Pohansko (chateau, archaeological exposition) – Františkův pond – Poštorná (church of the Visitation of the Virgin Mary) – nature route Lužní les (floodplain forest)

WHAT AND WHEN Mikulovská Wine Sub-region

VALTICE WINE MARKETS (VALTICKÉ VINNÉ TRHY)

One of the most prestigious wine competitions, connected with the traditional exhibition and tasting of almost 1,000 local and foreign wines, celebrated its 52nd anniversary in 2019. Every year at the beginning of May, thousands of wine lovers come to Valtice Chateau. The Valtice Wine Markets (Valtické vinné trhy) are not just a competition of winemakers capable of supplying the market, but also a social event. The prestigious CHAMPION VVT awards and the awarding of gold, silver and bronze medals have become a tradition. As the Valtice Wine Markets are one of the most strictly assessed exhibitions in the Czech Republic, these awards are the subject of recognition and representation of individual winemakers. The exhibition is open to the public on the Friday from 2.00 pm and Saturday from 10.00 am, always to 10.00 pm.

Where and when: Valtice, May, www.vinnetrhy.cz

OPEN WINE CELLAR SERVICES (SLUŽBY OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ)

Winemakers are open throughout the summer (and often longer) in a number of wine municipalities. So you can visit the wine cellar when you go for wine in South Moravia. In these municipalities, you can visit at least one wine cellar during the specified opening hours from Friday to Sunday, and on the remaining days of the week, by prior arrangement. This service is available in the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region as part of the Summer of Open Wine Cellars special events in Pavlov and the Summer Open Wine Cellars in Dolní Dunajovice and Břeží.

Where and when: Pavlov, June – September, www.otevrene-sklepy-pavlov.cz

Dolní Dunajovice and Břeží, July – August, www.dunajovskekopce.cz

OPEN CELLARS IN NOVOSEDLY (NOVOSEDELSKÉ SKLEPY OPEN)

14 wine cellars will be open to visitors, where local winemakers will offer 80 of their wines to taste on the day of the event. You can taste local specialties, which will be prepared in the cellars. The accompanying programme and refreshments on offer: an exhibition of historical wine tools and aids, tours around the wine cellars, dulcimer music, a dance party, guided tours of the Novosedly goose and cock farms, grilled ham, goulash, pork crackling specialties, Moravian culinary specialties, tasting of cheese, grilled specialties and more.

When and where: Novosedly in Moravia, June and September,

www.novosedelskesklepy.cz

PÁLAVA VINTAGE FESTIVAL (PÁLAVSKÉ VINOBRANÍ)

The Pálava vintage festival is regularly held on the second weekend of September. Lovers of culinary delicacies, good drink and culture can expect three days of merriment with a varied program. In addition to the traditional folklore which is associated with wine in South Moravia, the organizers offer concerts by popular bands. More than 700 wine samples, which are entered in the National Wine Competition - the Mikulov Wine Sub-region competition heat and are after the title of Wine Salon of the Czech Republic, are tasted as part of the vintage festival.

Where and when: Mikulov, the second weekend in September, www.palavske-vino-brani.cz. Another vintage festivals at Mikulovsko: Bulhary, Dolní Dunajovice, Lednice, Sedlec, Valtice, www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz

OPEN CELLAR DAY IN PAVLOV (DEN OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ V PAVLOVĚ)

The traditional "Day of Open Cellars" is organised by the South Moravian winemakers from the VINITORES PALAVIENSIS wine association in Pavlov near Mikulov on the last Saturday in November. 14 Pavlov wine cellars will be open from 11.00 to 18.00.

When and where: Pavlov, last Saturday in November, www.vinaripavlov.cz

Other open cellars days at Mikulovsko: Bavory, Břeží, Dolní Dunajovice, Dolní Věstonice, Valtice, www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz

EDUCATION ABOUT WINE (VZDĚLÁVÁNÍ O VÍNĚ)

The capital of wine – Valtice, owes its title to the fact that it is home to several facilities that are engaged in educating people about wine. You can come to South Moravia in any season and always combine your visit with adding to your knowledge about wine. You can choose from one-day courses, weekend stays or longer-term programmes. Younger people can even devote themselves to full-time study at the Valtice Wine School. Those who have left school desks behind may visit courses at the National Wine Centre or the Wine Academy in Valtice. Among the most popular are a one-day introduction to wine tasting and the Wine Academy I weekend course – Kadet.

Where and when: Valtice, year-round,

www.vinarskecentrum.cz, www.vinarska-akademie.cz



VALTICE WINE MARKETS



OPEN WINE CELLARS IN PAVLOV



OPEN CELLARS IN NOVOSEDLY



PÁLAVA VINTAGE FESTIVAL

Legend:

Name of the wine facility

Wine municipality, address, postal code, telephone
e-mail and website



Certified services in wine tourism



The facility that fulfilled criteria of the service certification in wine tourism carried out by the National Wine Centre and the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation. The certified facilities represent the best of wine tourism in Bohemia and Moravia. **More about certification at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.**



Certified winery



Certified wine cellar



Certified wine store



Certified accommodation with wine themes



Certified restaurant with wine

Other services in wine tourism



Winery – wine producer from whom you can buy wine, usually with a possibility to taste the wine offered.



Wine cellar – seating area directly in the wine cellar or the wine pressing room with a possible wine tasting and refreshments.



Wine store – specialised wine shop offering especially local bottled wine, winery shop, municipal wine stores etc.



Accommodation – hotel, guesthouse or other accommodation directly connected with the premises of a winery or wine cellar.



Refreshments – the facility has in its permanent offer or by order cold or hot meals and refreshments.



Regular opening hours – facility has regular opening hours.



Irregular opening hours – it is necessary to book in advance by phone.

Certified services in wine tourism are listed in an alphabetical order by the wine municipalities and a name of the facility. Many other wine facilities (non-certified) can be found at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.

Certified services of wine tourism

Tanzberg Mikulov, a.s.

Tanzberg Mikulov, a.s. winery was founded in 1999. The basic philosophy is to produce the most natural, high-quality wines with typical varieties and freshness of wines of the Mikulovská Wine Subregion. The effort is to build on the old and rich wine traditions in harmony with the use of top modern technology.

Bavory 132, 692 01

tel.: +420 519 500 040, +420 606 294 910

e-mail: tanzberg@tanzberg.cz

www.tanzberg.cz



Vinařství Drmola

The family winery Vinařství Drmola is located in the village of Bavory, at the southern foot of the Pavlov Hills. It is located in an area with ideal conditions for cultivation and vine processing. The small guesthouse directly above the wine cellar will provide visitors with a cozy setting not only for tasting, but also for the whole holiday.

Bavory 46, 692 01

tel.: +420 736 487 749

e-mail: info@vinarstvidrmola.cz

www.vinarstvidrmola.cz



PASTUŠKA

The PASTUŠKA guesthouse is the right place for all those, who want to slow down for a moment and go back in time to the days of our great-grandmothers. The recently renovated guesthouse is located in a beautiful village called Brod nad Dyjí in the South Moravia region, just at a popular cycling route connecting Vienna and Brno. Being surrounded with wine cellars and vineyards PASTUŠKA is a perfect place for magical moments, new experience and making unforgettable memories. The area with its beautiful nature offers many opportunities for walking and cycling. Very popular are trips to well-known Palava lakes, Pálava or to Mikulov and Lednicko-Valtické grounds (UNESCO heritage).

Brod nad Dyjí 1, 691 81

tel.: +420 777 677 730

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Penzion Fuzgrunty

The Fuzgrunty guesthouse started its operation in spring 2008. We focus mainly on wine tourism and cycling. Our customers can use a wine cellar for the entire stay in our guesthouse, where we organise supervised wine tasting. Our St. Martin's goose is a renowned speciality.

Bulhary 96, 691 89

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e-mail: info@fuzgrunty.cz, www.fuzgrunty.cz



Vinařství Nad Sklepy

The "Nad Sklepy" winery is a continuation of a family wine tradition dating back to the middle of the 20th century. The wines are almost exclusively predicated. The winery philosophy is semidry and semisweet, preferably light and juicy, wines with a typical "Pálava" bouquet of foreign fruit or blooming meadows. The wines are often enriched with residual sugar, but always accompanied by a pleasant acidity, connected to the great maturing of grapes in the Pálava area.

Bulhary 90, 691 89

tel.: +420 774 172 298

e-mail: info@nadsklepy.cz

www.nadsklepy.cz



Vinařství Nad Sklepy – PhDr. Vít Dočkal, Ph.D.

The "Nad Sklepy" winery continues the family wine tradition, which is now developed by cellarmaster Vitek with his wife Jana and grandmother Majka. The pride and pleasure are also its three successors – sons Hynek, Vilém and Vít. The vineyards are registered temporarily for organic production. Major cellar upgrading took place in 2008–2009, when Vít Dočkal bought new technology for the processing of grapes, the system of controlled fermentation and bottling, and introduced modern methods of vinification. Wines from Vít Dočkal are almost exclusively predicated.

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www.nadsklepy.cz



VINAŘSTVÍ MIKROSVÍN MIKULOV a.s.

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Dolní Dunajovice, Sklepní 657, 691 85

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e-mail: info@mikrosvin.cz, www.mikrosvin.cz



Vinárna a penzion "U Langrů"

The company was founded on January 19, 2012. Its field is accommodation and it is a family business. We focus on wine tourism, promoting wines from the Pálava region. The wine store was established in April 2014 and is a part of the complex. The e-shop with an assortment of wines from the Mikulov region, especially the surroundings of Pálava, was launched in November 2014. We concentrate on selling wines from smaller winemakers.

Dolní Věstonice 123, 691 29
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www.vinotekavenuse.cz



víno77, s.r.o.

I make about 10,000 bottles a year in my young micro-winery. It is just enough to be able to check the quality of each of them, to oversee the entire production process and, above all, personally meet as many of my customers as possible. I love watching the emotions that my wine evokes in people. Nothing in the world can beat the feeling when I see that you like it. The vast hectares of the Drnholec vineyards belong to my sister and are lovingly cared for by my vine-grower and nephew in one person. You can taste the best fruits of his (and of course my) work in Víno77.

Drnholec, Wolkerova 218, 691 83
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www.vino77.cz



Moravčíkova vína

Our young family winery "Moravčík Wines" is found below the Pálava peaks in Horní Věstonice, where all our vineyards are situated too. We specialise in white predicate wine production from grapes from our vineyards with regulated gathering. The focus is on the vintages Pálava, Riesling and Welschriesling, Aurelius and Sauvignon Blanc, however, we have got various varieties in the vineyards. Grapes are processed with a help of modern wine technology.

Horní Věstonice, Mandloňová 161, 692 01
tel.: +420 607 115 282
e-mail: moravcikovavina@seznam.cz
www.moravcikovavina.cz



Veltlinium 1874

We invite you to visit the newly renovated historical cellar in Horní Věstonice VELTLINIUM 1874, where you can enjoy fine wines and a unique atmosphere in a comfortable environment with a romantic view of the Nové Mlýny reservoirs. Our team will be fully at your disposal. We will also be happy to prepare tailor-made wine tasting, company or family events.

Horní Věstonice, U Venuše 142, 691 81
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e-mail: veltlinium@vinofol.cz
www.vinofol.cz



mikroVinářství Koubek

Koubek micro-Winery is a small family business, officially established in 1991, but wine production dates back to the 1970s. Production, including the wine cellar, is located near the family house. The vineyards are cultivated by the family and all produce is processed into wine. We do not buy or sell grapes. We prefer quality to quantity in wine production. All production is bottled.

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www.mikrovinarstvi.cz



Vinářství Holánek

The wine-growing courtyard at the presbytery in Ivaň - this is a pleasant environment in the yard of a historical baroque presbytery. Open daily, wine tasting from our entire production, homemade refreshments, nearby cycling trails (Brno-Vienna, Mikulov Wine Trail), bicycle parking, wine sales. The complex includes a renovated wine cellar, over 200 years old, where we can offer the organization of corporate events, celebrations or weddings exactly to your design with a capacity of up to 150 people!

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VINAŘSTVÍ POD HRADEM s.r.o.

Family winery from Klentnice focused on terroir wines from Pálava and its surroundings. The winery offers excellent predicate wines, sparkling wines, and lightly sparkling and straw wines. Visitors can enjoy beautiful seating in the vineyard with unforgettable views of Pálava, its castles and surroundings, from spring to autumn. Lovers of unconventional experiences can then stay overnight in barrels right in the vineyard.

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Apart from a wide offer of wines you can enjoy tasting of wine, natural liqueurs and fruit spirits as well as a pleasant atmosphere in the Town Hall Cellar directly on the square. On the way back from the world famous chateau, minaret or glasshouse you can stop for a glass of wine or sparkling wine, which we often open by cutting its neck off – i.e. sabrage.

Lednice, Zámecké náměstí 69, 691 44
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e-mail: info@moravskysommelier.cz
www.moravskysommelier.cz



Penzion Onyx a Galerie vín Lednice

The company specializes in adventure and corporate tourism in the Lednice-Valtice area and its surroundings. The programmes are focused on sports, history and viticulture. Penzion ONYX and Wine Gallery – all under one roof. Accommodation with a capacity of 71 beds and a labyrinth of wine cellars for 130 "thirsty" guests. The Wine Gallery boasts a selection of 150 kinds of wines from 16 local wineries.

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www.onyxlednice.cz



ANNOVINO VINAŘSTVÍ LEDNICE s.r.o.

The family winery has renewed the tradition of winemaking in Lednice and is part of the wine-growing legacy of the Liechtenstein family. It processes grapes from 200 ha, which is also from a unique terroir with a limestone bedrock formed from the fossils of prehistoric seas. The wines are juicy, fruity and with a pleasant minerality, with awards from numerous domestic and foreign competitions. The ANNOVINO visitor center in Lednice is open all year round. The Annovino Lednice Winery – Valtické Podzemí won the proud title of Champion TOP Wine Destination in the Czech Republic.

Lednice, Nejdecká 714, 691 44
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www.annovino.cz



Hotel Marcinčák***

Lavender Hotel Marcinčák *** is a family hotel, where you will find a mixture of wine, food and lavender. It is located in the southern part of the ancient wine town of Mikulov, 10 minutes walk from the city centre. It offers comfortable accommodation in 14 double rooms, 12 family rooms and 1 lavender DELUXE room, parking possible. It provides facilities for conferences, seminars, corporate training, team building, family celebrations and weddings, including accompanying programmes.

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www.hotelmarcincak.cz



Hotel Zámeček Mikulov s.r.o.

Family Hotel Zámeček is located on the outskirts of the romantic historical town of Mikulov in the south of Moravia. In the hotel, you will find not only quality accommodation, but also regional specialties of the hotel restaurant, sitting in a Moravian wine cellar with a romantic rotunda or holding a training or corporate conference in the congress hall. Hotel Zámeček offers a wide range of top-quality wines of the highest quality. You can make your stay more pleasant by visiting many attractions and monuments in Mikulov and its surroundings.

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www.zameckmikulov.cz



Restaurace AQUARIUM Relax

This family stylish restaurant AQUARIUM Relax was established in 2007. Directly in the restaurant you can see three giant aquariums with fish from all around world (e.g. from Africa, Amazonia and others). In our restaurant you can enjoy 97 kinds of quality wine and 4 kinds of sparkling wine. The wine comes from production of 31 renowned winemakers from Mikulov and its vicinity.

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www.aquariumrelax.cz



Rodinné vinařství VICAN

Rodinné vinařství VICAN is a modern, young winery with a traditional approach to wine growing and production. The main treasure of this winery are unique vineyards situated on Pálava - one of the best location for wine growing in the Czech republic. The key varieties are Welschriesling, Grüner Veltliner and local ingenious variety Pálava. Wines from Rodinné vinařství VICAN are fruit- driven with typical minerality. The owner Tomáš Vican is a famous film producer and with his comedial films Bobule and serial Vinaři he has greatly helped to expand wine tourism in the Czech republic.

Mikulov, Mušlov 30, 692 01
tel.: +420 604 183 050
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www.vican.wine



Vinotéka Mikulov

The newly renovated wine shop in the heart of Mikulov offers hundreds of the best wines exclusively from the local production of various winemakers at prices comparable to those directly from the winemaker.

Mikulov, Náměstí 11, 692 01
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e-mail: info@vinotekamikulov.cz
www.vinotekamikulov.cz



Vinařství Fučík

The Fučík Winery is a family winery from Mikulov. The agricultural and vinicultural tradition of the Fučík family dates back to the 19th century and has always been characterized by the quality and production of the finest wines. Our winery produces natural and original wines of high quality in which you will find the terroir where the grapes were born. Wine quality is our priority and we prefer it to quantity.

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www.vinarstvi-fucik.cz



Vinařství Kosek

Family winery founded in 1992, but the history of the family winery dates back to the 1950's. The company manages its own vineyards in integrated production. It focuses on the manufacturing of top-class varietal wines (from quality wine to selections of berries).

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www.vinarstvikosek.cz



VÍNO LÍPA MIKULOV s. r. o.

We founded the Lípa winery, together with my younger brother, in 2000. It is actually a continuation of the family tradition of winemaking, which our grandfather started, our father continued, and which we continue with my brother. Thanks to the foresighted attitude of our parents, one of us graduated from a wine and the other from a hotel school. This decision we both perceive as visionary and at the same time determining our future direction, development and the future of our winery and business in general.

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Vinařství Šilová

The small family winery was established in 2012 as a continuation of more than 50 years of the family's winemaking and vine-growing tradition. The ethos of the winery is to keep a friendly approach to the vineyards and wine, produced with modern technologies and an emphasis on the character of each variety. Family vineyards are located in the wine municipality Novosedly. The newly built winery, situated in the historic centre of Mikulov, and has a tasting room, accommodation, and a summer restaurant. Naturally, there is seating in the cellar and tastings directly in the winery.

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Vinařství Kovacs s.r.o.

Kovacs Winery is a small family-run winery based in the village of Novosedly in the Mikulovská Wine Sub-region in Moravia. The winery continues a long family tradition of growing grapes and producing premium wines aimed at the origin. During the winemaking process and in the vineyards, the emphasis is on highlighting the unique location and the soil composition on the individual vineyard sites (terroir). Management of the vineyards and their careful protection is performed in harmony with nature, according to the rules of organic farming.

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Víno Marcinčák, Ing. Petr Marcinčák, Organic Winery Marcincak

Víno Marcinčák is a family company which manages 102 ha of its own vineyards in the wine village Novosedlý. We are fully organic winery. There is also a modern production facility and archival cellars. Wine production of Organic Winery Marcincak is focused exclusively on pred-icate wine, which is offered in a wide range. They have their own vineyards on the best vineyard sites. Its suitable position allows the production of botrytis wine, ice wine and straw wine. The company operates its own wine tasting cellar and offers the possibility to sit in the wine cellar.

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Hotel Pavlov

Hotel Pavlov is situated in the village of the same name at the foot of Děvín near the water reservoir Nové Mlýny. The hotel offers accommodation in double rooms and family apartments with an extra bed with a total capacity of 69 people. There is a stylish restaurant with Moravian cuisine, which you can also enjoy in the summer garden. We also offer conference facilities of a large hall and a lounge with the professional organization of meetings, training and leisure activities on a turnkey basis to companies. An ideal place for your active family holiday, corporate events and private celebrations.

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Obecní vinotéka v Pavlově – Petr Nešpor

Accept our invitation to the Municipal Wine Shop in Pavlov, which is located in the basement of the municipal office building, in the heart of one of the most beautiful wine-growing villages in South Moravia. A selection of wines awaits you directly in the cellar, mostly from local winemakers, and complemented by wines from the Mikulovsko microregion. It is possible to taste some wines or book a guided tasting in the wine shop. We believe that the wines from Pavlov will win you over for their beauty and uniqueness, as well as the village of Pavlov set in the breath-taking scenery of Pálava.

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Reisten, s.r.o.

Reisten is a winery of mainly white wines. It owns exceptional vineyards with an area of 30 ha in three wine municipalities of Pavlov, Mikulov and Sedlec. The gentle handling of the vineyards, respect and considerate attitude to nature are part of the philosophy of the Reisten winery. The aim of winemaking is to minimize the use of chemical preservatives in the cellar and vineyard management, to focus on the use of modern organic products and to create a balanced ecosystem.

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Sekt bar Pavlov

We are a wine bar focused mainly on wine tasting, wine, coffee and wine delicacies. Our bar is divided into two parts. There is a classic bar for about 30 people in the first part. You can visit our large presentation cellar, with a unique educational exhibition of sparkling wine production and where you can learn, step by step, from the explanation of our sommeliers about how to make a drink that is one of the most famous and noble in the world in the second part. At the same time, you can organize various celebrations, company parties, etc., for about 60 people in our cellar.

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Vilém Topolanský

A small Pavlov family business based on the winemaking tradition of our fathers, grandfathers and great-grandfathers in Pavlov. We farm on 2 ha of vineyards that stretch on the Pavlov vineyard sites where white varieties predominate. We organize guided tasting for wine lovers right in the cellar. Passers-by can sit by a glass of wine in the premises of our cellar in the wine pressing room with a half-cross vault or outdoors in a garden with a pergola.

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VINAŘSTVÍ PAULUS PAVLOV

Winery Paulus was born as the realization of an old and long-awaited dream "To create an honest wine with a distinctive personality and character, all in hand with respect of the unmistakable terroir Pálava and Pavlov itself." Visit our historic cellar and the small museum located in it.

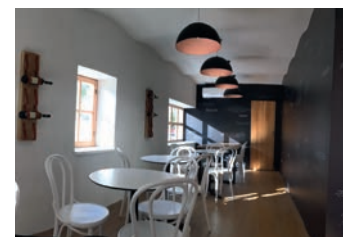
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Vinařství Pavlov, spol. s r.o.

The Pálava Protected Landscape Area is the last headland of the limestone Alps and, because of its biospheric uniqueness, it has been included on the UNESCO World Heritage List. The unique limestone bedrock limits the vine growth and concentrates it. It gives to the wines of the Vinařství Pavlov winery a unique character of great spiciness and compactness. Wines with a high minerality, distinctive fruity character and honey tones are produced here.

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VINAŘSTVÍ PERGEN

The Pergen winery, named after the former name of the village of Perná, follows two generations of winemakers who managed the vineyards in the best locations of Pálava. We put most of the production into the bottles and focus on highquality wines with special attributes.

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SONBERK, a.s.

The extraordinary view of Pálava hills, modern architecture, and characteristic wines, appreciated in our country and all around the world, are the main features of the winery in Popice near Hustopeče. The place where the vines have been grown for centuries is now place where modern viticulture means: careful work with the soil and vineyards, hand-picked grapes, gentle processing, wine-making with confidence, and the widest possible openness to people who come to enjoy it all in the Sonberk motto "Wines to all the senses".

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Vinařství Gotberg, a.s.

Winery Gotberg is a young company operating on 56 ha of on average seven-year old vineyards, planted in the middle of protected areas in the prestigious Popice vineyards opposite Pálava. The winery is involved in the Czech-Austrian project Ecowin – nature conservation by greener viticulture. The philosophy of this winery is sophisticated processing of wine and thoughtful grape growing and also harmony with nature and respect for natural fauna and flora.

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Sedlecká vína

Our winery is one of the traditional producers of predicate wine, which is born in a beautiful region around Mikulov and by the largest Moravian lake, Nesyt. Our wines were served on the celebratory plates for the English Queen, Elizabeth II and the wife of US President, Hillary Clinton. Our effort is, above all, to ensure that the wines are in harmony with the local terroir and that their poetry is fully appreciated.

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CHÂTEAU VALTICE – Vinné sklepy Valtice, a.s.

The family winery is one of the most important traditional producers of Moravian wines with a declared origin, which specializes mainly in the production of luxury predicate wines known under the brand CHÂTEAU VALTICE. These Moravian wines have been among the best domestic and world wines for several decades, as evidenced by frequent successes at national and world-renowned exhibitions. The last of the most important successes of this winery include the historically first red wine Champion of the Wine Salon of the Czech Republic 2016 and the "Winery of the Year" title in 2014.

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MORAVÍNO s.r.o.

MORAVÍNO s.r.o. is located in the Lednice-Valtice area, close to the border with Austria, in the wine town of Valtice. Its size means it belongs among medium-sized businesses. It has created itself, thanks to its high-quality assortment, a very good position on the wine market within a few years. The company offers wine for gastronomy, private archives, specialized shops and wine cellars.

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Penzion Archivní sklepy Valtice

The guesthouse "Archivní sklepy Valtice", the most wine, food and experiences. The guesthouse is located on the so-called wine square, in close proximity to the Valtice Underground and the newly built rotunda of the Vinné sklepy Valtice, where wine-tasting events are held continuously. Our cosy family guesthouse has a capacity of 16 beds, free parking, free Wi-Fi, outdoor seating and a rich breakfast buffet. In the summer months, we eat outdoors, under the pergola, where you can also sit with wine in the evening. The wine cellar is below the guesthouse.

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Penzion Villa Daniela – sídlo milovníků vína

Company Daniela Valentová spol. s r.o. extended the current activities of Ing. Daniela Valentová in 2007. Providing wine tasting and representation services are developed for the organization of corporate training, wine tasting, and providing accommodation in "wine tourism" these days. She currently operates premises of about 300 m2 of cellars in Úvaly by Valtice. She buys most of her needs of grapes and produces wine under her own brand ING. DANIELA VALENTOVÁ.

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Salon vín České republiky

A public tasting exhibition of wines awarded the title "zlatá medaile Salonu vín České republiky" (Gold medal of the Wine Salon of the Czech Republic) located in the castle cellar in Valtice. Since 2000, visitors can get an overview about the wines from all wine sub-regions of the Czech Republic here. A collection of hundred best wines selected by tasters in the Wine Salon – National Wine Competition of the Czech Republic, is presented here every year. There are several wine tasting programmes, wine can also be bought. You can find an educational exhibition about vine varieties, history of viniculture and the "Hall of Fame" of our winery here. In 2018, Wine Salon was elected by the public as the Champion of the competition TOP Wine Destination.

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Vinařství Obelisk

The Obelisk winery was founded in 2016 in Valtice. The owners decided to place the winemaking production where it undoubtedly belongs - under the ground. The wine tasting and presentation areas use the glazed upper floor with stunning views. These two worlds may exist independently, but they can meet each other at the same time through a central staircase. Visitors can observe a part of the wine production and the area where the wine matures. The wines from the Obelisk Winery are characterized by so-called postmodern wine-growing. The winemaker pays close attention to their own specific development and limits unnatural impact into the character of the wine.

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Vinný sklípek za penzionem Diana

In the cellar behind the guesthouse Diana in Valtice, we offer tasting and sales of bottled wines of winemakers from Břež near Mikulov, wine tasting guided by sommelier or just sitting, family celebrations and corporate events.

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Vinotéka Vinum Bonum® – Vinařský dům Valtice

Vinařský dům Valtice – the production and sale of wines of the winery Vinařství Jiří Kopeček, an exclusive representation of selected wineries from the Moravia wine region. Gift packaging of wine and mail order, wine tasting year-round, sitting, cheese, olives, soft drinks, coffee, professional literature. The wine store was opened on November 11, 1998. The philosophy of the wine store is to support the consumption of quality Moravian wines.

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VALTICKÉ PODZEMÍ

Valtické Podzemí (Valtice underground) is a unique 900 metre interconnected labyrinth of restored historical cellars . They have been dated to 1289 in connection with the founding of a minorite monastery. Taste the famous wines of the Lednice-Valtice area and experience real Moravian hospitality offered to you by the “Sklepiři” – experts in serving wine in the cellar, with knowledge of the environment of the wine and its unique terroir. Don’t miss the famous weekend evenings with dulcimer music or one of the other original events. It is possible to hold corporate and private parties. The Valtické Podzemí is a part of the ANNOVINO LEDNICE winery and won the title of champion TOP Wine Destination of the Czech Republic. Open all year round and daily in the high season.

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Zámecký sklep A.D. 1430 – CHÂTEAU VALTICE – Vinné sklepy Valtice, a.s.

The unique “Zámecký sklep” (Castle Cellar) belongs among the oldest and largest wine cellars in the Czech Republic. The quality wines of Valtice were already maturing here in the 12th century, when the medieval castle was built over this cellar. In 1430, the important Liechtenstein family, that built the winery here, provided the reconstruction of this cellar, when they found that Valtice and Mikulov had excellent conditions for wine production. The family winery CHÂTEAU VALTICE followed these foundations. Their best red wines are still maturing in wooden oak barrels, fully utilizing the total cellar capacity of 500,000 litres.

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Vinotéka V Zámecké bráně

A wine store is found in the original gateway into the Valtice chateau in a former guardroom. The assortment includes mainly wines of the producers from Valtice. Daily it offers 20–25 samples including ice and straw wines for tasting. Seating for 20 persons.

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MORAVA (MORAVIA)

Wine Region

VELKOPAVLOVICKÁ

Wine Sub-region



The fertile lowlands, which stretch from Brno to Židlochovice, Hustopeče, Velké Bílovice and Velké Pavlovice, belong among the sunniest places of the Czech Republic. **Grüner Veltliner** is at the top of the scale of the most grown varieties, but **Blaufränkisch** and **St. Laurent**, in third and fourth position, suggest that the Velké Pavlovice region is famous for red wine. You will not find so many vineyards with blue grapes as right here in any other Moravian wine sub-region. Worth mentioning (and mainly tasting!) is **Zweigelt** or the **André** variety cultivated directly in Velké Pavlovice. White varieties, such as **Müller Thurgau**, **Welschriesling** and **Pinot Gris**, have good conditions here as well.

The landscape around **Bořetice**, **Kobylí**, **Němčičky**, **Velké Pavlovice** and **Vrbice** is called **Modré hory (blue vineyards)**. The varieties with blue grapes are grown in more than half of the vineyards and wines of the three most typical varieties of the sub-region, **Blaufränkisch**, **St. Laurent** and **Blauer Portugieser**, have the specific label of **VOC Modré hory**.

What should you not miss? For example, extensive complexes of wine cellars, reminiscent of small villages, such as the **area under Kraví hora** in **Bořetice**, a **cellar lane** in **Kobylí** or **Belegrady** in **Velké Bílovice**, where the names of the streets and squares come from wine-growing history or bear the names of the vine varieties. A popular stop for wine lovers are the **Templar cellars** under the medieval forts in **Čejkovice** and the **town of Hustopeče**, with a curious statue of wine yeast. You can taste local wines at a variety of events. For example, at the spring **Festival of Almonds and Wine** in **Hustopeče**, at the turn of March and April, when visiting wine festival **From Cellar to Cellar** in **Velké Bílovice**, at the public tasting at the international **Grand Prix Vinex** competition in May, at the **Velké Pavlovice vintage festival** in September, at the **Burčák festival** in **Hustopeče** or at the **St. Martin's wine tasting** in **Brno** in October.

Total area: 4,871 ha Wine municipalities: 70 Vineyard sites: 321



VELKOPAVLOVICKÁ Wine Sub-region

1 SLAVKOV – a city, whose name in German form is Austerlitz, is known thanks to the Napoleonic Battle of Austerlitz (2. 12. 1805) to the whole world. The truce between France and Austria was concluded after the battle in the Baroque castle. You can see historical interiors, the remains of the former early Gothic commandery of the Teutonic Order, preserved in the deep underground of Austerlitz castle. The golf course of the Golf Club Austerlitz extends to the park. The Peace Memorial, Art Nouveau stone chapel, a memorial of wars and their victims, is on the hill above the village Prace. The decisive fights of the battle took place here. The building with multimedia exhibition of the Museum of the Brno Region and a café is in the surrounding



park area. The Peace Memorial Ceremony set to honour the dead as the climax of the commemoration anniversary of the battle every year is at the turn of November and December.
www.zamek-slavkov.cz | www.gca.cz
www.mohylamiru.muzeumbrnenska.cz

2 KRUMVÍŘ – the first historical mention of the village is from 1350. Although Krumvíř has a scratch plough and wine knife in its seal, the written mention of the wine tithe is from 1723. The series of cellars are the pride of the village, many of them have a painted porch. Krumvíř is also famous for pottery, wood carving and scratched egg production. You can come for example to visit the folk festival Kraj bez stínu or costumed feast of St. Bartoloměj. | www.krumvir.cz

3 BRNO – the 1st written record of Brno's vineyards is from the 13th century. Vineyards were planted around the slopes of uptown Brno, many of them have various attributes of wine grapes, wine knives and baskets in their logos. The grapevine has even returned on the south slopes of Špilberk, where a new vineyard with Pinot Gris and Riesling were planted. Špilberk, the most famous prison of the Habsburg monarchy, is the seat of the Brno City Museum now. The casemates with a prison exhibition are one of the most attractive tourist sites.

The Cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul and the Old Town Hall belongs to another dominant of the city. The local arched passage, with the famous Brno dragon, is decorated with a beautiful late-Gothic stone portal. You can see a bird's eye view of the historic centre from the town hall tower with Renaissance gallery. You will also find Villa Tugendhat in Brno. A masterpiece of functionalist architecture from the German architect Ludwig Mies van der Rohe from 1929–1930, which was registered on World Heritage List of UNESCO in 2001. Modern architecture lovers admire Brno's Exhibition Centre, which is thanks to a unique collection of functionalist architecture, one of the most elegant exhibition areas in the world. Motor racing circuit – the Masaryk Circuit, the venue of the annual motorcycle Grand Prix, golf course in



Jinačovice, the zoo or museum of prehistory pavilion Anthropos represent Brno as a city of entertainment and leisure. Bystrc, Chrlice, Maloměřice, Medlánky, Obřany and Tuřany belong to the wine villages. You can find smaller vineyards in the Vinohrady district, where nearly all the streets of modern housing are named after the wine municipalities of South Moravia.
www.brno.cz

4 HUSTOPEČE – vineyards around Hustopeče were among the largest in the Czech lands in the past. They were owned by the nobility, monasteries and wealthy citizens from Brno and Olomouc. The city used to have its own, very famous, horenský soud (wine court) against whose decision it was not possible to appeal. It stood on the place of today's bank, where you can still see the original stone coat of arms on the facade. The citizens had the wine cellars under their houses like elsewhere. The Renaissance house U Synků, below which 2 parallel cellars have survived, on the upper part of the square is from 1579. If you want to taste Hustopeče wines, then you can either visit the Vinotéka Vinařů Hustopečska (Wine Shop of Hustopeče Region Winemakers), or go to one of the wine events. A number of them take place in Hustopeče every year, from the Slavnosti mandloní a vína (Almond and Wine Festival), through the O Hustopečskou pečeť (Hustopeče Seal) to the Krajem vína – Expedici Krajem André (Land of Wine – Expedition through the André Region), the Burčák Festival, the St. Martin's Wine and Goose Celebration and the World Wine Duel. You will discover a quaint curiosity in the courtyard of the house U Synků – a sandstone sculpture of wine yeasts. The circumference is 167 cm and it is 69,230 times bigger than the live original. Hustopeče has gained the Czech record for the biggest art prints of a living organism. The modern church of St. Wenceslas and St. Agnes of Bohemia dominates Hustopeče. Its predecessor, the late-Gothic church of St. Václav, was damaged during the Second World War. The new church, an interesting two-storey building in the shape of a spiral, was ordained in 1994. Copies of saved architectural elements of the old church are integrated into the interiors, the peak of the tower is decorated with a stylized St. Wenceslas crown.
www.hustopece.cz



5 VELKÉ PAVLOVICE – the Velké Pavlovice region is rare because of the dominance of blue varieties, which due to the locality's open position to the south has almost 1,800 hours of sunshine a year. The best red wines in Central Europe are produced here because of this. Velké Pavlovice is written into wine history mainly due to the breeding station, which created 4 new essentially Czech varieties. Aromatic Pálava and Aurelius represent white varieties, Agni and André, wine with aroma of forest fruits, blue varieties. André was bred by crossing varieties Blaufränkisch and Saint Laurent in 1961, named after Ch. K. André (1763–1831). He founded the 1st association for fruit breeding in the world in Brno, and sparked the interest for obtaining new varieties of cross-breeding. You will discover a grape press from 1816, a variety of ancient wine cellars and presses, which give the town and surrounding vineyard countryside its unique character, in Velké Pavlovice. The most



interesting architectural monument of the city is the Baroque granary, a technical building from 1770–1780, now Hotel Lotrinský, in addition to the Baroque church of Our Lady's Assumption and several small religious monuments. You can go on a short trip to St. Urban chapel, which stands only a few hundred meters from the Slunečná tower in the vineyard site Nadzahrady or to the modern cellar lane, which grew at the foot of the most famous Velké Pavlovice vineyard



Staré hory in 2012. The educational trail, Zastavení v kraji vína a meruněk, (Stopping in the Region of Wine and Apricots) will take you to the “drunk” cellar houses in this lane.

www.slechtitelka.cz | www.velke-pavlovice.cz

6 KOBYLÍ – a hectare of vineyard was more expensive than 20 ha of fields here, according to documents from the 14th century. Deep and long ancient wine cellars scattered throughout the village and old wooden presses show the high wine production. The wine cellar lane Suchořádkská zmola belongs to the most interesting places. Once there used to be ravine, it collapsed after heavy rain in 1900. The museum of Kobylí history and its inhabitants shows that today's life of the village is closely associated with viniculture and viticulture. You can see a permanent exhibition of traditional small-scale wine production with a wine store offering wine tasting of local wine-makers. | www.kobyli.cz



7 ČEJKOVICE – the 1st written reports on the village from 1248 are associated with the existence of a fort built by members of the Order of the Temple. Templars started to cultivate vine and built a Gothic fort with extensive cellars with a length of 650 m, one of the largest in the Czech Republic. Marvellous legends have always been told about the height, width and length of the Templar cellars and many of them have survived till now. Armed men on the horses and fully loaded carts could pass through the tunnels. You cannot see the secret corridor, which should lead from Čejkovice to Slovak's Skalce, but the wine



cellar, used by Templářské sklepy Čejkovice for storage of vintage wines and maturation up to 350,000 litres of wine in oak barrels and barriques are open. The largest wine bottle in the Czech Republic is a rarity, 2 metres high with a volume of 200 litres and a diameter of 0.5 metres. The former Templar fort is used as a hotel, you can taste and buy the best wines from Čejkovice and surrounds in the Castle Wine Gallery. They say that Čejkovice wine cellars are among the elite wine buildings in the region. They are concentrated in several locations. The traditional centre is the lane rising from the road from the village Čejč toward the Kopeček, the other cellars with presses are located by the cycle path towards Vrbice and under the vineyards on the eastern edge of the village. Tomáš Garrigue Masaryk, founder of Czechoslovakia, spent part of his childhood in Čejkovice. A small museum is in the house where his family lived.

www.cejkovice.cz | www.templarske-sklepy.cz

8 BOŘETICE – FREE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF KRAVÍ HORA – Bořetice, like other villages in the area, has a wine tradition. The first written mention of the surrounding vineyards is from 1361. Inhabitants of Bořetice began to build cellars directly under the vineyard slopes, because between the village and vineyard slopes Kraví hora was a lake unto 1835. It is said that winemakers went to the cellars and vineyards in boats and the poorer ones had to paddle in a washtub.

A large cellar area is the pride of Bořetice till now. You can count about 260 wine cellars in double rows that gradually form a cellar village with several streets. You can go through the Horní and Dolní Frejd (so called hedges that once fenced the upper and lower border of the vineyard), Hliníky and Zahraničí. 15 m high wooden tower, which recalls the village's victory in the national round of the competition Village of the year 2005, have stood above the area of wine cellars between Bořetice and Němčičky since summer 2006. It is easily accessible on foot or by bike from the cellar area.

Bořetice recess Free Federal Republic of Kraví hora attracts the attention of visitors. The local winemakers declared it to promote Bořetice winemaking in 2001. The Republic has a government, president,



constitution, anthem, emblem, flag, postage stamps and currency and established contacts with neighbouring countries, such as the Valašské Kingdom.

www.boretice.cz

9 MODŘÉ HORY (BLUE VINEYARDS) – the 31 km long circular route will take you through the landscape, which is the legendary heart of the Moravian red wines production. The path, whose length can be adjusted according to your own taste, combines the wine villages Bořetice, Kobylí, Němčičky, Velké Pavlovice and Vrbice where blue grapes varieties are grown on more than half of the vineyards.

www.modrehory.cz

10 MUNICIPAL WINE TRAIL OF NĚMČIČKY – the 8 km long circuit will introduce you to the history of viticulture, vineyards in Němčičky and attractions around the planting and cultivating of vines. You can visit the places with unique views of the surroundings by bicycle or foot. The route follows the Moravian Wine Trail and is completed by 4 information panels with maps. You can also visit the pilgrimage place of local winemakers, the chapel of St. Antonín, and the wine cellars in the street Za humny.

www.nemcicky.cz



11 CELLAR COLONY IN VRBICE – one of the uppermost villages on the Velké Pavlovice region is truly unmistakable and the tower of the neo-Romanesque church of St. Jiljí is possible to see from a distance of several tens of kilometres. Two locations of the local cellars were built in an interval of several centuries. The older colony Na sklepech, which consists of two lower floors of wine buildings in the village,



originated in the second half of the 17th century. The wine cellars Stráž are better known, arranged in 5 terraces below the church, each level has its own name: Na vyhlídce, Podkova, Pod kostelem, Pod větrákem and Pod novýma. The first corridors were dug at the turn of the 18th and 19th century, presses with a stone facade were added in the middle of the last century. Local peculiarities are the Gothic pointed arches.

www.obecvrvice.cz



12 THROUGH THE REGION OF ANDRÉ ROUTE – A trail, named after the red wine variety bred in Velké Pavlovice, leads from Hustopeče through Němčičky, Vrbice, Bořetice, Velké Pavlovice back to Hustopeče. You can visit the lookout tower on Kraví hora in Bořetice, the lookout tower Slunečná in Velké Pavlovice, you can see interesting wine cellars in Vrbice. The 39.6 km long trail with a good surface is suitable for cycling, but you can also walk.

13 EDUCATIONAL WINE TRAIL OF VELKÉ BÍLOVICE – 5 km journey with views of the largest complex of vineyards in the Czech Republic, copies the Velké Pavlovice Wine Trail and will introduce you to the history of viniculture and vineyard sites in the vicinity of Velké Bílovice. Walk through the cellar area with 650 cellars, which is divided into three parts: Púryňky, Pod Předníma and Belegřady, where each cellar lane is named after various varieties of vine. Nice view of Velké Bílovice and surroundings opens from the Hradištěk hill, where there is a chapel dedicated to St. Václav, St. Urban and St. Cyril and Metoděj.

www.velkebilovice.cz | www.velkobilovictivinari.cz

extended weekend

ON A BIKE AROUND VELKÉ PAVLOVICE

1st day: Brno – Rajhrad – Židlochovice – Nosislav – Velké Němčice – Hustopeče

2nd day: Hustopeče – Velké Pavlovice – Bořetice – Vrbice – Čejkovice – Kobylí – Klobouky u Brna – Těšany – Žatčany – Újezd u Brna – Slavkov u Brna

3rd day: Slavkov u Brna – Křenovice – Prace – Mohyla míru (Peace Memorial) – Sokolnice – Kobylnice – Ponětovice – Jiřkovice – Žuráň – Santon – Tvarožná – Pozoří – Ochoz u Brna – Říčka valley – Brno

Route length: 127 km



A three-day-long programme is prepared as a circuit that starts and ends in Brno, however, you will see especially the charms of the Moravian countryside. You will see for example the chateau game park in Židlochovice, fortified church in Nosislav, colony of wine cellars in Vrbice and Kobylí, Baroque Smithy in Těšany, wind mill in Klobouky, Peace Memorial on the Austerlitz Battlefield or chateau in Slavkov. In summer you can enjoy the aquapark in Hustopeče.

a week long stay

IN THE VELKÉ PAVLOVICE REGION

Do you want to save time? Then stay for a whole week in Brno and go for the star-shape trips. Even the most distant place in the selected wine sub-region is max 50 km away. You can visit also some other places of interest, for example Moravian Karst, Pernštejn castle or Porta Coeli Monastery in Předklášteří.



1st day

Brno (tour through the city – historic centre, Špilberk castle and casemates, Capuchin Crypt, Zelný market, Old City Hall, Petrov, church of St. James, villa Tugendhat – UNESCO site, botanical garden, Technical museum)

2nd day

Historic zone of Austerlitz Battlefield – Šlapanice (Museum of the Brno Region) – Žuráň knoll – Santon hill-ock above Tvarožná – Peace Memorial above Prace – Slavkov u Brna (chateau, park, synagogue) – Bučovice (chateau, garden)

3rd day

Rajhrad (monastery, Museum of literature in Moravia) – Židlochovice (chateau game park, vineyards) – Hustopeče (modern church of St. Wenceslas and St. Agnes of Bohemia, Town museum and gallery, vineyards, wine cellars, summer aquapark) – Kurdějov (vineyards, church of St. John the Baptist) – Klobouky u Brna (wind mill) – Těšany (Smithy)

4th day

Velké Pavlovice (vineyards) – Bořetice (wine cellars, look-out at Kraví Hora) – Vrbice (wine cellars) – Čejkovice (Templar keep and cellars, gallery of wines, house of TGM); cycling trip on the route Through the Region of André (Krajem André) or Modré Hory route

5th day

by bike or by foot around the Brno Dam – Veveří castle – Podkomorské forests (land from a famous 19th century novel, fountains) – Jinačovice golf course – zoo Brno-Bystrc

6th day

Blansko (chateau, exposition of the Moravian Karst and ironcast) – Punkevní cave – Kateřinská cave – Sloup-sko-šošůvské caves – Rudice (wind mill) – Jedovnice (swimming) – Ruprechtov (wind mill) – Vyškov (zoo, aquapark)

7th day

Tišnov (Klucanina look-out) – Předklášteří u Tišnova (Porta Coeli Monastery, Museum of the Brno Region) – Nedvědice – Pernštejn castle



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BÍLOVICE



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other tips for trips

LOOKOUT TOWERS OVER THE VELKÉ PAVLOVICE REGION

LOOKOUT TOWER IN KOBYLÍ – you will discover a beautiful lookout tower in Kobyli in the Břeclav region. It is especially unique with regards to its shape, which resembles an open tunnel or a rising winding bridge and is barrier-free. Built in 2018. The 7.5m high lookout tower stands on the highest point in the village, Kobyli vrch (Kobyli hill), which the locals call Homole.



SLUNEČNÁ LOOKOUT TOWER – almost 19m high tower located east of Velké Pavlovice in the vineyard site Nadzahrady. It is part of the tourist complex with two other buildings, stylized into the form of typical wine cellars.

LOOKOUT TOWER AT KRAVÍ HORA – 15m high tower located on a hill above the wine cellars premises at Bořetice. Modré Hory tourist and cycling trail leads around, a little further than the cycling trail, Through the Region of André.

MANDLOŇOVÁ LOOKOUT TOWER – 17m high tower located on the edge of the almond tree orchard to the east of Hustopeče. An educational touristic Mandloňová trail will lead you from the town to the lookout tower.

MAJÁK LOOKOUT TOWER – from the 28m high tower on the hill Přítlucká hora between villages Rakvice, Zaječí and Přítluky views open up of Pálava with the Nové Mlýny reservoirs, Lednice-Valtice area and the area of White Carpathians.

NEDÁNOV LOOKOUT TOWER – 26m high tower built between the vineyards above the village Boleradice on the Nedánov top; the green tourist mark takes you there from the village.

U OBRÁZKU LOOKOUT TOWER – 7m high tower stands on a hill above the village Starovičky between vineyards; despite its low height, there is an excellent view in all directions.

DALIBOR LOOKOUT TOWER – 11m high stone tower stands near the chapel above the winery Vinařství U Kapličky, west of the village Zaječí. Impressive view of Pálava and surroundings of the Nové Mlýny reservoirs opens from here.

AKÁTOVÁ LOOKOUT TOWER – 18m high tower from Acacia wood stands on the hill Výhon. Educational trail Krajinou Výhonu leads here from Židlochovice.

All of the lookout towers are freely accessible and open all year round.

tips for trips

WITH CHILDREN

VIDA! SCIENCE CENTRUM – a place similar to Techmanie in Plzeň or iQLANDIA in Liberec, located by the Brno exhibition centre. You can see over 170 interactive exhibits each day of the week, the shows, full of fun experiments, performed in the Science Theatre and a special workshop for families, are ready every Sunday. A separate children's science centre is designed for small children. www.vida.cz



ZOO BRNO – zoo is famous for a number of successful breedings of twin polar bears, you will see animals from all corners of the world except Antarctica here. Walk through the exhibition of kangaroos, the African village Samburu, children's zoo, playground and sightseeing train. www.zoobrna.cz

BRNO'S UNDERGROUND – Brno is one of the cities where you can enter a vast maze of underground corridors, tunnels, galleries, crypts and cellars in several places. For children, the most interesting is the nearly kilometre-long walk through the labyrinth under the square Zelný trh. www.ticbrno.cz



other tips for trips through

VELKOPAVLOVICKÁ WINE SUB-REGION

CASTLE VEVEŘÍ – one of the largest castle areas here, was gradually built during its nearly eight-hundred-year history. In the extensive castle area above the Brno Dam, a number of social, cultural and gastronomic events for adults and children are held throughout the year (open from April to October). www.veveri.cz



CASTLE ŠPILBERK IN BRNO – the former most-famous prison of the Habsburg monarchy serves as a museum today (open year-round); in addition to exhibits about the history of the castle and town, there are casements, an observation tower and children's workshop. www.spilberk.cz

BLACKSMITHS IN TĚŠANY – one of the few remaining old forges in Moravia with a blacksmithing exhibition, wheelwright's craft and typical rural interior (a branch of the Technical Museum in Brno, open from April to October). www.technicalmuseum.cz

CHATEAU BUČOVICE – Renaissance chateau with arcaded courtyard and mannerist fountain, stylish Renaissance garden and interestingly decorated interiors (open from April to October). www.bucovice-zamek.cz

CHURCH IN KURDĚJOV – fortified church of St. John the Baptist served as a fortress, where the inhabitants of Kurdějov hid in the case of threat. Several underground corridors go from the church, such as to the town hall and the parish. www.obec-kurdejov.cz

WINDMILL IN KLOBOUKY – once there were eight windmills around the city, today there is only one. This technical monument is fully functional and has all internal equipment (open from May to September). www.kloboukyubrna.eu

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WHAT AND WHEN

Velkopavlovická Wine Sub-region

FROM CELLAR TO CELLAR (ZE SKLEPA DO SKLEPA)

The really good mood and smiles that go hand in hand with good wine – that is the one-day event in the largest wine municipality, Velké Bílovice. It is based on the ancient tradition of touring around wine cellars and tasting wine. Each participant receives a tasting glass, a catalogue of winemakers, a pen, map marked with several dozen wine cellars and vouchers for the entry, tasting and purchase of selected wines.

Where and when: Velké Bílovice, start of April, www.velkobilovictivinari.cz

OPEN CELLARS DAY – TO RAKVICE FOR WINE (DEN OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ – ZA VÍNEM DO RAKVIC)

Spolek Vinaři z Rakvic (The winemakers from the Rakvice association) invites all fans and lovers of Moravian wine to the wine village of Rakvice for the Open Cellars Day. We would like to take you around the local wine cellars, where you will taste wines with the unmistakable signature of individual cellar masters and gradually absorb the unique atmosphere of the cellars with a glass of good Moravian wine. Come and see for yourself and spend a pleasant spring day with local winemakers.

When and where: Rakvice, end of April, www.vinari-rakvice.cz

LAND OF WINE – WANDERING AROUND MODRÉ HORY IN MAY (KRAJEM VÍNA – MÁJOVÉ PUTOVÁNÍ OKOLÍM MODRÝCH HOR)

You will be able to wander through the rolling wine landscape with far-reaching views, experience the atmosphere of spring between the vineyards and taste wines directly from the winemakers in traditional wine cellars by bike or on foot. Two routes for cyclists and one for walkers are available. The wandering ends in Velké Pavlovice in the Trkmanka Eco Centre, where you can taste wine and local specialties and a programme of folk music is waiting for you. And, of course, a popular prize draw for those who completed their wandering.

When and where: Velké Pavlovice, May, www.vinarske.stezky.cz

GRAND PRIX VINEX – PUBLIC WINE TASTING (GRAND PRIX VINEX – VEŘEJNÁ OCHUTNÁVKA VÍN)

The wine tasting of the prestigious GRAND PRIX VINEX international competition is held annually at the Brno Exhibition Centre. Visitors can taste approximately 500 wines that have received at least 83 points. The main award ceremony happens on the Saturday. Along with the wine tasting, it is possible to visit the Minerals Brno exhibition of minerals, fossils, jewellery and products of nature.

Where and when: Brno, May, www.grand-prix-vinex.cz, www.bvv.cz

OPEN CELLARS IN MAY (MÁJOVÉ OTEVŘENÉ SKLEPY)

A traditional and popular event, involving winemakers from Velké Pavlovice, promises an interesting programme for the 1st Saturday in May, when more than 20 local wineries offer about 300 wine samples for tasting. There is also evening entertainment with dulcimer music.

Where and when: Velké Pavlovice, May, www.vinozvelkychpavlovic.cz

FROM HILL TO HILL (Z KOPCA DO KOPCA)

Vrbice winemakers will open their wine cellars to visitors during a regular event called Z kopca do kopca (From Hill to Hill). There will be about 20 open cellars, scooter races and an evening programme in the form of dulcimer music.

When and where: Vrbice, May, www.vinarivrbice.cz

WINE AND APRICOTS OR THE NIGHT OF THE OPEN CELLARS (VÍNO V ORANŽOVÉM ANEB NOČNÍ OTEVŘENÉ SKLEPY)

The start of summer in Velké Pavlovice smells of wine and apricots. Wine cellars are open, the young and vintage wines are tasted, and dulcimer music takes place in the evening. It may surprise you that the cellars open at 5 pm and officially close at midnight. A sparkling full stop to this pleasant day is the fireworks.

Where and when: July, Velké Pavlovice, www.vinozvelkychpavlovic.cz

OPEN WINE CELLARS SERVICES (SLUŽBY OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ)

Winemakers are open throughout the summer (and often longer) in a number of wine municipalities. So you can visit a wine cellar when you go for wine in South Moravia. In these municipalities, you can visit at least one wine cellar during the specified opening hours from Friday to Sunday, and on the remaining days of the week, by prior arrangement. You will find them in the Velkopavlovická Wine Sub-region as part of the events To the

winemaker of Velké Bílovice (Za vinařem do Velkých Bílovic), Summer services of winemakers – for wine to Rakvice (Letní služby vinařů – za vínem do Rakvic), In Vrbice for the monkey (Na Vrbicu pro opicu), Summer of open cellars in the Hustopeče region (Léto otevřených sklepů na Hustopečsku) and Summer weekends with a winemaker in Bořetice (Letní víkendy u vinaře v Bořeticích).

Where and when:

Velké Bílovice, April – September, www.velkobilovictivinari.cz

Vrbice, June – August, www.vinarivrbice.cz

Hustopeče, Horní Bojanovice, Kurdějov, Nikolčice, Popice, Starovice, Šakvice, Velké Němčice, June – August, www.vinarihustopecska.cz

Bořetice, June – August, www.republikakravihora.cz

Rakvice, June – September, www.vinari-rakvice.cz

BURČÁK CELEBRATIONS (BURČÁKOVÉ SLAVNOSTI)

The burčák (partially-fermented wine) season is celebrated by winemakers throughout South Moravia; the cheerful celebrations are accompanied by tastings of burčák from regional winemakers, music performances by traditional folk groups and an extensive programme for children. If you really want to enjoy yourself, go to Hustopeče. The three-day celebrations are accompanied by a dose of original humour and pranks.

Where and when: Hustopeče, October, www.burcakoveslavnosti.cz

OPEN WINE CELLAR FESTIVAL – ST. MARTIN AT HUSTOPEČSKO (FESTIVAL OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ – SVATÝ MARTIN NA HUSTOPEČSKU)

At the Open Wine Cellars Festival you can find winemakers and their wines directly in the cellars twice a year. Visitors can expect about thirty open cellars in four to five neighbouring municipalities, wine tasting right with the actual winemakers. Also don't miss the dulcimer music, other cultural programmes and regional specialties paired with the wine. A shuttle service is provided between the different communities.

When and where: Hustopeče, Rakvice, Zaječí, Přítluky, 6–7 November 2021, www.otevrenesklepy.cz

ST. MARTIN'S WINE TASTING (SVATOMARTINSKÝ KOŠT)

Traditionally a St. Martin's wine tasting (Svatomartinský košt) organized by the Wine Fund is held on St Martin's day in Svobody Square in Brno. The whole event begins with the arrival of St. Martin leading a ceremonial parade. The first bottle of young St. Martin's wine is opened at 11 am, followed by a festive toast. Accompanied by dulcimer music, visitors have the opportunity to taste St. Martin's wine in all its forms – white, red, rosé, individual varieties or cuvée. This is the largest display of St. Martin's wines and offers a hundred samples from a hundred different winemakers. The St. Martin's wines can be purchased from the winemakers.

Where and when: Brno, 11 November, www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz



GRAND PRIX VINEX – PUBLIC WINE TASTING



ST. MARTIN'S WINE TASTING



LAND OF WINE – WANDERING AROUND MODRÉ HORY IN MAY



BURČÁK CELEBRATIONS

Legend:

Name of the wine facility

Wine municipality, address, postal code, telephone
e-mail and website



Certified services in wine tourism



The facility that fulfilled criteria of the service certification in wine tourism carried out by the National Wine Centre and the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation. The certified facilities represent the best of wine tourism in Bohemia and Moravia. **More about certification at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.**



Certified winery



Certified accommodation with wine themes



Certified wine cellar



Certified restaurant with wine



Certified wine store

Other services in wine tourism



Winery – wine producer from whom you can buy wine, usually with a possibility to taste the wine offered.



Refreshments – the facility has in its permanent offer or by order cold or hot meals and refreshments.



Wine cellar – seating area directly in the wine cellar or the wine pressing room with a possible wine tasting and refreshments.



Regular opening hours – facility has regular opening hours.



Wine store – specialised wine shop offering especially local bottled wine, winery shop, municipal wine stores etc.



Irregular opening hours – it is necessary to book in advance by phone.



Accommodation – hotel, guesthouse or other accommodation directly connected with the premises of a winery or wine cellar.

Certified services in wine tourism are listed in an alphabetical order by the wine municipalities and a name of the facility. Many other wine facilities (non-certified) can be found at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.

Certified services of wine tourism

Hotel Kraví hora

The hotel was built at the edge of a wine cellar town near the Bořetice village in the “Independent Federal Republic of Kraví hora” that is found in the heart of the Velkopavlovická Wine Sub-region and neighbours with 280 wine cellars that determine our services – wine and congress tourism. Our hotel also offers wellness services.

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Penzion a sklep u Nováků

We are a small family winery that manages about 6 ha of our own vineyards. We try to do all the work in the vineyard and cellar with members of the family. The children are involved in the work as well – in particular, son Michal under the direction of his dad Stanislav. We built a cellar with a small hotel in 2014. The accommodation capacity is 33 beds. Most of the work here is done by wife Dana and daughter Dáša. We make part of the wine with primary aromas and less residual sugar. The second part is done in more traditional ways – with longer preliminary fermentation, fine lees-stirring.

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Jaroslav Suský is the technologist and enologist of the company. All grape production is processed using quality and friendly technology. The winery has returned to traditional practices in the production of red wine – it uses longer maceration of the pomace. White wines are produced by fermented yeast-based fermentation technology. Wine, with a characteristic varietal character and aroma that still retains its terroir, is created thanks to this connection.

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Vinařství HEMPL

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Vinařství SPRINGER

We are a typical family winery – Pavel Springer with his wife Nada, father Jaroslav and sons Pavel and Adam. We manage 5 ha of our own vineyards. Wines are produced only from our own grapes because the wine is already produced in the vineyard and the quality of the raw material is the most important. We make wine with love, and we believe that the positive energy that we put into it will be transferred to you. Nada and Pavel Springer

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Vinotéka Vinařů Hustopečska

We live in a region where wine has continuously been born since the Middle Ages and many of us have belonged to wine-growing families for many generations. We want to emphasize the original character of our wines and preserve their specifics.

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Vinařství a penzion U Vrbů

Winery – guesthouse U Vrbů is a family business founded by the married couple, Vrbůvi, in 1996. It produces high-quality predicate wines from grapes grown in own vineyards. They run two wine cellars and a guesthouse. The wine cellars are suitable for organizing various corporate events, family celebrations and parties. It offers only excellent home-made dining. Wine tasting takes place directly in the winery. "A full table, wine, friends and music belong to human happiness and well-being."

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www.uvrbu.cz



Vinařství Starý vrch

The Starý vrch winery was founded in 2014. It is a young and modern winery, which you will find at the beginning of the famous Almond Trail in Hustopeče. Its philosophy is the production of quality wines with attribute, based on top raw materials, modern processing technology and a gentle approach without unnecessary interventions. The winery farms on 10 hectares of its own vineyards. In addition to indoor tasting areas, the winery also offers seating on outdoor terraces under almond trees. You are cordially invited!

Hustopeče, Havlíčkova 1413/25, 693 01
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e-mail: info@stary-vrch.cz
www.stary-vrch.cz



Vinařství Tomčala

The Tomčala Winery is a strictly family winery, where education, Art of winemaking and experience of parents and their daughter meet. Their assortment includes 17 kinds of top quality predicate wines mainly from their own vineyards, only in small batches, a speciality is straw and ice wines.

Kobyly, Suchořádská zmla 893, 691 10
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e-mail: vinarstvi@tomcala.com
www.tomcala.com



VÍNO Z KOBYLÍ – PATRIA Kobyly, a.s.

Presentable cellar of the PATRIA Kobyly, a.s. company is thanks to its impressive atmosphere a suitable place for organising social and company parties and presentations. The cellar is found in peaceful environment of apricot orchards where you can try selected kinds of wine as well as local specialities.

Kobyly 716, 691 10
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www.vinozkobyly.cz



Slovácký sklep

Experience wine tourism, WINE – FOLKLORE – TRADITION, real Moravian tasting, WINE FROM THE SLOPES OF NINE VALLEYS.

Němčičky (okr. Břeclav), Nad Kostelem 268, 691 07
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Vinařství Stávek Pavel a Radim

Our winemaking company is based on the tradition of a family winery that has been going since 1880. In 1993, we began the renovation and planting of vineyards. In 1998, we began building a new wine-growing economy, which is currently being completed. We are focused on producing high quality, predicate, archive and specialty wines. The philosophy of our company is simple nature, wine quality and services related to wine tourism.

Němčičky (okr. Břeclav), Němčičky 255, 691 07
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www.vinostavek.cz



VÍNO J. STÁVEK

In the premises of the engaging, rustic Vinařský dvůr, you can sit with an interesting family cuvée or various rosés, for which the winery achieves numerous successes at competitions. The real speciality is fortified wines.

Němčický (okr. Břeclav),
Za Humny 176, 691 07
tel.: +420 777 906 991, +420 774 430 739
e-mail: info@jstavek.cz
www.jstavek.cz



Vinařství Válka

Our family BIO (organic) winery is founded on family traditions and the natural approach to growing vine. Vineyards around Nosislav alternate with fruit orchards, tempting for a walk through a calm landscape on the slopes of Výhon, on the top of which is the Akátová věž look-out tower. In the winery yard, you can buy wine and other products like grape jelly, grape must and pumpkin seeds. We also offer the best stum in the region in September and October. If you want to spend time in the yard or cellar, there are also local specialties.

Nosislav, Kroužek 428, 691 64
tel.: +420 547 231 628, +420 776 070 644
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www.vinarstvivalka.cz



Vinařství Přítluky

Přítluky Winery is just emerging project, which he gives the task to continue the tradition of viticulture and winemaking in this picturesque village production of small batches of wine of higher quality.

Přítluky, Horní 114, 691 04
tel.: +420 605 366 215
e-mail: obchod@vinarstvipritluky.cz
www.vinarstvipritluky.cz



VINSELEKT MICHLOVSKÝ a.s.

Vinselekt Michlovský Inc. grows vines on about 125 ha of their own vineyards in the Velkopavlovická and Mikulovská Sub-regions. Annual production of about 1 million bottles is categorized into several product ranges differing in the origin of grapes, as well as the processing technology used. Newly bred varieties are mainly used for organic production of wines and grape must. Since their beginnings, the winery has been gaining prestigious awards in a number of categories in wine competitions at home and abroad.

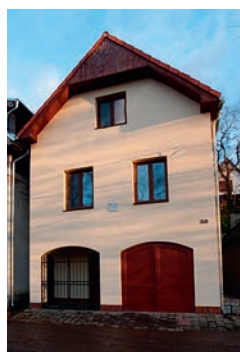
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www.michlovsky.com



Patrik Mereda

The Patrik Mereda company was established in 1992. We provide services in tourism (guesthouse Hustopeče and the cottage Wine cellar Starovice). Our philosophy is to promote wine tourism and cycling. In the wine store we promote exclusively wine-makers from our village that we closely cooperate with.

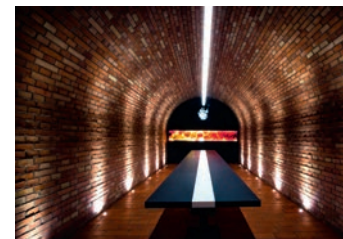
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e-mail: info@penzion-hustopece.cz
www.penzion-hustopece.cz



HABÁNSKÉ SKLEPY, spol. s r.o.

The Habancellars were built in Velké Bílovice four centuries ago by the Habans, a peaceable people who gained respect in Moravia as skilled craftsmen and excellent winemakers. Thanks to their heritage, unique wines with a unique character – wines that have souls – are created in the Habánské Sklepy winery today. Just like four centuries ago.

Velké Bílovice, Čejkovská 1324, 691 02
tel.: +420 733 148 280, +420 519 504 280
e-mail: info@habanskesklepy.cz
www.habanskesklepy.cz



Rodinné vinařství Skoupil

The wine-growing tradition of the Skoupil family dates back to 1852. The present successor, Petr Skoupil, has been making wine for more than 25 years. He uses his experience from wine-making in Austria and France. Vineyards are farmed with a maximal respect to the needs of environment-friendly farming and thanks to this care they provide excellent grapes for wine production. Thanks to attentive care the vineyard pays back with wonderful grapes. The precisely applied technology of controlled fermentation and subsequent maturation of selected batches of wine in barrels enables to reach the maximum quality of wine.

Velké Bílovice, Sadová 1399, 691 02
tel.: +420 739 036 754, +420 725 392 212
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www.skoupil.com



VINAŘSTVÍ PETR SKOUPIL, a.s.



Tetur Vladimír

A family company, founded in 1992, managed in a new modern facility, with a pneumatic press, vinificator for processing blue grape varieties, reductive white wine technology, technology of controlled fermentation, automatic filling line, etc. The company manages 12 ha of vineyards. They produce 12 white and 11 blue grape varieties. The winery opened its representative hall, with controlled humidity for red wine placed in barrels from French cooperage SEGUIN MOREAU, in 2008.

Velké Bílovice, Žižkovská 1366, 691 02
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Vinařství Bauman s.r.o. – vinný sklep

"...accept our invitation to a small family winery in the biggest wine municipality in the Czech Republic. We will introduce you to our wines and for a change also to our mead that we make. We will show you beautiful nooks of the region of vineyards and reveal a mystery of grape-growing and winemaking."

Velké Bílovice, Sklep č.e. 55, 691 02
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www.vinarstvibauman.cz



Penzion Vinařský dvorek

Family winery Mrhalovi, founded in 1990, produces original high quality wines from grapes from own vineyards in great positions. The vineyard gives the wine its uniqueness. The aim is to continue the rich wine tradition using modern technology. These wines can be tasted in the pleasant family guesthouse Vinařský dvorek.

Velké Němčice, Dolní 399, 691 63
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www.vinarskydvorek.cz



PROQIN

The family winery PROQIN focuses on the production of selected classic sparkling wines by the method of fermentation in the bottle in the wine commune of Velké Némčice. The young winery PROQIN from Moravia aims to contribute to changing the style and trends of drinking wine and sparkling wine in our country. Their life credo is "NON MULTA SED MULTUM – LESS IS MORE". PROQIN actively cooperates with Mendel University in Brno to research and develop new products such as vine oil and low-alcohol sparkling wines. The attraction is the art of sabrage – chopping the sparkling wines' neck.

Velké Némčice, Na Kopečku 628, 691 63
tel.: +420 606 685 594
e-mail: prokes@proqin.cz
www.proqin.cz



Rodinné vinařství U Samsonů – Samson Jaroslav

Philosophy: quality and harmony. Motto: Traditional wines with roots. Since 1880, the 5th generation has been using the unique technology of its ancestors, without artificial yeast, with its own variety fermentation and minimizing the chemistry. We produce natural and predicate wines and other vine products. By lying in a barrel and a bottle, we get harmonious wines with a finer aroma, taste and pleasant maturity. We are among the so-called traditionalists. Tailor-made tourism, wine sales, other vine products and parking for 2-3 caravans or trailers.

Velké Némčice, B. Němcové 282, 691 63
tel.: +420 777 673 601, +420 608 641 881
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www.vinarstvijsamsonu.cz



Reichman Karel – Reichman & Reichman

Do you want to spend pleasant time with your family or friends? Do you need to talk with your colleagues? Do you need to organise an informal meeting with your business partners? We are ready to fulfil your desires.

Velké Pavlovce, Zelnice 73, 691 06
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e-mail: reichman@moraviapharm.cz
www.naturalfactors.cz



Rodinné vinařství Suský

A small family winery focused on the processing and production of wines from their own grapes. Red wines produced by the technology of long maceration of mash.

Velké Pavlovce, V Údolí 8, 691 06
tel.: +420 723 286 832, +420 728 039 284
e-mail: mareksusky@seznam.cz
www.vinosusky.cz



Šlechtitelská stanice vinařská Velké Pavlovce, a.s.

Wine breeding station, Velké Pavlovce, continued the tradition of the Regional Vine Nursery, founded in 1901, and is proud of that heritage. The André variety was bred here and works on the breeding of varieties Pálava, Aurelius and Agni, that were completed later in Perná, were started here. A targeted selection from the best clones of clonal selection in connection with the soil and climatic conditions, the so-called "terroir", form the basis for growing excellent raw materials, mainly at the highest quality for production of quality predicate wines, which makes up more than 90 % of their production.

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www.slechtitelka.cz



Vinařství Baraque a Baraque Wine Gallery

We not only describe wines sensorially, but we also bring a little poetry to their descriptions and, in the example of Karel Čapek, at the Baraque winery, we compare them to human characters and personalities. You will meet the "seducer of neighbours" or "Miss Selfie" in our selection. The French name of the winery is also the name of the dream of a winery surrounded by vineyards. This materialised in the form of the production building and the representative space of the architecturally attractive Baraque wine gallery near the Slunečná lookout tower in Velké Pavlovce.

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www.vinarstvibaraque.cz



Vinařství Lacina

A family winery from Velké Pavlovce. The production of quality varietal and predicate wine awarded at domestic and international exhibitions. A tour of own historic cellar Sklep V údolí connected with a guided tasting and excursion to own vineyards.

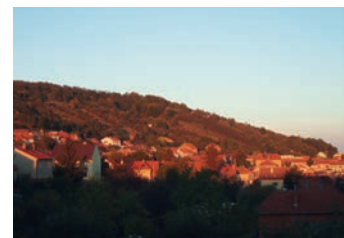
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Křížová Růžena – Vinařství u Křížů

Traditional family small-scale wine production, which builds on the experience of ancestors. We are trying to revive the tradition of vine growing and winemaking in the northernmost wine municipality of the Moravia Wine Region.

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Radek Zálesák

Unique architecture of the Vrbice wine cellars in a sandstone rock, excellent wines, good and hearty people – all this will thrill you in Vrbice at Zálesák family.

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Vinařství Vít Sedláček

Several generations of our family have been devoted to wine production. My father handed me 10 acres of vineyards and a small basement farm in 1992. I had winemaking as a hobby till September 2004. Currently, I am engaged in viticulture and winemaking full time.

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www.vinosedlacek.cz



Vinařství Nosreti s.r.o.

The history of the family winery dates back to 2000. We are oriented to the customer with a complete service in agrotourism, recreation and viticulture. We provide the services of an officially certified tourist infocentre and the wine store of the Zaječí village.

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www.vinarstvinosreti.cz

**Vinařství Šabata s.r.o.**

WINERY Šabata s.r.o. (2010) focused in the 1st phase on building a new plant on the site of a former quarry on the Zaječí land registry outskirts. Grapes processed from vineyards of Přítlucká hora – 292 m above sea level, and municipalities Rakvice, Přítluky, Zaječí and Milovice began after final inspection (2011) in the same year. The company came from a small family winery and currently employs the Šabata father and 2 sons. The winery operates tasting and cognitive programmes year round.

Zaječí, Nad Vodárnou 506, 691 05
tel.: +420 724 204 480, +420 774 578 772
e-mail: vaclav.sabata@seznam.cz
www.vinarstvisabata.cz

**Vinařství U Kapličky**

The family winery, Vinařství U Kapličky, is focused on the production of quality predicate wine of grapes grown in own vineyards. It is located in newly built premises, like from picturesque Lada images, whose part are incredibly processed cellars, a wine bar, wellness centre Relax uprostřed vinohradů (Relax among vineyards), Retro Music Club and restaurant Retro Grill, conference halls, tasting rooms, beautiful and a comfortably equipped guesthouse with a capacity of 183 beds. Suitable for private parties, weddings, corporate events and training.

Zaječí, Vinařská 484, 691 05
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www.vinarstviukaplicky.cz

**Vinotéka U Kulaté**

The philosophy of this family winery is to provide the most enjoyable services in a non-smoking environment focusing on families with children and friends of Moravian wine. Your children can enjoy a play room and children's playground. The wine bar and a hall are available for rent for private or family celebrations, parties by a fireplace, wine tasting etc.

Želešice, 24. dubna 44, 664 43
tel.: +420 773 555 791
e-mail: info@ukulate.cz
www.ukulate.cz

**RTIC Židlochovice**

The wine store is part of the Regional Tourism Information Centre in Židlochovice, opened in August 2004. The winemakers from the Židlochovice region and the surrounding area are represented there. We also offer Austrian wines from the Weinviertel region. The wine store is located on the Brno-Vienna bicycle trail.

Židlochovice, Masarykova 100, 667 01
tel.: +420 547 426 024
e-mail: lenka.betasova@zidlochovice.cz
www.zidlochovicko.cz



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Tourist information centre of the Brno city

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Tourist information centre Hustopeče

Hustopeče, Dukelské náměstí 15, 693 01, tel.: +420 530 351 418, +420 530 351 419
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Information regional centre Austerlitz

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Tourist information centre Velké Pavlovice

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 e-mail: infocentrum@velke-pavlovice.cz, **www.velke-pavlovice.cz**

Regional tourist information centre Židlochovice

Židlochovice, Masarykova 100, 667 01, tel.: +420 547 426 024
 e-mail: infocentrum@zidlochovice.cz, **www.zidlochovice.cz**, **www.zidlochovicko.cz**

Tourist information centre Vinery Nosreti

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Tourist information centre Velké Bílovice

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MORAVA (MORAVIA)

Wine Region

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Wine Sub-region



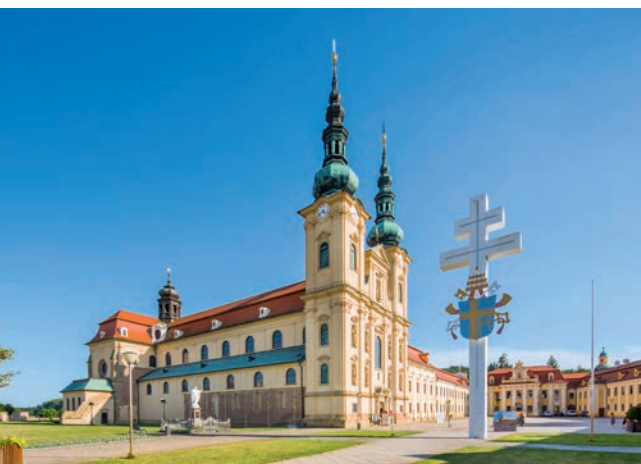
Total area: 4,469 ha Wine municipalities: 118 Vineyard sites: 418



Vineyards on the South-East of Moravia, on the border with Slovakia and Austria, have very diverse natural conditions. So the palette of wines from this sub-region is similarly diverse and varied, like its landscapes and distinctive Slovácko folklore. The most widespread varieties include **Riesling**, **Müller Thurgau**, **Chardonnay**, **Grüner Veltliner**, **Pinot Blanc** and **Blaufränkisch**. **Pinot Gris** and **Moravian Muscat**, bred in **Polešovice**, also thrive here, and the blue varieties **Zweigeltrebe** and **Cabernet Moravia**, originally from **Moravská Nová Ves**, have found a home here. You can taste **VOC Blatnice** in **Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem**. You will not forget the local legendary trademark wine **Blatnický Roháč** or similarly famous **Bzenecká Lipka**; named after an ancient lime tree in the castle park in Bzenec. Rounding out the list of **VOC** associations, we must not forget **Slovácko**, **Mutěnice** and **Bzenec**.

Many other places next to **Uherské Hradiště**, **Kyjov** or **Břeclav** are mandatory stops while travelling to meet wine. The jewels of Slovácko, for example, include the **area of the historical Plze wine cellars** in the outskirts of Petrov, proclaimed as the first conservation village area in the former Czechoslovakia in 1983, or the **open-air museum** in **Strážnice**, with an **original complex of wine producing buildings**. Worth seeing are the basement areas, reminiscent of small villages, such as **Nechory** by **Prušánky**, **Šidleny** by **Milotice** or **Búdy** by **Mutěnice**. You will find a charming heritage-listed complex of mills on the edge of **Vlčnov**, a village known thanks to the annual **Ride of the Kings** in May.

Wines from the Slovácká Wine Sub-region are accompanied by numerous festivals. For example, the **Day of Open Wine Cellars** in **Mutěnice** in April, **Wandering around Blatnické Búdy** in **Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem** in May, **Bzenec Costumed Vintage Festival**, **Strážnice Vintage Festival** and **Slovácko Celebrations of Wine and Open Sights** in **Uherské Hradiště** in September.



SLOVÁCKÁ Wine Sub-region

1 VELEHRAD – an important spiritual centre is also one of the most important pilgrimage places in the Czech Republic. The 1st Great Moravian archbishop, St. Metoděj, had his headquarters here according to legend. The 1st Cistercian monastery in Moravia arose at Velehrad in 1205. Its founder, the Moravian margrave Vladislav Jindřich, named it after the nearby village Veligrad. The 100 m long five-aisled basilica, once the largest church in the Czech lands, is decorated with many paintings, banners and valuable gifts of pilgrims from around the world. Baroque carved choir pews and the organ from the 18th century belong to the art treasures. The area of the courtyard, lapidary and chapel of St. Cyril and

2 BZENEC – one of the first wine cooperatives was formed in a city with a long wine history. Its awareness comes mainly from the trademarked wine from Riesling called Bzenecká Lipka, which smells like flowers of the thousand-year-old linden in the castle park. You can still see it in Bzenec, apparently the oldest tree in Moravia with an estimated age of around 900 years. You can see the ancient wine cellars, for example, in the cellar lane in Baráky or under Starý hrad hill, which, with the newly erected chapel, the repaired hut, the sitting area, the statue and the illuminated stairs, has become nearly unrecognizable. The wine cellar area Na Těmické originated at the end of the 20th century.

www.bzenec.cz

3 KYJOV – apart from the Renaissance chateau with sgraffito decorations (the seat of Vlastivědné muzeum with permanent natural, archaeological and ethnographic exhibitions), your attention can be drawn by the lovely Renaissance town hall on Masaryk Square. You can visit it as part of a guided tour with a guide. The Slováká galerie vín (Slovácko wine gallery) can be found in the underground – a wine store offering wines exclusively from the Slovácko region. A few cellars in Nětčice, in Vývoz in Boršov and the wine building Na Šišťotě in U Sklepů street recall the winemaking tradition. Once every four years, Kyjov becomes the scene of a folklore festival Moravian-Slovak Year, which belongs to the most popular ethnographic celebrations in Moravia. | www.mestokyjov.cz

4 PETROV – PLŽE – area of historic wine cellars on the western edge of the village Petrov stands out for its distinctive ground plan and visual character. Plže was mentioned already in the 15th century, built by the winemakers only with local and family help. They are embedded

directly into the hillside and have no parts above ground, their width is usually around 3 m, length 15 m, rarely 20 m and more. Baroque cellars with white lime plaster and Slovácko ornaments create a street with 2 village squares that serve as community centres. You can find the oldest and artistically valuable objects around the top of the viticultural area. Plže was announced as the first village reserves in the Czech Republic in 1983.

www.obec-petrov.cz

5 POLEŠOVICE – local wine tradition originated when the village was the property of the Velehrad monastery. The wine breeding stations were established in the village in 1922. Varieties Moravian Muscat, Olšava or Amos come from here. The centre of Polešovice viticulture is the area U sklepů near the church and you can find more wine cellars in the Hřbitovní Street, at Zbořiska, at Zábrání and in the picturesque ancient streets Maruša. You can taste Polešovice wines at the Wine open cellars festival with the announcement of the results of wine competitions TOP wine of Slovácko in August, Feast in October and at the wine blessing in December.

www.polesovice.cz

6 PRUŠÁNKY AND NECHORY – wine village Prušánky also has its own wine cellar village Nechory, it lies approximately 1 km from the village under the same-named vineyard site. The area with 450 wine cellars is divided into upper and lower Nechory, it has a square, a few streets, and even the guardian spirit Ochechula. | www.obecprusanky.cz

7 TUPEŠY – a village famous for its pottery and ceramics. You can visit the permanent exhibition of small farmers' dwellings with examples of local pottery production in one of the oldest houses. You will become familiar with the current technology of ceramic production, and you can try turning the potter's wheel, modelling and painting mugs or other goods with coloured glazes from your own imagination in the new workroom.

www.tupesy.cz | www.muzeumkeramiky.cz

8 MILOTICE – The Baroque palace is an architectural gem of Milotice, once residence of the Serényi family. Tour of stylish interiors livens up the temporary exhibitions, the chateau wine gallery visit

or walk around the French garden and adjacent pheasantry. You will discover wine village Šidleny with approximately 250 wine cellars about 2 km southwest of the village under the Náklo hill. Atmosphere of Šidleny is completed by small sacred objects, and a traditional feast and wine tasting are often held here.

www.milotice.cz | www.zamekmilotice.cz

9 BLATNICE POD SVATÝM ANTONÍNEM – a village under the northern foothills of White Carpathians is a famous place of pilgrimage. The pilgrimage chapel of St. Antonín Paduánský on Blatnická hora was built in the late 17th century by Prince Hartman of Lichtenstein as a thanks for curing his son. The pilgrimage tradition together with the varied beauty of Slovácko costumes inspired painters such as Joža Uprka, who is also the author of the picture on the main altar in the church of St. Ondřej. The trademark wine Blatnický Roháč made Blatnice famous. It is named after the vineyard site Roháče. It is made from Riesling, Pinot Blanc and Sylvaner and as the 1st Moravian wine was awarded a gold medal at the International Wine Exhibition in Paris in 1896. You can visit the conservation reserve of Stará hora wine cellars or Plachty vineyard.

www.obecblatnice.cz



10 MUTĚNICE – a rarity of the largest Slovácko wine village is Búdy, an area of nearly 500 wine cellars under the Zábýbnické vineyards. Cellars are located in several rows, and their fronts are often decorated with colourful Slovácko ornamentation. You can explore small wineries, distilleries and a hunting



Metoděj, colloquially called Cyrilka, are part of the pilgrimage area. Velehradská basilica was named Basilica Minor by Pope Pius XI. in 1927, Pope John Paul II. awarded the Golden Rose, a rare gift, which are boasted by France's Lourdes, Mexico's Guadalupe and Poland's Czestochowa, in 1985. The main pilgrimage takes place on 5th July on the feast of St. Cyril and Metoděj. | www.velehrad.cz



museum in addition to wine tasting in the Sklepy Jarošek. Traditional events include the Open Wine Cellars Day, which takes place at the end of April, and the St. Catherine's Wine Festival in November.

www.mutenice.cz

11 VELETINY – The character of the village with vine, grapes and wine knife documents centuries-old wine tradition. A complex of clay and brick presses with no cellars, called “búda” from the 18th to 19th century, has been preserved in the Stará hora area. Winemakers pressed wine, stored barrels and tools to cultivate the vineyard in this building, one of the oldest buildings of its kind in Slovácko. They still maintain cultural traditions and ancient customs, such as carolling of the Three Kings, parade of carnival masks, etc. in the village.

www.veletiny.cz

12 VLČNOV – Ride of the Kings is held in Vlčnov annually on the last weekend of May, the oldest and most famous Slovácko folk festival. A procession of the royal entourage, accompanied by a number of riders on horses, has a unique atmosphere. The event is full of beautiful costumes, famous Vlčnov



doughnuts and wine tasting. You can see the biggest collection of listed vineyard buildings in the Czech Republic in Kojiny under Stará hora. You can taste the local wines in an authentic environment directly in the wine cellar of one of the winemakers by agreement. You can visit the ethnographic exhibition in a rustic house No. 57, documenting the living and farming in the 19th and 20th century and the Museum of folk distilleries. | www.vlcnov.cz

13 STRÁŽNICE – from the sights of the former rich market town, protected by a moated castle, it is worth seeing the bastion at the former Veselská and Skalická gates that have survived from the original medieval fortifications. The National Institute of Folk Culture resides at the castle, you can see the collection of folk musical instruments. Another big attraction is the Strážnice Museum of the Villages of South-East Moravia. It includes a set of vineyard buildings with original interior equipment and a vineyard, the only domestic exhibition of its kind. In addition to customs programmes in the open-air museum, a part of the traditional June International Folklore Festival Strážnice and the Children's Strážnice takes place every year. The 18 km long trail through the Strážnice vineyards will take you around the town surroundings.

www.straznicko.cz | www.straznice-mesto.cz

14 MORAVIAN MUSCAT ROUTE – 25 km long trail will teach you to identify each variety of vine in the vineyards, and will also offer a series of beautiful panoramic views of the vineyards. The route leads through the forest Kunovský les to Kostelany nad Moravou, Nedakonice and Polešovice, where the Moravian Muscat was selected. Then it continues through Vážany, Tučapy and Boršice to Zlechov and through Staré Město coming back to Uherské Hradiště. | www.slovacko.cz

15 THE PINOT BLANC ROUTE – 45 km long circular route begins and ends in Uherské Hradiště. It takes you to places where the traditional Burgundy variety is grown. It leads through Staré Město, Zlechov, Tupesy, Velehrad, Jalubí, Traplice, Dolina, Kudlovice and Babice. | www.slovacko.cz

16 UHERSKÉ HRADIŠTĚ – the city is the heart of Slovácko, a region famous for unique folklore and a number of preserved folk traditions. The main square, Masarykovo náměstí, is dominated by the Baroque Jesuit church of St. Francis Xavier and the Neo-Renaissance town hall, with paintings of Joža Uprka in the ceremonial hall. The pharmacy, U Zlaté koruny, belongs to the preserved Renaissance buildings in the city, or the hotel Slunce, where numbers of interesting architectural details of the original building were found during the renovation. You can also

visit the Museum of Moravian Slovakia with a permanent exhibition devoted to Slovácko folk culture, and vineyards with wine sheds and the bourgeois wine cellars in the town district Mařatice. In the area of the former Jesuit College, you can see the Gallery of Joža Uprka. You can also taste local wines every year in September, when Slovácko Celebrations of Wine and Open Sights are held or during St. Martin's Wine Blessing in November.

www.jozauprka.cz

www.slovackemuzeum.cz

www.uherske-hradiste.cz

17 WHITE CARPATHIANS – an extremely valuable natural landscape has survived in this area. It has been carefully cultivated by harmonious coexistence between man and nature for many centuries. In the protected landscape area of Bílé Karpaty, included among the European UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, a large amount of valuable habitats have managed to have been kept such as meadows in the beautiful nature reserve Čertoryje or extensive meadows and woods with a small number of protected and endangered species of plants and animals in the Jazevčí nature reserve. The highest peak of Bílé Karpaty is Velká Javořina (970 m). | www.bilekarpaty.cz

18 SUDOMĚŘICE – vineyards in the most southern slopes of the Bílé Karpaty in the Sudoměřice area are just a few metres from the border with Slovakia in the area known as Stará hora, about 3 km from the village. You can see the Starý potok wine area, a street of about thirty wine cellars right behind Sudoměřice. The amphitheatre and chapel of St. Urban from 1997 is in the area. The local specialty is the wine Frašták, refreshing wine made from Balkan variety Kadarka white. The functionalist tippie on the Baťa Canal also belongs among the local attractions. The technical building, in the typical Baťa style from 1939, was used to transport lignite coal from railway cars to the river boats that took them to the plant in Otrokovice. The tippie serves as an observation tower, with the possibility of an interior tour with expert commentary, today. A marina with boat rentals and refreshments is in the vicinity.

www.obecsudomerice.cz

www.vyklopnik.cz

19 VRACOV – smaller farmers devoted to viticulture in Vracov in the past, and because of a lack of resources for own cellars, the tradition of common cellars was born. They served several families. For example, in the oldest cellar street in local part Baráky were 20 cellars where 600 winemakers farmed in 1926. Because of this amount it was important to organize everything well and Vracov cellars have always been a “second city hall” – it was even possible to solve the problems that everyone argued about at the town hall here. We can call cellars number 14 and 15, in the middle of colony, Parliament. One of its parts is the 70 m long Senate, one of the longest cellars in Baráky.

www.mestovracov.cz



20 MORAVSKÁ NOVÁ VES – typical wine village with carefully maintained cellar lanes and approximately 170 wine cellars. The village is famous for its local winemaker, Lubomír Glos, who selected the Cabernet Moravia variety. It has its own memorial in the village. | www.mnves.cz

21 MIKULČICE – the villages in Podluží are pristine and adorned with Slovácko decoration. A “Painted village”, first mentioned in 1141, is depicted in songs and paintings by local native František Hřebačka (Fanoš Mikulecký). Today in Mikulčice, you can visit not only the Slavonic fort, but also the Wine Museum and the Cottage of F. Mikulecký. Another noteworthy site includes the Těšické budy lane of cellars, which greets passersby with an historic, antique press and a statue of St. Urban. In addition, the local information centre offers a tour of the cellar filled streets and the ‘Tour de vinohrad’ cycling trip. | www.infomikulcice.cz

other tips for trips through SLOVÁCKO

KUŽELOV WINDMILL – mill on the crest of the White Carpathians ground corn for more than a 100 years (a branch of the Technical Museum in Brno, open from April to October).

www.tnbrno.cz



STARÝ PODDVOROV – windmill from 1870 located in the middle of vineyards about 3 km from the village Starý Poddvorov towards Čejkovice (open in the summer months at weekends, other times by agreement at the municipal office).

www.poddvorov.cz



BUKOVANY MILL – new brick windmill with a stylish hotel resort serves as a museum, art gallery and lookout tower.

www.bukovansky-mlyn.cz



BAŤA CANAL – historic waterway was originally intended for transport of lignite from Ratíškovice to Otrokovice power plant, however, today it is used exclusively for recreation and water tourism. The channel is navigable in the length of 53 km from Otrokovice to Skalice, part of the route leads along the Morava river, part through artificial canals. From May to September, you can rent boats of various types, from rowing boats to houseboats from some of the rental places, the channel is accessible even for those who have their own boat. You will find the quay, from where you can go on a cruise, and rental of motorboats, canoes and bikes, for example, in Spytihněv, Staré Město, Veselí nad Moravou, Vnorovy, Strážnice or Sudoměřice.

www.batacanal.cz



BUCHLOVICE CASTLE – Baroque chateau from the turn of the 17th and 18th century is surrounded by a large garden (open from April to October, the garden year-round). Festival of garlic, an event with lots of fun for the whole family, is organized each year at the castle in the nearby town in July.

www.zamek-buchlovice.cz

www.festivalcesnekubuchlovice.cz



OSTROŽSKÁ NOVÁ VES – you will discover the Sulphurous Spa with more than a hundred year tradition in a large forest park. Natural mineral springs of sulphur are used to treat musculoskeletal and skin diseases. Known recreational lakes with campsites and swimming pools are close to the village, bee educational trail leads along the bike path to Uherský Ostroh.

www.laznenovaves.cz, www.albatrosnv.cz

www.slovackydvur.cz

AERIAL MUSEUM KUNOVICE – you can see planes that were manufactured in LET Kunovice, and also sports, military and transport machines of other manufacturers, in the Aerial museum (open from April to October). You can purchase air tickets for sightseeing flights in motor airplanes there.

www.muzeum-kunovice.cz



tips for trips WITH CHILDREN

ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN HODONÍN – you can visit the Zoo even with a pram thanks to its flat terrain (open year round). Children are usually attracted by the sea world, with its huge aquariums, all sorts of felines and a children's zoo with domestic animals. There are also several playgrounds with attractions. | www.zoo-hodonin.cz

KOVOZOO IN STARÉ MĚSTO – you will discover several hundred life-sized animals made from scrap metal in the only metal zoo in Europe. There is also an original lookout tower – the Šrotík lighthouse and pirate ship in the year-round open area. You can take a ride on a motorcycle and travel around the area by the sightseeing train, Steelinka, in season.

www.kovozoo.cz



BUCHLOV CASTLE – mighty early Gothic castle and a landmark of the hills Chřiby (open from April to October). There is a special children's tour, with only a few dates and history but full of stories, gossip and rumours. The youngest visitors will also see an Egyptian mummy face to face.

www.hrad-buchlov.cz



ŽIVÁ VODA MODRÁ – you will get to know the life in and around the water, water animals and plants of the Morava river (open year round) in the area. Thanks to a 3.5 m deep tunnel under water, you will see the world beneath the surface; there is also a natural swimming pool with a paddling pool and samples of typical Moravian biotopes.

www.zivavodamodra.cz

SLAVIC FORTIFIED SETTLEMENT IN MIKULČICE – today, you will find an important archaeological exhibition in places where the great castle was with an extensive settlement around the castle on the islands in the Morava river in the 8th and 9th century. Educational trail takes you around interesting places (area open all year round, exhibitions from April to October).

www.masaryk.info



ARCHEOSKANZEN MODRÁ – The open-air museum represents the ideal form of a 9th-century Slavic fortified settlement (open from March to October). The guided tours are accompanied by educational programmes, experimental melting of metal, production of period ceramics and demonstrations of archaeological research.

www.archeoskanzen.cz



extended weekend

ON A BIKE THROUGH SLOVÁCKO



1st day: Uherské Hradiště – Staré Město – Modrá – Velehrad – Tupy – Buchlovice – Polešovice – Uherský Ostroh – Veselí nad Moravou

2nd day: Veselí nad Moravou – Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem – White Carpathians – Kněždub – Tvarožná Lhota – Radějov – Strážnice – Petrov Plze – Hodonín

3rd day: Hodonín – Starý Poddvorov – Mutěnice – Dubňany – Milotice – Kyjov – Vracov – Bzenec – Uherský Ostroh – Ostrožská Nová Ves – Uherské Hradiště

Route length: 150 km

The circuit route leads through vineyards and around famous local wine cellars as well as to many museums, castles and chateaux and other landmarks. If you want to visit them, you would have to shorten the route. The most interesting places include chateaux Buchlovice and Milotice, Aircraft museum in Kunovice, Slováký Slavin cemetery in Kněždub, open-air-museum in Strážnice and Masaryk museum in Hodonín. Fit cyclists can prolong the way to the Buchlov castle and wind mill in Kuželov.



a week long stay

IN SLOVÁCKO

No wonder that many visitors like to come back to Slovácko. The Slovácká Wine Sub-region is so large and varied that you can hardly see all places of interest in a week – especially when we want to include into our programme also wine tasting, sightseeing tours and some of the many cultural and folklore events.

1st day

Uherské Hradiště (historic centre, Slovácko museum and gallery) – Mařatice (wine cellars) – Topolná (open-air-museum) – Kunovice (aircraft museum) – Hluk (fortress) – Vlčnov (Kojiny wine huts) – Uherské Hradiště

2nd day

Uherské Hradiště – Staré Město (Great Moravia Memorial) – Modrá (museum) – Velehrad (complex with the church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary) – Buchlovice (museum, chateau) – Buchlov (castle) – Tupy (museum of ceramics) – Boršice (wine cellars) – Uherské Hradiště

3rd day

Uherské Hradiště – Kostelany nad Moravou – Polešovice (vineyards, vine cultivation station) – Bzenec (wine cellars) – Hýsly (look-out) – Osvětimany – Chřiby – Cimburk castle – Bohuslavice (vineyards, wine cellars) – Bukovany (wind mill) – Kyjov (wine cellars, museum)

4th day

Kyjov – Svatobořice-Mistřín (wine cellars) – Mutěnice (wine cellars) – Starý Poddvorov (wind mill) – Prušánky (wine cellars) – Mikulčice (Slavic fortified settlement) – Hodonín



5th day

Boat trip on the Baťa Canal – chateau Milotice – Ratiškovice (museum) – nature site "Drifted sand" (nature route)

6th day

Hodonín (historic centre, Masaryk museum, zoo) – Petrov (wine cellars Plze) – Radějov – Travičná (look-out, chalet) – Lučina (swimming) – Tvarožná Lhota (serviceberry museum, nature path) – Strážnice (fortification wall, open-air-museum, chateau, mill)

7th day

Strážnice – Kněždub (Slováký Slavin) – Kuželov (wind mill) – Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem (pilgrimage destination, wine cellars) – Ostrožská Nová Ves (swimming) – Uherské Hradiště

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WHAT AND WHEN

Slovácká Wine Sub-region

ST. JOSEPH'S WINE EVENTS (JOSEFSKÉ VÝSTAVY VÍN)

St. Joseph's wine tastings, wine exhibitions, and other events take place around the 19th of March, when all Josephs celebrate their name day. The wine is accompanied by local specialties, and in many places, includes a tasting of fruit distillates and spirits.

Where and when: various places (Bošovice, Kyjov...), March, www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz

OPEN WINE CELLARS FESTIVAL – SPRING IN THE KYJOV REGION (FESTIVAL OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ – JARO NA KYJOVSKU)

The Open Wine Cellars Festival presents winemakers and their wine directly in the cellars twice a year. Visitors can expect about thirty open cellars in 4–5 neighbouring villages, with guided wine tastings led by actual winemakers. Dulcimer music, regional specialties, and other cultural programmes can be enjoyed alongside the wine. A free shuttle service between the villages is available for transport.

When and where: Kyjov, Milotice, Vlkoš, Bzenec, Vracov, 24–25 April 2021, www.otevrenesklepy.cz

WANDERING AROUND BLATNICKÉ BÚDY (PUTOVÁNÍ PO BLATNICKÝCH BÚDÁCH)

A popular event where you can enjoy the atmosphere of Búdy pod Starýma horama, the busy street of winemakers. Admission includes an open tasting at all wine cellars, a tasting kit, a map and guide of the winemakers, vouchers for wine consumption, dulcimer music at the cellars, male choir performances, and cultural accompanying programmes including tastings of the local specialties.

When and where: Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, May, www.vinariblatnice.cz

DAY OF OPEN WINE CELLARS AT HRUŠKY (DEN OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ HRUŠKY)

On this day you can wander amongst twenty Hrušky winemakers while sampling their wines in Sklepní and Záhumenní Streets in Hrušky village. A number of interesting wines are accompanied by tasty snacks. There are horse-drawn carriages every hour between the cellars. A day filled with dulcimer music and entertainment is then followed by an evening of music performances by a live band.

Where and when: Hrušky, the 1st Saturday in July, www.hrusky.net

WINEMAKERS DAY IN PETROV – FROM STRÁŽNICE TO SKALICA (DEN VINAŘŮ V PETROVĚ – OD STRÁŽNICE PO SKALICU)

The Winemakers' Day in Plze of Petrov village features Czech and Slovak winemakers in 15 wine cellars, offering the opportunity to taste wines from more than 20 professional and amateur winemakers. Throughout the event, a cultural program (dulcimer music, etc.) and refreshments will be provided. As part of the Winemakers' Day event, a shuttle bus is provided between Strážnice – Petrov – Sudoměřice – Skalice.

When and where: Petrov by Hodonín, beginning of August, www.vinaripetrov.cz

GALLERY OF PINOT WINES IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC (GALERIE RULANDSKÝCH VÍN V ČR)

Regularly organized by The Guild of Kyjov winemakers (Cech kyjovských vinařů), the Gallery of Pinot Wines presents the best of Pinot varieties, represented by 400 samples from professional winemakers from all over the Czech Republic. The competition is open to still wines of the Pinot Blanc, Pinot Gris, Pinot Noir and Chardonnay varieties.

When and where: Kyjov, August, www.cechkyjovskychvinaru.cz

THE CLOSING OF THE VINEYARD IN VLKOŠ BY KYJOV (ZARÁŽÁNÍ HORY VE VLKOŠI U KYJOVA)

Traditional events for lovers of grape-growing customs and entertainment in the environment of wine cellars in the Vlkoš cellar lane. Singing Moravian songs, actors in traditional costumes demonstrate how the vineyards were closed and explained what was once forbidden.

Where and when: Vlkoš, end of August, www.pratele-achtele.cz

SLOVÁCKO CELEBRATIONS OF WINE AND OPENING OF HISTORIC SIGHTS (SLOVÁCKÉ SLAVNOSTI VÍNA A OTEVŘENÝCH PAMÁTEK)

A unique event presenting the liveliness of the folk traditions, culture, and the diversity of the Slovácko folk costumes. For two days in September, music accompanies a spirited and convivial atmosphere. The festivities are not just an "ordinary" folk festival, but a real representative ethnographic festival, attended by people from more than sixty towns and villages from all over Slovácko. The royal town of Uherské Hradiště – the heart of Slovácko, offers a unique experience and a taste of live folk traditions in the spirit of the winemaking culture. Folk songs and dances with wine tastings, burčák (partially-fermented wine) and regional specialties, offers the opportunity to taste a wide range of wines from Slovácko winemakers while singing along to dulcimer music.

Where and when: Uherské Hradiště, September, www.slavnostivinauh.cz

LAND OF WINE – WANDERING AROUND THE STRÁŽNICKO WINE TRAILS (KRAJEM VÍNA – PUTOVÁNÍ PO VINAŘSKÝCH STEŽKÁCH STRÁŽNICKA)

On the first Saturday in June, we invite you to Strážnice and its surroundings to stroll the wine trails. There are two routes for cyclists and one for pedestrians. Either by bike or on foot, you will be able to discover the natural beauty of Slovácko while wandering the vineyards and tasting the local specialties and wines directly from the winemakers.

When and where: Strážnice, September, www.straznice-mesto.cz

BZENEC TRADITIONAL COSTUME FESTIVAL (BZENECKÉ KROJOVANÉ VINOBRANÍ)

This festival revival continues one of the oldest traditional events of its kind in Moravia. Spectators can enjoy a parade in folk costumes through the town, performances by folk music ensembles, entertainment programmes in the House of Culture, and exhibition openings. At the same time, you can enjoy a tasting of local and foreign wines and partially-fermented wine in the chateau courtyard and wine cellars. The festival is accompanied by dulcimer music.

Where and when: Bzenec, September, www.bzenec.cz

OPEN WINE CELLARS SERVICES (SLUŽBY OTEVŘENÝCH SKLEPŮ)

Winemakers are open throughout the summer (and often for longer) in a number of wine municipalities, making it easy to plan a visit to their wine cellars when you head to South Moravia. In these municipalities, you can visit at least one wine cellar during the specified opening hours from Friday to Sunday, and on the remaining days of the week, by prior arrangement. These events are available in the Slovácká Wine Sub-region as part of the following programmes: Do Blatnice k vinařovi (To Blatnice to the winemaker), K Šidlenám za vinařem! (To Šidleny to the winemaker), Na skok k mikuleckému vinaři (To drop in on the Mikulčice winemaker), S vinařem u Nechor (With the winemaker near Nechory), Na Moravu do sklepa (To Moravia to the cellar), Léto a podzim s vinaři Dubňanské hory (Summer and autumn with the winemakers of the Dubňany hill) and Otevřené velehradské vinné sklepy (Open cellars Velehrad).

When and where: Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, May–September, www.vinariblatnice.cz; Milotice, June–October, www.sidleny.cz; Moravská Nová Ves, May–September, www.vinaricek.cz; Velehrad, June–September, www.velehrad.cz/vinari-na-velehrade; Mikulčice, June–October, www.infomikulcice.cz; Milotice, June–October, www.sidleny.cz; Mutěnice, July–September, www.vinozmutenic.cz; Prušánky, July–September, www.nechorstivinari.cz

ST. CATHERINE'S WINE FESTIVAL (SVATOKATEŘINSKÉ SLAVNOSTI VÍNA)

The Búdy Mutěnice Winemakers' Association invites you to the Búdy wine cellars area for St. Catherine's Wine Festival. Close to twenty cellars will be open, offering the possibility of tasting young wines from the current year, while enjoying dulcimer music. A festive meal of duck with cabbage and dumplings is included in the ticket.

When and where: Mutěnice, November, www.vinozmutenic.cz



OPEN WINE CELLARS FESTIVAL – SPRING IN KYJOV REGION



SLOVÁCKO CELEBRATIONS OF WINE AND OPEN SIGHTS

Legend:

Name of the wine facility

Wine municipality, address, postal code, telephone
e-mail and website



Certified services in wine tourism



The facility that fulfilled criteria of the service certification in wine tourism carried out by the National Wine Centre and the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation. The certified facilities represent the best of wine tourism in Bohemia and Moravia. **More about certification at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.**



Certified winery



Certified accommodation with wine themes



Certified wine cellar



Certified restaurant with wine



Certified wine store

Other services in wine tourism



Winery – wine producer from whom you can buy wine, usually with a possibility to taste the wine offered.



Refreshments – the facility has in its permanent offer or by order cold or hot meals and refreshments.



Wine cellar – seating area directly in the wine cellar or the wine pressing room with a possible wine tasting and refreshments.



Regular opening hours – facility has regular opening hours.



Wine store – specialised wine shop offering especially local bottled wine, winery shop, municipal wine stores etc.



Irregular opening hours – it is necessary to book in advance by phone.



Accommodation – hotel, guesthouse or other accommodation directly connected with the premises of a winery or wine cellar.

Certified services in wine tourism are listed in an alphabetical order by the wine municipalities and a name of the facility. Many other wine facilities (non-certified) can be found at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.

Certified services of wine tourism

VÍNO BLATEL, a.s.

VÍNO BLATEL, a.s. was founded in 1990 and is focused on grape processing and wine production and sales. The company is based in the village Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, in a region with exceptionally favourable conditions for grape growing. The company manages 189 ha of vineyards. Among the main varieties that predominate in the vineyards are Riesling, Müller Thurgau, Moravian Muscat, Pinot Blanc and Chardonnay. The company is the largest domestic Merlot grower.

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VÍNO BLATEL, a.s. – vinný sklep Pod Lipou

The company was founded in 1990. Gradually, it got vineyards and cellars, and carried out the maintenance of vineyards and machinery. The cellar is in a protected area of Blatnické budy, where is pleasant sitting with a historic vaulted stone-built cellar.

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VÍNO HRUŠKA s.r.o.

The headquarters of our company VÍNO HRUŠKA is in the picturesque village of Blatnička, where we have been using local terroir for the production of quality and varietal wines for decades. The secret of our success is clearly the wine's quality, the service provided and the environment in which we offer our products. We take care of the harmony and meaningfulness of the wine as a gift, and, therefore, we have decided to take a hand in decorating our bottles to add extra value to each bottle. Stay with us for a short sitting and get inspiration for further trips.

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Vinařství Dvůr pod Starým Horama

The new guesthouse combines the requirements for quality accommodation, prime wine services and wellness packages, facilities for conferences, wine tasting, offering wine and sommelier courses – all under one roof in the pleasant and friendly environment of DVŮR POD STARÝMA HORAMA.

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Josef Mráz, vinař ze Staré Břeclavi

A winery processes grapes from its own vineyards, producing only predicate wines that regularly win awards in the local and international wine competitions. Their speciality is naturally sweet straw wine, ice wine and selection from berries introduced to the market in numbered bottles and with a new original label every year. A cellar offers stylish atmosphere by the fireplace, under the pergola in summer, professional supervised wine tasting directly by the barrels in the cellar, local and pork specialities, live music – dulcimer ensemble or accordionist.

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Moravský sommelier® – vinotéka Břeclav

Our wine stores offer more than 300 wines from 60 producers from all Moravian wine sub-regions, selected after careful tasting by Moravian sommelier Libor Nazarčuk, semi-finalist at the World and Europe Championships, triple Champion of the Czech Republic and Slovakia, winner of 14 sommelier competitions in CR.

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Vino Dvořan

A small winery of 1.79 ha of vineyards, trying to promote Moravian wines in their wide range of flavours and varieties, in a natural way – our wines are made by old technology, without the supply of modern preparations and processes.

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Bukovanský mlýn

Complex Bukovany Mill *** is built on top of a hill in the Bukovany village. The windmill, built in 2004, was complemented by a stylish hotel complex with an attractive offer for companies, tours and individual tourists in 2007. People from a wide region can use Bukovany Mill*** during some of the annual public activities, as well as for family events (birthdays, weddings, etc.). The whole complex is built in traditional Moravian Slovácko style with stylish rustic interiors inducing a unique atmosphere.

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Vinum Moravicum a.s.

Vinum Moravicum a.s. is a young wine-growing company founded in Bzenec in 2005. This picturesque South Moravian town and its surroundings are known for their rich winemaking tradition. Geological conditions, local microclimate and first-class soil qualities create the conditions for the cultivation of top vine cultivars, which change into quality grape varieties with an unmistakable character during their processing.

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Vinný sklep U Hroznu v Čejči

Warm hospitality of a family cellar connected with tasting of excellent local wines will make you forget about all problems and ubiquitous stress. You can stay on two floors with a capacity of up to 90 people in the cooling oasis. The wine cellar is on its own grounds with an orchard and vineyards, so there is plenty of space to inhale fresh air. The length of the cellar visit is usually 7 hours. We are looking forward to your visit.

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Bronislav Grmolec

The tradition of the Grmolec family winery in Moravské Slovácko dates back to 1889. The first vine was planted by František Grmolec and later, with his son Jan, he started wine production in one of the oldest stone wine cellars in Hovorany. This tradition was followed by Ing. Josef Grmolec, who planted new vineyards in 1976 and 1986. He started building a new cellar in 1983. He is devoted to vine cultivation and wine production, also with his youngest son Bronislav in recent years.

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Rodinné vinařství Machalínek

The family winery and guesthouse Machalínek are located in the wine municipality of Hovorany. In the wine cellar, the guests can spend a nice time and attend wine tasting of the Moravian wines under the guidance of the winemaker. Rodinné vinařství Machalínek is ideal for organizing smaller events throughout the year, accommodation for tourists, cyclists, families with children, groups of friends, etc. due to its location and background. The cellar capacity is up to 40 people. Part of the winery is also a guesthouse offering accommodation for 16 people.

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Kyjovská vinotéka

Kyjovská vinotéka (the Kyjov Wine Store) is regional, which means that it mainly offers wine from wine producers from Kyjov and its surroundings. These are famous wineries, such as Štěpán Maňák, Vinařství Dufek, Krist, Žůrek or Vinařství Šalša, Vinařství Veverka, Konečný, Grmolec, Neoklas, Blatel, etc. It also offers eight kinds of bulk wine and also bottled wines from all over the world (Australia, France, Slovakia, Spain, Austria, Hungary, etc.) in limited quantities.

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Slovácká galerie vín – radniční sklep

Visit the ancient premises of the former town prison of the royal town of Kyjov. Its history dates back to 1561 and the Slovácko Wine Gallery - the town hall cellar is located there at present. We present wines with an emphasis on the winery residence, but mainly on the Slovácko vine origin of material for the production of excellent wines of the Slovácká Wine Sub-region. Come to taste famous Blatnický Roháč, Bzenecká lipka, great wines from the Kyjov, Podluží, Bzenec, but also Uherské Hradiště regions.

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Vinařství Josef Uher

Come and try our wines in a stylish wine bar and cellar in the Podluží region in Lanžhot – the town famous for folklore traditions, and sing along our folk songs with us. You are heartily welcome by the winery owners and folk singers Mr. and Mrs. Uher.

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Bartoník

The family winery of Hana and Ing. Radek Bartoník, with their sons Jakub and Dominik, is based on a long-term family tradition. They produce small batches of distinctive wine at maximum quality, and they are also specialized in the producing of other products from grapes, musts and syrups from their own orchards and plantations. "Life is about people and it is created by people," the Bartoník family.

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Bartoník – rodinné vinařství – Degustační prostory archivního sklepa

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Vinařství Dvořáček LTM, s.r.o.

We are a small family company (father, son Tomáš, and daughter Martina Magdaléna), who have been engaged in the cultivation of vines and the production of distinctive wines for several decades. I have been engaged in vine-growing since 1986 and the production of high quality natural Moravian wines since 1996, professionally since 2000. I am a member of the Union of Oenologists of the Czech Republic and, together with my son, we are members of the association COLLEGIUM VINITORUM from Moravská Nová Ves. We farm on 3 ha of our own vineyards, and viticulture and viniculture is our big hobby.

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Vinařství Malánik-Osíčka s.r.o.

Vinařství Malánik-Osíčka Inc. is a small family company engaged in vine cultivation and quality predicate wine production. The winery is based on a long winemaking tradition. The winery has the philosophy of high quality and modern grape processing, from which comes quality and predicate wines with a unique character. In wine production, we follow the motto: "Wine is like its maker. It is a mirror of his Art, abilities, diligence and persistence, wine shows winemaker's wrinkles and smiles, joy and sadness."

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Vinařství Glosovi – Lubomír Glos

We have focused on predicate wine production from traditional, new and less known varieties. Our botrytic selections won many awards at national and international competitions. Come and try Cabernet Moravia, Fratava or Modrava directly to father of these varieties.

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Vinařství Tomanovi

We are a small family winery, we farm on 1.5 ha of our own vineyards in the village Moravská Nová Ves (Slovácká Wine Sub-region). Our winery is focused on producing high-quality wines, which we know as Moravian regional wines. We will organize a tasting of our wines in a wine cellar or tasting room, including refreshments, for interested people. The capacity for tasting is 20 people, with a possibility of outdoor seating in the summer months.

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Vinařství Tomanovi, Ivana Fic Tomanová

Come and try wines in our small family winery where you can experience many unexpected moments and pleasures. We look after our vineyards and wine with love and joy, with the same care we will look after you. We are looking forward to your visit by a glass of wine – cheers!

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Modré Vinařství Mutěnice

A family winery in Mutěnice engaged in the production and sale of low-alcohol predicate white, rosé and red wines. The wines are distinguished by their aromatic variety, they are sweet with a pleasant refreshing acidity in the taste.

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San Marco s.r.o.

Come and visit the family guesthouses San Marco, which can offer you cheap and comfortable accommodation in one of the biggest wine municipalities Mutěnice near Hodonín. This picturesque village below vineyards offers a typical Moravian-Slovácko locality with circa 550 classical wine cellars, where you can try excellent Moravian wine directly from a barrel... Of course we will treat you to stylish and local specialties directly in a wine cellar. So don't hesitate and visit beautiful Mutěnice in the almost southernmost corner of South Moravia.

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Výzkumná stanice vinohradnická s.r.o.

The Viticultural Research Station was established in 1904. It manages 15 ha of vineyards included in an integrated production system of vine growing and grape processing. You can familiarize yourself with the technology of wine production, or, during wine tasting in the wine cellar, taste a wide range of varietal wines.

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Šlechtitelská stanice vinařská, s.r.o.

The station was established as a vine nursery in 1922. Its mission is maintenance breeding and new breeding. The station produces a wide spectrum of varietal wines. We organize supervised wine tastings at "Štýrská terasa", "Golanské výšiny" and in 300 years old cellar in Vinařská street. The cellar, with a capacity of 45 people, can be rented. We sell quality varietal and branded wine, grapes, stum, grape juice and syrups and a wide assortment of vine seedlings.

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Milan Vašíček – vinař z Průšáněk

We are a small family winery that was founded at the turn of the second millennium. In 2002 we started to make wine in larger quantity, before that it was only a hobby or bigger sideline. All our family is involved in the winery, there is a role for everybody. Our vineyards are found in the local Průšánky locality and in nearby Josefov village.

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WELCOME TO BOHEMIA

Vineyards in the Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region belong to the most northern placed vineyards in Europe. Today, you will discover most of the vineyards in the surroundings of Mělník, Most and Litoměřice, as in the Middle Ages. Vineyards in Prague and its surroundings have survived as well. The vineyards in Bohemia are smaller and split over the territories of several regions instead of big and continuously planted vine areas. Legends are mainly the vineyards on protected slopes and terraces around the Bohemian rivers, especially in the valleys of Vltava, Labe, Berounka and Ohře. This is also a good area for blue varieties.

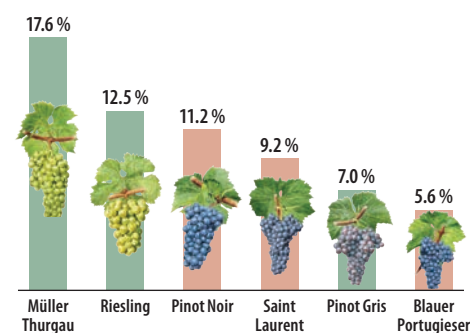
The Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region was divided into six areas until 2004 – Čáslavská, Mělnická,

Mostecká, Pražská and Žernosecká, after legislative adjustments left only two sub-regions – Mělnická and Litoměřická.

What can you look forward to in the Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region? For example, to restored medieval vineyard terraces, on which vine is growing again, to the house with the tower in the shape of a wine glass, to a walk where St. Ludmila was teaching her grandson St. Václav to cultivate and produce wine, to the vineyards, small in size, but with extensive collections of varieties on the charming landscape of Polabí, guarded by the steep cones of České středohoří, to ancient cellars, wine presses, colourful traditions of vine harvesting and, especially, wine.



MOST FREQUENT VARIETIES IN BOHEMIA



WINE REGION ČECHY (BOHEMIA) IN A NUTSHELL

The Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region, with its two sub-regions, is one of the most northern headlands of European viniculture. It includes **659 hectares of vineyards**, which represents **4 % of the vineyards areas** registered within the whole of the Czech Republic. The remaining 96 % is located in the Morava (Moravia) Wine Region. Viniculture in Bohemia had its golden age before the Thirty Years' War, when the vineyard area reached about 15,000 hectares and, in particularly fertile years, the domestic wine market was small for it. The current Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region includes **75 wine municipalities** and **171 vineyard sites**.

The Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region is divided into two sub-regions: **Mělnická** and **Litoměřická**. The areas are almost identical, but the vineyards of Mělník manage almost double the amount of growers. Most of the Mělník vineyards lie on soil with a limestone bedrock or gravel-sand sediment. The soil is lighter, warmer and provides excellent conditions for the cultivation of white and blue varieties. In the Litoměřická Wine Sub-region, most vineyards are located on the southern slopes of České středohoří, on dark soils of weathered basalt, which gives the wine distinctive mineral undertones.

The representation of the cultivated varieties slightly differs from Moravia. Red varieties are grown slightly more here. The local winemakers already grew the Pinot Noir variety plentifully in the Middle Ages. Another Burgundian variety also takes front place, however, Müller Thurgau, Riesling, St. Laurent, Pinot Gris and Blauer Portugieser are the top. The largest wine-growing municipalities are Mělník and Most.



ČECHY (BOHEMIA)

Wine Region

MĚLNICKÁ and LITOMĚŘICKÁ Wine Sub-regions



The Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region is divided into two sub-regions:

The Mělnická Wine Sub-region includes not only **Mělník and surroundings**, but also tiny vineyards in **Prague** and around **Kutná Hora, Benátky nad Jizerou, Kralupy nad Vltavou, Čáslav, Beroun** and **Slaný**. In the Middle Ages, the local winemakers concentrated mainly on the cultivation of the variety **Pinot Noir**, whose seedlings, they say, Charles IV imported from the Chambertin, Burgundy village. The largest areas are planted with **Riesling**, the already mentioned Pinot Noir and **Müller Thurgau** varieties. The group of the five most grown varieties is closed by **St. Laurent** and **Traminer**.

The Litoměřická Wine Sub-region stands in the area of **Litoměřice, Roudnice nad Labem, Kadaň, Ústí nad Labem** and **Louny**. Litoměřice is an important centre of wine-growing, the second largest wine-growing town in Bohemia after Prague in the middle ages. Most of the vineyards in this sub-region are located on the southern slopes of České středohoří. **Müller Thurgau, St. Laurent, Pinot Noir, Riesling** and **Pinot Gris** represent the most widespread varieties.

An exposition at the castle in Litoměřice is devoted to wine. You may also notice the renewed vineyards on the terraces of Litoměřice walls and at the foothills of **Hněvín** above Most. You will see one of the Czech rarities from the top of the romantically modified castle with a restaurant and lookout tower - the **Gothic church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary**, which was, due to the extraction of coal, moved from the non-existent old Most to the new location in 1975.

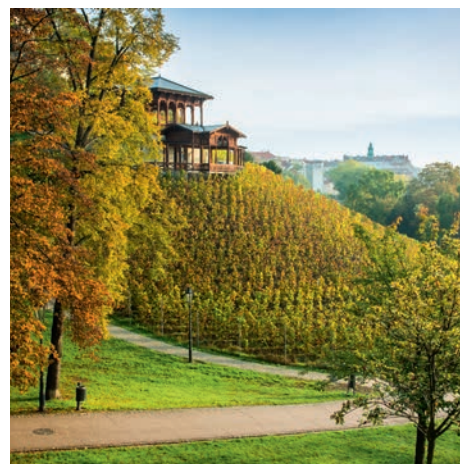
Many cities, such as Mělník and Litoměřice, Kadaň, Karlštejn and Roudnice nad Labem, as well as some districts of Prague, organize a lot of events associated with the wine, including vintage and gastronomic festivals throughout the whole year. Try, for example, **Mělník Vintage Festival, Litoměřice Wine Festival**, or **Royal Wine Tasting Prague**.

Mělnická Wine Sub-region

Total area: 326 ha Wine municipalities: 40 Vineyard sites: 89

Litoměřická Wine Sub-region

Total area: 322 ha Wine municipalities: 35 Vineyard sites: 82



ČECHY (BOHEMIA) Wine Region

PRAGUE – Choose any direction after traveling around the Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region and you probably will not be able to avoid Prague. People from all over the world visit it for its beauty. Above one of the windows of the Old Town Hall since 1518 is the inscription Praga caput regni – Prague head of the kingdom, known as Golden Prague and Prague of a hundred spires. What should you definitely not miss?

Prague Castle – monumental palace complex, churches, chapels, courtyards, squares and streets, with the Cathedral of St. Vitus, a symbol of more than a millennia of Czech state development. Today's Czech presidential seat.

Royal Route – route through Prague's historical centre, future Czech king's coronation route to the cathedral.



Powder Tower – monumental entrance to the Old Town, a Gothic structure built in 1475 by Matěj Rejsek. The permanent exhibition across the centuries of weapons and armour.

Old Town Square and Old Town Hall with Astronomical Clock – the oldest Gothic part of the complex, an observation tower and bay-window

chapel decorate the astronomical clock from the early 15th century. Open every hour 9.00–21.00.

Charles Bridge – Prague's oldest bridge from the 14th century with unique baroque sculptures. The Old Town Bridge Tower with magnificent prospects is the most beautiful Gothic gateway of Europe. All about the bridge and surroundings can be found in the Museum of Charles Bridge, Křižovnické Square 3.

Kampa – a romantic island with picturesque houses and a central oval square, separated by Čertovka, from the Malá Strana. The group of houses where Čertovka flows is known as Prague Venice.

Malostranské Gardens – five interconnected Baroque gardens on the southern slope of Prague Castle. The terraces with open views to the magical centre of Prague, in the summer months concerts and social events take place in the garden.

Jewish Quarter – the Jewish museum offers a group of important Jewish sites of European importance, exhibitions, tours of individual buildings (Maiselova, Pinkas, Old-New, Spanish and Klaus Synagogue, the Old Jewish Cemetery and the Ceremonial Hall).

Vyšehrad – the legendary seat of the first Czech princes, now a Baroque citadel with the Romanesque rotunda of St. Martin and the Gothic church of St. Peter and Paul. More than 600 figures from the Czech nation are buried in the Vyšehrad cemetery.

Petřín – a hill with a 60 metre high lookout tower in the style of the Paris Eiffel Tower, a mirror maze, observatory, orchards, gardens and restaurants.

Zoological Garden – the oldest domestic zoo. Cable car, train, playgrounds, restaurants, and steamboat from the city centre.

www.prague.eu

1 VINEYARD ST. KLÁRA IN PRAGUE-TROJA – a listed vineyard with 3.5 ha is part of the Botanical Garden of Prague. Mainly white grape varieties are grown there – Riesling, Müller Thurgau, Traminer, Sauvignon Blanc, Moravian Muscat and Pinot Gris, and from blue varieties Blauer Portugieser. A part of the area includes table grapes and a vineyard with collection of must and table varieties. The vineyard is decorated by a Baroque house and chapel of St. Klára, which was built together with nearby Troja Chateau around 1680 by Václav Vojtěch of Sternberg. Wine can be purchased only in the wine store of St. Klára, which is located in the vineyard.

www.botanicka.cz

2 GRÖBOVKA VINEYARD AND THE VINEYARD GAZEBO IN PRAGUE – nice tradition kept in Prague's district Vinohrady. Loyal to its name it still grows wine on the slope above Botič. There is not a lot of it and wine from Gröbovka is rather a rarity. You can try local young wine for example in September during the traditional Vinohrady Vintage Festival. The vineyards are 1.7 ha on a steep slope where it is not possible to get the usual machinery. Riesling, Müller Thurgau, Pinot Gris and from blue varieties Blauer Portugieser, Pinot Noir, St. Laurent and Dornfelder are grown here. Regular wine tastings are held in the Vineyard Gazebo (Viniční altán).

www.vinicni-altan.cz

3 VINEYARD OF ST. VÁCLAV IN THE PRAGUE CASTLE – the patron of the Czech nation St. Václav has had a new vineyard on the eastern edge of Prague Castle on the slope above Chotkova Road, in a place which used to be called Opyš, since 2008. Varieties Pinot Noir and Riesling are planted in an area of about 7,000 square metres, a show of other varieties grown in the Czech Republic lines the scenic route. Three restaurants offer a superb view of Malá Strana, Prague Castle and the Old Town to culinary lovers.

www.villarichter.cz

4 LITOMĚŘICE – once the second largest wine-growing town in Bohemia. Deed of gift from 1057 of the Cathedral of St. Štěpán includes mention of the surrounding vineyards and wine and it is the oldest discovered written report of Czech wine yet. The town's historic centre, surrounded by

Gothic walls, observation terraces and parks. The local Gothic castle invites you to an exhibition of Czech viniculture connected with tasting rooms, wine archive, conference hall and a lounge with a Gothic chapel. The time when townspeople saved wine in cellars of their houses is recreated in the historic underground. Monastic wine cellars, Litoměřice, also follow this tradition.

www.litomerice.cz | www.gotickyhrad.cz

5 VITICULTURE RESEARCH STATION IN KARLŠTEJN – the station, founded in 1919, continues the tradition of Karlštejn wine. Beneš Krabice from Weitmile mentioned in the Chronicles of Czech Purpose of Charles IV. the winery's founding on the slopes below the castle in 1384. You can visit the vineyard, where a collection of about 270 varieties is planted by arrangement.

6 MĚLNÍK – the city at the confluence of the Labe and Vltava is the centre of one of the northern Europe wine regions. Its landmarks are the castle, church of St. Peter and Paul, with famous ossuary,



Náměstí Míru with the Town Hall, and the former Capuchin monastery, seat of the Regional Museum with a small display of Czech viniculture. The seat of the Chateau Mělník winery invites you to the historic wine cellar exhibition in Mělník castle. The castle interior and cellar tour is supplemented by a wine



store with tasting. You can enjoy a very nice view of the vineyard from the castle restaurant. A small wine exhibition can be also seen in the Mělník underground with a unique 54m deep well, which has a widest point of 4.543 m just above water level and is registered in the Czech Guinness Book of Records as the widest in the country.

www.museum-melnik.cz | www.melnik.info

www.lobkowicz-melnik.cz

7 ROUDNICE NAD LABEM – the first written evidence of growing vines around Roudnice is from 1333, when the town belonged to Prague's bishops. The castle winery, belonging to the Lobkowicz family, has produced wine since 1603 and currently takes care of about 69 ha of vineyards on the slopes leading to the Labe river. The most famous vineyard is the Sovice in the Vetlá and Brzánky estates, written historical documents mentioned it in 1583.

www.vino-lobkowicz.cz

8 MOST AND TERRACES ON HNĚVÍN – the Hněvín hill rises above the city Most. On its peak once stood a royal castle. Castle ruins were romantically modified in the late 19th century and you will find a tourist restaurant, lookout tower and observatory there today. The tradition of Most's viniculture was restored in 1967 in the former state farm in Chrástce village, about 10 km southeast of the Most. Grapevine, and has also proven by crop reclamation of dumps of the brown-coal mines, so you will find about 85 ha of new vineyards around Most. They even managed to re-plant basalt vineyard terraces on Široký Hill and the slopes of Hněvín. A rarity is the renewed Hněvín Celestial Vineyard at Black Pine, where President Václav Klaus with his wife Livia planted the first seedlings of Riesling in March 2004. The small vineyard carries the name Livia in memory of this event. The winery České vinařství Chrástce takes care of a large part of the Most vineyards. The winery produces traditional varietal wines and kosher wine produced under the supervision of a rabbi, or wine for the Orthodox community in the Czech Republic and Slovakia. A selection of the best wine is archived in the cellars of the displaced dean's church, where tastings are held occasionally.

www.imostecko.cz | www.ceske-vinarstvi.cz



9 SECONDARY SCHOOL OF HORTICULTURE MĚLNÍK – the first wine school in Austria-Hungary with education in Czech was established in 1882, its current name is from 1992. Life of future winemakers revolves around the school farm Neuberk, which manages around 18 ha of vineyards and processes grapes in the school cellar Na Polabí. Wine can be purchased directly from the cellar or in wine shops and restaurants in Mělník and Prague.

www.zas-me.cz

10 VELKÉ ŽERNOSEKY – vineyards around Žernoseky are managed by the company Žernosecké vinařství. The wine is produced and matured in the historic wine cellars, built around the year 1251 by the Cistercians. For groups of at least 10 people the winery offers wine tastings and cellar tours. Accommodation is available in the mansion. Žernoseky Vintage Festival is held annually in September.

www.velke-zernoseky.cz

www.zernosecke-vinarstvi.cz

11 VINEYARD OF ST. VÁCLAV ON CECEMÍN – the history of Czech viniculture strode the hill between the town Všetaty and village Dřísý according to legend. St. Ludmila founded one of the first Czech vineyards on the southern slopes of Cecemín. Her grandson, St. Václav, the patron of Czech winemakers, studied the secrets of wine production here. St. Václav vineyard was recently restored, St. Ludmila is commemorated by a small chapel near the road to Cecemín from Dřísý. | www.drisy.cz

12 KUTNÁ HORA – as elsewhere Kutná Hora also owns a major credit in the development of wineries of the Church, namely the Cistercian monastery in Sedlec, founded in 1143. The winery Vinné sklepy Kutná Hora, which manage a system of environmentally-friendly viticulture, are trying to restore the wine tradition. The company store, tasting room and cellar management are based in Ursuline Convent on the northern edge of the historic city centre. The grapevine is cultivated on 54 ha of vineyards on the vineyard sites U všech svatých, Pod chrámem sv. Barbory, Nad kapličkou, U borku a Na příčce. You can see different vine training systems and lesser-known varieties that our ancestors grew, such as Gold Riesling, Muškátel, Sauvignon Gris, Chasselas



blanc and rosé or White Traminer called Brynšt, in the historic vineyards below Church of St. Barbara and the Jesuit College in Kutná Hora.

www.infocentrum.kh.cz | www.kutnahora.cz

www.vinokutnahora.cz

13 WINE EDUCATIONAL CYCLING ROUTE IN KUTNÁ HORA – the 6 km long circuit begins in Kutná Hora's historic centre in Palackého Square. A sign takes you through streets Vladislavova, Na Sioně, Jiřího z Poděbrad and Zvonařská and then on a gentle rise up Sukov hill (285 m) on the northern edge of town, where the most famous and most modern vineyards of Kutná Hora are situated. From there you can go back to the centre to St. Voršila Monastery.

www.kutnahora.cz

www.vinokutnahora.cz

14 LITOMĚŘICE WINE ROUTE – circular 20 km long route begins in the historic centre of Litoměřice and runs along the Labe river to Velké Žernoseky, then across the Labe, and then through the Opárenské valley to Lovosice. The way can be pleasantly shortened by cruises, the cruise ship moors in three villages along the route of the journey, in Litoměřice, Lovosice and Velké Žernoseky.

15 KUKS – to the remotest places included in the Mělnická Wine Sub-region, belongs the Nad zámek vineyard, an area of 0.5 ha, restored in 2005. It is located in the village of Kuks, close to the baroque Hospital of Count Špork with a unique collection of statues of virtues and vices from Matyáš Bernard Braun. Traditional Burgundian varieties – Pinot Blanc, Gris and Noir, unique of the world – seven hundred old grapevines and almost forgotten varieties of our ancestors Traminer White, nicknamed Brynšt are planted here. You can also visit the sales Wine Gallery with a collection of Bohemian and Moravian wines in the basement of the hospital or go to the vintage festival.

www.zamekkuks.cz | www.vinobranikuks.cz

16 KADAŇ – a dominant feature of the town is probably the longest preserved fortification wall in Bohemia with a gate, barbican and Gothic gatehouse called Katova Street. Lovers of history's attention is drawn by the Franciscan Monastery of the Fourteen Holy Helpers established in 1473, with well



preserved Gothic vaults. A part of the monastery buildings is the Town Museum with mineralogical and archaeological exhibitions, exhibits of mining and mineral processing resources. Three tour circuits lead through the complex with a church, chapel of St. John the Baptist, Lobkowicz Crypt, the Way of the Cross and gardens. Kadaň was included among the wine municipalities in 1998 again. The reason was that in the monastery gardens a vineyard was established covering an area of 0.5 ha, one of the northernmost wine producing localities in Europe. The vineyard shows several types of vine training; you can also see a hop field, bed of herbs and enclosure for goats and sheep. You can taste the wine during the traditional vintage festival connected with the ritual of "Closing the vineyard".

www.mesto-kadan.cz | www.kultura-kadan.cz



17 BOHEMIA SEKT CENTRE – you can look behind the scenes of the production process of sparkling wine in Starý Plzeňec, the birthplace of the most famous Czech quality sparkling wines. There are also tours with wine tasting.

www.bohemiasekt.cz

a week long stay IN THE ČECHY (BOHEMIA) WINE REGION

The first part of the seven-day travelling you will spend in Prague – and it is up to you, how long you want to stay there and whether you will visit besides the wine tourist destinations also the historic sites, museums and other landmarks. If you have time to see other places of interest in the Bohemian countryside, then you will appreciate our itinerary.



1st Day – Prague – Botanical garden in Troja (St. Klára vineyard, wine store) – Troja Chateau (historic interiors, garden) – quarter of Vinohrady (Gröbovka vineyard, Vineyard Gazebo, wine tasting, seating area)

2nd Day – Prague – Prague Castle (St. Vitus Cathedral, Golden Lane, National Gallery) – Royal Garden (summerhouse of Queen Ann) – St. Wenceslas' Vineyard (vineyard, restaurant) – Malostranské Palace Gardens (former vineyards) – Charles Bridge (Wine Column)

3rd Day – Karlštejn (Viticulture Research Station, vine gene pool, tours through the vineyard, castle, several museums) – Starý Plzeňec (tour through the Bohemia Sekt Centre, 2-hour programme for groups of 10–45 persons with sparkling wine tasting)

4th Day – Kutná Hora (wine cellars, tours and wine tasting, historic centre, Church of St. Barbara, Czech Museum of Silver and medieval silver mine, Alchemy Workshop, charnel-house, wine cycling route) – Chateau Kačina (exposition of the National Agricultural Museum, park)



5th Day – Hospital Kuks (historic complex, tours through the interiors and gardens, Wine Gallery, sculptures by M. B. Braun, renewed vineyard) – Jaroměř-Josefov (former military keep Josefov, tour through the town and underground)

6th Day – Dřísy (renewed Vineyard of St. Wenceslas) – Mělník (tour through the town, chateau, wine store and restaurant, tour through wine cellars, exposition of wine-growing in Regional Museum, charnel-house and historic underground) – Roudnice nad Labem (tour through the town, chateau winery, gallery)



7th Day – Litoměřice (tour through historic centre, House "Kalich", fortification, moats, Jesuit observatory, tours through wine cellars) – Velké Žernoseky (tours through wine cellars) – Porta Bohemica – Most (vineyard terraces on Hněvin) – Kadaň (renewed vineyard in the Franciscan monastery)



most important TOURIST DESTINATIONS

St. Vitus Cathedral in Prague Castle – Gothic cathedral, sacred symbol of the Czech state and a dominant feature of Prague Castle. Found underground are the crypts of the Bohemian Kings and treasury with the crown jewels.



Malá Strana Gardens – palace gardens below Prague Castle with terraces, staircases and original statues.

Troja Chateau in Prague – Baroque chateau, inspired by the Roman suburban villas, exposition of the Prague City Gallery. Found nearby are a zoo and botanical garden with an accessible vineyard of St. Klára.

Sightseeing boat trips on the Vltava river – boat trips through the centre of Prague and to Vyšehrad,

a whole-day cruise to the confluence of the two biggest Czech rivers Vltava and Labe.

Karlštejn – Gothic castle, founded in 1348 by Bohemian King Charles IV as a place for storing Holy relics and crown jewels. A unique collection of the Gothic panel paintings, Bethlehem, clock and wax museums.

Vlašský dvůr (Italian Court) in Kutná Hora – Baroque monastery and a former royal mint from the turn of the 13th and 14th centuries, a seat of the ruler during his visits to the local silver mines.

Church of St. Barbara in Kutná Hora – a unique masterpiece of the Peak and Late Gothic architecture, Gothic and Renaissance paintings.

Kačina Chateau – a large Empire style residence, exposition of the National Agricultural Museum. Historic pharmacy, library, gallery, theatre, botanical garden with healing herbs.

Stará Boleslav – significant pilgrimage destination connected with the martyrdom of St. Wenceslas. In the church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary is a Madonna relief, the so called Palladium of Czech country.

Terezín – a military fortress and town where during the 2nd World War a Jewish internment camp was located, Ghetto Museum. A small fortress, once a prison of the Prague Gestapo, today a memorial to the victims of Nazism.

extended weekend ON A BIKE THROUGH THE POLABÍ

1st day: Mělník – Hořín – Vlněves – Dolní Bečkovice – Hněvice – Hoštka – Mastířovice – Brzánky – Roudnice nad Labem

2nd day: Roudnice nad Labem – trip to Říp – Vědomice – Černěves – Lounky – Křešice – Třeboutice – Litoměřice

3rd day: Litoměřice – Radobýl – Žalhostice – Velké Žernoseky – Libochovany – Porta Bohemica

Route length: 75 km



A cycling route leads through the picturesque Labe river valley, around vineyards on its slopes, through many historic towns and fertile lowlands around the legendary Říp Hill. If you want to get on the peak to the Rotunda of St. George, then leave your bikes down on the parking lot, the slopes of Říp are very steep and on the trails you will meet many hikers.



... to top it all

Found on the Křížovnické Square in the Old Town in the centre of Prague, next to Charles Bridge, is the Baroque Wine Column with the statue of St. Wenceslas, festooned with the vine tendrils. It reminds people of the Vineyard Bureau that used to have a seat on the Křížovnické Square for more than 400 years. This institution provided all administration connected with vine growing. Found around the column are fragments of stones from the Judith Bridge.

WHAT AND WHEN

in the Čechy (Bohemia) Wine Region

LITOMĚŘICE WINE FESTIVAL (VINAŘSKÉ LITOMĚŘICE)

Vinařské Litoměřice is an exhibition of Bohemian and Moravian wines, and is the most prestigious exhibition of Bohemian wines in the Czech Republic. Often with international participation, the exhibition takes place every year during April in the House of Culture and in the Gothic Litoměřice castle. Guided tastings are possible on both days of the exhibition. On the second day, you can take part in the accompanying programmes “Wine and Food” and “Wine and Health”.

Where and when: Litoměřice, April, www.vinarskelitomerice.netstranky.cz

ROSÉ WINE FEAST (SVÁTEK RŮŽOVÝCH VÍN)

At the peak of the spring season is the May festival of rosé wines, which offers a tasting of Moravian and Bohemian rosé wines. Every year on May 1st, in the attractive premises of the St. Wenceslas Vineyard and Villa Richter in the area of Prague Castle, winemakers offer a wide range of colors, shades, aromas, and flavours of rosé wine for tasting and purchase. Come and enjoy rosé wines in various forms (dry, sweet, cuvée, sparkling wine) from more than twenty Moravian and Bohemian wineries. This open air wine tasting, offering an impressive view of old Prague, has been organized by the Wine Fund since 2009.

Where and when: Prague, 1 May, www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz

WINE PRAGUE

The International Wine Fair for professionals and public experts is held in May in Prague. The professional environment and modern fairgrounds, including all the necessary amenities, are accompanied by a varied wine tasting programmes in the presentation halls.

Where and when: Prague, beginning of May, www.wineprague.com

KUTNÁ HORA GASTROFESTIVAL

Celebrating good food and drink from local restaurants in the heart of historic Kutná Hora. This Gastrofestival offers an accompanying programme for children and adults, including specialties of international cuisine, dishes from nearby restaurants, local and organic food, local beer and wine, and a music programme. The Gastrofestival is one of the most important gastronomic events in the region. It is a celebration of good food and drinks – the produce from our country.

When and where: Kutná Hora, end of May, www.gastrofestkh.wixsite.com/mysite

PARDUBICE WINE FESTIVAL (PARDUBICKÝ FESTIVAL VÍNA)

Pardubice belongs to wine lovers during the last weekend in August. The festival held at the local castle is a celebration as well as a powerful enlightenment of wine; it includes a wine competition of the same name, wine tastings from dozens winemakers and a rich accompanying program, especially a wine night with a fire performance.

Where and when: Pardubice, end of August, www.pardubickyfestivalvina.cz

MĚLNÍK VINTAGE FESTIVAL (MĚLNICKÉ VINOBRANÍ)

Wine festivals have been held in Mělník since 1911. With a three-day wine tasting, you can taste the burčák (partially-fermented wine) and wine of local winemakers, while discovering the ancient town with its historic monuments, above the confluence of the Elbe and Vltava rivers. The multi-genre programme offers the traditional Charles IV parade, street theatre, concerts, fairy tales, gastronomic specialties, a market, and fairs. The Saturday night fireworks are the culmination of the programme.

Where and when: Mělník, September, www.vinobranimelnik.cz

KUKS VINTAGE FESTIVAL (VINOBRANÍ NA KUKSU)

We invite you to Kuks Vintage Festival, which has quickly become a tradition, providing an opportunity to encounter good people and good wine. Each year, the wine flows down the cascade staircase as in the time of Count Špork. You will be able to taste the wine from more than thirty wineries while enjoying an accompanying programme.

Where and when: Kuks, September, www.vinobranikuks.cz

ST. WENCESLAS VINTAGE FESTIVAL (SVATOVÁCLAVSKÉ VINOBRANÍ)

The St. Wenceslas Vineyard complex and Villa Richter host the traditional St. Wenceslas Vintage Festival at the end of September. There will be tasting samples of important Bohemian and Moravian wineries, as well as burčák (partially-fermented wine) music and plentiful food options are available.

Where and when: Prague, end of September, www.villarichter.cz

KARLŠTEIN VINTAGE FESTIVAL (KARLŠTEJNSKÉ VINOBRANÍ)

Although the proverb says “St. Václav protects wine and harvest comes after his Day”, the king of the vintage festival below the famous castle is Emperor Charles IV. Tastings of Karlštejn wines and burčák (partially-fermented wine), culinary specialties, parades of period clothing from the Gothic to the Renaissance eras, historical dance lessons, performances by fire-eaters, fakirs and court magicians, a large royal knights’ tournament, a medieval fair and, of course, a historical parade await you.

Where and when: Karlštejn, end of September, www.hrad-karlstejn.cz

ST. WENCESLAS VINTAGE FESTIVAL AT LOKET (SVATOVÁCLAVSKÉ VINOBRANÍ)

“When wine enters, secrets leave” is the motto of the St. Wenceslas Vintage Festival at Locket. We invite you on the first weekend of October to Locket for the traditional St. Wenceslas Vintage Festival, taking place at Locket Castle and on the square in T. G. Masaryk Street. A weekend of exuberant merriment awaits you with a varied programme. You can look forward to good wine and burčák (partially-fermented wine) from Bohemia and Moravia, great food and delicacies, dulcimer music and entertainment for adults and children.

Where and when: Locket, beginning of October, www.loket.cz

KRÁLOVSKÝ KOŠT PRAHA (ROYAL WINE TASTING PRAGUE)

Since 2006, the King of Wines competition has been mapping the development of Bohemian and Moravian viticulture, presenting and comparing wines on our market every year. The competition is accompanied by the Royal Wine Tastings, where 300 of the best wines are presented. Every autumn, wine shops and partner companies host a series of guided tastings with the fifteen most highly rated wines, including the Champion and the winners of each competition category.

When and where: Prague, beginning of December, www.kralvin.cz



LITOMĚŘICE WINE FESTIVAL



ROSÉ WINE FEAST










PARDUBICE WINE FESTIVAL









MĚLNÍK VINTAGE FESTIVAL

Legend:

Name of the wine facility Wine municipality, address, postal code, telephone e-mail and website		     
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Certified services in wine tourism

 The facility that fulfilled criteria of the wine tourism services certification carried out by the National Wine Centre and the Czech Environmental Partnership Foundation. The certified facilities represent the best of wine tourism in Bohemia and Moravia. **More about certification at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.**

-  **Certified winery**
-  **Certified wine cellar**
-  **Certified wine store**
-  **Certified accommodation with wine themes**
-  **Certified restaurant with wine**



Other services in wine tourism



-  **Winery** – wine producer from whom you can buy wine, usually with a possibility to taste the wine offered.
-  **Wine cellar** – seating area directly in the wine cellar or the wine pressing room with a possible wine tasting and refreshments.
-  **Wine store** – specialised wine shop offering especially local bottled wine, winery shop, municipal wine stores etc.
-  **Accommodation** – hotel, guesthouse or other accommodation directly connected with the premises of a winery or wine cellar.
-  **Refreshments** – the facility has in its permanent offer or by order cold or hot meals and refreshments.
-  **Regular opening hours** – facility has regular opening hours.
-  **Irregular opening hours** – it is necessary to book in advance by phone.


Certified services in wine tourism are listed in an alphabetical order by the wine municipalities and a name of the facility. Many other wine facilities (non-certified) can be found at www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.





Certified services of wine tourism – Mělnická Wine Sub-region


Vinné sklepy Kutná Hora, s.r.o.
The Vinné sklepy Kutná Hora, s.r.o. is a family winery that decided to restore extinct glory and a many years long tradition of vine growing in the Kutná Hora region. The first written mention about grape growing in the Kutná Hora region was found in the Cosmas chronicle from 1101. The winery grows grapes in Kutná Hora and its environs on 54 ha of vineyards on the vineyard sites of U všech svatých, Pod chrámem sv. Barbory, Nad kapličkou, U borku a Na příčce. They also grow grapes on the 0.5 ha of restored vineyard Nad zámkem in the village Kuks. The local wines are full bodied, mineral and spicy.











































































































































































































































































































































































































































































































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MĚLNICKÁ WINE SUB-REGION

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e-mail: infocentrum@mekuc.cz, **www.ticmelnik.cz**

Infocentre Slaný
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Kutná Hora, Sankturinovský dům, Palackého náměstí 377, 284 01, tel.: +420 327 512 378
e-mail: infocentrum@kh.cz, **www.guide.kh.cz**

Information centre Benátky nad Jizerou
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Prague information service
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Karlštejn Local Authority
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LITOMERICKÁ WINE SUB-REGION

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Litoměřice, Mírové náměstí 16/8a, 412 01, tel.: +420 416 732 440

e-mail: info@litomerice-info.cz, www.litomerice-info.cz

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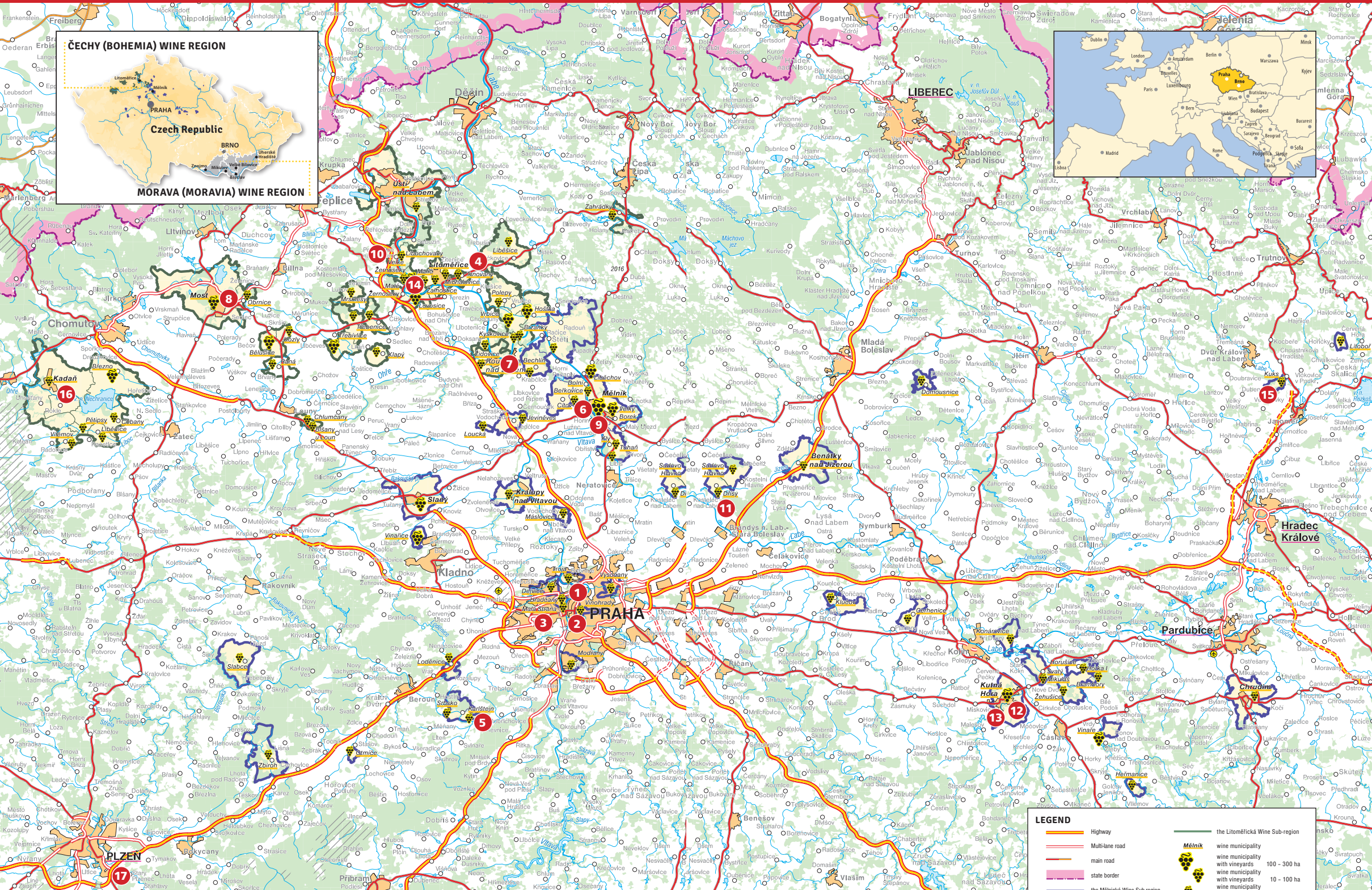
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LAND OF WINE | MAP | MORAVA (MORAVIA) WINE REGION



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Let's make a toast
and support wines in
our national colours!



Light Veltliner, more distinctive Rhine Riesling or some of our other varieties? Be inspired by wines from Moravia and Bohemia and visit our winemakers for an unforgettable experience!



Here's to wine!

Drink responsibly