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## TOURS & ACTIVITIES

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TOURS AND ACTIVITIES (indicate number of requested persons)	PRICE PER PERSON	Tuesday JUNE 21	Wednesday JUNE 22	Thursday JUNE 23	Friday JUNE 24
PLAYERS' PARTY	5 €				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PRAGUE - the most significant sights	93 €	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
PRAGUE - Art Nouveau	79 €	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
KUTNA HORA	69 €		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
MELNIK chateau with wine tasting	59 €		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
LINDAVA glass works	49 €	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
TURNOV - the town of precious stones	49 €	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
TROSKY ruins + spa wellness	86 €		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
SYCHROV chateau + JESTED Mountain	65 €		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

**PLAYERS' PARTY**



Organizer holds players' party with music of 60's on Friday, June 24, 2011. The admission of EUR 5 include admission and first beer/soft drink free of charge. Refreshment will be available under reasonable prices upon payment. The low admission charge is scheduled as we want to offer to all participants an occasion to meet and talk about common issues with no obligation of any consumption.

**PRAGUE - THE MOST SIGNIFICANT SIGHTS**

Prague should not be missed by any visitor to the Czech Republic. Full day excursion to the most significant sights of Prague includes the visit to Prague Castle, the unique castle system whose fundamentals date back to 9th century and whose shape has been influenced by many architectonic styles. From the Castle you will descend to the picturesque Lesser Town built originally as the town under the castle. The lunch break will be spent in one of the local restaurants and then you will continue across the Charles Bridge – the oldest Prague bridge from 14th century, that was built in the building boom under the reign of the Emperor Charles IV. The final destination of the tour is the Old Town Square with the famous astronomical clock on the Old Town Hall, the gothic Týn Church and Stone Bell House. After the visit of sights you will have the opportunity of exploring local shops or spending a nice time with a cup of coffee in the unforgettable atmosphere of the town above the Vltava River

Departure from Liberec: 7:30

Estimated return: 18:30

**PRAGUE - ART NOUVEAU**

Prague is the town where you can find sights of all architectonic styles from the Roman to contemporary art. This excursion focused on Art Nouveau will recall the artistry of the most famous Czech Art Nouveau painter Alfons Mucha while visiting his museum in the city centre. The following visit to the most significant Prague Art Nouveau monument – the Municipal House – will take your breath away. The Municipal House was built in 1905 as the cultural and social centre of Czech speaking Prague inhabitants. The long range of Czech painters and artists participated in its decoration, except the mentioned Alfons Mucha also Mikoláš Aleš, František Ženíšek, Max Švabinský and others. The visit to the Municipal House will start at lunch in local Pilsner restaurant. After that you will also have leisure time for shopping.

Departure from Liberec: 8:00

Estimated return: 18:00



### KUTNA HORA



The importance of royal town of Kutná Hora was comparable to Prague in medieval times. Thanks to rich deposits of the silver ore Kutná Hora was the place where the silver coins had been incused and this fact was the cause of the town prosperity. The fame of this town is inscribed in its architectonic monuments – especially in the St. Barbara Cathedral whose building started at the end of 14th century under the management of Peter Parler's son and was definitely finished in 1505. The creation of the cathedral was initiated by local miners whose patron is St. Barbara. While visiting Kutná Hora it is a must to see so called Italian Court where the mentioned silver coins had been incused. Except of the royal mint, the seat of the King Wenceslas IV. was built here at the beginning of 15th century and the court was used during King's visit to the town.

Departure from Liberec: 7:30

Estimated return: 17:30

### MELNÍK CHATEAU WITH WINE TASTING



Mělník Chateau was used till 15th century as the seat of Czech princes' and kings' widows. From 15th century many noble families take turns in its possession. At the end of 16th century, the former gothic castle was rebuilt into a renaissance chateau. The last owner before the World War II was the Lobkowicz family and in its possession the chateau turned back after the velvet revolution. In 1992 Jiří Lobkowicz started the extensive reconstruction of the chateau. The visit of castle interiors will be followed by a lunch in local restaurant with the view of the confluence of two most significant Czech rivers – Labe and Vltava. The sunny hill above the junction has been always planted with the grapevine and so is today. Lobkowicz family continues in the traditional wine growing and production which quality you can experience at the wine tasting tour in local wine cellars.

Departure from Liberec: 9:00

Estimated return: 16:30



## LINDAVA GLASS WORKS



The glass works Ajeto is situated in the charming settlement Lindava, in the landscape of mysterious pine forrests and sandstone caves. Many famous designers realized their concepts in this glass works, for example Bořek Šípek. During this excursion you will visit the place where those design masterpieces rise from and you will have the opportunity to try your glass-making skills under the professional leading of local glassblowers. The lunch will be served in local Glassmaker's pub.

Departure from Liberec: 9:00

Estimated return: 15:00

## TURNOV - THE TOWN OF PRECIOUS STONES



Turnov is one of several towns that bear the attribute of „Bohemian Paradise Gate“. From old times, people found precious stones in the neighbouring landscape, so it was not by accident that Turnov became the centre of their manufacturing and finishing. In the local Bohemian Paradise Museum you can see precious stones in their raw and manufactured form. After lunch you can put yourselves in the role of precious stones seekers. In the close Votrubec's quarry you will try to find little gems. The best found pieces will be ground by the grinder. In case of favourable weather the excursion will be finished with the walk on the chine of Klokočské Rocks sandstone massif up to the ruins of the Rotštejn Castle with a picturesque view of the surrounding landscape.

Departure from Liberec: 8:30

Estimated return: 17:00

**TROSKY RUINS + SPA WELLNESS**

Ruins of the castle Trosky is the dominant of the Bohemian Paradise, visible almost from every local elevation. The unique Trosky Castle was built at the end of 14th century between two eruptive basalt rocks on which the watchtowers were erected – the higher Virgin and the lower Hag. The castle had been inhabited some hundred years – in the second half of 15th century had been captured by the royal forces and had desolated since that time. The romanticism of 19th century re-discovered Trosky for tourism and the ruins became inspiration for painters and poets. After the sightseeing lunch will be served in the nearby newly opened hotel Všeň. Its thermal paradise uses in a unique way the geothermal deep well where the water is mineralized and warmed up to the temperature of about 65 °C and is utilized for balneotherapeutic purposes. After lunch you will have the opportunity of relaxation in this complex with wide range of whirlpools and total water surface of 2000 square metres, with the view of Ještěd mountain and Bezděz Castle.

Departure from Liberec: 8:30

Estimated return: 18:00

**SYCHROV CHATEAU + JESTED MOUNTAIN**

The neogothic Sychrov Chateau that served as a residence of French originated Rohan family is well known to film fairy tales as a place where many of them were shot. The chateau salons are equipped with original furniture, pictures and accessories and most of the rooms are decorated with rich wood carvings. Most of the chateau is open to public, so its visit offers the perfect image of the rich noble family lifestyle in the village of the 2nd half of 19th century. After the chateau visit you will turn back to Liberec to tram terminal Horní Hanychov. After lunch in local renowned restaurant Domov you change the means of transport. The funicular will take you up to Ještěd mountain. Its reputable TV transmitter by the architect Hubáček is simply unignorable. Once you will enjoy the impressive view of Liberec from Ještěd, the funicular will take you back to your bus.

Departure from Liberec: 9:30

Estimated return: 14:30