

FREE MAP FOR YOUNG TRAVELLERS PRAGUE MADE BY LOCALS

ACT LIKE A LOCAL

BEER CULTURE: For Czechs, it is normal to have a couple of beers after work to release stress with their friends. It's just another day in the Czech Republic, but beware, alcohol is truly cheap here so make sure you can handle it. :-)

NOT TO DO
Stay the heck away from asbisth...
Want to party with locals? Stay away from these places: Karlový Lázeň, Zlatý strom, Nebe near Náměstí Republiky or Václavské náměstí and Retro.

TO DO
...instead try Becherovka, Slivovice, Žufáněk!
For that purpose, there are places like Palec Akropolis, Roxy, Nebe in Křemencova street, Aloha, Ankálí.

Trdelník is a yummy piece of pastry, but there is nothing traditionally Czech about it.

Would you like to bring something cool back home from Prague? Avoid made goods, real alleles of Prague, the matryoshka dolls. Wake up, people, Prague is not in Russia! There are also a lot of shops selling low quality Czech crystal and rubies made in China.

On the other hand, rakvíčka or lajkonka, lajkonka or indáněk provides the authentic sweet and local experience.

We have a saying that "Czech lands are golden". Don't be intimidated by Czech and Slovak designers, rubles and rubies to stylish clothing, let some of the talented Czech designers, painters and artists prove the famous saying.

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CENTRAL WALK

OLD AND NEW HAND IN HAND
Start in front of the shopping center **Kotva (A)** (Anchur), built from 1970 to 1975 and designed by the famous architectural couple the Machoninovi. This was one of the first modern buildings in Prague. It has a hexagonal structure, folded like a beehive. Avoid going to the **Palladium**, a suburban shopping mall hidden behind a kitschy blind facade. Instead, visit the **Obecní dům** (the Municipal House) **(B)**, which was built in 1912 as a Prague jewel in the Art Nouveau style. In 1918 it became the site where the independence of the Czechoslovak Republic was declared. A Gothic-style gate called **Pránská brána (C)** (the Powder tower) is named after the gunpowder that was stored there. You can visit the tower, the entrance is 100 CZK and the view is wonderful (more about Prague towers (C) – in the City of Prague Museum).

TOURIST ANTHILL
You will for sure enjoy the small streets of the Old Town, from **Týnský chrám** (Church of Our Lady before Týn) **(D)** to the **Old Town Square (E)** with its **Orloj** (Astronomical Clock), another spot you can't miss. The apostles' statues come alive circling around the astronomical clock with music every hour from 9:00 to 21:00. At Christmas, tourists are crazy about this place, although there are many better options to buy hot wine and breathe in the atmosphere. There is a good currency exchange office in **Kaprovna**, the main street **(F)**. Nearby, by the river is the **Memorial of Jan Palach** (the sculptor is called Son's house and Mother's house) **(G)** – a statue commemorating the 21-year-old university student who set himself on fire as a protest against Russian invasions and communism (you can learn more about his story by watching the movie *Burning Bush*).

JEWISH TOWN
The Jewish Quarter is called **Josefov (H)** and its story begins in the 13th century. At that time, Jews were forced to live in 'ghettos' isolated from Christian citizens. Prague is quite unique in offering such a great part of well-preserved

PUBLIC TRANSPORT: When it comes to public transport etiquette, we are very strict and respectful. This means letting people get off first or making our seats available for elders, pregnant women or injured people.

GOOD LUCK KISS: A slightly embarrassing tradition. In Kampa park, there is a set of three huge baby statues, you cannot miss them. Once a year, we kiss one of the babies on its ass for good luck. That's right! If you dare, want to kiss it, at least give it a proper splash! When you do, please share the photo with us!

MARKETS: Outdoor markets, farmers' markets (MAR-SEP) and flea markets on weekends have become increasingly popular; they consist mostly of outdoor wooden stalls selling fresh fruits, vegetables, toys, handmade cosmetics and souvenirs, beer and mulled wine, and they are attractions for both locals and tourists. Some of them are permanent, while others open only every so often. During the holidays, such as Christmas and Easter, these markets are usually open every day and they offer a selection of traditionally festive food and drinks, trdelník (sweet rolls with sugar and cinnamon), medovina (wine made of honey), langos (a deep fried flat bread made of potato-based dough, served with toppings of for example sour cream, cheese and garlic, powdered sugar), roasted chestnuts, etc.

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RAISE THE FLAG

THE PRAGUE CASTLE (M) is a symbol of the Czech lands and is the seat of the President. A few years ago activists sneaked into the castle dressed as chimney sweepers and replaced the official Czech flag with a pair of giant red shorts in protest against our president's support of Putin's policy – it caused quite a fuss! Even without the architectural underdog, the castle still has a lot to offer. The complex is open daily (6:00-22:00), but if you want to feel the special atmosphere of the place, come at night when most tourists have left. Tickets to certain parts are quite expensive. Our insider tip: Don't pay 300 CZK to visit **St. Vitus Cathedral** – it's free to enter the front part. If you visit **Zlatá ulička** (The Golden Lane) at night you don't have to pay. Walking through the entire castle complex is free all day long. On your way you will pass by the **Loreta baroque complex (N)**, with its bells playing a melody every hour. Entrance is 150 CZK, open daily APR-OCT 9:00-17:00, NOV-MAR 9:30-16:00.

DEER'S SECRET
Pass **Letohrádek královny Anny** (Queen Anne's Summerhouse) **(I)**, also known as *Bezděvka*, built in 1538-1565 in Renaissance style. **Jelení Pňkop** (deer moat) **(K)** used to be a part of the city's defenses and was also a home for deer and even bears, though not anymore. Some kings enjoyed hunting them directly from the castle windows. Happily, today it is totally safe and open to the public! Walk through the tunnel (made by famous architect Josef Plešek), and across a narrow steel grate which will feel like you are walking on the surface of the Brunšvic stream. For wonderful city views, head to **Masarykův vyhlídka (L)** (named after first Czech president Masaryk, and designed by architect Jozip Plešek). Open APR-OCT 10:00-18:00.

THE BRIDGE THAT NEVER SLEEPS
On your way, check out the sculptures of huge babies and check Act like a local for local habits in **Kampa (R)**. The final stop is the photogenic **Charles Bridge (S)**, decorated with 30 expressive, mostly Baroque statues. You might like to know that the originals have all been replaced with replicas. The bridge is packed not only with visitors, but also with painters and jewelers selling lovely quality goods for above average prices! To avoid the crowds, come early in the morning and enjoy the beautiful view of the riverfront, where you can also usually enjoy some Chinese wedding photoshoots.



1 NO MATRIOSHKAS IN HERE

Rather than hopelessly making your way through crowded stores with pseudo Czech souvenirs, discover Prague through the eyes of local artists at **Prague!** A few times per year, six of us choose something that they see as typical for Prague and use it as the basis for design souvenirs. MON-FRI 10:00-19:00, SAT 11:00-18:00. *Národní 37*

2 ROCK IT / EV, NC

Hey you, rock souls and metalheads! **Vagon rock club** is big, narrow and long like a train wagon, with walls furnished with photos of music legends. You often see bands tributing **UD, Nirvana** or **Pink Floyd** after midnight. You can headbang in the rock disco. Free entrance. MON-THU 19:00-5:00, FRI-SAT 19:00-6:00, SUN 19:00-1:00. *Národní 25*

3 GLAMOUR, CHARM AND ELEGANCE / G, FE

Besides good coffee you can have a tasty hot chocolate. Whatever your order will be delicious. Have a classy weekend brunch or daily breakfast. The great view is a bonus. **Café Louvre** was designed by the master from an old grandiose style. Use the pen and paper on the table to note a poem or last night's dream. If it rains? Stay for a billiard game (by 100CZK). MON-FRI 10:00-23:00, SAT-SUN 9:00-23:00. *Národní 22*

4 PATERN / F, EV, G, R, G, R

Don't be intimidated by the mean guard and the dark stairs! If you are seeking out an extraordinary underground place then **Vzorkovna Bar** is definitely a good choice for you! Free live concerts, unique atmosphere, team, beers served in jars and huge staff! doge! MON-FRI 17:00-3:00, SAT-SUN 18:00-3:00. *Národní 11*

5 DESIGN RULES / G, R

Welcome to the cozy **Dyzajnov**, a modern store full of products made by Czech and Slovak designers (more than 100 different brands). Why not to buy a cool present from the Czech Republic or reward yourself with a handmade skirt, leather bag, or nice piece of jewelry? Grab a coffee to go, relax, and see what the designers of the DIY nation can really do. MON-SAT 11:00-19:00. *Ostrovní 20*

6 SWEET TREATS / EV, G, R

Overwhelmed by the crowds on the main streets? Find a refuge in the hidden **Café Langhans** and the nest of **People in Need NGO**, and enjoy debates with Czech grassroots human rights activists. Not easy to find: dive into the passage "between the two Fotoškod's", take the door on the right, walk around the reception and you will end up in a tiny backyard. MON-SAT 10:00-20:00. *Vodňácká 37*

7 WANT SOME JOY STICK TO THIS BAR

You don't have to be a little kid to love this place. The basement of this **Joystick Bar** is filled with old arcade games and gaming consoles. Walk in and travel back in time. PS: Watch out for snakes on level 6! TUE-SAT 16:00-2:00, SAT 16:00-24:00. entrance *Jindřišská 5*

8 CUBISM PARADE

Cubism in architecture and applied art is purely a Czech phenomenon. The most famous and the most important representative example is the **Dům u Černé Matky Boží** (House of the Black Mother of God). Climb the cubist spiral staircase to the **Great Café Orient** where everything is in a cubist style – from the furniture to the kitchen, including the "sharp-edged" behaviour of the waiters. MON-FRI 9:00-22:00, SAT-SUN 10:00-22:00. *Ovocný trh 19*

9 OLD TOWN'S SECRET

Týnská litrární kavárna (literary café) is hidden from the sight of tourists despite being in the most touristy part of the city. This café bar is popular among students from the Faculty of Arts and Philosophy and offers Czech snacks (e.g. pickled cheese). Piano and books included. Can't find it? The spot is designed behind a low wooden round door. MON-FRI 10:00-23:00, SAT-SUN 12:00-23:00. *Týnská 6*

10 DON'T WORRY BE COFFEE

The entrance to the tiny **Café Ebel** is hard to notice, and when we say tiny, we mean size 3 m² (not kidding). Besides their speciality Ebel coffee, you can choose something from a hand-drawn menu like a cup of hot chocolate or some of their desserts. MON-FRI 8:30-19:00, SAT-SUN 10:00-19:00. *Kaprovna 15*

11 FIND YOUR JACKSON MOVES

During daytime the facade says "I am a nice calm café". But when the sun goes down, prepare your body for a dancing mood and yummy cocktails. The interior is Hawaiian style **Tiki** from 30-60. The atmosphere is intimate and the small dance floor doesn't force you to join if you don't feel like it. But what will you do when Michael Jackson is in the air? You will beat it. Aloha bar! Free entrance. WED-SAT 9:30-5:00, SUN-TUE 9:30-2:00. *Dušná 8*

12 THE SIZE MATTERS

Lokál Dlouhá 6 is very close to Old Town Square on **Dlouhá (Long) street**. You'll be surprised by its size, it runs through the whole block. Waiters are busy as bees, serving the best tank draught **Pilsener Urquell** in Prague, rarely available Czech food specialties like beef tongue, beef tail broth "ova", head cheese "hlavěnka", tripe soup "dršková", and for more see What we eat. MON-SAT 11:00-1:00, SUN 11:00-24:00. *Dlouhá 33*

13 PARTY LEGEND

Roxy is a legend... wait for it...dary music club. Try free Mondays with DJs downstairs. Upstairs is the **NoD** experimental space, which – like the name suggests – aims at experimenting in all sorts of arts, wishing to gain recognition and challenge prejudices – but, honestly, forget about it! It is simply **NoD**. Also, its café is cozy and quite popular. MON-SUN 23:00-5:00. *Dlouhá 33*

14 SWEET TREATS

Indianna (sponge cake with egg-white cream and covered with chocolate)
Rakvíčka (a coffee), a block of sugar dough with whipped cream)
Trdelník (a sweet pastry filled with poppy seeds, plum jam or cottage cheese)
Chlebiček (a slice of bread topped with cheese, ham and vegetables)

Slivovica (the name means "drowned man", but it's pickled sausage with onion and peppers)
Nakládaný hermelín (pickled camembert-type cheese)
Bramborák (garlic potato pancakes)

7 OLD AND NEW TOGETHER

The architect **Karel Prager** finished the **Nová scéna** building (New scene of the National theatre) in 1983. It is one of the most interesting buildings in Prague. The place will either love it or hate it. You can see a play or ballet there, and the interior is impressive with its green marble tiles and lights designed by a team of Czech artists, it could be a dangerous combination for sensitive spirits. To find **Café Mosa** you will need to know how to be in the same building on the third floor. For true lovers of Czech culture, **Národní divadlo** (The National Theatre) is a must-see. One of the most significant national buildings built from 1868 to 1883, it burned down and people collected money to rebuild it. When visiting, formal clothing is preferred. The theatre from a public space together called **Plazetta** of the National theatre. This square is used for a couple of events like the **Dyzajnamarket** – a market with 160 Czech and Slovak designers held six times per year. **Café MON-FRI 10:00-24:00, SAT-SUN 11:00-24:00. Národní 2, 4**

8 BEE MY HONEY / EV

Museum medoviny (museum of mead – liquor made of honey) is heaven for more than the mead fanatics. You can taste a variety of mead and honey products or bring home a sweet souvenir! (190 CZK/1L). Local tip: Try *medulata* (honey nutella). TUE-SAT 14:00-20:00. *Na Sázence 14*

9 YOUR HAPPY HOURS / EV, FR

The free club **Nebe (sky)** is located in an old cellar with barrel vault. You can meet some "local" foreigners who live in Prague and want to talk in their own languages. Cocktails during happy hour till 21:00 cost only 79 CZK. So, have a seat, have a cocktail and dance dance dance. Also as Gloria would say, "I will survive!" TUE 18:00-2:00, WED-THU 18:00-4:00, FRI-SAT 18:00-5:00. *Křemencova 10*

10 HIDDEN GEM / G, R

Don't be scared to come to **Super Trap Coffee!** This undisclosed passage may not be pleasing to the eye, but get to the charming courtyard and you will be safe. Inside, you will be delighted with the master from an old grandiose style. Use the pen and paper on the table to note a poem or last night's dream. If it rains? Stay for a billiard game (by 100CZK). MON-FRI 10:00-23:00, SAT-SUN 9:00-23:00. *Národní 22*

11 PRAGUE MULTIPURPOSE LANTERN

Palace Lucerna (lantern) is a National Historic Landmark, built in 1928-1930 by two of the famous architects **Adolf Loos** and **Karl Hubo**. Adolf Loos applied not only functional ideas, but also his theory of "Raumplan" – the space is not divided into individual floors, but into "cubes", and individual rooms are intermingled at different levels. It was built in 1928-1930 by two of the famous architects **Adolf Loos** and **Karl Hubo**. Adolf Loos applied not only functional ideas, but also his theory of "Raumplan" – the space is not divided into individual floors, but into "cubes", and individual rooms are intermingled at different levels. It was built in 1928-1930 by two of the famous architects **Adolf Loos** and **Karl Hubo**. Adolf Loos applied not only functional ideas, but also his theory of "Raumplan" – the space is not divided into individual floors, but into "cubes", and individual rooms are intermingled at different levels. 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PRACTICAL INFO

CURRENCY
We still have our own currency, česká koruna (Czech crown, Kč, CZK). The exchange rates vary, but for quick calculations use 1 € = 26 CZK, 1 \$ = 21 CZK. Never change money on the street. The safest and probably the cheapest way to exchange money is at a cash machine (ATM). The good exchange office in the city centre is at Kaprová 14, Prague 1.

TIPPING
Giving a tip when you're satisfied with services is part of our pub and bar culture. We normally leave about 5-10% of the bill, or rounding up till close to 10 CZK. Unless the tip is already included in the bill.

24/7 GROCERY
Need a midnight snack, a drink or a toothbrush? Tiny shops 'potraviny/veverka' with neon light signs can be found at almost every corner of Prague.

OPENING TIMES
Local shops could be closed on Sundays, most of the galleries and museums are closed on Mondays.

TRANSPORT

TICKETS
Prague has a huge public transport system which can take you almost everywhere. Buy your tickets in the yellow machines near most stops. If you're lucky, you'll find the new ones that take your credit card. Otherwise get your coins ready or find the nearest tabacconist. Don't forget to stamp your tickets before you enter the underground area or right when you get on the bus or tram.

NIGHT
Public transport (buses, trams) is more sparse, the subway is out of service between 00.30 and 04.30, but you can still use trams or buses. If you get lost in the Prague streets at night, the best thing you can do is to go to Lazňákův where the night trams (and drunk people) meet. Your night tram just left? Keep calm and wait in pub U Kovty (Špalená 11), they are officially open till 23:00 but never close before 03:00 or Vinárna U Šudu, a table at least open till 04:00 (Vodičkova 67/10).

THE AIRPORT
There are several ways to get to the airport. One is to take bus number 119 from Nádraží Veleslavin (line A), a second is to take bus number 100 from Žitná (line B). The both take about 15 minutes. The longer one goes from Hlavní nádraží (line C). That one takes about half an hour.

FASTFOOD SPECIALS
Need something quick in the touristy old town? That's where we dip into the beloved franchises of Czech origin, but fairly non-Czech cuisine: clearly recognisable are Burrito Loco, UGO or Bageterie Boulevard.

EMERGENCIES
In case of emergency, call 112. The operators there speak English. And if you (hopefully not) need a medical treatment, there's an English-friendly department in the Nemocnice Motol hospital (green line metro A).

PRICES
24 CZK (up to 30 minutes) / 32 CZK (up to 90 minutes) / 110 CZK (24 hours), 310 CZK (2 hours)

TIP FOR YOU
You can also use the funicular to get to the Petřín watchtower or the trolley ferries across the Vltava river. All you need is the public transport ticket.

NEXT STOP
The announcements of stops can be misleading. Remember, first you'll hear the current stop, followed by the name of the next stop ("přísli zastávka...").

THE MAIN TRAIN STATION - METRO STATION Hlavní nádraží (line C)
The main bus station - metro station Florenc (lines B/C) and Můsták (lines A/B)

GOT CAUGHT?
If you happen to not have a ticket or forget to validate it and get caught by an auditor, the fine is 800 CZK when you pay it immediately. So if they ask you for much more, don't be afraid to argue.

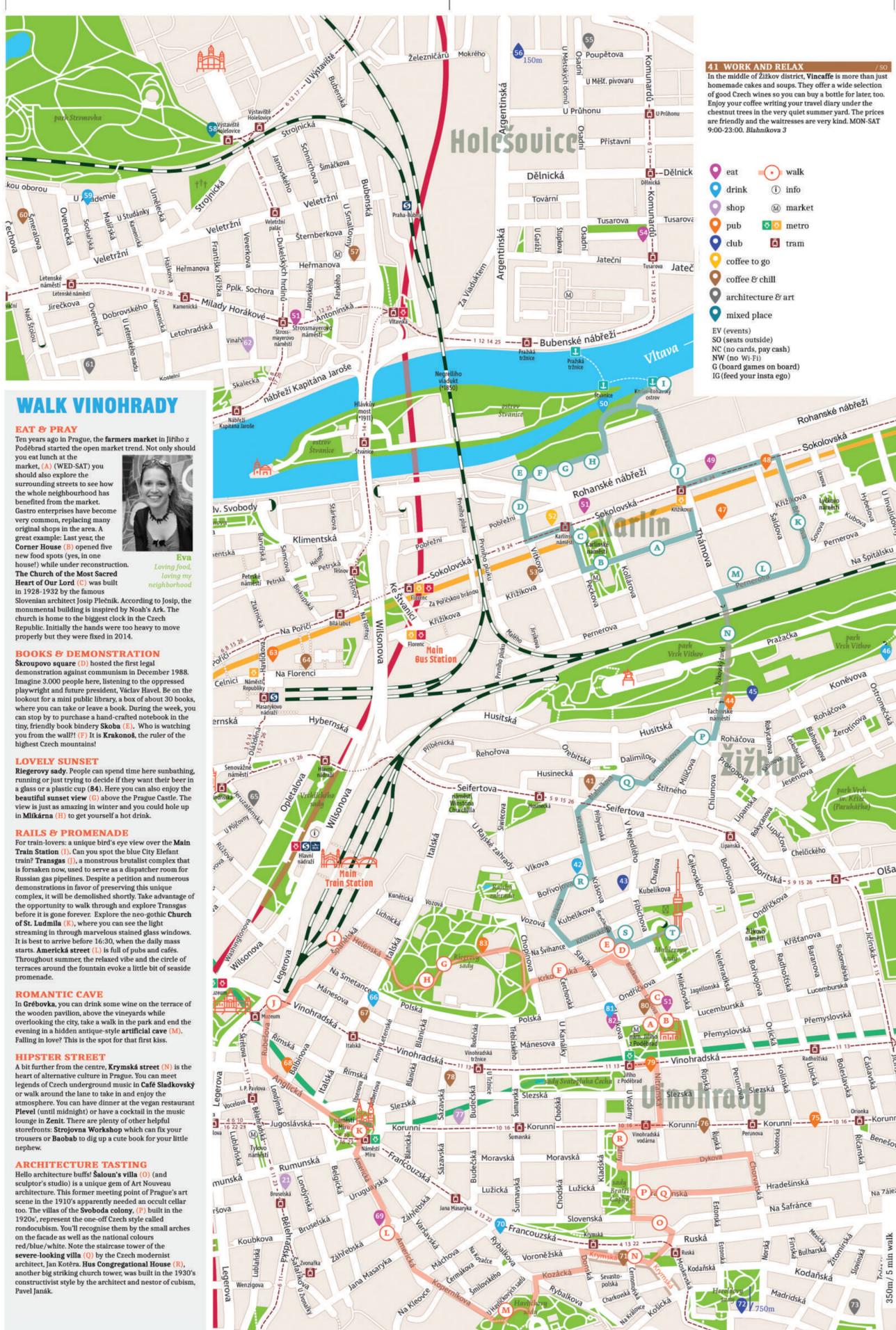
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41 WORK AND RELAX
In the middle of Žižkov district, Vincaffe is more than just homemade cakes and soups. They offer a wide selection of good Czech wines so you can buy a bottle for later, too. Enjoy your coffee writing your travel diary under the chestnut trees in the very quiet summer yard. The prices are friendly and the waitresses are very kind. MON-SAT 9:00-20:00. Blahňkova 3

42 CHALLENGING STREET
Bořivojova street is an underworld of distinctive bars and pubs in extraordinary concentration. You better begin in Malkovický cocktail bar with its vintage wallpaper and toilet hidden behind a red curtain. Their non-written rules says: 'Be calm and quiet'. Also try Mad Viktorien for true locals, old and young; Boulder V Srdi for sporty drinkers; Bukovický cocktail bar for arty artists. Only true heroes make the 500 m tour to the last one - Buzelbar Bar. MON-SUN 18:00-24:00. Bořivojova 100

43 MUSICAL COCKTAIL
Akropolis Palace feels different every time. The place hosts all sort of concerts (ethnic, world, punk, DJs, techno) and even acting performances or film projections. One of the few places in Žižkov that is easy to find thanks to its unique facade-the tower on top and the blue neon lights. A great 'after-beer' place. MON 11:00-24:00, TUE-SUN 11:00-3:00. Kubelkova 27

44 OLD FASHION SALOON
U slovancké lpy is the oldest pub in Žižkov district, but the time didn't stop here for sure. They offer ten types of beer from local breweries on tap and traditional Czech cuisine. The prices are friendly and you meet a lot of older Czech couples. The interior is typical old-fashioned 'hostace' (pub) with wooden tiles on the walls and a painted stamped wall decor. Be mindful that the waiter is a king here and you are entering his kingdom! MON-SUN 11:00-24:00. Tachovská náměstí 6

45 BANG YOUR HEAD
Want to get the idea of Žižkov district as the underworld of Prague? Go to Storm Club, the legendary party hollow with frequent live music. It has one of the best sound systems in the city and sweat dripping from the ceiling in its inferno climate. WED 21:00-24:00, THU 22:00-5:00, FRI-SAT 21:00-6:00. Tachovská náměstí 5

46 UNDERGROUND IS NOT DEAD!
Don't get fooled by the dandy appearance and packs of metalheads hanging around, this place is not judgemental or picky. Once you get inside Tunnel bar, you'll see there's more to the place than meets the eye. Locals, regulars, metalheads, punks, exchange students, foreigners, businessmen, all meeting up after the best pickled cheese in town. MON-SAT 16:00-2:00. Konevova 59

47 WATCH THE GAME
Do you need decent Czech food, draught pilsner beer and to watch a football/hockey/basketball game live? Pub U Zábanských is the place to go. Walk through the old-school entrance to find the actual sports bar: the place used to be a theatre. It's open until 01:00 every day (even longer, if there is an important match). Who is not jumping is not a Czech! Křizkova MON 11:00-24:00, TUE-THU 11:00-1:00, FRI 11:00-2:00, SAT 11:30-2:00, SUN 11:30-24:00. Křizkova 89

48 A BIT REBEL, A BIT WILD
OK, this is kind of Karlín district's love story. Artists Diego and Frida Kahl were lovers and they loved to party. That is what Diego plyn bar and Frida café (Karlínské nám. 399/11) represent as well: two sides of the same story. They have a variety of draught beers from small breweries, food inspired by Mexico, and the best ribs in town. So embrace this bit of rock, rebellious and wild pub and enjoy your time. MON-SAT 16:30-24:00, SUN 16:30-22:00. Sokolovská 114

49 SOUPERSTAR
Polevkarna soup bar is the mother of all soup bars in Prague, founded in 2010. They usually offer at least 4 types, coming in big or small. Looking for something really local? Try lunch time, you will be surprised by how busy this tiny place can be (running office-monkeys everywhere). We recommend Georgian khachapuri instead of potato bread, sitting outside and watching the busy beehive of Karlín. MON-FRI 8:30-17:30. Sokolovská 97

50 THE PORT OF CHILL
Have you been walking all day long and need to relax for a bit? Přístav 18600 (Docks) is an outdoor harbour of peace and quiet set up by a group of locals. It has comfy hammocks, summer drinks, barbecues and concerts. MAY-SEP MON-SUN 13:00-24:00. Za Karlínským přístavem 4

51 OUR FAVOURITE CZECH BAKERY
The right combination of a fancy bistro and a bakery. In Antonínův pekárství ('Antonín's bakery') you can have lunch, or a coffee, or a cake. They offer a range of different kinds of pastries, from typical Czech bread to sweet treats. It is always fresh and crunchy: watching the bakers work on your next loaf of bread makes the never-ending queue surprisingly fun. The local hit is a slice of bread with egg spread for 32 CZK. MON-SUN 7:30-19:30. 1. Sokolovská 55, 2. Stroumsavýova náměstí 11, 3. Laubova 4

52 TAKE YOUR COFFEE SERIOUSLY
Café Karlín: they have truly one of the best coffee in Prague. Ask the bartender to translate the message on the cup for you. Too bad it's closed over the weekend. MON-FRI 7:30-18:30. Sokolovská 51

53 KILL YOUR DIET
Did you have a bad day? Or your legs will not carry you any longer? Or you need a peaceful corner for your work? Here is your spot. We can say their ice-cream sandwich or glass of prosecco with a mango sorbet...oh man, just make your day. If your journey brings you to Karlín district, you cannot miss this magical space café Parlor. Not mentioning your insta ego will love the hanging flowers as well. SUN-TUE 9:00-20:00, WED-SAT 9:00-22:00. Křizkova 37

54 DREAMY LIVING ROOM
Bistro Lovely Day in Holešovice district will enthrall you with its nice waiters, tasty coffee and its sweet atmosphere - the furniture is made from recycled pallets. Sit down and enjoy breakfast or their selection of little burgers for brunch. During summer you refresh yourself with homemade ice tea or lemonade. If you enter their cozy living room, it won't be easy to leave. MON-SUN 8:00-22:00. Komunardů 7

55 INDEPENDENT GALLERY
Holešovice district used to be an industrial area with a slaughterhouse, a port, and gasworks - making it rather unpleasant. Flooded in 2002, it has since been revamped with quite a few places of architectural creativity - like DOX B180 CZK / 90 CZK for students the opening of MON-FRI 8:00-24:00, SAT 16:00-1:00, SAT 17:00-1:00, SUN 11:00-24:00. Italská 32

56 HAUNTED MACHINE
Feel like partying all night long? Cross club is a pub and underground club, authentic, industrial and (just a bit) weird at that. It is a metal maze with bars, corridors, mini-scenes, stages, light installations, rooms, a café, tearoom and a great outdoor garden. It hosts concerts, parties, house, techno, chill-out music, even a theatre with projectors. Perfect ending to your unforgettable evening in Prague. MON-SAT 14:00-5:00, SUN 14:00-2:30. Plynární 2

57 SPIRIT OF 1930'S
Rumour has it that swing music was invented in Kavárna Liberál... Who knows for sure? Either way, we can guarantee some Bohemian spirit with young and old local souls in the evenings and a cheap breakfast menu in the morning. MON-FRI 8:00-24:00, SAT-SUN 10:00-24:00. Hefmanova 6

58 DANCE UNDER THE STARS - OLD EXHIBITION AREA
Park Královská obora aka Stronávka ('strom' means a tree) used to serve as a deer-park of the royal family. Today it is a Natural Heritage Landmark in the style of an English park. If you are tired of the lively city center and feel like having some rest in nature, here you can have a picnic, borrow a grill, watch the painting artists or have a walk. Visit Containall, a ship shipping container that has been transformed into a beer garden. In addition, you can enjoy an open air cinema, flea market and concert bar with the occasional pub quiz. In the park you will find also Prague's planetarium and an old pub and dancing hall Slechtovská (now closed, but in reconstruction soon). A few years ago they opened the club Tiskárna na vzduchu (Open air printer) for swing nights, concert and lectures. Don't forget to stop by Vystavístě (the old exhibition area). The main building is Prámyslový palác (the industrial palace) built between 1952 and 1990 in Art Nouveau style. It is still open for exhibitions, events and festivals. Park open nonstop, club MON-FRI 10:00-22:00, SAT-SUN 14:00-22:00, Containall MON-FRI 11:00-23:00, SAT-SUN 10:00-23:00. Vystavístě 67/ Stronávka

59 SPACE BITCH
This warm café/bar in the Letná district is named after Lajka, the first bitch in space. Enjoy a cold Břevnov IPA, homemade lemonade or a veggie drink 77 CZK. Don't forget to check out their unique toilets resembling a dungeon. MON-FRI 10:00-22:00, SAT-SUN 12:00-22:00. U Kadetů 11

60 MY PEACEFUL MOMENT
Come to a sweet homey café, in a quiet part of Prague. Forget the time in a comfy armchair with a cup of coffee in your hand and interesting book you borrowed there from a small library. Or enjoy your drink outside. Nacafe means let's have a coffee... so what do you say? MON-FRI 11:00-22:00, SAT-SUN 14:00-22:00. Šmeralova 15

61 CARS AND PLANES UNDER ONE ROOF
National technical museum (The National Technical Museum) is one of the places in Prague where the heart of every tech-lover beats. This temple, documenting the technological development of the rural lands, is a nostalgic reminder of our childhood and the past. That is what Diego plyn bar and Frida café (Karlínské nám. 399/11) represent as well: two sides of the same story. They have a variety of draught beers from small breweries, food inspired by Mexico, and the best ribs in town. So embrace this bit of rock, rebellious and wild pub and enjoy your time. MON-SAT 16:30-24:00, SUN 16:30-22:00. Sokolovská 114

62 NOT A MAINSTREAM BOOKSHOP
Find books, or magazines, posters, bags and some guides about cool things to do, from small publishers in Czech or English for readers of all ages. PageFive's interior design is simple, minimalist and practical. MON-FRI 10:00-19:00, SAT-SUN 11:00-16:00. Veverkova 5

63 LATE NIGHT RETREAT
Did you miss your train or night bus? Grab one of four local beers on tap in Mláteč - every week they offer a different selection of local beers. Leave your fancy dress at home! MON-FRI 13:00-2:00, SAT 14:00-2:00, SUN 14:00-24:00. Havičkova 6

64 HIP SPRESSO
Ema Espresso Bar is a mecca of woodwork sexy guys and hipsters. It is a minimalist setup with school chairs and desks for seating. People enjoy a delicious cup of coffee while sitting close together in the middle of the room, allowing for conversations with new friends. No Wi-Fi, no computer working! MON-FRI 8:00-20:00. Na Florenci 3

65 MOORISH JEWISH PEARL
Jeruzalémská synagoga (The Jerusalem Synagogue), also the Jubilee Synagogue, is the largest (850 places) and latest synagogue in Prague. It was built in 1906 by the austrian architect Wilhelm Stassny, in the Moorish and Art Nouveau styles, replacing the Cikánova (Gypsy), Velkodvorskou and Novou (New) synagogues, which were demolished during the rehabilitation of the Jewish ghetto. 80 CZK, APR-OCT DAILY 11:00-17:00. Jeruzalémská 7

66 RUM LOVERS
Rums and small breweries, that's what Decent dým is also a nice café with coffee from local roaster Sorejský served during the afternoon. In 1906 by the austrian architect Wilhelm Stassny, in the Moorish and Art Nouveau styles, replacing the Cikánova (Gypsy), Velkodvorskou and Novou (New) synagogues, which were demolished during the rehabilitation of the Jewish ghetto. 80 CZK, APR-OCT DAILY 11:00-17:00. Jeruzalémská 7

67 EGGS FROM THE 60S
Dive back into the 60s in the newly-designed interior of Kaaba Café. Other than their delicious Italian coffee, they serve all kinds of local wines from Moravia, but Spanish or Italian, too. If you want too far with the view the previous evening, stop by for a breakfast, they're even open on Sundays. Local tip: Eggs in a plastic bag kick you up from your seat into an energetic day! MON-FRI 8:00-24:00, SAT 16:00-1:00, SAT 17:00-1:00, SUN 11:00-24:00. Italská 32

68 OCTOPUS ELEPHANT
New crab pub NUBEERBAR offers 20+ beers on tap from local breweries and solid menu - yet not only that! The octopus elephant, narcotic guitarist cat and various psychedelic drawings on the walls trigger a bizarre experience. This is the right place to tell the most stupider stories, to consider adding more absurdity to life, and, well, to drink good beer. SUN-THU 16:00-23:00, THU 16:00-24:00, FRI-SAT 16:00-1:00. Balbínova 1

69 SECRETLY VEGETARIAN SALON
It won't feel like the 21st century in Blatouch Café with its gloomy illumination, mysterious curtains and spacious old-fashioned interior. They offer a rich menu with a choice of veggie specialities for your body and literature for your mind. During spring and summer you may sit in the open-air garden. Don't miss their fur courgette spaghetti! MON-THU and SAT 12:00-24:00, FRI 11:00-1:00, SUN 12:00-20:00. Americká 17

70 START YOUR SECRET SOCIETY
Budoir U star rárin has no sign outside - so nobody appears here accidentally. Black and white photos on the walls, candles and odd decorations create a special atmosphere. Relaxed music and the soft background murmurs will make you feel cozy and secure. The place is open for sharing your deepest secrets and create new ones. This is a place to talk about life and death. This is a place to contribute to conspiracy. MON-SAT 17:00-1:00, SUN 17:00-24:00. Francouzská 50

71 LIVING FOREST
The Krymská street phenomenon is a concentration of bars, pubs, cafes, cinema Pilóti ("pilots") and restaurants started in 2005 by Café V Lese (café in the forest). Its interior has a hand-painted forest and a wooden ceiling. Downstairs in the cellar they host concerts, lectures, movie nights... every day. Just check their Facebook. MON-SUN 16:00-2:00. Krymská 12

72 LITTLE BERLIN
This former soap factory turned into techno club has the highest sound level in Prague. Anka! is a dark hollow to lose yourself to the beats of international performers, celebrate your human weirdness with the open-minded crowd and definitely meet friends in the club area. LGBT friendly, taking pictures forbidden. Beware of bathrooms. Check the program. Lopotchová 6

73 BEAUTIFUL, AIRY, CLOSER TO GOD
Kostel Svatoho Václava (The Church of St. Venceslas) is a modern three-nave church. The reinforced concrete church, built between 1929 and 1930 by architect Josef Gočár, is considered to be one of the most successful functionalist ecclesiastical buildings in the Czech Republic. The chapel was built by the church of St. Nicholas in Vrsovice district was not big enough to accommodate all the faithful. The church is open at least 30 minutes before and after daily mass (from 17:30-18:00). náměstí Svatoptuka Cechá 1348/3

74 GO 70'S US
Nice decor that reminds one of a BBQ restaurant in the US. Great music playing a mix of 70's and 80's rock music. Meet a charismatic waiter with good jokes. Order the homemade ground fries or grilled shrimps and share with friends. Try draught IPA Sviňany with a tasty meal in the stylish place. Let's meet. MON-SAT 11:00-24:00. Stezská 107

75 BREWERY FROM THE NEIGHBOURHOOD
Vinohradský pivovar (Vinohrad district brewery) is a favourite resto for a late lunch and a couple of beers during the weekend. They are masters of Czech classics and meat dishes and are particularly known for beef cheeks with mashed potato. Don't forget to say 'wow' to the giant beer tanks visible through the transparent restaurant wall. MON-SUN 11:00-24:00. Korunní 106

76 EVERGREEN JUNGLE
Lose yourself among Šplítrna 1923's unique interior, stylish wooden tables and the buzz of young people chatting. Take your pick of their delicious selection of homemade confectionery, sip your drink of choice - lemonade, coffee, beer - and while you sit back, notice how the whole ceiling and some of the walls are painted with trees, top trees, evergreen leaves, fungi, and... for some reason, images of cloudy skies - to guide you to the toilets. MON-SAT 8:00-22:00, SUN 9:00-17:00. Korunní 86

77 DRAUGHT SOUVENIRS
Gourmands, welcome to Vom fass! This spectacular store has everything you need to down your sorrows: liquor, brandy, cognac, whisky, and even Czech brandy (our world famous plum brandy slivovice). For foodies, try their oils on bread in a bottle of your choice. Perfect as a present (dove love it) or for spoiling yourself. MON-FRI 11:00-19:00, KORUNNÍ 19

78 WHEN A GOOD HIPSTER DIES...
his soul doesn't go to heaven. It goes straight to La Bohème Café. Vintage interior, an originally designed menu with their speciality - coffee-based cocktails and Czech homemade cakes. Don't worry, they also have flat white and matcha latte. Feed your Insta Ego, #nofilter. MON-FRI 8:00-20:00, SAT-SUN 10:00-20:00. Sázavská 32

79 CRAFTED
Are you tired of classic Czech beer? Go home! Joking, try Beerček! They are open until 02:00 and believe us, you will not leave before then. They offer 32 tapped beers (their own brand is Siberia) and 500 types of bottled ones. Their bartenders are actual beer experts. Some of beers are heavy, so you may want to also order a portion of grilled wings. MON-SUN 15:00-2:00. Vlnohradská 62

80 OMELETTE AU FROMAGE
Is your day incomplete without an omelette au fromage or a crunchy croissant? Le Caveau is a French café-bakery right next to the famous market. Take this seriously and start your day with a glass of Bordeaux. In summer, they host small jazz concerts. MON-FRI 7:00-19:00, SAT 7:30-15:00, SUN 7:30-14:00. náměstí Jiřího z Poděbrad 1561/9

81 STANOE AND DRINK
The owner of Vlnohradka, Ms. Otakar, literally eats, sleeps and breathes wine. People stand outside (there are no seats) and chat while enjoying a glass of wine directly from the barrel. Take-away wine in a plastic bottle is also a popular option. It is around 60 CZK. MON-FRI 11:00-19:30, SAT-SUN 10:00-19:30. Slavkova 3

82 PHO PARADISE
The Vietnamese community in the Czech Republic is quite big with more than 100,000 people. We appreciate them especially for their cuisine. Pho Vietnam Tuan & Lan bistro is already in 3 places in Prague and they have the best Pho in the town. Buy one, take it away and eat it in the park Riegrovy sady with a stunning panoramic view of the castle, like the locals do. MON-SAT 11:00-22:00. Slavkova 1 (Kodaňská 29, Anglická 15)

83 BEER IN THE PARK
Go to the Beer garden in Riegrovy sady (if you like a beer), b meeting new people, c) watching sports and movies on a big screen, d) chilling... Did I mention they have beer? Or just grab a drink, sit on the grass in the park nearby, chill and enjoy the view. Summer time baby! MON-SUN 12:00-24:00. Riegrovy sady 28

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Go to the Beer garden in Riegrovy sady (if you like a beer), b meeting new people, c) watching sports and movies on a big screen, d) chilling... Did I mention they have beer? Or just grab a drink, sit on the grass in the park nearby, chill and enjoy the view. Summer time baby! MON-SUN 12:00-24:00. Riegrovy sady 28

85 WALK KARLÍN-ŽIŽKOV
Karlín used to be an industrial area around a big factory for train and railway parts. In time, it became a brownfield and during the last 15 years it was remade into a modern friendly district. In 2002, we had terrible floods in Prague, which decimated the area. In the end, it was the start for new renovations and change. One of the most popular streets, Křizkova, is named after František Křizík, Czech technician, industrialist and inventor of the first steam new complex Corso Karlín (A) are mainly offices, you can enter on the street and you will find a place ideal for lunch breaks, lazy afternoons or chess games (tables are there). (C) Karlínské náměstí was renovated in 2016. The dark and dominating church of Saints Cyril And Methodius (B) (dirty from the time when steam trains filled the air with ashes) was built in 1863, in neo-romanesque style. It is open daily 8:00-19:00.

86 RIVER CITY
Coming out from the old part of Karlín district, you will see the difference. Rohanské nábreží street used to be a Vltava river bank, it is a bit bar and hidden in bushes, one of Prague's ferry boat harbor (I). It is called HOLKA (meaning "a girl" from HOLEŠOVICE district and Karlín district). Originally, it was not planned to build a residential building, however, the urban design was changed in due course.

87 RIVER STREAM, TREES' SHADOWS
Přístav 18600 (50) is an outdoor harbor drenched in peace and quiet, set up by a group of locals (the number 18600 is the post code of Karlín district). On the river bank, it is a bit bar and hidden in bushes, one of Prague's ferry boat harbor (I). It is called HOLKA (meaning "a girl" from HOLEŠOVICE district and Karlín district). Originally, it was not planned to build a residential building, however, the urban design was changed in due course.

88 THROUGH KARLÍN OLD AND NEW
Walk through the neighbourhood lightly and enjoy some local gastro treasures. Winebar Křizík (J) (yes, the name of that famous inventor again) is always packed with locals after work. Time to refresh! On the way to the pub Karlínské pivovar (5), in Břetězova street you pass by a lot of beautiful old facades and end up with the Butterfly building at that end that derives its name from its shape from a bird's eye perspective. - In this pub they know what beer should taste like! One of the first renovations in Karlín was Forum Karlín (L), the concert hall - some say it is one among the ten best acoustic halls in Europe. Part of the complex is the modern media newroom of the Economia Publishing House (M) in the reconstructed premises of the former historic building of the Bohemian Moravian Kolben & Dankl Boiler Plant (ČKD), where modern steam boilers were manufactured since 1908 for the entire Austro-Hungarian Empire.

89 SHORTCUT TO ŽIŽKOV DISTRICT, FURTHER NOT
When you get tired of Karlín, take the 303 m long tunnel (N) connecting the quarters of Žižkov and Karlín. It is a great shortcut - and it also has a spooky atmosphere (the sign "nebo" means don't fear). It was built as a part of a fallout shelter in 1953, equipped with water, food, and also a room for storing dead bodies. Before you go to discover remote pubs, we suggest you climb up the Vitkov hill to enjoy the view - one of the best in Prague. The rooftop of the Czech military memorial (O) was used to rest the corpse of former communist president Klement Gottwald and today offers exposition of the Czech statehood.

90 LOVE IT OR HATE IT
Žižkov district used to be a dangerous neighbourhood in Prague and it still has its own atmosphere. The pubs are full of locals, the streets are not as clean as elsewhere, but so many pubs, pubs and clubs make it paradise, not only for students. Notice the monument of Jaroslav Hašek (P), made by sculptor and graphic designer Karel Nepraš. Writer Jaroslav Hašek lived nearby this little square, and they found his famous novel there: The Good Soldier Švejk, the anti-war Czech novel that became popular worldwide. My Coffee Story (Q) is cute café with a summer garden hidden inside the interior block to have you with good coffee. Be careful in Bořivojova street (R), famous for its bars, you can be lost here for hours! After this hard part (walking up), the real pearl is waiting for you. The Žižkov TV Tower (T) was built in 1985 and designed by Václav Aulický, on the grounds of a former Jewish cemetery. Can you believe it was voted as one of the ugliest buildings in the world? (not) The giant babies crawling up and down the tower are an addition by the controversial artist David Černý. The entrance fee is 250 CZK but you can get a similar view from the tower restaurant (coffee - 80 CZK). When the sun is gone, follow your way to Pivnice U Šudu (S) open till 04:00, they also cook (or to club Pátek Akropolis (43). The night is young.

91 KRIZKOVA METRO STATION / STREET
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