

Important tourist events in South Moravia in year 2010

TOP! Trade fairs GO and Regiontour

14-17 January 2010

Two of the most prominent trade fairs of tourism and travelling in Central Europe focused on regions, which are the best opportunity to introduce a wide scale of services available in the field of tourism and travelling. The venue of the two fairs is the Brno Exhibition Centre.

www.bvv.cz/go

The Open Cellars Festival :

Spring 2010 17-18 April

Wine-growing sub-region of Znojmo

Autumn 2010 13-14 November

Wine-growing sub-region of Slovácko

www.otevrenesklepy.cz

Festival of carnival traditions Fašank 2010 in Strání

12-16 February 2010

Bass burial, folk crafts exhibits, hog-killing, open door days in Moravian Glass Works Květná, performance of 5 folklore ensembles.

www.strani.cz

The Easter Festival of Sacred Music

28 March - 11 April 2010

The Easter Festival of Sacred Music will take place in St. Peter's and Paul's Cathedral in Brno.

www.arskoncert.cz, www.mhf-brno.cz

Day of the Oskoruse

17 April 2010

If you do not know what the oskoruse is (*Sorbus domestica*), set out to the village of Tvarožná Lhota where the already 9th Day of the Oskoruse will be held.

<http://www.inexsda.cz/bk>

JAZZFEST BRNO 2010

21-27 April 2010

The International Jazz Festival

www.jazzfestbrno.cz

Unlocking the shipping season on Bata's canal

1 May 2010

The symbolic opening is accompanied by cultural programme, navigation on boats and various attractivities of the opening shipping season.

www.batacanal.cz

Valtice wine fairs

7-8 May 2010

The largest and most prestigious competition show of wines in the Czech Republic with the international participation of exhibitors, folklore, gastronomy and accompanying events.

www.wineofczechrepublic.cz, www.vvtvaltice.cz

A wheel through the region of sights and wine

14-16 May 2010

/Cycling tour along the Moravian Wine Path/

The 5th cycling tour through villages and wine cellar lanes from Uherské Hradiště to Znojmo.

www.vinarske.stezky.cz

The Festival of Asparagus

21-22 May 2010

Fresh asparagus and asparagus delicatessen for sale. Most restaurants in Ivančice will offer asparagus menu and various specialities.

www.ivancice.cz

21 May – 6 June 2010

TOP! Brno – City in the centre of Europe – 12th Festival of Entertainment

Concerts, theatre performances, crafts – festival of entertainment in streets of the Brno City.

www.bmue.cz

TOP! Ignis Brunensis

21 May – 4 June 2010

International show of fireworks – A competition of 4 firework performances. Brno – Denisovy sady (Denis orchards), Brno Dam Lake, Spilberk Castle

www.ignisbrunensis.cz/

15th Wine Fairs – Čejkovice 2010

22-23 May 2010

Traditional sales exhibition of local wine-growing companies with a wide supply of wines for tasting offered by local vine-growers. Varied accompanying programme in historical spaces of the original Templar fortress.

www.vinozcejkovic.cz

The Ride of Kings Vlčnov 2010

28-30 May 2010

The festival is a parade of folklore ensembles, dance, music and national costumes from the eastern part of Slovácko.

www.jizdakralu.vlcnov.cz

TOP! Conventus Moraviae

29 May – 26 June 2010

International Festival of Classical Music

Festival concerts in 13 Moravian towns in the inspirative environs of churches, chateaus or castle courtyards. The Festival is a Czech contribution to the pan-European project of Czech Dreams.

www.conventus-moraviae.cz

Season Opening on Moravian Wine Paths with Czech Radio Brno

12 June 2010

Traditional annual cycling event for public along the Moravian Wine Paths. This year in the northern part of the wine-growing sub-regions of Velké Pavlovice and Znojmo. Start and end in Židlochovice.

www.vinarske.stezky.cz

TOP! International Folklore Festival in Strážnice

24-27 June 2010

Parade of Czech and foreign folklore ensembles. Ceremonial procession through the town on Saturday afternoon.

www.nulk.cz

24rd International Guitar Festival in Mikulov

4-10 July 2010

The Guitar Festival in Mikulov is for more than twenty years one of the most prominent events of the kind not only in the Czech Republic but in the entire Central-European space.

www.gfmikulov.com

The Brno Shakespeare Days

7 July – 31 August 2010

The Brno Shakespeare Days take place traditionally on the great yard of the Spilberk Castle. Visitors are welcome to see plays such as Othello, The Merchant of Venice, The Tempest and other.

www.shakespeare.cz

Alternative Music Festival

15-18 July 2010

Festival for the Jewish Quarter called Boskovice is focused on promotion of the singular urban monument in the South-Moravian town. Boskovice Festival represents tourist attractions from musical and theatre stages, movies, exhibitions, author's reading and many other events.

www.unijazz.cz/cs/boskovice/o-festivalu/8/41

The Černá Hora Festival of Sun

16-17 July 2010

The traditional country and folk festival of Sun will be held in the manor gardens of Strážnice.

www.festival-slunce.cz/

The Summer Film School in Uherské Hradiště

23 July – 1 August 2010

The second largest film festival in the Czech Republic. Programme of the Summer Film School is divided into several cycles of which each stages a representative collection of films.

www.lfs.cz

Starobrnno Olšany Open

30 July – 1 August 2010

The non-traditional traditional event on the farm of Bolek Polívka. The prankster event will combine with the performances of numerous Czech artists.

www.bolek.cz/aktuality

The Ethnographic Festival in Milotice

6-8 August 2010

Come to feast your eyes on the beauty of national costumes from Kyjov, captivating music, ebullient dancing and temperamental singing. Come to taste wines grown in vineyards surrounding the whole area of Milotice.

www.milotice.cz

Brno Folk Festivals

9 August – 4 September 2010

A number of cultural events will be held within the framework of the Festival such as the International Guitar Festival, The Day of Brno, Fencing Festival, International Folklore Festival, International Theatre Festival – On boards, pavement and grass.

www.kultura-brno.cz

TOP! Grand Prix of the Czech Republic

13-15 August 2010

The Brno event is a part of the World Championship of Road Motorbikes. Elite motorcycle races in the classes of 125 ccm, 250 ccm and MotoGP are the most prestigious event in the Czech Republic.

www.automotodrombrno.cz

The Day of Open Cellars in Čejkovice

27-29 August 2010

Lovely travelling through wine cellars of one of the largest viticultural regions in the Czech Republic, wine tasting and evening with the dulcimer music.

www.vinozcejkovic.cz

TOP! The historic wine harvest in Znojmo

10-11 September 2010

Festival of half-fermented young wine and regular wines, parade of music, dance, entertainment and costumed shows will be held in the downtown of Znojmo.

www.znojmo.eu

TOP! The Pálava Grape Harvest**10-12 September 2010**

Spectacular event with the historic and wine market place, parades and processions, tasting of wines and half-fermented young wine, crafts and entertainment programmes for all age categories event will take place in Mikulov .

www.mikulov-kultura.wz.cz

Tour de Burčák (Young Wine Tour)**11 September 2010**

Traditional cycling tour amongst vine shrubs loaded with the ripening crop in the foothills of the White Carpathians near Strážnice. The event combines with the Strážnice grape harvest.

www.vinarske.stezky.cz.

The Moravian Autumn**1-15 October 2010**

Annual festival of classical music will be held in the Basilica of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary in Brno.

www.arskoncert.cz, www.mhf-brno.cz

Closing of the season on wine paths**2 October 2010****Awheel among the vineyards**

Final trip of the season on wine paths to learn something about wine-growing, vineyards and sights of the region of Uherské Hradiště.

www.vinarske.stezky.cz

3-5 December 2010**TOP! Commemorative events to celebrate the 205th anniversary of the Austerlitz Battle**

Traditional events to commemorate the Battle of Austerlitz (2 December 1805). Soldiers in historic uniforms, reconstruction of the battle, parade, fireworks, crafts market place.

www.zamek-slavkov.cz

Christmas Fairs**10-19 December 2010**

Christmas Fairs are a good opportunity to buy Christmas gifts, to relax and to have a lot of entertainment for the whole family. The event will take place at the Brno Exhibition Centre.

www.bvv.cz