

# MUSEUM OF PARADE COSTUMES IN MILEVSKO



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**The Museum of Parade Costumes in Milevsko** is a Czech rarity, as it is the only museum in the Czech Republic focusing on the history of the local ethnographic tradition - Masopust (carnival) parades. The Museum was opened in 2017 in connection with the long-time tradition of costume parades in Milevsko town.

**The Museum** along with the Tourist Information Centre is located on E. Beneš Square. Visitors can see a collection of traditional masks from the first republic onwards, watch documentary films from Masopust parades in a small screening room and have their photos taken wearing a chosen replica of a parade costume.

**For children** there is an art workshop where they can colour their own mask or colourings with a parade costume theme. Various events for both children and adults are held here on a regular basis.

For more information please visit [www.muzeummaskar.cz](http://www.muzeummaskar.cz) or  of the Museum of Parade Costumes in Milevsko.

**The costume parades in Milevsko** have a long history starting in 1862. At this time a merry parade was held in Milevsko with Bacchus as the protagonist. Little by little,

the parade grew larger. The reason why the costume parade in Milevsko is so unique is that it is celebrated in a town. In other locations this tradition is mostly maintained in villages. Milevsko parade costumes are recorded in the List of Nonmaterial Property of the Traditional Folk Culture of the Czech Republic.

**For more information please visit:**  
[www.milevskemaskary.cz](http://www.milevskemaskary.cz)

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