

### HISTORICAL SIGHTS

# 1 Znojmo

www.znoiemskabeseda.cz, +420 515 222 552

A centre of tourism, transport, culture and business. A settlement town of the Moravian Přemyslids with preserved monuments from the Great Moravian Empire to Modernism. Historical City of 2010.

#### 2 Znojmo Underground

www.znojemskabeseda.cz, +420 515 221 342

The largest labyrinth of underground passageways in Central Europe. A classic route with scenes from the town history and audio-visual effects.

#### 3 Town Hall tower, Znojmo

www.znojemskabeseda.cz, +420 739 389 094

The Town Hall Tower with its unique roof structure is an inherent feature of the town. The tower walkway offers amazing views of the town and its surroundings.

#### 4 Znojmo Fortifications www.znojemskabeseda.cz, +420 515 222 552

A guided tour features medieval walls and six towers of the best fortified city between Vienna and Prague

# The South Moravian Museum in

www.muzeumznojmo.cz, +420 515 282 211

The greatest treasures of the region are hidden in 6 buildings of the Znojmo Museum: the Minorite Monastery, the Rotunda of St. Catherine, Znojmo Castle, the House of Arts, Prokop Diviš (inventor of the lightning rod) Memorial in Přímětice and Cornštein Castle Ruins.

#### 6 Moravský Krumlov

www.mkrumlov.cz, +420 515 321 064

The town of the Moravian Liechtensteins, dominated by a Renaissance chateau surrounded by a park with rare conifers. Stunning views from the lookout point at the Chapel of St. Florian.

www.mesto-miroslav.cz, +420 515 333 201-2

A town of wine and apricots. A newly renovated chateau, a former water fortress, with exhibition halls and a record jigsaw-puzzle collection of paintings of the Slav Epic by Alfons Mucha.

#### 8 Jevišovice

www.jevisovice.cz, +420 515 231 225

A town with an unprecedented number of historical sights and the oldest reservoir in the Czech Republic. The Old chateau hosts the collections of the Moravian Museum and a geographical exhibition.

#### 9 Vranov nad Dyjí

www.ouvranov.cz, +420 515 296 285

A small town romantically settled at the threshold of the Podvií National Park with its famous castle known as the jewel of European Baroque and the popular recreational area of the Vranov Reservoir.

#### 10 Bítov Castle

www.hrad-bitov.cz, +420 515 294 622

One of the oldest castles in the Czech Republic with romantic interiors, a rare armoury, a castle brewery and the world's largest stuffed dog collection

#### 11 Uherčice Chateau

www.zamek-uhercice.cz, +420 515 298 396 Thanks to its preserved examples of architectural and artistic periods it is referred to as the "textbook of styles". The castle is surrounded

by extensive gardens and an English park.

#### 12 Cornštejn Castle ruins

www.muzeumznojmo.cz, +420 515 282 211

The once massive fortress guarding the country's borders comes to life in the summer months with fencing duels, theatre events or fire shows.

# 13 Nový Hrádek u Lukova Castle ruins

www.hrad-novyhradek.cz, +420 515 296 215 A unique and valuable symbiosis of nature and ancient history. The ruins of the castle are stand among the wild countryside of the Podyjí

#### **TECHNICAL MONUMENTS**

14 Slup Water Mill www.technicalmuseum.cz, www.slup.cz,

+420 515 235 370 A Renaissance mill with four functional water wheels, it is one of the most significant and architecturally most remarkable technical monuments in this country.

### (15) Vedrovice Wind Wheel

www.vedrovice.cz, +420 515 337 332

A wind turbine - a bladed wind wheel with a water pump - has been preserved in Vedrovice in its original condition from 1912.

# 16 Memorial of the Iron Curtain in Čížov

www.nppodyji.cz, +420 515 291 630 The last fragment of the original border barriers of the so-called Iron Curtain, once impermeably dividing the socialist East and the imperialist West.

#### 17 Czechoslovak war fortifications An extensive network of military buildings es-

tablished along the borders of Czechoslovakia in 1935-1938. Accessible sites:

#### A CZ fortifications compound with MJ-S 3 infantry cabin "Zahrada" Šatov www.technicalmuseum.cz

- B MJ-S 4 infantry cabin "Zatáčka" Chvalovice www.mi-s4.cz
- C A small Borders Defense Museum in Dyjákovičky, www.dyjakovicky.cz
- D Museum of Czechoslovak fortification 1938, Slup, www.nezradime1938.cz
- E Infantry cabin MJ-S 15 "Závora" Dyjákovice www.mjs15.cz
- F Fortress museum, Vranov http://muzeum-vranov.sweb.cz
- G Museum of Czechoslovak fortification 1935-1938, Moravský Krumlov www.minimuzeum.com

#### CHURCH TOURISM

18 Bohutice

www.bohutice.cz, +420 515 336 315

A unique set of religious sights in a village famous for apricots. The local chateau houses a collection of 54 carved statues of the Way of the Cross with valuable craftsmanship.

#### 19 Hluboké Mašůvky

www.hlubokemasuvky.cz, +420 515 255 225

A renowned pilgrimage site with a rich history and a healing well. Also, there's an important archaeological site where the celebrated prehistoric Mašůvky Venus statuettes were found.

#### 20 Hrabětice

www.hrabetice.eu, +420 515 229 404

A renovated Calvary trail, a place of pilgrimage on the edge of the village. Contemporary Stations of the Cross, a chapel and an artificially created Marian cave.

# 21 Jiřice near Moravské Budějovice

http://jirice17.cz, +420 777 990 049

A meditation and rest area in the countryside inviting you to calm down and meditate. Stations of the Cross with mystical paintings, Anička observation tower and meditation hermitage hidden in the forest.

# 22 Rotunda of St. Katherine, Znojmo

www.muzeumznojmo.cz, +420 515 222 311

A Romanesque rotunda from the end of the 11th century with unique inner frescoes representing the Marian cycle and a unique gallery of the Přemyslid princes of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> centuries.

23 Podyjí National Park

www.nppodyji.cz, +420 515 282 240

The youngest and smallest National Park in the Czech Republic, undisturbed countryside, the

meandering River Dyje, romantic views.

#### Krumlov-Rokytná puddingstones, **National Nature Reserve**

www.mkrumlov.cz, +420 515 321 064

Interesting puddingstone rocks, romantic coves and dense forests in the rugged valley of the Rokytná river. An educational trail leads through the area.

#### 25 Miroslav Hills nature site

www.mesto-miroslav.cz, 515 333 201-2

Rare rock formations and vegetation of thermophilous steppes preserved on seven separate hills around Miroslav.

# 26 Jevišovka river nature park

www.jevisovice.cz, +420 515 231 225

Romantic canyon of the Jevišovka river with many rocks, meadows and deep forests. The territory is protected due to its exceptional natural and aesthetic value.

#### 27 Karlov Nature Reserve

www.hrusovansko.cz, +420 601 563 140

This reservation is one of the oldest in the Znojmo region. Original forest vegetation and rare species of plants grow here, the Valley of Love is covered by snowdrops in spring.

#### TTRACTIONS WITH WINE TASTIN

Louka Monastery, Znojmo www.znovin.cz, +420 515 267 458

Monumental baroque monastery grounds along with a wine centre, gallery and viticulture and coopery museum. Wine tasting and sales of regional products.

#### 29 Vlk Tower, Znoimo

www.vocznoimo.cz, +420 777 323 136 A specialized VOC Znojmo viticulture information centre located in a lookout tower, which is

#### part of the town fortification Šaldorf Wine Cellars www.saldorf-sedlesovice.cz,

+420 515 227 910 A picturesque valley dotted with wine cellars of various shapes and colours that are hollowed out of sandstone. There's always at least one cellar open.

## 31) Vrbovec Wine Cellar Lane www.obec-vrbovec.cz,

+420 515 230 183

An architecturally unique lane of about 260 wine cellars and still functional winepress houses that beckons you to visit and taste wines from Znojmo's largest wine village

## Chvalovice Wine Cellar Lane www.vinarichvalovice.cz,

+420 515 230 461

An authentic wine cellar lane hidden away in the valley of the Daníž stream next to a picturesque forest park offering opportunities for active leisure pursuits.

#### 33 Jaroslavice Wine Cellar Lanes

www.obec-jaroslavice.cz, +420 515 275 123

A wine-producing village with three wine cellar lanes and around 90 wine cellars and a landscape dominated by the third-largest fishpond in Moravia and a Renaissance chateau.

#### 34 Šobes Vineyard

www.znovin.cz, +420 515 266 620

One of the best vineyards in Europe. The pristine countryside of Podyjí National Park and its unique microclimate provide the preconditions for excellent wines.

# 35 Lampelberg Wine Castlet

www.obec-vrbovec.cz, +420 515 230 183

A romantic castlet with a small tower and terrace offers an enchanting view of the surrounding vineyards as well as wine tasting.

#### 36 VINObus

www.vinobus.cz, +420 777 323 136

A special cycle-bus connecting the best wineries in the Znoimo region with hiking and cycling. 13 stops, 50 km and 19 wineries on the route of the only wine-focused cycle-bus in the Czech Republic.

#### DISCOVER BEER CULTURE

37 Brewing Exhibition, Znojmo

www.znojemskabeseda.cz, +420 734 767 286

A contemporary exhibition presents the history of beer in Znojmo, including original technology from 1930, videos and an educational children's corner.

#### 38 Znojmo Municipal Brewery

www.pivovarznojmo.cz, +420 515 220 200 A brewery, romantically situated in the premises of Znojmo Castle, in sight of St. Catherine's Rotunda. Tours of the production process and tastings of their current beers.

#### 39 Bítov Firemen's Brewery

www.pivovarbitov.cz, +420 515 294 616

A family brewery built in a former firehouse, which focuses on traditional beer production with bottom fermentation and maturing in lager tanks.

## **SPOTS FOR FAMILIES** /ITH CHILDREN

40 Vranovská pláž (Vranov Beach)

www.vranovska-plaz.cz, +420 724 101 725 Vranov Reservoir, 'The Moravian Adriatic' is one of our warmest and cleanest lakes. Vranovská Pláž Holidav Park offers families with children its rooms and playgrounds, animation programmes and creative workshops.

# A Trail with Hugo the Salamander, Gránice valley in Znojmo

www.lesyznojmo.cz, +420 515 224 402 An interactive educational trail that playfully presents the wildlife of our forests to children and adults. Wooden playground equipment and an easy route suitable for beginner cyclists and

# 42 'Grape Goat' in Vrbovec

www.obec-vrbovec.cz, +420 515 230 183

A wine educational trail also suitable for families with children, which shows a year on the vineyard, the old wine-making traditions and the wine-growing area of the village.

# 43 Chvalovice children's playground www.chvalovice.cz, +420 515 230 461

The largest playground in the Znojmo region with attractive play equipment. The adjacent extensive forest park is suitable for relaxation, cycling or in-line skating.

#### Merlin's Children's World and Terra Technica Museum, Chvalovice-Hatě

www.excaliburcity.com, + 420 515 206 301

One of the largest children's fun centres in the Czech Republic, combining play elements on the ground, in the air and in the water, adjacent to the world's greatest Jukebox & pinball time travel museum.

#### PORTS AND ADRENALIN

45 Cycling

# www.cyklo-jizni-morava.cz

Cycling routes leading to the most interesting historical, cultural, nature and educational spots in the Znoimo region:

- A Plain Field a trail through the Hrušovany region suitable for families with children (44 km).
- **B** Through Fields and Vineyards connects and extends the Plain Field cycle trail (25 km).
- C Mucha Bike Trail through the Hrušovany region, inspired by the famous painter Alfons Mucha (20 km).
- **D** Around Vranov through a region of castles, châteaux, castle ruins and beautiful countryside (55 km).
- E National Park Trail a trail leading through rugged terrain and beautiful countryside (23 km)
- F Six Towns Route connects Znojmo and Vranov areas (46 km).
- **G Wine-Growers' Country** a circular route connecting the wine-growing villages around 7noimo (33 km)
- H Two Rivers Trail a circuit through the picturesque Jevišovka Nature Park (53 km).
- | Krumlov-Jevišovice region trail surprising views along a route leading through less frequented roads (84 km).
- J Krumlov Region Trail the history of the area around Jihlava and Rokytná rivers, a romantic trail on the northern border of the Znojmo region (49 km).
- K Miller's Cycle Trail trans-regional cycling route linking the history of milling in South Moravia, Vysočina and Lower Austria.
- L EuroVelo 13 Iron Curtain Trail Europe's longest cycling trail, copying the former guarded border between East and West.
- X Moravian Wine Trails a unique network of cycling routes through South Moravia, the Znojmo trail being the longest (189 km linking 55 wine-growing villages).

46 Znovín Scooter Trail, Znojmo-Louka

#### www.znovin.cz, +420 515 266 620 An easy circular trail for scooters or beginner cyclists, it runs across flat terrain along both banks of the Dyje River. It begins and ends by the Louka

Monastery. Bike and scooter rental nearby. 47 Cyklo Klub Znojmo

www.cykloklubznojmo.cz, +420 608 736 135 First International Cycling Services and Information Centre in the Czech Republic. Bicycles, electric bikes, scooters and quadricycles for

# hire; cycling events for the public. 48 Moravský Krumlov DiscGolf course

www.mkrumlov.cz, +420 515 321 064 The extensive château park with rare conifers is also a natural discoolf course.

49 Moravský Krumlov swimming pool www.koupaliste-mor-krumlov.webnode.cz, +420 702 555 928

Outdoor pools with slides, a water slide, water castle, hot tub and paddling pool. Table tennis, skittles, snacks...

#### Znojmo-Louka municipal swimming pool www.plovarnalouka-znojmo.cz, +420 515 210 280

A grassy area in front of the Baroque Louka monastery with a number of heated swimming pools, waterslide and a children's paddling pool. Beach volleyball, streetball, football, tennis, refreshments...

#### Paddling Trail River Dyje, 61 Old Waterworks in Znojmo http://pujcovna.vodaci.org, +420 727 841 363

This gentle river flowing through the romantic canyon of the Podyjí National Park and wine-growing areas is suitable for beginners.

# 52 Znovín Walking

www.znovin.cz, +420 515 266 620

7 light and 7 medium-heavy Nordic-walking routes leading through the vineyards of Znojmo and Podyjí National Park.

# Adrenalin trails in Znojmo **Underground**

www.znojemskabeseda.cz, +420 515 221 342

Europe's largest labyrinth of underground passageways also offers 3 adrenaline trails of varving difficulty.

Hotel Savannah, Chvalovice-Hatě

http://znojmo.twhotels.cz, +420 515 284 084

Comfortable accommodation, a restaurant with refined cuisine, modern congress facilities and a top wellness centre.

#### 55 Premium Hotel, Znojmo

www.premiumhotel.cz, +420 515 224 595

A Wellness & Wine hotel also offers gourmet cuisine, wellness and relaxation and conference facilities.

# 56 U Tesařů, Bítov

www.utesaru.cz, +420 737 842 777

A family-run guest house and restaurant with renowned cuisine and beer specialties, offering apartment cottages in Bítov-Horka.

# 57 Vranovská pláž (Vranov Beach)

www.vranovska-plaz.cz, +420 724 101 725 One of the best-rated camping sites in the Czech Republic, offers accommodation in quest houses, mobile homes, apartments, cottages and reserved caravan and tent sites, with

# a rich gastronomy selection.

58 VINOtrh

www.vinotrh.cz, +420 727 876 093 A unique e-shop with an on-line selection of the most interesting wines from the Znoimo wine region, an overview of the wineries and

### winery accommodation. 59 ZNOJMÁČEK Experience electric bus

www.znojmacek.cz, +420 737 449 099 An ecological tourist minibus presenting not

only the history and attractions of Znojmo, but

# also regional food and drinks.

ENTERTAINMENT AND SERVICES 60 Excalibur City, Chvalovice-Hatě

www.excaliburcity.com, +420 515 206 301 One of the largest shopping and entertainment centres in the Czech Republic, Merlin's Children's World, Terra Technica Museum and

#### a sports airport. 61 Hudba Znojmo

www.hudbaznojmo.cz, +420 777 176 854

Excellent music combined with delicious Znojmo wine - the winter JazzFest Znojmo and summer international Music Festival Znoimo.

# 62 REMO Agency, Znojmo

and neighbouring Austria.

www.remo-agency.com, +420 737 449 099 Quality guide services not only in the Znojmo and Podvií areas, but also throughout Moravia

# 63 Znojemsko.info

www.znojemsko.info, +420 515 227 788

Comprehensive information, not only for tourists, in the on-line and printed version of the regional quide. Tourist destinations, services and events.