ne sun shines on the Moravian vineyards, however, they give wines of endless di-Oversity, which outstand with their fruity taste and spiciness, wide spectrum of aroma and typical full taste. The diversity of Moravian wines is given by a surprising number of varieties, variability of countryside and terroir of vineyards. When you start to reveal the magic of Moravia, you will be surprised by a great many variants, experiences and inspiring encounters.

#### FROM THE HISTORY TO PRESENT DAYS

Viticulture in South Moravia is among the oldest in Europe; vine has been grown here probably since the period of the Celts and experts proclaim that nowhere else in the world you could find as many small wine cellars as there. Already in medieval ages Moravian wines had a good name; they were distributed over the entire Moravia and Bohemia, supplied to manors and burghers' houses. When in 1325 King John of Luxemburg ordained extractive agents, spiciness and distinct aroma

that from grape harvest up to Easter it is not allowed to serve Austrian wines in Brno, the experienced wine-tasters were put to the town gateways. If we search a proof for the fact that wine from South Moravia has always had unmistakable character, here it is – the wine-tasters on the spot tested the origin of imported wines and allowed only Moravian wines to enter the town. Just as the present lovers of Moravian wines they also could pick out mature and juicy acids, rich

Cups, branches, grapes and leaves of vine as well as vineyard knifes were often depicted on the town and municipal emblems of Moravian towns and country-towns. Mikulov has in its emblem two curved vineyard knifes, there is a grape on the Hustopeče town seal, also there was an original document preserved from 1580, which allowed the village of Dolní Dunajovice to use the emblem with the wine topic.

# WHERE TO GO FOR **OUR WINES**



**CERTIFIED** 

stores and wine cellars in Moravia are listed on the official wine website of the Czech Republic. You will get guaranteed service level in the facilities marked with the logo of wine tourism certification. These include also accommodations with

wine themes and restaurants with wine. www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.



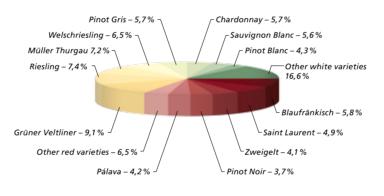
**During** the past decades Moravian viticulture went through quite revolutionary changes. Vineyards are cultivated in an environment-friendly way, the majority of wineries introduced modern regardful technology of grape processing, Moravian winemakers regularly reach success at international exhibitions.

VARIETIES

The Moravian white wines are characterised by an interesting aroma, rich extractive agents and harmonious combination full of taste with fresh acids. Red wines are thanks to the modern processing technology fullbodied and distinct, in taste and aroma accomplished by fruity, smooth velvety tones. A common sign for white and red wines is an extraordinary varied spectrum of varieties.

**Although** since the 13th century vineyards have been established in Moravia with grape varieties from France and Germany, only cuvée were made at that time, prepared according to traditional customs. Sylvaner, so called "Morávka" used to be

probably the most grown white variety of those days. Also Blauer Portugieser, which Count de Fries brought from Portugal to Austria in 1772, used to be very popular. Červenošpičák, Jakubské, or Modrý Janek are the varieties which vanished due to the phylloxera calamity at the beginning of the 20th century and since that time Grüner Veltliner, Müller Thurgau, Riesling, Welschriesling, Pinot Gris, Blaufränkisch and Saint Laurent varieties have been prevailing.



### MORAVIAN WINE TRAILS





More than a thousand kilometres long network of well-marked cycling trails interlaces the area of all the Moravian wine sub-regions. Wine trails zigzag between vineyards and orchards, connect the most charming places in the Moravian countryside and do not omit one single landmark. Thanks to them you will get to know the Moravian country as a country of picturesque landscape, unique historic monuments and excellent wine. Cycling routes usually lead along quiet roads, some-

> where on dirt and forest roads and you can go on them by mountain

**Diverse geological** origin

and soil conditions, climate

differing from the majority

of European wine-growing

regions and very ragged

countryside relief - these

are three main reasons why

just Moravia offers unique

and endlessly miscellane-

ous wines, which stand out

thanks to their full-bodied

VINEYARDS - SOIL

vineyards in Moravia represents 17,170 hectares.

# **WINE EVENTS**

as well as standard road

bikes. Authors of the idea

of wine trails involved

250 wine municipalities

into this project, marked

1,300 km of routes and

issued special maps for

enough information not only about interesting

places in the region, length of individual trails, but

also about their altitude profile and surface. All

trails are marked by a common logo, which differs

by colour according to individual trail. Interesting

sites and services near the trails are marked by

information signposts, in wine municipalities you

can find information about opened wine cellars,

municipal vinotheques and other points of interest.

Ten tourist circuits offer a number of combinations

for trips and several days long stays, full of active

exercise, pleasant experiences and adventure.

The Moravia Wine Region is composed of four sub-regions: Zno-

jemská, Mikulovská, Velkopavlovická and Slovácká. It involves circa

96 % area of vineyards in the Czech Republic, whilst the total area of

taste and especially gentle spiciness from matured, but not overripe grapes, en-

hancing their freshness. The last twenty years Moravian viticulture went through

a big quality development and our wines today are among the top in Europe.

Complete up-dated calendar of wine events can be found at: www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz.

 From Cellar to Cellar (Velké Bílovice, April)

www.velkobilovictivinari.cz Onen Wine Cellars Festivals

(the Mikulovsko region, 22-23 April 2023; the Znoiemsko region, 4-5 November 2023. the Pálava region 20-21 April 2024; the Podluží region 2-3 November 2024) www.otevrenesklepy.cz

 VOC Znojmo Wine Festival (Znojmo, May)

www.vocznoimo.cz Valtice Wine Markets (Valtice, May), www.vinnetrhy.cz

 Pálava Vintage Festival (Mikulov, September) www.palavske-vinobrani.cz

 Slovácko Wine and Open Sights Festival (Uherské Hradiště, September) www.slavnostivinauh.cz

 Znojmo Historic Vintage Festival (Znojmo, September) www.znojemskevinobrani.cz

 Stum Celebrations (Hustopeče, October www.burcakoveslavnosti.cz

**Open Wine Cellars Day** (Pavlov, November) www.otevrene-sklepy-pavlov.cz

 St. Martin's Wine Tasting (Brno, November) www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz

Open wine cellars services (Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, Bořetice, Čejkovice (okres Hodonín), Dolní Bojanovice, Hustopeče, Kobylí, Mikulčice, Modrá, Mutěnice, Pavlov, Rakvice, Šatov, Velehrad, Velké Bílovice, Velké Pavlovice, Vrbice a Vrbovec) www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz

#### DON'T FORGET TO VISIT SOUTH MORAVIA









Wine municipalities: 30 Vineyard sites: 185 Total area: 4,961 ha WINE



Wine municipalities: 70 Vineyard sites: 321 Total area: 4,766 ha





Wine municipalities: 118 Vineyard sites: 418 Total area: 4,289 ha WINE

SLOVÁCKÁ

**SUB-REGION** 



Not only wine and fruit orchards, but also the Podyjí National Park and medieval castles and chateaux are famous tourist attractions of the Znojmo region. The main variety of the region is Grüner Veltliner, popular also are Riesling, Müller Thurgau, Sauvignon Blanc and Pinot Gris. The environs of Dolní Kounice and

the Jihlava River valley is famous for production of red wines,

# **DON'T FORGET TO VISIT:**

Jewish quarter

especially Blaufränkisch and Saint Laurent.

- Znojmo Romanesque rotunda of St. Catherine and the castle grounds, underground, walls, look-out tower of the town hall and Wolf's tower, church of St. Nicholas
- Louka Monastery in Znojmo Museum of wine-growing and coopery • Dolní Kounice - Ruins of Gothic Monastery Rosa Coeli,

• Rajhrad – Benedictine Monastery, Memorial to Literature in Moravia

- Ivančice Memorial to Art-Nouveau painter Alfons Mucha, Vladimír Menšík exposure, torso railway viaduct
- Podyjí National Park Nový Hrádek, Sealsfield's Rock,
- Šobes vineyard, Hnanice heath • Vrbovec – fun wine educational trail Wine Goat
- Moravský Krumlov The Slav Epic of Alfons Mucha and an observation tower
- **Slup** Renaissance water mill with exposition, Mill race • **Šatov** – Painted Wine Cellar, Zahrada Military log-cabin
- **Miroslav** castle with art exhibits • **Lesná near Znojmo** – museum of motorcycles
- **Chvalovice** exhibition with models of dinosaurs Prehistoric Park

Charming countryside with a dominant feature of limestone slopes of Pálava, which have been planted with vineyards since the time immemorial. This hot piece of land above the Dyje River valley is well-known for the best localities for Welschriesling grape growing. Also Grüner Veltliner, Riesling, Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc do very well there. The Vine Cultivation Station in Perná created the varieties Pálava and Aurelius.

# **DON'T FORGET TO VISIT:**

- Mikulov chateau with wine expositions and giant wine barrel, Holy Hill, Jewish quarter with synagogue and cemetery, Dietrichstein Tomb, Kozí Hrádek look-out, Geopark and Na Turoldu cave
- Sedlec nature trail and tasting stand, Zoo
- Lednice UNESCO site, chateau, greenhouse, Minaret, John's castle, boat rides through the chateau complex, spa
- Novosedly wine nature path "Stará hora"
- Pálava Nature reserve rare steppe fauna and flora, ruins of two
- castles, nature path through the Děvín National Nature Reserve
- Pasohlávky Aqualand Moravia, the most modern aqua-park in the
- Czech Republic • Pavlov – preservation zone, Baroque wine-growers houses,
- municipal vinotheque, Archeopark • **Rendez-vous** – hunting lodge Diana's Temple
- Valtice UNESCO site, chateau, Wine Salon of the Czech Republic, National Agricultural Museum, Chateau wine cellar, Valtice underground, Colonnade at Rajstna – look-out over the Lednice-Valtice Landscape Area

Velké Pavlovice, one of the sunniest and hottest places in the Czech Republic, is thanks to its ideal position and favourable climate and soil conditions a heart of production of red wines, especially Blaufränkisch, Saint Laurent and Zweigelt. White wines are represented by Grüner Veltliner, Müller Thurgau and other most cultivated varieties - Welschriesling, Pinot Gris and-Chardonnay.

# **DON'T FORGET TO VISIT:**

- Velké Bílovice 680 wine cellars
- Velké Pavlovice Nature Path "Through the Region of André"
- Brno Špilberk fortress, Museum of the City of Brno, Moravian Museum, Villa Tugendhat – UNESCO site, cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul, zoo, Brno Dam
- Bořetice Free Federal Republic of Kraví hora • Bučovice – chateau
- Čejkovice fortress and Templar cellars, Sonnentor • Hustopeče – cellar lanes Na Hradbách and Vinařská
- Klobouky u Brna wind mill
- Kobylí wine-growing exposition, Museum • Kurdějov – fortified Gothic church of St. John the Baptist
- Mohyla míru (Peace Memorial) Battle of Austerlitz Memorial, exposition of the Museum of the Brno Region
- Slavkov u Brna chateau, synagogue, golf course • **Těšany** – Baroque smithy with exposition
- Veveří castle

Slovácko is a paradise for lovers of the sun and relaxation; this undulating countryside of vineyards, ancient pilgrimage destinations and local culinary specialities will perfectly revive your body and mind. It is a perfect locality for Riesling, Müller Thurgau and Chardonnay, as well as for red wines - Blaufränkisch and Zweigelt. The Moravian Muscat variety was created in the Cultivation station in Polešovice.

# **DON'T FORGET TO VISIT:**

- Bata Canal boat trips, boat hire
- White Carpathians Protected Landscape Area UNESCO biosphere reserve
- Blatnice pod Sv. Antonínkem complex of wine cellars Stará hora
- **Břeclav** Jewish cemetery, synagogue, Pohansko chateau
- Buchlov castle
- Buchlovice chateau with large garden
- Hodonín spa, Masaryk Museum, zoo
- **Kyjov** Renaissance chateau with expositions of Regional museum • **Mikulčice** – archaeological excavation site, Slavic fortified settlement
- **Mutěnice** complex of wine cellars Búdy with rural paintings
- Petrov complex of wine cellars Plže • Milotice – chateau and complex of wine cellars Šidleny
- **Prušánky** complex of wine cellars Nechory
- **Strážnice** Museum of the village in South-Eastern Moravia • Uherské Hradiště – Mařatice – urban preservation zone of wine cellars
- Velehrad pilgrimage destination
- Vičnov complex of wine cellars in vineyards Kojiny

## MAP - THE MORAVIA WINE REGION LAND OF WINE



NATIONAL Czech CENTER

south moravia south moravia





#### Information centres

Tourist information centre Znojmo Obroková 10, Znojmo, tel.: 515 222 552, www.znojemskabeseda.cz

Information centre Moravský Krumlov

Zámecká 1, Moravský Krumlov tel.: 770 132 566, www.mkrumlov.cz Tourist information centre Dolní Kounice Masarykovo nám. 66/2, Dolní Kounice

tel.: 513 030 427, www.dolnikounice.cz Tourist information centre Mikulov

Náměstí 158/1, Mikulov tel.: 724 987 900, www.infomikulov.cz

**Tourist information centre Lednice** Zámecké nám. 68, Lednice tel.: 733 531 874, www.lednice.cz

**Tourist information centre Valtice** Nám. Svobody 4, Valtice tel.: 734 256 709, www.valtice.eu

Tourist information centre of the Brno city Radnická 365/2, Brno tel.: 513 039 035, www.ticbrno.cz

Tourist information centre Hustopeče Dukelské nám. 42/15, Hustopeče tel.: 530 351 418, www.hustopece.cz

Tourist information centre Velké Pavlovice Hlavní 9, Velké Pavlovice tel.: 519 428 149, www.velke-pavlovice.cz

Information centre of the Hodonín town Národní třída 36, Hodonín tel.: 518 351 437, www.hodonin.eu

Tourist information centre Břeclav Lichtenštejnský dům, U Tržiště 8, Břeclav tel.: 519 326 900, www.breclav.eu

Municipal information centre Uherské Hradiště Masarykovo nám. 21, Uherské Hradiště tel.: 572 525 525, www.uherske-hradiste.cz

#### Wine attractive destinations

Museum of wine-growing and coopery in the Louka Monastery operated by ZNOVÍN ZNOJMO, a.s. Loucký kláštěr, Znojmo tel.: 515 267 458, 606 624 648

> www.znovin.cz Visitors' Centre and tasting of wines and shop with bottled and barrel wines produced by ZNOVÍN ZNOJMO, a.s. sightseeing tour through the Louka

Monastery and Art Gallery Šobes vineyard in Podyjí National Park operated by ZNOVÍN ZNOJMO, a.s. vinevard with tasting of wines of the winery ZNOVÍN ZNOJMO, a.s.

www.znovin.cz Painted Wine Cellar in Šatov operated by Chateau Šatov s.r.o. Šatov, tel.: 721 754 548,

www.malovany-sklep.cz 4 Cross Wine Cellar in Přímětice operated by ZNOVÍN ZNOJMO, a.s. Přímětice, tel.: 515 225 014

www.znovin.cz Gene pool of vine CR operated by AMPELOS, ŠLECHTITELSKÁ STANICE VINAŘSKÁ ZNOJMO, a.s.

Vrbovec 274, Vrbovec tel.: 515 230 103, www.ampelos.cz 6 Znojmo Wine Enotek

operated by VINOTRH, s.r.o Hradní st., 669 02 Znojmo tel.: 702 203 232

www.lahofer.cz

www.vinotrh.cz/enoteka Wine-tasting in Lampelberg castle operated by Vinařství LAHOFER, a.s. Dobšice, tel.: 515 242 756

(3) Wine Salon of the Czech Republic operated by National Wine Centre Národní vinařské centrum, o.p.s, Zámek 1

www.salonvin.cz, www.vinarskecentrum.cz • the highest wine competition and exhibition with tasting and sale of the best wines in CR

Valtice, tel.: 519 352 744, 519 352 072

e-mail: salonvin@vinarskecentrum.cz

 Wine-growing expositions in Mikulov chateau operated by Regional Museum in Mikulov Zámek Mikulov, Zámek 1, Mikulov tel.: 519 309 019, e-mail: rmm@rmm.cz www.rmm.cz

 chateau wine cellar with giant wine barrel gallery of historical spindle presses

10 Chateau wine cellar Valtice operated by Vinné sklepy Valtice, a.s. Vinařská 407, Valtice, tel.: 519 352 330 e-mail: sekretariat@vsvaltice.cz, www.vsvaltice.cz

Permanent exposition of historical wine presses, operated by Národní zemědělské muzeum Valtice, nám. Svobody 8 Valtice, tel.: 519 352 037 e-mail: nzm.valtice@nzm.cz, www.nzm.cz

12 Municipal vinotheque in Pavlov operated by Pavlína Jelečková Na návsi 88, Pavlov, tel.: 602 586 718 e-mail: info@vinotekapavla.cz

www.obec-pavlov.cz 13 Nature path Stará hora operated by Víno Marcinčák e-mail: vino@marcincak.cz www.novosedly.eu

14 Sedlec wine village, nature path and wine-tasting stall operated by ZD Sedlec, tel.: 519 513 328 e-mail: info@sedleckavina.cz www.sedleckavina.cz

15 Hustopeče – museum Town Museum and Gallery – House U Synků

tel.: 530 351 418 www.hustopece.cz e-mail: muzeum@hustopece-citv.cz Free Federal Republic of Kraví hora Bořetice Bořetice, tel.: 606 608 948

Dukelské nám. 23, Hustopeče

e-mail: info@republikakravihora.cz www.republikakravihora.cz Pod Strážním kopcem top of the hill Stráž, Vrbice

www.vinarivrbice.cz 18 Čejkovice – fortress and Templar wine cellars Templářské sklepy Čejkovice, vinařské družstvo Čejkovice 945, tel.: 518 309 011 e-mail: info@templarske-sklepy.cz

www.templarske-sklepy.cz Wine-growing exposition, Museum of Kobylí Osvobození 135, Kobylí, tel.: 519 431 709 e-mail: muzeumkobyli@centrum.cz

www.kobyli.cz 20 Complex of wine cellars Plže

www.obec-petrov.cz/plze 21 Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem www.vinariblatnice.cz

press rooms with wine cellars Stará hora Mutěnice e-mail: info@vinozmutenic.cz

www.vinozmutenic.cz

• urban preservation zone of ground-floor

 complex of wine cellars Búdy with rural Museum of wines and spirits

23 Wine huts (búdy) in the vineyard Kojiny below Stará hora

www.vlcnov-vinari.eu 24 Complex of wine cellars Prušánky www.nechory.cz

Open-air museum Strážnice Strážnice, tel.: 518 332 173 e-mail: info@nulk.cz www.nulk.cz

26 Uherské Hradiště – Mařatice vineyards complex of vineyards and burger Baroque and Classicist cellars and winegrowers' villas e-mail: mic@uherske-hradiste.cz www.uherske-hradiste.cz

#### Tourist attractive estinations

1 Town of Znojmo www.znojmocity.cz

www.znojemsko.info Znojmo underground • Znojmo castle and preserved fortification

• rotunda sv. Catherine, Church of St. Mikuláš etc.

 views from the town hall tower and the Wolf tower sightseeing tours by tourist train

2 Podyjí National Park, www.nppodyji.cz

Kraví hora, Ice Caves, Nový hrádek

Sealsfield's Rock, Šobes,

Hnanice heath

3 Dolní Kounice, www.dolnikounice.cz Rosa Coeli Monastery

• synagogue, Jewish cemetery, castle, chateau Moravský Krumlov, www.mkrumlov.cz renovated chateau with a newly accessible view from the gallery of the castle tower and a complete Slav Epic by Alfons Muchaa

5 Ivančice, www.ivancice.cz Memorial to Art-Nouveau painte Alfons Mucha viaduct on the route Brno-Hrušovany n. Jev.

6 Rajhrad, www.rajhrad.cz Benedictine Monastery, Memorial to Literature in Moravia (exposition of the Brno Region Museum)

Miroslav, www.miroslavskyzamek.cz

 castle with art exhibits 8 Vrbovec, www.cechvrbovec.cz • fun wine educational trail Wine Goat

9 Slup, www.technicalmuseum.cz • technical monument, Renaissance water mill with exposition, Mlýnská strouha (mill race) – artificial water canal from

the 14th century 10 Šatov, www.technicalmuseum.cz

• The area of Czechoslovakia fortress and iron curtains with log house Zahrada Town of Mikulov, www.mikulov.cz

• Baroque chateau, Holy Hill with in Moravia the church of St. Sebastian, look-out Kozí hrádek Jewish quarter, synagogue

• holy Trinity Column, Dietrichstein Tomb • church of St. Wenceslas, church of St. John the Baptist

12 Town of Valtice, www.valtice.eu

 chateau of Lichtenstein family church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary • Colonnade Rajstna - look-out

B Lednice na Moravě www.lednice.cz

• chateau, greenhouse • Minaret, John's castle

14 Rendez-vous (Diana's Temple) - hunting lodge www.zamek-valtice.cz

Too Sedlec www.zoosedlec.cz

16 Boat trips through the chateau park Lednice, www.plavby-lednice.cz/en/

17 Pálava Protected Landscape Area www.palava.cz

• Dívčí hrady castle, Sirotčí hrad castle • nature path NPR Děvín • nature path and geopark Na Turoldu

18 Cave Na Turoldu, www.caves.cz 19 Archeopark Pavlov www.archeoparkpavlov.cz

20 Holiday resort Pasohlávky www.pasohlavky.cz swimming and water sports

> fishing • archaeological exposition of the Romans

21 City of Brno, www2.brno.cz • Špilberk fortress, Museum of the City of Brno • Villa Tugendhat, UNESCO site • Moravian Museum

• cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul

ZOO Brno, Brno Dam

Žejkovice – SONNENTOR, organic teas &

of St. John the Baptist

to the Battle of Austerlitz

www.muzeumbrnenska.cz

28 Golf Club Austerlitz, www.aca.cz

27 Chateau Slavkov u Brna

29 Těšany

31 Židlochovice

www.zamek-slavkov.cz

30 Veveří Castle, www.veveri.cz

• chateau park with game-park

33 Milotice Chateau, www.npu.cz

34 Baťa Canal, www.batacanal.cz

35 Břeclav, www.dobreclavi.cz

www.aquapark-uh.cz

32 Němčičky, www.sportnemcicky.cz

www.zidlochovice.cz

• in winter ski slope

• exposition of the Brno Region Museum

• Baroque smithy with exposition – technical

monument, www.technicalmuseum.cz

sport. complex with outdoor swimming pool

Neo-Romanesque Jewish synagogue

Aqua-park, www.slovackemuzeum.cz,

and cemetery, Pohansko chateau

36 Uherské Hradiště – Slovácko Museum,

 Renaissance Town Hall organic spices, www.sonnentor.cz Regional Museum 23 Chateau Bučovice, www. zamek-bucovice.cz 38 Velehrad, www.velehrad.cz 24 Klobouky u Brna – wind mill • pilgrimage destination, basilica of the Assump-

technical monument tion of the Virgin Mary and of Sts. Cyril and www.kloboukyubrna.eu 25 Kurdějov, www.obec-kurdejov.cz 39 Archeoskanzen Modrá, www.archeoskanzen.cz fortified Gothic church

40 Buchlov Castle, www.hrad-buchlov.cz

(12) Castle Cimburk near Koryčany www.cimburk.eu

37 Kyjov, www.mestokyjov.cz

43 Hodonín

• Spa Hodonín, www.laznehodonin.cz • Masaryk Museum, www.masaryk.info Zoo Hodonín, www.zoo-hodonin.cz

44 Kuželov – wind mill, technical monument www.technicalmuseum.cz

45 Mikulčice – Slavonic fortified settlement and nature path, www.mikulcice.cz

46 Starý Poddvorov – wind mill,

technical monument, www.poddvorov.cz 47 Ratíškovice – Ratíškovice railway • pedal draisines, Museum in the Wagon

www.ratiskovice.com 48 Topolná – rural architecture complex

open-air museum, www.slovackemuzeum.cz 49 Tvarožná Lhota, www.tvarozna-lhota.cz

 Museum of serviceberry trees • Travičná – look-out tower, chalet, small museum of local Kopanice timber houses, ecological nature path, arboretum

50 Staré Město – Memorial to Great Moravia "Na Valách", www.slovackemuzeum.cz