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Czech Republic is home to more than 1500 castles and chateaus, most of them outside Prague. The origins of majority of them belong to the medieval times specially during the reign of the Holy Roman Emperor Charles IV in 14th century. Habsburg Empire ruled the land from 18th century. The rulers and related aristocratic families since Middle Ages built, destroyed, and re-constructed several chateaus and castles with various architectural influences like gothic, art deco, baroque, renaissance, art nouveau, neo-gothic to neo-renaissance.

During the World War II and Soviet rule lot of the beautiful properties were severely damaged. After the Velvet Revolution in 1989, measures, that included lot of financial investments and advises from expert historians, have been taken to restore the properties to their original glory. Castles like Prague Castle complex, Karlstejn, Cesky Krumlov Castle, and others can be visited to learn about the history and lifestyle of the noble families, who lived there since the medieval times. Some of those castles even allow visitors to experience the royal life by letting them eat, sleep, and enjoy life like the nobles.

In this brochure Kompas Praha presents to you some of the best Castle and Chateau hotels of Czech Republic ideal for romantic getaways, weddings and celebrations, gala dinners, conferences, team-building activities and more.

HOTEL MOZART, PRAGUE

400 years old historic palace

The Mozart Prague (originally Pachtuv Palace, built in 1628) is a historic family-run 5 star boutique hotel with a history of over 400 years.

The historic palace hosted famous residents as **Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart** (1756–1791), Giacomo Casanova (1725–1798), Richard Wagner (1813–1883), Alfons Mucha (1860–1939) and others.

Ideally located luxury palace in the heart of the old town with exceptional panoramic views of Vltava river, Charles Bridge & Prague Castle.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 70 rooms in different categories, maximum capacity is 140 guests

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES

- Jeddi Hair & Welness, infrared sauna, rejuvenating massages, manicures & pedicures
- Live music concerts

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS: 5 MEETING VENUES INCLUDING

- Restaurant – capacity up to 70 guests
- 2 smaller meeting venues – up to 30 guests in each.
- Hotel Courtyard – capacity up to 200 guests

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Extended family holidays
- Weddings and celebrations
- Honeymoons

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- Member of Preferred Hotels & Resorts
- LVX collection and
- Historic Hotels Worldwide.

MANDARIN ORIENTAL, PRAGUE

14th century monastery

Mandarin Oriental, Prague, is an intimate hotel with an elegant and contemporary style, housed in a former 14th-century monastery. Ideally located in heart of Prague's historic center it is housed within a former 14th century monastery. It is both a five-star luxury hotel and a wonderfully preserved piece of history.

Having preserved much of the original structure, history is very much living around the property.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 99 of the city's most spacious and luxurious guest rooms and suites

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES

- Multi-award-winning Spa set in a former Renaissance Chapel
- 60-minute cruise in the river channels of Lesser Town in MO Boat

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS: THE HOTEL HAS EXCEPTIONAL BANQUETING AND CONFERENCE SERVICES

- Grand Ballroom - capacity upto 150 guests
- The Dominicus Hall - idea for drinks receptions and formal dinners
- Monastery Lounge - ideal for a welcome reception
- Monastery Garden – capacity up to 150 guests

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Extended family holidays
- Conferences and meetings
- Romantic getaways

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- Best 5-star Hotel and Spa in Prague, 2018, Czech Hotel Awards
- Hotel of the Year, 2017 and 2016, Czech Hotel Awards
- Czech Republic's Best Hotel Spa, 2017, World Spa Awards and more

AUGUSTINE HOTEL, PRAGUE

13th century monastery

Augustine is a rare place, where the history meets newly arising tales, as the hotel was carefully transformed from Augustinian monastery dating back to 1284. Friendly monks living next door preserve authentic monastic ambience while cubist design brings in a contemporary touch.

The rooms and suites of this 5-star hotel were designed by Olga Pollizzi, who carefully combined unique historical characteristics from vaulted ceilings to wooden beams with modern features to originate distinctive atmosphere. No two rooms are the same and each of the exquisite rooms preserve a piece of the Augustinian heritage as most of them were assembled from 2 to 3 monks' cells. Signature suites rank among the most iconic and luxurious suites in Prague, such as suite with UNESCO protected fresco or 3-floor suite housed in former astrological tower with unrivaled 360° view.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 101 rooms

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Extended family holidays
- Conferences and meetings
- Weekend getaways

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- Royal Beer Tasting Experience
- Discovery Tour with a monk with exclusive visit to the ancient library

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- 11 event spaces including both indoor and outdoor venues. Largest is Monastic room with capacity up to 180 guests

DĚTENICE CHÂTEAU RESORT

Mid-11th century Baroque Chateau

Dětenice is only 69 kms (approx. 1hr) away from Prague in the Bohemian Paradise area. Bohemian Paradise, or Český Ráj, consists of the Protected Landscape Area characterized by the sandstone pinnacles. It is also home to famous castles like Trosky Castle, Kost Castle, and Valdštejn Castle.

According to legend, Dětenice was founded by Duke Oldřich in the mid-11th century. While crossing the country, he came across two orphaned boys whom he took pity on. He took them in and designated a group of his staff to protect and bring them up. This is how the settlement's name originated, děti in Czech means children.

The property is divided into the MEDIEVAL hotel and the CHATEAU. The Medieval hotel takes you back to Middle Ages with traditional and luxury knight rooms with 'brash' service staff, all part of the medieval experience.

The Chateau, on the other hand, has 4 luxury apartments of 5-star standards. There is also a 3-star Hotel Rustikal.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- Medieval Hotel – 68 rooms
- Chateau Apartments – 4 units
- Hotel Rustikal – 19 rooms
- Total capacity – up to 250 pax

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- Brewery and chateau tours
- Theme food festivals like Medieval food festival, Love food festival, Wine Festival, etc
- Medieval show every evening in the tavern
- Knight tournaments

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- Conferences and presentations are hosted in Chateau rooms with the biggest room able to accommodate up to 150 pax.

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Weekend family getaway
- Team building programs
- Wedding ceremonies
- Bachelor and other private parties

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- Most frequented site in the Hradec Kralove region
- In TOP 10 of the most frequented sites in the Czech Republic (statistic by Czech tourism).

CHATEAU HERÁLEC BOUTIQUE HOTEL & SPA BY L'OCCITANE

14th century medieval chateau

Chateau Herálec is located 110 kms (approx. 1.5hrs) from Prague in a small village in the Bohemian-Moravian highlands. It is located in the region with the highest density of UNESCO Heritage sites, 4 of them, all less than an hour away from the chateau.

The hotel building dates to medieval times (14th century). The present look is from the 19th century with the interiors in Art Deco style. In 2011 it was refurbished into luxury a 5-star boutique hotel. The hotel boasts spacious luxury rooms and the first Spa by L'OCCITANE in the Czech Republic.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 19 rooms with 39 beds in total
- Activities for couples and families:
- Free rental of Mercedes Benz convertible
- Spa with swimming pool, 3 saunas, steam room, whirlpool, and gym
- Vast private English park surrounding the whole castle suitable for walking, picnics, etc

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- There are 6 event rooms – Conference hall, Marble hall, Chateau restaurant, Princely lounge, Academic Saloon, and Wine Cellar. Conference Hall is the largest option for meetings and presentations and can accommodate up to 101 pax. Sporting activities like a Shooting range, Curling, Paintball, Pétanque, and Croquet can be arranged in and around the chateau.

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Short relaxing stay for couples and families
- Conferences and teambuilding events
- Wedding ceremonies

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- 2020 Best Hotel in 4-star category, Czech Hotel Awards

CASTLE HOTEL LIBLICE

Baroque Castle

Castle Liblice is a Conference Centre of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic. The baroque castle is located 35 kms (approx. 1hr) away from Prague and is in the village of the same name in Mělník District in the Central Bohemian Region. The chateau offers 4-star standard accommodation and facilities. It is also popular among couples and families looking for a relaxing holiday.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 53 rooms with 110 beds in total. 20 rooms in the historic building and 33 rooms in the eastern and western wings

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- Wellness relaxation center, massages
- Sports equipment hire
- Restaurant with a summer terrace and barbecue on an open fire
- Garden picnics

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- There are 3 event rooms with the largest able to accommodate up to 50 pax

THE PROPERTY IS ALSO IDEAL FOR:

- Romantic stays
- Spa holidays
- Wedding ceremonies

CHATEAU MCELY SPA HOTEL & FOREST RETREAT

Aristocratic rural manor

Chateau Mcely is located 50 kms (approx. 1hr) away from Prague in a Central Bohemian village called Mcely. UNESCO World Heritage Site Kutna Hora and the Protected Nature Landscape of Bohemian Paradise are nearby.

Chateau Mcely is the former rural manor of the Thurn-Taxis aristocracy. Mcely is a picturesque village with original historical wooden buildings and a Baroque church dating back to the 16th century. It currently has about 300 residents and the surrounding countryside is a popular area for recreation, primarily for those from nearby Prague. The chateau was lovingly refurbished to a 5-star spa and forest retreat with its laboratory producing a range of skin and body care products.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 24 rooms, maximum capacity 55 pax

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- Natural skincare blending class
- Mcely Bouquet Spa
- Romantic dinner with 101 candles
- Breakfast in the garden Gazebo
- 17th-century chateau wine cellar
- Natural swimming lake

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- There are 7 event rooms – Library, Gold Room, Plate Hall, Tea Hall, Theatre Hall, Alchemist Bar in the cellar, and Patio Bellavista. Bellavista is the biggest room and can accommodate up to 100 pax. It is ideal for a variety of company meetings and events. Some group activities which can be organized are Natural cosmetic blending classes, Praline making class, Secret alchemical elixir tasting in the Alchemist Club and the “Plant your company tree” program in the park

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Honeymoons
- Intimate celebrations
- Incentives and conferences
- Relaxation after long congresses in Prague

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- Piano Noble named 5th Best Restaurant of Czech Republic 2020 by Maurer’s Guide
- Piano Noble received Three Golden Lions, 2019 and 2020 by TopLife Czech publishing house’
- The Hotel was TripAdvisor Travellers Choice Winner 2019
- Best 5-star Hotel of Czech Republic, Czech Hotel Awards 2018, and many more

CHATEAU ŠTIŘÍN HOTEL

Baroque Chateau

The Hotel Chateau Štiřín is located 25 km southeast from the centre of Prague, in the romantic environment of a Baroque chateau surrounded by several ponds. The site includes an English style chateau park.

As per a document from 1395, a gothic fortress first existed on the site which was further proven by historical research. The chateau was close to an important trade route so, many prominent personalities like Emperor Maximilian spent a night at Štiřín. Since 15th century the chateau changed hands of several owners. During this time, it was destroyed and reconstrued many times. But the main influences can be seen from the time it was owned by industrialist František Ringhoffer II in the late 19th century and later during the administration of Ministry of Education after 1945. The construction of the building was completed in the year 2000.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 63 rooms, 123 beds in 5 buildings

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- 9 hole golf course
- Wellness center with Sauna, 2 whirlpools, solarium, massage

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- There are 8 conference halls – Ridinger’s Hall, Hunting Hall, Ringhoffer’s Hall, Suk’s Hall, Chval’s Hall, Rustical Hall, Rudolf’s Hall and Salm’s Hall, Salm’s is the largest and can accommodate upto 280 pax.

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Family celebrations and other social events
- Weddings and Receptions
- Conferences and Presentations

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- Nominated for Czech Hotel Awards

CHATEAU ZBIROH

Neo-renaissance castle

Chateau Zbiroh is 63 kms (approx. 1hr) from Prague. Originally a gothic castle from the end of 12th century, it was later reconstructed as Neo-renaissance castle. The highlights are the magnificent 60 hectares of English-styled park, oldest castle tower of Bohemia and medieval Rudolf II tavern. The great Art Nouveau painter, Alfons Mucha, lived at the chateau for 18 years and painted his famous Slav Epic.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 40 rooms of 4-star category
- 12 luxury chateau apartments of 5-star category
- Maximum capacity 52 rooms, 128 beds.

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- Wellness center, located in a 12th century historic hall, with a gym, swimming pool, jacuzzi and massages
- Chateau wine cellars
- Whisky tasting with presentations
- Cigar tasting with expert presentations

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- There are 6 conference halls. Heraldic and Mucha are Chateau halls. The castle halls have a capacity of up to 500 pax. Four lounges – Tap-room, Art Nouveau Lounge, Strousberg Lounge and Masonic Lounge. Group activities like paintball, medieval market, hot air ballooning, four-wheel drive, horse back riding, medieval games, etc can be organized.

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Gala dinners, team building and presentations
- Weddings and Receptions
- Relaxation

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

- The best provider of catering services at "The 29th International Award for Tourist, Hotel and Catering Industry" in Madrid

BROUMOV MONASTERY

17th century Baroque Style Monastery

Broumov Monastery is located 185 kms (approx. 2.5 hrs) from Prague, close to Poland border. It is near the Adršpašsko-Teplické skály – the largest rock town in the Central Europe.

It was originally a fortress which was later built in Gothic Style in 1300. In 17th and 18th century the monastery was extensively reconstructed into Baroque style. It also operated a grammar school since Middle Ages until 1939, when it was closed by the Nazis. Many famous Czech personalities across the centuries have studied here.

The monastic cells are newly renovated to open as a one-of-its kind hotel.





ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY:

- 25 monastic cells can accommodate upto 82 pax

ACTIVITIES FOR COUPLES AND FAMILIES:

- Guided tour of the monastery
- Restaurant and Café
- Monastery gardens

MICE AND CELEBRATIONS:

- Dřevník Conference Hall can accommodate upto 280 pax. Abbatial Halls – 6 rooms connected with corridors. Fresco Halls can accommodate upto 300 pax. Smaller halls also available.

THE PROPERTY IS IDEAL FOR:

- Unique stays
- Conferences, theatre performances, weddings, balls or fashion shows
- Music concerts

GRAND MORAVIAN SELF-DRIVE TOUR

Supersport or Muscle Cars Self-drive experience through the stunning scenery of South Moravia region combined with true gourmet experiences and accommodation in heritage hotels.





Château Herálec



Château de Frontiere

WHAT YOU WILL DRIVE:

- Supersport cars option - Porsche 911 GT3 RS, Lamborghini Huracán Performante Spyder, Ferrari 488 Spider, Mercedes AMG GT Roadster
- Muscle cars options - Ford Mustang GT, Chevrolet Camaro, BMW M2 Competition, Dodge Challenger

ACCOMMODATION:

- First night in Hotel Château Herálec - Magnificent historic mansion and romantic 5-star castle hotel

OR

- Chateau Valeč - This friendly 4 * hotel offers magnificently conceived relaxation area, whose level is superior than popular European resorts.
- Second night in Hotel Château de Frontiere - Pleasant 4* hotel is very close to the former hunting lodge and where the famous restaurant Essens is based

PROGRAM:

DAY 1.

- Individual arrival to the hotel, meet & greet
- Welcome and group dinner

DAY 2.

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Briefing for the driving tour
- Morning part of the driving tour



- Buffet Lunch at Sonberk winery
- Afternoon part of the driving tour
- Arrival at the Chateau de Frontiere, aperitif
- 5 or 8-course tasting dinner with paired wines at Essens restaurant
- Wine tasting (2 samples of quality Moravian wine versus 2 samples of wine from Italy and France)

DAY 3.

- Breakfast and check-out.
- Departure for the final part of the tour back towards Château Heralec.
- Arrival at Château Heralec, buffet lunch. After lunch guests depart in their own transportation

PRICE INCLUDES:

- Rental of 4 supersport cars or muscle cars, delivery and collection of cars at Château Herálec, 400 km driving tour, fuel for the hike and car insurance with deductible
- Accommodation for 2 nights: first night in Château Herálec or Chateau Valeč , second night in Château de Frontiere, including breakfast, access to wellness wherever available
- Meals as per the above-mentioned programme
- Service of 3 people, including two accompanying vehicles with fuel, rental of professional radio equipment, accommodation and meals for the team.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- There will be security deposit required for rental cars TBC
- Programme and offer are indicative and may vary depending on availability of cars and accommodation.





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