# Informační středisko města Ústí nad Labem City Information Centre in Ústí nad Labem

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# **MUSEUM OF LIGHT FORTIFIED STRUCTURES** Type 36 – Hostovice

This structure was built in 1936 as part of the Czechoslovak fortified line against a potential attack from Germany. This building is specifically the "C type", i.e. with three gun ports provided with machine guns. The fort crew was supposed to control the traffic on the road between Ústí nad Labem and Trmice and prevent any attempts to cross the River Bílina. There were 43 small forts built together with this structure no. 186 in the territory of XI. Trmice.

**Opening hours:** April to October, irregularly on weekends or public holidays, usually once a month, 10:00 - 17:00

The fortified line has been looked after by the Military History Club in Trmice since 2005.

Guided tours can be arranged in advance via the telephone number below.

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www.lo36.cz

## **MUSEUM OF CZECHOSLOVAK FORTIFICATIONS VALTÍŘOV**

The First Republic pill-box is situated directly at the Elbe Trail between Ústí nad Labem and Děčín. Part of the 1938 defensive line, the fortification is fitted with carriages bearing machine guns, a periscope, an armour door and other interesting items. The exhibit features not only the indoor area of this model 37 bunker dubbed řopík, but also a quide dressed in a uniform worn in the respective period, firearms, ammunition, and a field phone driven by a dynamo, to name a few.

Opening hours: movable, see web sides

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# ÚSTÍ NAD LABEM UNDERGROUNG - MUSEUM OF CIVIL DEFENCE

The Civil Defence Museum is a unique system of passages cut and bored into the rock beneath Větruše, with a temperature of +12 °C and air humidity of 85% all year round. The construction of the air-raid shelter started in 1942. Volunteers as well as prisoners of war took part in the construction work. A total of 750 meters of galleries were built up to the end of the war. Between 1952 and 1956, the structure was rebuilt into a 3rd class civil defence shelter (fallout shelter). Currently, 500 metres of new passages and 250 metres of original galleries have been opened to the public after seventy years.

The exhibition displays a large collection of gas masks from 1920 up to current masks, technical attractions such as a still working air-conditioning engine room, a general treatment room, a radio – telephone exchange as well as objects founds in the environs of the shelter and the

The museum is located in the areal of Ústí nad Labem undergroud, where many children's attractions are available, such as a geopark, observation tower with telescope, gyroscope, airsoft shooting range, trampoline, etc.

**Opening hours:** May to September Sat - Sun 10:00 - 17:00 Visits can also be arranged on a different date for groups of min. 15 persons via the telephone

Warm clothes recommended – the average temperature in the shelter is 12 °C.

Tel.: +420 777 090 099 info@ustecke-podzemi.cz ul. Žižkova, 400 01 Ústí nad Labem GPS: 50°39'20.277"N, 14°1'57.001"E





## **CHABAŘOVICE MUSEUM**

The museum is located in the building which was once the town hall. It features a permanent exhibition displaying period photographs of Chabařovice and municipalities which were demolished in the past to give way to coal mining. The exhibition also features two conciliation crucifixes, located in the atrium of the old town hall.

**Opening hours:** Occasionally

Visits can be booked in advance via the telephone number below.

Tel.: +420 475 225 396 podatelna@chabarovice.cz Husovo náměstí 3, 403 17 Chabařovice

www.chabarovice.cz

## **COFFEE GRINDER MUSEUM**

One of the largest collections of coffee grinders not only in the Czech Republic, but also in Europe. It comprises about 330 various exhibits. The museum displays grinders of different sizes, with bodies made of wood, pottery, various metals and alloys, and different types of grinding mechanisms. Most of the grinders are manually driven, but there are also first household electrical grinders.

The oldest exhibits were made in the late 18th century, which means the period when the production of coffee grinders started.

## Opening hours: Daily

Please book your guided tour in advance via the telephone number below.

Tel.: +420 475 225 278, +420 602 283 140 Náměstí 9. května 322, 403 17 Chabařovice





# **TRMICE CASTLE MODEL RAILWAY MUSEUM**

The castle was built between 1856 and 1863 in the New-Gothic Tudor style by the prominent Bohemian Nostitz family. In 1919, it was bought by the local industrialist Wolfrum and later sold by him to the city of Ústí nad Labem, which turned it into a museum.

The extensive museum exhibition was opened to the public as late as to 1964, when the castle, being in disrepair, had to be closed. The decision was made to demolish it due to designed planned motorway construction. However, the design was changed and its premises continued being used as a museum depositary.

In 1994, the castle was newly reconstructed and now it is used as a representative cultural centre with a grand hall and marble concert hall. It also features a permanent exhibition depicting the history of regional coal mining and industries. However, the main attraction is the exhibition dedicated to historical and contemporary model railways, featuring a countless number of models of railway vehicles, panoramas and working railway tracks.

Sun 10:00, 13:00, 15:00

Upon telephone agreement also outside the days dedicated to visitors.

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## CITY MUSEUM IN ÚSTÍ NAD LABEM

The origins of the Ústí museum date back to 1876. Then, it was located in the "Zlatá lod" hotel (transl. The Golden Ship Hotel) in Hrnčířská Street, which did not prevent it from expanding its valuable collections. Afterwards, the museum had to move several times. In 1901, the Museum Society of Ústí was established and one year later the museum passed into city ownership. However, initial plans to build a new museum were frustrated by WWI. Thanks to the support of the Ústí Wolfrum family, the museum was moved to the castle in Trmice. However, the castle premises could not satisfy the growing collections and technical requirements for long. In 1972, the decision was made to transfer the museum to new premises – the Renaissance Revival school next to the theatre. Between 2009 and 2011, the museum underwent reconstruction subsidised by the European Union to finally obtain dignified premises.

Nowadays, the museum ranks as one of the most important regional museum institutions in the Czech Republic. It displays collections of history, archaeology as well as technology, comprising more than 1,100,000 museum exhibits and their collections. The museum has more departments - natural science (collections of botany, geology, entomology and zoology), history (collections of art, graphic design and handicrafts, technology and bottles, photographs, modern history, numismatics and warfare), archaeology, and a department of museum pedagogy. It also has a large museum library featuring over 60,000 books, which comprise technical and regional literature, old prints and manuscripts. The museum prepares playful educational programmes and exhibitions for the public throughout the year.



### Regular events:

- · Night in the museum Ghosts in the museum
- Days of porcelain
- Days of European cultural heritage
- Professional lectures
- Exhibitions of works by artists with links to the Ústí region
- Fair of handicrafts Creative Ústí
- Classical music concerts
- Advent markets
- Trips with professional commentary by historians or natural scientists
- Museum readings for children
- Day of seniors
- Courses and creative workshops for children

**Opening hours:** Tue - Sun 9:00 - 18:00

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The municipality of Zubrnice is situated in the picturesque hilly countryside of the Bohemian Uplands. It originated during the internal colonization in the 11th and 12th centuries and features the old village green ground plan dominated by the church of Holy Mary Magdalene. In the last two centuries it grew to become a wealthy village holding regular markets. The population made a living particularly by farming, growing fruit and hops. In 1988, the only open air museum in the Ústí region was opened. However, the Museum of folk architecture in Zubrnice is part of a living village and the original buildings are extended with small structures brought here from around the region. On the village green visitors will find a Baroque well from the village of Střížovice from 1695, which was the first structure transferred to Zubrnice.

The centre of the open air museum features a farmstead, reg. no. 61, built in 1808. It was one of the wealthiest buildings in the municipality and also has a barn, cart-shed, grange, a small building for older parents, herb beds and fruit drying house, which was reconstructed and represents the last still working no-smoke drying house in the Bohemian Uplands region. Up to 240 kg of apples can be dried here in one go. Part of the tour around the open air museum includes the church, the historical school, a shop and a mill visitors can approach on the nature trail along the Luční stream.





Visitors can enjoy the experience of long gone times in Zubrnice at numerous cultural events organised all year round by the open air museum. They are particularly:

- Carnival Easter
- Fair
- Závislý zubr Festival
- Pilgrimage to the church of Holy Mary Magdalene
- Autumn in the village
- Christmas in the open air museum

Available programmes for schools: Easter (April), Spring customs (April, May), Gingerbread maker (April, May, September, October), Flax and Buffalo (May, September, October), Advent and Christmas (November, December).

Sat - Sun 10:00 - 15:00

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# **ZUBRNICE MUSEUM RAILWAY RAILWAY MUSEUM**

The railway museum located in the railway station in Zubrnice offers a permanent exhibition of the history and present of the line between the Velké Březno – Verneřice – Úštěk stations. Visitors can see old photographs, documents and different railway memorabilia related to the history of this railway line. The core of the exhibition is a working model railway track of the Levín railway station built in 1:45 scale.

Topical exhibitions are also located in railway carriages and show the development of lighting in the railways as well as different accessories.

Directly on the rails, visitors can see a unique track crane from 1877, a Talbot hopper wagon from 1931, engine locomotive T 201,901 from 1916, a guard's van from 1930's and other railway

The Zubrnice Museum Railway also operates rides on historic trains on the track between Ústí nad Labem Střekov – Velké Březno – Zubrnice.

For such events the steam pumping station is open at the Střekov railway station.

### Opening hours:

Historic trains in operation: April to October 10:00 - 17:00 Railway museum: Sat - Sun and holidays 10:00 - 17:00 10:00 - 17:00 July and August

Guided tours can be booked in advance via the telephone number below.

Tel.: +420 725 099 546 spolek@zubrnickazeleznice.cz Týniště 25. 400 02 Ústí nad Labem





## **ZUBRNICE MUSEUM RAILWAY** STEAM PUMPING STATION IN STŘEKOV

The pumping station at the Střekov railway station was built in 1874 when the Austrian North-West Railway line from Lysá n. L. to Ústí n. L. Střekov and Děčín was put into operation. In its central part visitors can admire the engine room and water supply tanks with a volume of 100 m<sup>3</sup>, the side parts featured flats for the pumping station workers in the past. The pumping station is unique also because it has been preserved together with the technology, i.e., the vertical steam boiler, steam engine and the water supply tanks.

**Opening hours:** April to October, first Saturday of the month and during historic train rides, 10:00 - 18:00

Tours can be booked in advance via the telephone number below.

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www.zubrnickazeleznice.cz

# **ELECTRO-TECHNICAL MUSEUM IN ZUBRNICE**

The electro-technical museum in Zubrnice is dedicated to presenting historic radios, gramophones and record players and old electron tubes. Apart from these electrical appliances a model railway tracks sized 5×4 metres, L shape, H0 size is being built there. The model copies the Velké Březno Verneřice – Úštěk railwav line.

### Opening hours:

July and August Sat 10:00 - 16:00

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