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Iron Curtain

On the border between the West & East

Sat 09 Nov 2019 07:50 – 16:00

Open to all who wants to explore world history.
Please register via e-mail to expats@bc.cas.cz by Thu 31 Oct 2019.
Organised by Biology Centre CAS & Faculty of Science USB.



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Schedule Sat 09 Nov 2019



07:50 **České Budějovice** railway station

08:09-08:51 Os 2155 **České Budějovice** >> **Vyšné** (42 km, 42 min)



09:00-11:00 **Vyšné** railway station >> **Czech-Austrian border** (5,5 km, 120 min)



11:00-12:30 **Iron Curtain Museum** guided tour
www.novohradskemuzeum.cz/skanzen-ochrany-statni-hranice

12:30-13:30 **Museum** >> **Nové Hrady** (3,5 km, 60 min)
www.novehrady.cz



A: 13:45-14:45 bus 32004048 **Nové Hrady** >> **České Budějovice** (36 km, 60 min)

B: 14:30-14:40 bus 32047072 **Nové Hrady** bus station >> **Nové Hrady** railway station

15:14-15:50 Os 2162 **Nové Hrady** >> **České Budějovice** (37 km, 36 min)



15:50 **České Budějovice** railway station

Take with: hot tea & food for the whole day, hiking boots & warm clothes, raincoat.
Expected costs ca 250 CZK per person (including train, museum, bus, train).



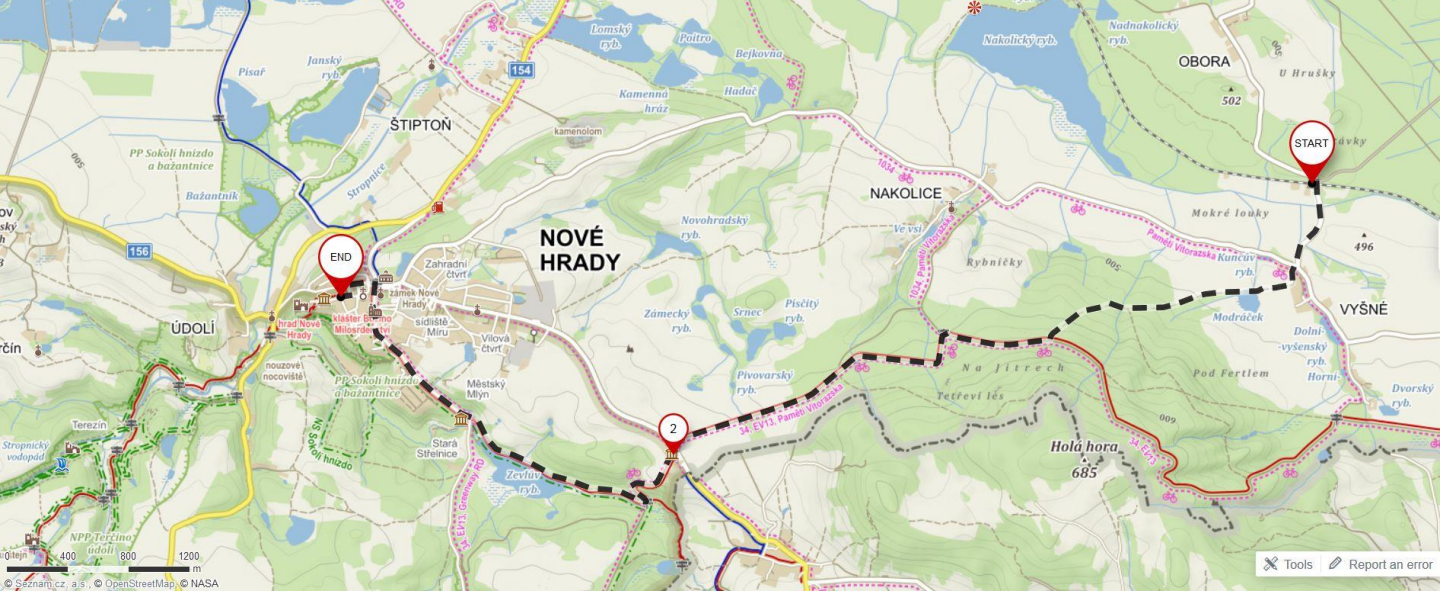
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www.mr-kartographie.de



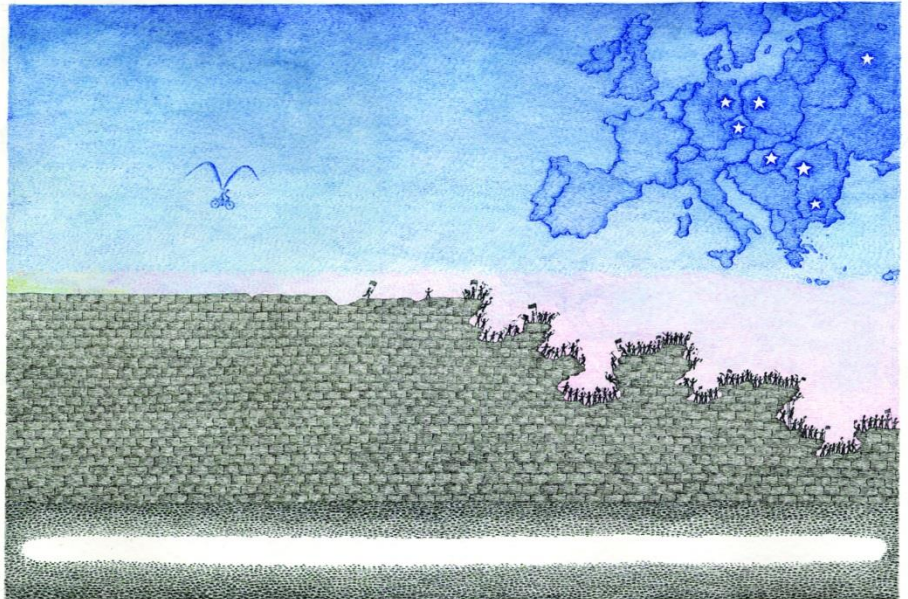
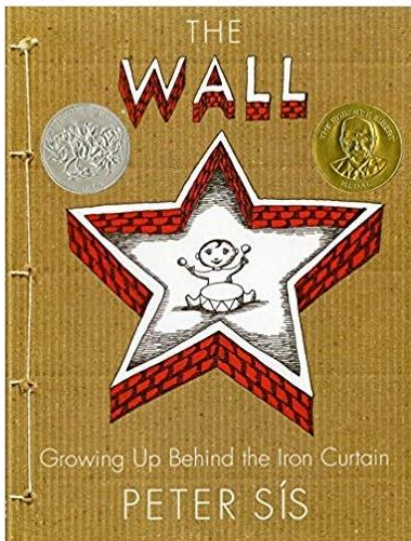
The **Iron Curtain** was initially a non-physical boundary dividing Europe into two separate areas from the end of World War II in 1945 until the end of the Cold War in 1991. The term symbolizes the efforts by the Soviet Union (USSR) to block itself and its satellite states from open contact with the West and its allied states.

It later became a term for the **7,000-kilometre (4,300 mi)** long physical barrier of fences, walls, minefields, and watchtowers that divided the "east" and "west". The **Berlin Wall** was also part of this physical barrier until 09 Nov 1989.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iron_Curtain

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Berlin_Wall

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cold_War



Petr Sís, The Wall – Growing up Behind the Iron Curtain

2008 Labyrinth, ISBN 978-80-86803-13-5

www.labyrinth.net/kniha/117/the-wall-growing-up-behind-the-iron-curtain