



MADE BY LOCALS
FOR YOUNG TRAVELLERS
FREE MAP

ACT LIKE A (LOCAL) DRAGON

The Flying Dragon or See Things from a Different Perspective

OLD TOWN HALL is not only the home of our dragon but it also offers wonderful views over the Brno rooftops. Once you are there you can visit the Tourist Information Centre and ask about two more legends connected with this place – the one about the wheel on the wall by the dragon and the one about the crooked spike at the portal of the town hall.

A rooftop of the **MARKETPLACE** (most of the time) open for the public and offers a nice view of Zelyňřh (→ 8) and the surrounding streets. On your way up don't forget to treat yourself with some baked goods, a pint of craft beer or a cup of artisan coffee which are all to be found in the building.

As Quick as the Dragon Flies: Fly through the Town like a Local

There are many secret passages in the city centre that might be a shortcut – or the exact opposite because a hidden treasure can be found there. For example, the **ALFA PASSAGE** leads the famous flea markets or the **PASSAGE BY THE STONE MAIDEN** leads to a cute small courtyard and a well hidden Rimke nřmřřř (Roman Square).

ALFA PASSAGE connecting POŠTOVSKÁ 6 and JANSKÁ 12 streets

With our mighty dragon/creature as a guide, you will never get lost! Here are our fiery local tips for you to enjoy the most from Brno.



HOW THE DRAGON TALE BEGAN

Have you been wondering why a dragon became the symbol of our city?

It all started a long time ago, when a mighty dragon decided to settle in a cave in our city by the river Svatava. However, it wasn't the best neighbour – instead of helping the citizens, the hungry dragon chose to terrorise them and eat anything and anyone who came across its way. Nobody was brave enough to stand up to this bully. Until one day, a young traveller who was wandering the streets of Brno (just like you!), heard the story in a pub and decided to try his luck. He asked for the skin of an ox and a bag of unslaked lime. The wise traveller created a bag out of the skin and filled it with the building material. He then came to the river, laid the skin on the riverbank, and hid in the bushes. Just moments later, the dragon came and fell into the trap. The poor dragon ate the skin, then quenched its thirst with some water and took a nap. If only the dragon knew it was its last nap. The lime expanded in the creature's stomach, causing its death and ending the suffering of the poor Brno citizens. Back then a petrifying tyrant, now an inseparable symbol of the city, reminding us of how brave people can save the world.

Local tip: Wanna take a selfie with a dragon? Find the **OLD TOWN HALL**, that is the place where it rests!

OLD TOWN HALL RADNICKÁ 8



Mandatory Famous Shops at Petrov

For those craving a blend of history and adventure, **Petrov** is a must-see hill in the city centre. Begin your journey at the iconic **CATHEDRAL OF ST. PETER AND PAUL**, where the bells ring at 11:00 instead of noon (read the legend about it above!) and climb its towers for a unique view of Brno. Take a moment to relax at the **HAVEŁ'S PLACE** below the cathedral in Copichův Garden, which is a tribute to the first Czech president Václav Havel. It's perfect for reflection and conversation. Then, venture into **DENIS GARDENS** offering a rich view from Špilberk Castle all the way to the distant Palava wine region. This is a favourite place of many young people who go there on a date night or just to hang out with their friends, especially on a summer evening.

CATHEDRAL OF ST. PETER AND PAUL
PETROV 9 Out-Apr: Mon to Sat 11:00–16:45, Sun 12:00–16:45; May-Sep: Mon to Sat 10:00–18:15, Sun 12:00–18:15

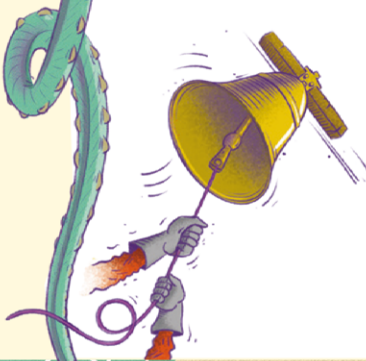
HAVEŁ'S PLACE KAPUCINSKÉ TERASY
near ULIČKA VÁCLAVA HAVLA
DENIS GARDENS BISKUPSKÁ 569



HOW WAS BRNO ONCE SAVED BY THE BELL

During the Thirty Years' War, the Swedish army led by general Torsten tried to conquer Brno but failed.

Do you know why? After months of besieging the city, the general decided to give it until the noon of the following day before retreating from Brno. However, thanks to a chatty drunk Swede and a smart baker (... or was it a pub owner? Nobody knows anymore!), people of Brno outsmarted the Swedes by ringing the bell of Petrov church on hour earlier and thus forcing the army to give up. And the bell chiming at 11:00 every day keeps reminding us that we should never give up hope (and keep drinking beer!).



A Guide to Lidi z Baru: Finding the Perfect Bar for Your Night Out in Brno

Lidi z Baru is a collective of passionate bartenders and visionaries who have transformed Brno's nightlife with their innovative concepts.

BAR, KTERÝ NĚKUSTUJE ('Bar that doesn't exist') is the place that started a cocktail revolution in Brno when it first opened. This legendary bar features a New York vibe with comfy sofas and atmosphere resembling the Roaring Twenties and apart from their signature cocktails you can get a juicy burger there as well.

A Brno staple, **APOKOJE** ('Apocalypse'), is the place that gets you going through the night. As of summer 2024, they are undergoing a historic transformation so make sure to keep an eye on their website and social media! (psst, we heard rumours about a cocktail bar!). We are sure of one thing – they will not disappoint!

SUPER PANDA CIRCUS is a whimsical bar that blends theatrical elements with top-notch mixology, and with a concept menu that changes regularly, it creates an experience that is as entertaining as it is delicious. Make sure you check their website or socials to see what the current concept is about. If you're visiting Brno in summer, visit **ZÁRDAN**, a pop-up bar by Super Panda Circus at Brno's Špilberk Castle Park.

At **SLAŠT** ('Delight'), indulgence is taken to new heights. This underground liki bar is a tropical island paradise where creative cocktails (both alcoholic and non-alcoholic) meet a sensual atmosphere.

CITY CENTRE



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6 minutes walk
400 m

the **ALFA PASSAGE** hosts the famous flea market or the **PASSAGE BY THE STONE MAIDEN** leads to a cute small courtyard and a well hidden **Rimské náměstí** (Roman Square).

ALFA PASSAGE
connecting POŠTOVSKÁ 6 and JÁNSKÁ 12 streets
PASSAGE BY THE STONE MAIDEN
connecting OULI 16 and FRANTIŠKÁNSKÁ streets

A Guide to Brno's Street Art Scene: What Does the Dragon Do When Brno Sleeps

Wander through Brno's streets, and you might just stumble into a conversation with **TIMO**, the city's own Banksy, whose art turns silent walls into storytellers. With each mural, graffiti, or hidden message, Timo weaves tales of humour, introspection, and commentary on the world's stage. Brno becomes a canvas of curiosity, inviting you to decode its urban language.

As you venture further into the city streets, you'll most likely discover black-and-white street art and concrete statues characteristic for the Cejl area, the so-called Brno Bronx, or simply **BRNOX ART GALLERY**. It is also where **THE MUSEUM OF ROMANI CULTURE** and the storied walls of **KAZNICE** weave the tapestry of the rich cultural heritage and city's complex history together. Make sure to book your guided tour of

Kaznice, a former prison originating in the 18th century, with Brno's Journal Information Centre!

WINE BAR for an unique ambience, where Timo's art meets the Moravian wine cellar tradition, crafting the perfect finale to your day's adventure.

TIMO → www.mopolic.com/time

THE MUSEUM OF ROMANI CULTURE BRATISLAVSKÁ 67 Tue to Sun 10:00–18:00

KAZNICE BRATISLAVSKÁ 68
→ www.stupenkyxibcbrno.cz/
profil@kaznice-mn-celje

KAPLE WINE BAR VRCHLICEHO SAD 4
→ fs.com/kaplebrno and → ig.com/kaplebrno

Turn the page to find these places on the map.

ŠTÍTUL FEST – a reminder of Brno's Jewish heritage.

Get Ready to Eat Like a Dragon

Czech cuisine is hearty and flavourful, with a strong emphasis on meats, potatoes, and root vegetables. Let us introduce you to some of our traditional treasured dishes:

► **Svíčková:** Beef sirloin in a creamy vegetable sauce, served with bread dumplings.

► **Goulash:** A rich, paprika-infused stew typically made with beef. (Yes, we know it originates in Hungary – no, we don't care!)

► **Knedlíky:** Dumplings made from bread or potatoes, often served with meats and gravies as a side dish. There is also a sweet version, e.g. *ovoceknedlíky* which are dumplings filled with strawberries, blueberries, or some other fruit filling.

► **Vepřo-knedlo-zelo:** Roast pork (*vepřo*) with dumplings (*knedlo*) and sauerkraut (*zelo*).

► **Zelňačok:** A soup made from sauerkraut, sweet paprika, caraway seeds and pieces of *Klobások* (sausage).

► **Roast duck:** Often served with red cabbage and potato dumplings.

Looking for a meat-free option?

► **Smazový sýr:** Breaded and fried cheese, commonly served with tartar sauce and fries or boiled potatoes.

Make sure to pair these dishes with refreshing Czech beer for the ultimate dining experience (and to help digest everything eaten)! And if you want a non-alcoholic yet still typically Czech drink, definitely try *Koláča* (the main rival to other caffeine-based soft drinks).



POV: you crave local products, so you step

into **ZEINÁK** (officially *Zelnyřín*, a vegetable market). For centuries, locals have traded in fresh produce, flowers and more in this place.

The upper part of the market also offers refreshments, especially in summer. After enjoying fresh snacks, feel like a Brno dragon while exploring the **UNDERGROUND LABYRINTH**, a maze of medieval passages and cellars.

ZEINÁK MARKET ZEINÝŘÍH
usually Mon–Mon to Fri 06:00–18:00, Sat 06:00–14:00
UNDERGROUND LABYRINTH
ZEINÝŘÍH 21 Tue to Sun 09:00–18:00

Venturing into the Dragon's Lair

Have you already visited the Underground Labyrinth below **Zeinák**, the Water Tanks at **Zlínýř kopek**, and even spent the night at 10-Z Bunker? There are more underground mysteries to uncover!

Start the spine-chilling journey through the **OSUARY** below St. James Church, boasting the second-highest number of human remains in Europe. If you think you are a tough guy, head down into the **CAPUCHIN CRYPT** and see the notoriously mummified bodies of friars. No into bones? No problem! Head to **LAPIDARIUM** at Špilberk Castle for a tour of a place where a vast collection of stone sculptures, gravestones and ornaments rest. And for a modern twist, don't miss the **CELLAR UNDER THE NEW TOWN HALL**, where history meets virtual reality, offering a tour experience like no other.

OSUARY JAKUBSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ
Tue to Sun 09:30–18:00

CAPUCHIN CRYPT JAKUBSKÉ NÁM. 5
Apr–Oct: Mon to Sat 09:00–17:00, Sun 11:00–17:00,
Nov–Mar: Mon to Sat 10:00–16:00, Sun 11:00–16:30

LAPIDARIUM ŠPILBERK 210/1
usually 09:00–18:00, Apr–Sep: Mon to Sun, Oct–Mar: Tue to Sun
CELLAR UNDER THE NEW TOWN HALL
DOMINIKÁNSKÉ NÁM. 1
Wed to Mon 09:30–18:00 (last entry at 17:15)

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Enter the original **WHISKEY BAR, KTERÝ NEEEXISTUJE** just outside the city centre or the newer sibling **WHISKY KÁČ** (yes, we loved it so much that there are two of them). This hidden gem is a place where the art of whiskey, beer and ciders is celebrated and it offers an extensive selection of whiskeys from around the world. You will feel as if you've just entered a homely Irish pub on a rainy day.

► **Local tip:** Not sure which drink will be your favourite? Close the menu and your eyes, whisper your wishes and preferences to your attentive server, and get ready to be blown away by the perfect drink they bring!

BAR, KTERÝ NEEEXISTUJE
DVOŘÁKOVA 1
Sun to Tue 17:00–02:30, Wed to Thu 17:00–02:30,
Fri to Sat 17:00–02:30

4POKOJE VACHOVA 6
→ www.milujte4pokojecy.cz

► fs.com/4pokojebcbrno → ig.com/4pokojebcbrno

ŠILUNOROV NÁMĚSTÍ 3
Mon to Tue 17:00–02:00, Wed to Sat 18:00–02:00

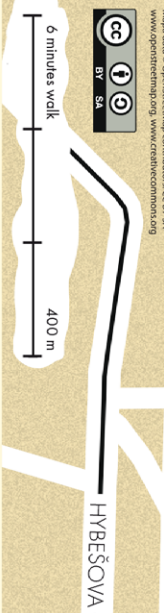
ZÁRDAN HLÍDAKA 2
→ fs.com/zardanbyzsuperpanda

SLAŠT ZEINÝŘÍH 10
Sun to Tue 17:00–01:00, Fri to Sat 17:00–02:00

WHISKEY BAR, KTERÝ NEEEXISTUJE
GORKÉHO 58 Mon to Thu 17:00–24:00,
Fri to Sat 17:00–01:00, Sun 17:00–23:00

WHISKY KÁČ
BĚHOUNSKÁ 22
Mon to Thu 17:00–24:00, Fri to Sat 17:00–02:00

www.dragoncamping.com/czechrecommending



From Dumplings to Goulash: Czech Cuisine Adventure

LOKAL U CAPIA serves a modern take on a traditional Czech pub. The decor includes local caricatures, creating a fun atmosphere. Must-try dishes include *svíčková*, *zelňačok* and *smazový sýr* all made from fresh and local ingredients, accompanied by the perfectly treated beer from the tank.

Located right on Brno's main square, **UTOMANA** restaurant combines historical charm with a contemporary dining experience. You'll find a variety of Czech dishes here, including traditional soups, roasted meats, and delicious desserts. This place even has its own small brewery and if you need a place to crash, they also offer accommodation. Slide quest: Find the names of famous Brno citizens who used to work the restaurant's stairs in the past.

VÝČEP NA STOLÁKA is the heart of the vibrant city centre like, especially in summer with its long warm evenings. The name translates as ‘standing pub’, meaning the customers often stand on the street (or sit on the pavement) while enjoying their drinks and meals. You'll find some delicious traditional snacks that are just perfect together with the cool brew this place serves. Try the pickled cumberland or spicy sausage as a cold snack and the more substantial roasted pork boneless knee.

LOKAL U CAPIA KOZÍ 3
Mon to Thu 11:00–24:00, Fri to Sat 11:00–01:00,
Sun 11:00–22:00

UTOMANA NÁMĚSTÍ SVOBODY 22
Sun to Thu 11:00–24:00, Fri to Sat 11:00–24:00

VÝČEP NA STOLÁKA JAKUBSK
BĚHOUNSKÁ 16
Mon to Fri 12:00–23:30, Sat to Sun 14:00–23:30

The Necessary Fuel before Travelling

Backpack? Check. Ticket? Check. Ca right into the vein? Well... For a moment, **THE ROSES COFFEE STORE** right at the bus station at Grand Hotel! This fancy cups calm your nerves before you

When you also forget to pack coffee worldwide selection of specialty coffee you wonder whether you accidentally entered heaven. Their luxurious toilet with Grand Hotel are definitely other **BENĚŠOVA 18**
Mon to Fri 07:00–19:00, Sat to Sun 08:00–18:00

Secrets and Sins at Cabaret des Pêchés

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DOMINIKÁNSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 2
→ www.cabaretdespeches.com
programme-based opening hours, usually 18:00–02:00





TRAVELLING

Public Transport

Bus or tram routes may change due to roadworks, so check the schedules on DPMBrno app or ask a local.

► Tickets

Cash: Yellow ticket machines (at some bus/tram stops), newspaper shops and TIC (see below).

Card: Yellow ticket machines at Main Train Station (Hlavní nádraží) and Malinovo náměstí stops, directly in the vehicle (tap your card against the reader to check out) – works only with Visa, Mastercard, Google Pay and Apple Pay. App: DMBBrno (Android & iOS) English version available. SMS: CZ phone numbers only: Text: BRNO207 (20 min/20 CZK, 'BRNO' 75 min/29 CZK), 'BRNOD' (24 hours/99 CZK) to 90206. Don't forget to buy the ticket before boarding the bus/tram!

Priciest Single tickets used for trams, trolley-buses and buses:
15 min – 30 CZK, 60 min – 35 CZK, 90 min – 33 CZK, 24 hours – 90 CZK, 5 days – 250 CZK

Local tips: On weekends you can use a single 24-hour ticket for 2 people. Long-term passes can be bought in the DPMBrno (Brno City Transport Company) office at Novobranská 18 (closed on Sunday).

Shared Scooters
LIME: Green scooters available on the streets, download Lime app. **BOLTI:** Light green scooters available on the streets, download Bolt app.

Bicycle Rentals

Cycle map → www.bronobike.cz/oklompas-brno. The first three services on the list offer two rides per day for free (each must be under 30 min):

REKOLA: Communal pink bikes available on the streets (April to November), download the app and register, pay by card → www.rekola.cz.

NEXTBIKE: Available the whole year, app and registration needed → www.nextbikecz.com.

BOLTI: E-bikes, download the app and register at → bolt.eu/en-cz.

RentBike.cz: Bikes, e-bikes, trailers. Open upon booking via their website or email → info@rentbike.cz. **DOMINIKANSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 6/7** usually 9:00–11:00 and 17:00–18:00

Getting to Another City?

► **PUBLIC TRANSPORT SCHEDULES** – website → www.ides.cz or mobile app Jízdení Řeď.

► **National and International Trains/Buses** – České dráhy, Regiojet or Flíxbus websites.

► **To the airport** – only 20 min ride from the station. Bus 761: From 05:30 until 22:30 from the main train station every half hour (300 and 301). Bus N891: At night, from the same point every hour, on the hour.

Car Sharing

AUTONAPÚL → www.autonapul.cz

CARAWAY → www.caraway.cz/sharing

BRNĚNSKÁ ŠÁRKA → www.autosarka.cz

PRACTICAL

INFO

Brno Tourist Info



Points by TIC

(TIC – turistické informační centrum) → www.ticbrno.cz

► **RADNICKÁ 8** daily 07:00–18:00

► **PANENSKÁ 1** daily 09:00–18:00

► **AT THE BRNO AIRPORT**

opening hours based on scheduled flights

► **AT GOLDEN SHIP PŘÍSTAVNÍ STREET**

(at Brno reservoir in Bystřec)

midnight to mid-day, daily 10:00–19:00

► Visit www.golobromo.cz/en to find out about the current events, to buy the BRNOPAS tourist card or to download some brochures.

Meeting Points

Around 19:00 and 20:00 these places are quite crowded (especially on weekends):

- **THE MAIN TRAIN STATION** (or nádl)
- **UNDER THE CLOCK ON ČESKÁ** (for us the locals' vyz tátr)
- **THE "COCK CLOCK" ON NÁMĚSTÍ SVOBODY**
- **"COURAGE" – THE SCULPTURE OF JOBST OF MORAVIA**

Payment by Card

Cards are usually accepted in supermarkets and shops, but not in all cafés, pubs or restaurants.

Smoking Not Allowed

Smoking inside (restaurants, theatres, cinemas etc.) and at the bus/tram stops is banned.

Alcohol

On streets or in parks drinking alcohol is not officially allowed (but, actually, we do drink in parks). In bars and on terraces you can drink whatever you want if you are over 18 years old. Outside seating and terraces usually close at 22:00 but then you can continue inside the pub.

HOW TO SPEAK TO A DRAGON

Want to talk like a local? Then learn some basic phrases in the local dialect called HANTEC (hah-ten-ty).

Here are some useful words and phrases:

- čau! [tʃau] – a meeting point
- at Café Trnava
- štokp [ʃtokp] – a beer
- čauka [tʃauka] – something to eat
- kypl [kɪpl] – a pint of beer
- šáma [ʃama] – a tram
- lov [lov] – a woman
- šáml [ʃáml] – the city centre
- lov [lov] – a beer
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KA JAKUBÁK
1st Sun 14:00–23:30

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DOMINIKÁNSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 2
programme-based opening hours, usually 18:00–02:00
→ www.cabaretdespaches.com



Beer and Grill

If you have seen the movie *Poutřiny* (crucial to watch if you want to understand the Czechs and their love of beer) and you are in the mood for a cold foamy pint of *Delatice beer*, we'll make your dream come true! Visit **PIVOVÁRSKÝ DŮM POUPE** and you'll also try delicious Czech meals, but beware specialties and traditional Czech snacks like *chlebíčky* and *řezníčky* (finger food).

DOMINIKÁNSKÁ 342
Mon to Thu 11:00–23:00, Fri 11:00–01:00

They Drink Poo Coffee Here?

Do you love bringing home unique souvenirs like coffee beans or loose leaf? Prepare to be enchanted at **KOHÍ LUWAK** coffee shop, named after the famed civet coffee. Beyond the intriguing koppi luwak coffee, you'll find thermal cups for eco-friendly sips, and a vast array of teas, coffees, and chocolates from around the globe. Take a seat amidst the mock pots and coffee socks and enjoy an affordable batch brew that will keep you coming back for more.

RAŠINOVA 10
Mon to Fri 09:00–19:00, Sat 10:00–17:00

Brno Astronomical Clock

Although Prague isn't the only Czech city that has it, the **ASTRONOMICAL CLOCK** in Brno city centre definitely stands out! This favourite meeting spot of locals comes to life at 11:00 when it releases a small glass mobile you can grab and take as a souvenir when you put your hand to one of the openings at the bottom. We also recommend buying a magnet souvenir with this majestic clock as a brilliant conversation starter with your house guests and as a cool way to remember this unforgettable piece of architecture.



Not Only Spring Rolls in May

Vietnamese restaurants seem to dominate the city centre but not many of them are as cosy as **MAY HOUSE**. Enjoy a perfectly seasoned beef pho or some veggie and tofu noodles in this stylish bistro and feel free to observe the whole process of food-making, thanks to an open-kitchen concept of this restaurant.

VESELÁ 2 daily 11:00–22:00

No Dragon Guarding a Princess There

ŠPILEBK CASTLE is a hilltop fortress built in the 13th century and since then it has been used as military barracks, a prison, and now a museum. The castle has a long and rich history, which can be felt in the castle's walls. It gives the place a special aura. It is also a popular chill-out spot that offers stunning views – on a clear day, you can see for miles in all directions. The city of Brno is spread out before you and you can see the surrounding hills and forests.

ŠPILEBK 1 park, Mon to Sun 06:00–23:00,
castle and exhibitions, Mon to Sun 09:00–18:00
→ www.knoid.cz/en/tickets-spilberk

Intolerances-Tolerant Heaven

A lot of Brno cafés just politely nod as you name your food intolerances but **BEZCUKRU CAFÉ** meaning 'sugar-free' goes above and beyond, crafting healthy desserts that seem impossible. This amazing spot conjures cakes from wheat-free, sugar-free, and even lactose-free ingredients. There's no room for added sugar or any other worries on a plate of pure magic.

NOVOBRANSKÁ 4
Mon to Sun 10:00–19:00

Voyaging into the Past

In Brno, not only through the dragon does the past breathe on you! Walking into **ZEMANOVA KAVÁRNA A CUKRÁRNA** is like using a time machine composed of two functional floors. Silence the modern city noise to dive into local's favourite obloženy chlebíček (open sandwich) and sweets crafted from original recipes. Side quest: Find the pasty shaped like Brno's mythical creature and give it a try!

JOSERFSKA 4 Mon to Fri 08:30–18:30, Sat 10:00–18:30

Go Veggie – Save Money and the Planet!

Brno **OAZA** is known for their simple, healthy and budget-friendly meals (including vegan and gluten-free options for under 90 CZK). Don't get fooled by the modest interior, the food is good and it won't eat much from your budget.

If you like Indian cuisine, then **GOPAL** is the place to go. It is a buffet-style restaurant, so you choose the size of your meal. Come for a late lunch offer 16.00 and you will even get a 40% discount on all your food.

GO FOR ASIA. As you might have noticed, there are many restaurants in Brno which offer Asian fusion cuisine, from small shabby bistros to high-end restaurants. A nice compromise of a quality food for a reasonable price is Vietnamese **Bistro Gô** with their delicious summer rolls.

OAZA SLOVÁKOVA 2
Mon to Fri 07:30–17:30
GOPAL TRÍDA KPT. JAROŠE 10
Mon to Fri 11:00–18:00
Gô BRNO BĚHOŤSKÁ 4
Mon to Sun 10:30–22:00

This Lab is Not Just for Chemists

MUSIC LAB is not just a pub, it is more of an open cultural space, a shelter for young ambitious indie bands and stand-up comedians, and it even hosts jam sessions and improv nights. But what we love about it the most, is their romantic summer outdoor seating area, lit up only by the lanterns located right in front of the historical building of Janáček Academy of Performing Arts (and moonlight!).

Local tips: You can dance your night away in the rhythm of swing here, too! Every summer, Music Lab hosts swing garden sessions – see more details on their Facebook page.

OPLETALOVA 1 Mon to Thu 16:00–01:00,
Fri to Sat 17:00–02:00, Sun 17:00–24:00
→ www.facebook.com/musiclabbrno

A Journey Through Genetics

Discover **MEDELIANUM** in Brno, where the secrets of DNA are unravelled in the very halls, where Johann Gregor Mendel, the father of genetics, once conducted his pea plant experiments. This museum isn't just a collection of exhibits; it's a journey into the core of life itself, offering a mix of history and hands-on science fun. Try your hand at pollinating pea flowers, delve into gene expression experiments, and explore the interactive school with its mobile labs. Medelianum isn't just about observing – it's about doing, making it the place to go for a deep dive into the world of science in Brno. Whether you're decoding the mysteries of DNA or exploring the building blocks of life, Medelianum promises a unique adventure into the world of science.

MUZEJNÍ 1
Wed to Fri 09:00–17:00, Sat 10:00–17:00, Sun 13:00–17:00



For Those Who Roll Through Life

Are you the kind of person who always brings their skateboard wherever you go? If you're looking for a ride near the city centre, head down to **SKATEPARK MENDLAK**. This skatepark is tucked in a park surrounded by a residential area and the gardens of an Augustinian abbey. Yes, the one where J.G. Mendel experimented with peas! It is a lively place with designated areas for both beginners and experienced skaters combining into an area of almost 1,000 square metres. And if you're tired from all the skating, there is also an outdoor workout gym and a small football field.

entry from PIVOVARSKÁ and TRÝBOVA
streets daily 08:00–10:00



De-stress in an Educational Garden

We know how expensive travelling can get. Thankfully, to visit a lot of spaces in Brno you don't have to break into a bank as they are free. One of such locations is **THE OPEN GARDENS**. While also a green refuge full of diverse garden spaces, the premises feature the first green-roofed office building to comply with the positive-house energy standards in Czechia as the green roofs retain rainwater, grey water is purified by reed plant treatment and the electricity is produced by a solar power plant. And even though there is no traditional heating, the building keeps a stable room temperature throughout the year!

ÚDOJNÍ 33 weekly Mon to Sun 10:00–18:30
but check the website for updates
→ www.openmozahrad.cz



Underground Cathedrals

It may look like a dragon's lair, and it is indeed a magical place – but don't worry about your safety, you won't get eaten here. Three **WATER TANKS** under Zlujč kopec ('Yellow Hill') served as reservoirs of drinking water for Brno citizens for over a century. They have been restored and just recently opened to the public. Although this place is no longer filled with water, it is still full of potential thanks to the cathedral-like feeling and amazing acoustics. Hopefully we can look forward to many amazing events taking place here.

TVRDEHO 15 Tue to Sun 10:00–18:00;
entry 250–350 CZK (can be booked online)
→ www.vodotankymbrno.cz/en



Chill Vibes and Cosmic Sights

Wanna chill like a local? Head to **Kravi hora** hill for the ultimate hangout spot! Have a picnic, take a dip in the swimming pools on hot days or just relax in the park and soak in the stunning view of the city below. Don't miss the **OBSERVATORY AND PLANETARIUM** and its free Science Walk with interactive exhibitions.

When visiting the city in summer, come to Kravi hora in the evening to see the outdoor **PLANET FESTIVAL** which is a display of huge inflatable fit up planet model accompanied by summer outdoor cinema showing sci-fi films. It usually always takes place for a week in July and a week in August, so check the socials for updates! Plus, discover loads of Timo art scattered around the area!

OBSERVATORY AND PLANETARIUM
KRAVÍ HOŘA 2 Mon, Tue, Thu 07:30–15:00;
Wed and Fri 07:30–22:00, Sat 13:00–22:00, Sun 13:00–18:30
→ fb.com/ivnezdama.brno



Not Just an Ordinary Store

If you're looking for a nice souvenir or a gift, **PLACE STORE** is the place to go. The concept of the place is to promote sustainability and unique craftsmanship. Anything you can find there, from jewellery to skin care products and clothes, each of it handmade with a story behind it. Go and find some hidden gems at the store, you definitely won't leave empty-handed.

MORAVSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ 4
Mon to Fri 09:00–19:00, Sat to Sun 10:00–16:00



Pizza Pleasures

Embark on a culinary journey through Brno's pizzerias, where the authentic taste of Neapolitan pizza comes alive.

At **LA SPERANZA**, the crust is perfectly crisp, the toppings fresh and vibrant, making each slice a passport to the streets of Naples. You can even choose from gluten-free and vegan options here!

DOE BOY offers a modern twist on classic pizza, where creativity meets tradition. Their inventive toppings and unique combinations create a symphony of flavours that dance on your palate.

ZAZA is the local rising star among its competitors. Their pizzas are masterpieces of modern gastronomy. Don't be surprised when you get a pair of scissors with your pizza – that's how you cut the perfect slice!

LA SPERANZA LUDICKÁ 32
Mon to Sat 09:00–22:00
DOE BOY BRNO ŠTEFÁNKOVA 39
Mon to Sat 17:00–22:00
ZAZA VACHOVA 4
Mon to Fri 16:30–23:00, Sat 13:30–23:00



Resting in the Vibrant Park

Tired from the treasure hunt for hidden gems, but refusing to absorb the mistle? Give your legs a break at **PARK ESPRESSO BAR**. Whether you prefer basking in the garden sunshine or seeking refuge on a shaded porch, this spot has you covered. Sip on a refreshing lemonade as you let Brno embrace you like a long-lost family member. Watch residents chat and enjoy the newly reconstructed fountain in Moravské Square Park.

Local tip: Watch out for your phone and keys!
If you don't, there's a chance they will get stuck in between the wooden panels that make up the new designer benches around the central fountain.

MORAVSKÉ NÁMĚSTÍ
(northern part of the park)
Mon 12:00–22:00, Tue to Sat 08:00–22:00



Science Is Not Boring

TECHNICAL MUSEUM is a perfect indoor option for your travelling itinerary. In 13 permanent exhibitions you will learn how steam and aircraft engines work, admire the kinds of cars people drove in the 1960s or see what the stores and craftsmen's workshops in the 1920s looked like!

In the technical playground you can learn about different laws of physics and even test them yourself. The museum also has six technical sights outside of Brno, which are open from April to October.

PURKYNŮVA 105
Wed to Fri 09:00–17:00, Sat to Sun 10:00–18:00;
bank holidays 10:00–18:00, entry 50–150 CZK
Mon to Sat 09:00–17:00, Sat to Sun 10:00–18:00;
bank holidays 10:00–18:00, entry 50–150 CZK
→ can.bebookedonline.cz/en



The Sisyphus They Didn't Tell You About

Did you know that Sisyphus is actually happy half of his journey as he has no boulder to push? Check out the exterior of **KRISTEK HOUSE** to see for yourself!

Created by the eccentric artist Lubo Kristek, this house boasts bizarre sculptures and quirky designs that make you feel like you've wandered into a dream – or really cool fever dream. Even more extraordinary designs swirl in the interior which is free to visit during an Open House weekend (usually in the middle of May every year).

TIŠNOVSKÁ 77



Date Night Special

The South Moravian region is known for its good wine and in **KLARA BARA WINE CAFE** they definitely know their way around the local wine. This cute little place is ideal for a date night with your significant other or your bestie! Check their socials for special events such as wine tastings or brunches.

ČÁPKOVA 11 Mon to Fri 16:00–23:00
→ fb.com/kwinnecale



Secret Caffeine Garden

When the sweet on your forehead shines as bright as the sun, seek shelter in the cool garden of **MITTE PANSKA**. Looking for the perfect place to take beautiful portraits not just for Instagram, but also for your future LinkedIn profile? Mitte has your back while also offering an espresso that will make you smile naturally in every shot.

PANSKÁ 7 Mon to Fri 08:00–20:00,
Sat 09:00–20:00, Sun 09:00–19:00



Melodika, the Rock Fortress of Brno

Imagine walking into a place where, epic adventure, filled with the sounds of strong drums, and the passionate voices of the heart of Brno's music scene. Dive into the heart of Brno's music scene, the city's fortress of rock and metal, and electronic for those who dare to have moved to the new residence a year, this club continues to wave the flag that define it. This is your invitation to Brno's music scene.

PALÁČKHO ŘÍDA 148 Tue to Sat from
→ www.melodika.cz



Pamper Yourself!

Inspired by the power of nature, **HAI APOTEKA** offers a whole range of natural and body care products. They honour traditions, effective organic ingredients of nature, which offers a unique experience of the whole body. Most of the products used as ingredients are grown locally. We recommend their three-minute or hydrating lip balm to start your day.

MASARYKOVA 12
Mon to Fri 09:00–19:00, Sat to Sun 10:00–16:00
VE YANOVCE 1
Mon to Sat 09:00–21:00, Sun 10:00–20:00



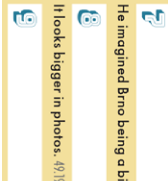
DRAGON'S QUEST FOR THE BIZARRE OR GONNA CATCH THEM ALL!

Brno is full of various statues and monuments, some more controversial than others, such as our Astronomical (clock) (a.k.a. the erotic cucumber) or a newer one, 'the brave Jobst riding a horse' (a gift to a horse – that's for you to decide!).

Are you willing to do what it takes to find them all? We have prepared a short treasure hunt for you – here are your hints and GPS coordinates.

Once you find your treasure, fill in the name of the place of interest below.

- 1 Janáček wasn't afraid of robbers. 49 201451639491, 16.60314730433371
- 2 Where do you want me to put the washer? 49 1916531794757, 16.60049328156424
- 3 Let us pray Brno never runs out of coffee. 49 116964429932864, 16.6107621272371
- 4 It's call Brno. 49 2040100770262, 16.5855530379532
- 5 Nothing for the typhobolical 49 1940074084172, 16.5978098507859
- 6 I may be small but always on time. 49 1719553133534, 16.60313602173506
- 7 He imagined Brno being a bit greener. 49 173531640074006, 16.5978098507859
- 8 It looks bigger in photos. 49 1935531089006, 16.6106417204504





He imagined Brno being a bit greener. 49.17353144007406, 16.37939859313222

It looks bigger in photos. 49.1735313183906, 16.610641726454

These funnells look smoking cold! 49.173964617132, 16.686639611691

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A Roof over Your Head

We know that you want to enjoy as much of our city as you can, but getting a good heady sleep is also important! Here are some of our recommendations. For more modest travellers who appreciate convenient locations (the main train station is just around the corner), we recommend **SCHROTT BED AND BEER** – who wouldn't like a pub with delicious Czech beer just down the stairs? If you are more of a foodie than a beer lover, **WAKE UP WELLNESS HOSTEL** is the right choice for you – you'll love their delicious breakfasts and coffee.

If you prefer to stay in the heart of the city, then **ELEVEN** is the place. It is surrounded by bars, pubs, restaurant and clubs, any fun activity you might want to do is just a minute away from this accommodation! A very special place to stay (and not just for sci-fi lovers) is **10-Z BUNKER**, where you stay in a Soviet-era nuclear fallout shelter. A typical Czech breakfast and a guided tour is included with your stay.

Speaking of the past, **RUTA 80** brings back the 1980s style and nostalgia, and offers cheap accommodation close to the city centre. **SCHROTT BED AND BEER KŘENOVÁ 10** [A](#) **ELEVEN DOMINIKÁNSKÁ 34/11** [B](#) **WAKE UP WELLNESS HOSTEL KŘENOVÁ 8** [C](#) **10-Z BUNKER HUSOVA 196/12** [D](#) **RUTA 80 JUGOSLAVSKÁ 274/6** [E](#)

A Minimalistic as It Gets

You don't have to travel far and wide to visit one of the narrowest hotels in Europe, it is located just by our favourite meeting point, Castle! If you think that on such a narrow plot (only eight metres wide!) you can't build a nice hotel with a restaurant, **HOTEL AVION** might prove you wrong! Its architect Bohuslav Fuchs wisely used every inch of the space, worked nicely with the colours and used materials that would last a lifetime. After being closed for a long time, it has been renovated and you can book your stay or a guided tour of the hotel online.

Czech 20 min 250–350 CZK (guided tour) [F](#)
book online: www.avion-hotel.cz

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PALACEHO TRIDA 148 Tue to Sat from 19.00
www.melodika.cz

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MASARSKOVA 12
Mon to Fri 09.00–19.00, Sat to Sun 10.00–16.00
VE VAKOVICE
Mon to Sat 09.00–21.00, Sun 10.00–20.00



More than a Place to Relax

When searching for a calming place to escape the city run while admiring adorable small pigs and all types of pet dogs. **LUZANKY PARK**, the oldest public park in Brno, is the perfect urban oasis just minutes from the city centre. But if you're craving some action as well, **LUZANKY** will satisfy you with constant food festivals, live music, and even yoga classes – there's never a dull moment! surrounded by **LUŽANČKA, LUDICKÁ, PIONÝRSKÁ** and **DROBNĚHO** streets

The One Club Everybody Knows

There is probably no music lover in Brno who hasn't ported in this club. **FLEDA** is one of the oldest and biggest music clubs not just in our city but also in Czechia, although it might feel small and cozy. No music genre is unwelcome here, everyone can find something they love on the programme.

ŠTEFÁNKOVA 24
www.fledda.cz/program

Churches Can Be Cool

Even though it's one of Europe's most atheist countries, Czechia still astounds with its churches like Brno's **CHURCH OF BEATIFIED RESTITUTA** in Land housing estate. Once you step into this concrete sanctuary, you don't feel like you're in a traditional church at all due to its geometric oval shape, colourful lights and windows, and modern minimalist interior. If you're on a sightseeing hunt in the city centre during the day, come in the evening for a look of least at the exterior beaming with lights of every color. On summer Saturday afternoons, you can also explore the church's futuristic bell tower.

NEZVALOVA 13

The Crispy Side of Brno

We in Brno love us some freshly baked goods and you deserve to taste it too! **CATALINI** is a family bakery owned by an Italian who fell in love in (and with) Brno and decided to let you fall in love with Italy! Besides delicious Italian pastries you can buy all the essential ingredients there (advice is for free) for your home baking.

If you wanna taste a traditional Czech breakfast with a modern twist, try family bakery **KLÁSEK**. They are known for their delicious egg spread on freshly baked sourdough bread.

A little bit of France has been brought to Brno by **WILLIAM THOMAS BAKERY** with their scrumptious croissants, bûchettes or brioches. They have already opened four shops in Brno. Our favourite is the one with a nice view of Jostefská street, where you can pair your pastry with delicious coffee.

CATALINI SMETANOVA 12 Mon to Fri 07.00–18.30
KLÁSEK HYBEŠOVA 46
Mon to Sat 07.30–17.00, Fri 07.30–16.00

WILLIAM THOMAS ARTISAN BAKERY
JASELSKÁ 2
Mon to Fri 07.30–18.30, Sat 08.00–16.00

JOSEFSKÁ 2
Mon to Fri 07.30–18.30, Sat 08.00–16.00

PEKÁŘSKÁ 6
Mon to Fri 07.30–18.30, Sat 08.00–16.00

MOLIZKY 2
Mon to Fri 07.30–20.00



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It's All about the Villas

If you give an unlimited budget to architects such as the late Ludwig Mies van der Rohe, you can't expect anything less than a timeless design and innovative technological solutions. **VILLA TUGENDHAT** was built for Greta Tugendhat, the daughter of textile magnate Alfred Löw-Beer. The dominant features of the house are the fully retractable windows and the translucent oryx wall.

Escape the hustle and bustle as you step into the hidden gem that is the **VILLA TUGENDHAT GARDEN**. Your wallet can rest if you choose to visit the garden only (which actually includes the entry to one of the floors). Wander through the serene villa grounds, capturing timeless photos with friends or penning poetic thoughts in your Notes app, all while feeling a world away from the city.

Just down the hill you can visit **VILLA LÖW-BEER**, the home of Greta's father. Visit the permanent exhibition to learn about the history of textile industry in Brno and have a sit on the replica of the famous Barcelona armchair (the original is to be seen but not touched at Villa Tugendhat).

Similarly, the functionalist **VILLA STIASSNI** is less known but of equal historical importance. Designed by famous Ernst Wiesner, this villa is located a bit further from the city centre but it's close to the Brno Exhibition Centre.

And lastly, there is **VILLA JURKOVIC** located in Wilson Forest, which only accentuates the folk art floral elements of this Art Nouveau masterpiece.

VILLA TUGENDHAT ČERNOPOLNÍ 45
Tue to Sun 10.00–18.00, entry 250–450 CZK

VILLA LÖW-BEER entry 35–160 CZK
Tue to Sun 10.00–18.00, entry 35–160 CZK

VILLA STIASSNI HROZNÁ 14
Fri to Mon 10.00–18.00, entry 190–240 CZK

VILLA JURKOVIC JANA NEČASE 2
spring–summer, Tue to Sun 10.00–18.00, entrance, Thu to Sun, winter weekends, 10.00–18.00, entry 50–100 CZK

Local tips: If you need a caffeine boost, don't walk too far from Villa Tugendhat and come to **CAFÉ EBA**, located just around the corner. Don't make any assumptions before you step in – it might be incongruous from the outside (just like most functionalist buildings) but on the inside it's full of colour thanks to its famous blue spiral staircase and red shiny floor.

ZEMĚDĚLSKÁ 30
Mon to Sun 10.00–21.00

The Blackfield Quarter (or Černá pole in Czech) is a treasure chest full of architectural jewels. If you decide to walk just a minute more down the street from the famous Villa Tugendhat, you will find the small and newly reconstructed **ARNOLD VILLA**. The architect and the owner, Josef Arnold, tried to bring the notion of the Swiss-style hunting lodge to this functionalist residential area. The former beauty of the villa's garden is being fully restored at the moment and it is even connected to the gardens of the other famous villas nearby to create a peaceful Eden in the heart of the city. For now, you can visit three permanent exhibitions and learn about the life of Brno Jewish community over time.

DROBNĚHO 26
Tue to Sun 10.00–18.00

Tugendhat's Hidden Neighbour

Wine Wonders, or Where Italy meets France

In Brno, wine bars are almost as numerous as beer pubs. They offer a unique experience for everyone.

At NA BRĚHU RHŮNY, you'll feel as if you've trav-

Sweet Temptations

Welcome to Brno's sweet sanctuaries, where delicious reach divine heights.

First, visit **JESTŘE JEDNU**, inviting you to indulge in just one more scoop. This cozy nook offers an artisan ice cream symphony of flavours tucked in hand-made cones. Make sure to try the křupové kása ('semolina pudding') flavour – for every Czech person this is a trip down the memory lane, when they had semolina pudding with cocoa and butter as a sweet lunch or dinner as kids.

Next, sail into the future with **FUTURE SAILORS**, where innovation meets tradition. This event-garde French boutique cake shop is a playground for the palate, with a balanced mix of tradition and imagination that surprises you in every bite.

JESTŘE JEDNU MINORITSKÁ 2a
Tue to Sun 12.00–18.00

FUTURE SAILORS RUMIŠTĚ 6
Tue to Fri 11.00–18.00, Sat 10.00–14.00

Traditional or Hip?

We know that you know that Czech beers are the best! So let us by your Yoda and guide you through the Brno beer scene!

Wanna taste some truly Czech drinks like Beton, Koně v trávě or Česko do dlaní (Czech for 'concrete', 'horses in the grass', and 'a way into the forest')? If the answer is yes, then pay a visit to **MALENA**. The interior (and their drinks selection) is a bit retro and the concept of this pub is simple – have a nice drink for a reasonable price (b/w whatever you choose to drink, you pay the same price), have a snack but above all, meet your friends and have a good laugh. Be careful though, you might survive your 'way into the forest' but only a few people have found their 'way back from the forest' (ask the bartenders for the explanation).

Just one sniff and you will definitely know what to expect in **OCHTUNÁVNOVA PIVNICE** – typical Czech beer snocks, such as chlebičky with smelly cheese (thus the pervasive welcoming aroma) or pickled sausage, paired with a perfect pint of beer. Just one thing – don't forget to bring some cash or otherwise you will make the usually nice waiters really mad.

On the other side of the beer spectrum there is **MALT WORM**. A nice hip place offering all the new trends of the beer world. It is especially nice to enjoy their beer selection outside in their backyard during those long summer nights.

Who has not spent at least one night drinking štokpek with regulators at **U POUINKA** has missed out on a big Brno experience. Must admit, it's not for everyone – the place is shabby and kind of dingy but the beer is tasty, the conversation is always riveting and you never know what interesting sorts of people you'll meet there.

MALENA VACHOVA 1
Mon 17.00–23.00, Tue to Thu 16.00–24.00, Fri to Sat 16.00–01.00

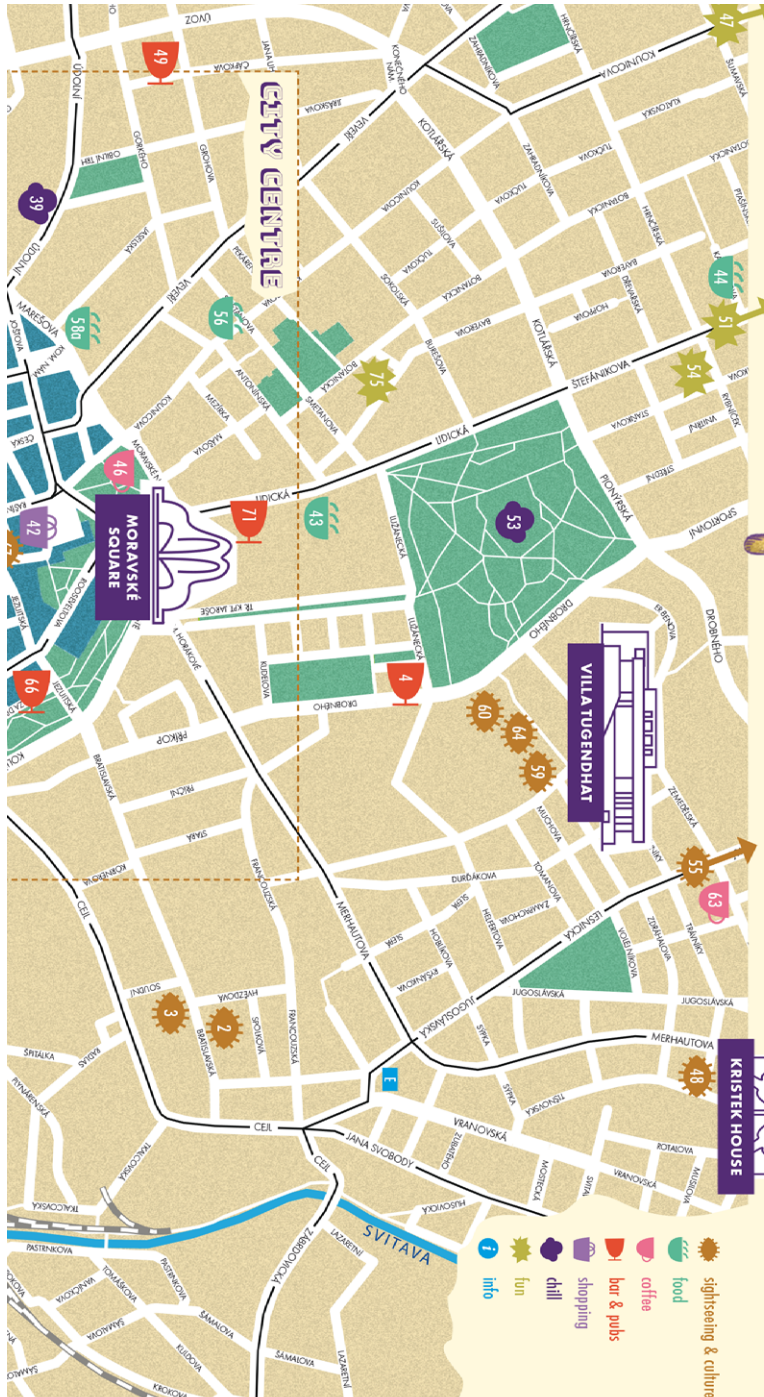
OCHTUNÁVNOVA PIVNICE
LIDICKÁ 1860/10 Mon to Fri 15.00–24.00, weekends 16.00–24.00 (Thu to August from 17.00)

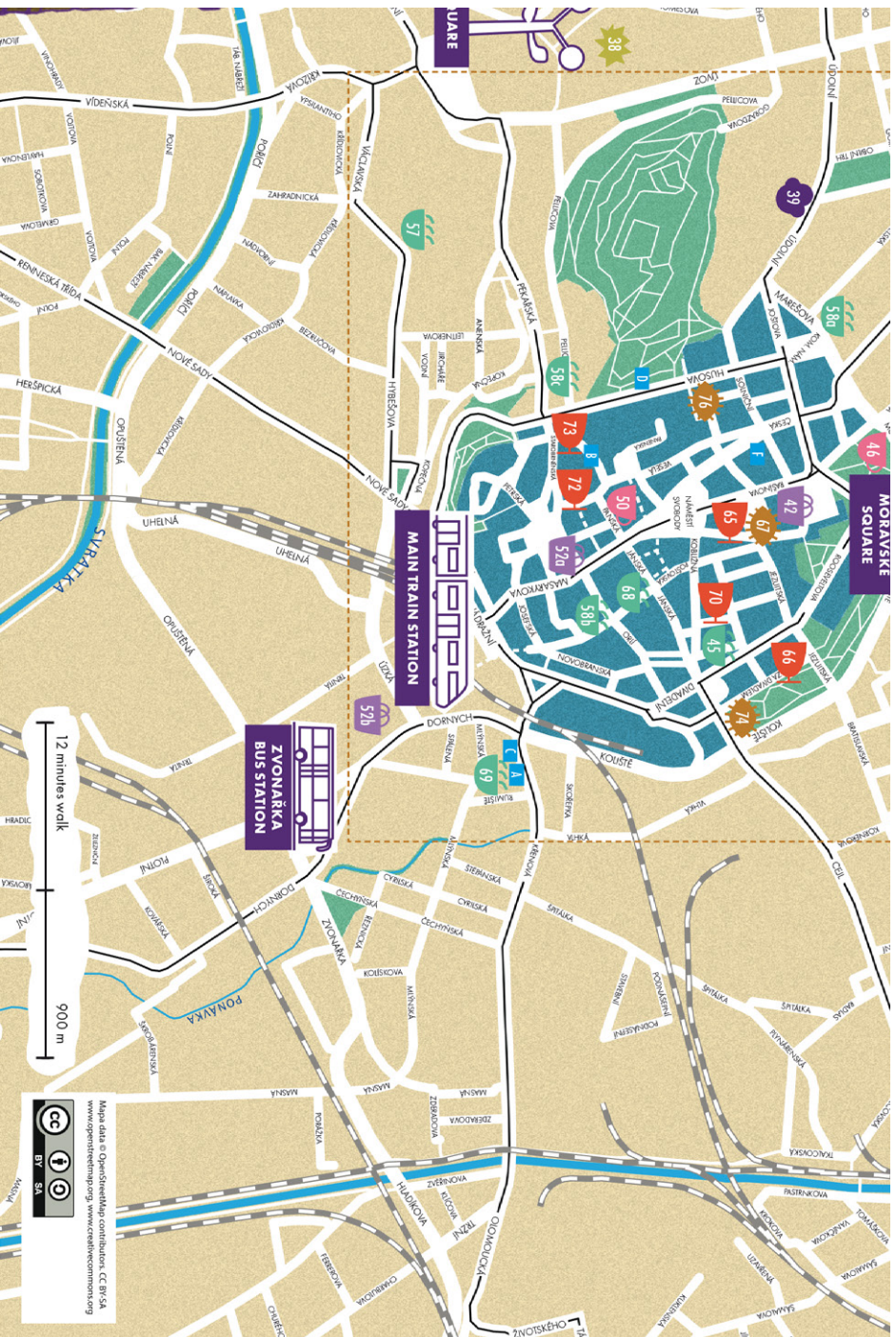
MALT WORM STAROBŘENSKÁ 339/12
Mon to Tue 16.00–24.00, Wed to Sat 16.00–01.00, Sun 16.00–23.00

U POUINKA STAROBŘENSKÁ 16/18
Mon to Sun 14.00–24.00

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AI NA BŘEHU RHŇŮN, you'll feel as if you've travelled to a French vineyard. This cosy spot specialises in Rhine Valley wines and French gastronomy, creating an atmosphere of old-world elegance and romance. Make sure to use their famous wine-tasting wall – simply read a short wine description, pour yourself a glass (and don't forget to keep count of how many you've had!) and enjoy your own personal Tour de France!

In Brno, we love Italian food and wine. **VICINO DIVINO** offers both and you can have a delicious breakfast or plan a date night. Its location is just round the corner from Brno's National Theatre, which makes it a great place for a quick glass of wine and cheese plate just before the performance starts.

NA BŘEHU RHŇŮN JAKUBSKÉ NÁM. 2
Mon to Sat 08:00–14:00, 16:00–24:00, Sun 08:00–14:00

VICINO DIVINO ZA DIVADLEM 2
Wed to Sat 16:00–24:00, breakfasts Thu to Fri 07:30–11:00,
Sat to Sun 08:00–12:00

The One with the Indecent Man on the Facade

THE CHURCH OF ST. JAMES, also known as the Church of St. James the Greater, is a stunning piece of architecture that stands tall in the heart of the city. This magnificent structure is a testament to architectural prowess as it boasts a remarkable blend of Gothic and Baroque architectural styles, evident in its ribbed vaults, ornate sculptures, and stunning stained-glass windows. Take your time to admire the church's beauty and ascend its tower for panoramic views of the city. Don't forget to google some of the fascinating legends (like the one about the man statue aiming his buttocks at the cathedral on the Petřov Hill) and folklore associated with the church, adding a touch of mystery to your visit.

JAKUBSKÉ NÁM. 11

The church is being reconstructed as of June 2024
check the accessibility before your arrival

Mon to Sat 14:00–24:00

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MALINKOVSKO NÁM. 2

Thu to Sat 10:00–16:00 (Wed until 20:00),
entry 50–100 CZK (entry Wed and Sun voluntary admission free)
→ www.dum-umani.cz/en

Hipster Den

In the mood for a movie? What if we told you **KINO ART** offers much more than an everyday cinematic experience? The cinema hosts gaming nights, pub quizzes dedicated to games and films, pop up projections, the LGBTQ+ movie festival and the BRNO16 festival of short films. As a bonus, the cinema also has a café where you can discuss the film you've just seen with your friends. And before we forget – the tickets won't break the bank!

CHLAŘSKÁ 19 → www.kinoart.cz/en

Art's Silver Lining

Hey, just see that gigantic cloud close to the Špilberk Park? That's **UMPRUM MORAVIAN GALLERY** (UMPRUM is short for uměleckopřemyslové museum, or 'museum of decorative arts'). It's more than just a perfect hideaway from warm summer sun! Step inside and discover a fantastic molecule installation in a grand, ornate hall after enjoying a cup of robot-mode coffee in the interior. Always check the gallery's website to see what's currently on display.

HUSOVA 14 Wed to Sun 10:00–18:00, Thu 10:00–19:00
→ www.moravska-galerie.cz