

Neratovice

Neratovice is a small town located approx. 20 km from the capital city of Prague, with a population of approximately 16,000 citizens.

It consists of five parts: Byškovice, Lobkovice, Mlékojedy, Korycany, Horňátky. Neratovice owes its great development to the Spolana chemical factory.

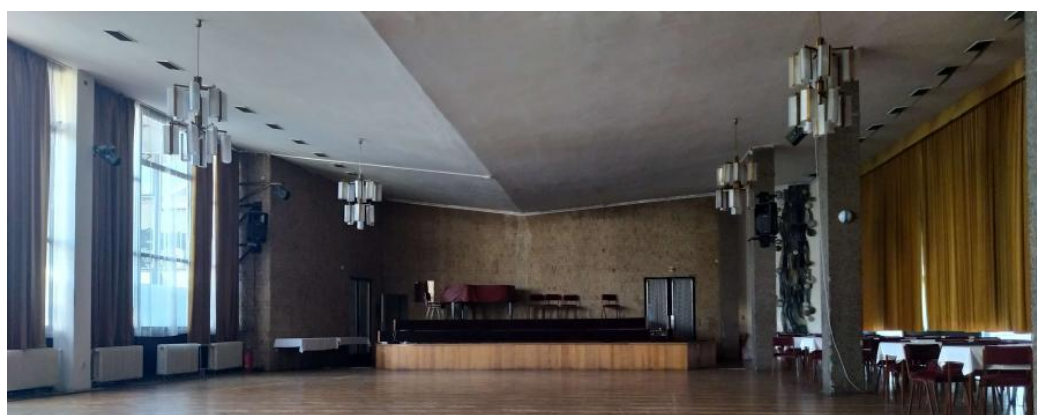
Culture and Education

The House of Culture

- Founded in 1995
- In 2002 the city of Neratovice connected the small and the big hall, and the cinema
- The director is Mgr. Ivan Fried
- Eventually, a summer cinema was made 2010
- It organises many events such as: Saloon Neratovice, Project Prague and European cities and Advent events
- The director established important contacts with well-known organizations and foreign countries



Big hall within the House of Culture



Small hall with a grand piano



View of the stage from the viewer's perspective



View of the seats from the stage

The Library – history

- First library founded in 1913 by TJ (sport club) Sokol
- Law about libraries passed in 1919, Sokol Library handed over for public use
- Municipal library founded around 1920, mostly staffed by volunteers
- Municipal library eventually turned into city library, and since 1969 staffed by librarians
- Changed buildings many times, the current one is since 1997
- 2017 – Partial reconstruction

The Library – facilities

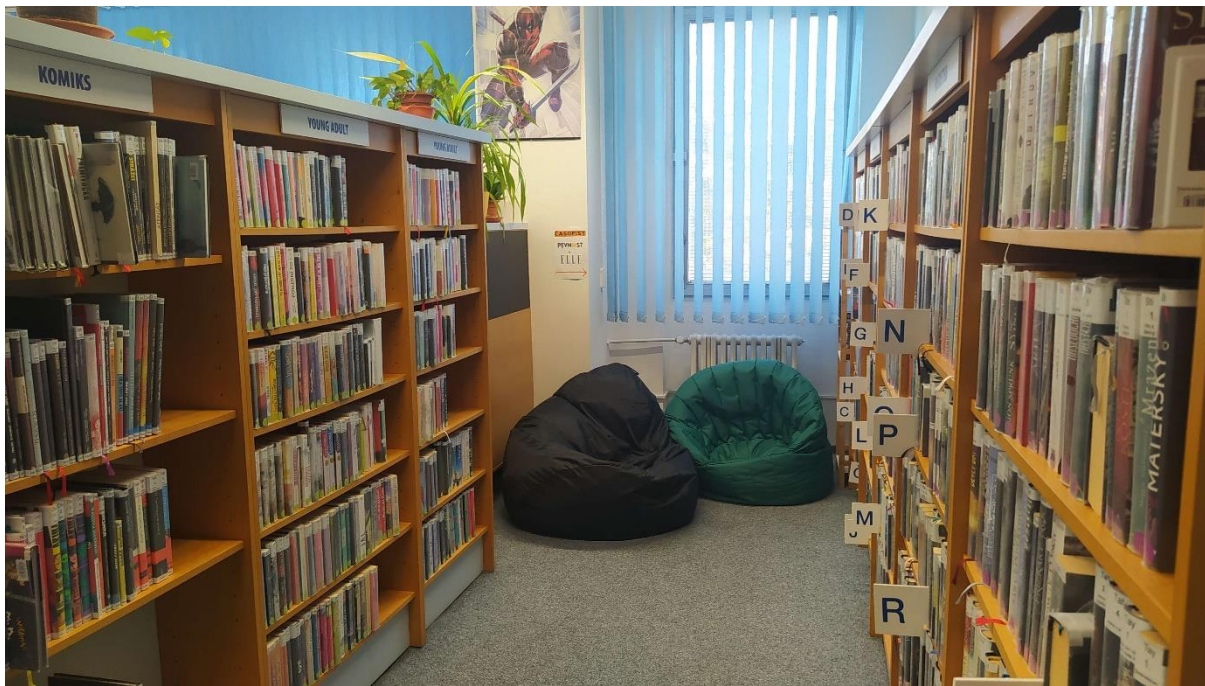
- A dedicated section to comics and professional literature
- board games, audio books, and magazines
- A dedicated lecture hall
- Open-source on-line catalogue VuFind



View of the entrance from the aisles



One of many dedicated reading areas



Another dedicated reading area



A third reading area, with magazines on the right

František Palacký Grammar School

- Established in 1991
- Eight-year study ends with graduation
- Separate sport hall
- Latin, German, French and Spanish is taught here
- The school is involved in the Erasmus+ project, Waking up in Baroque and European bonds in Time of Separation
- There are annual exchange stays in Germany
- Cooperation with the DofE project, Cambridge English Qualifications



Sport in Neratovice:

Ice hockey stadium

- Capacity: 1 200 people
- Founded in 2013 by Martin Chabada
- For public skating
- Hockey club= HC Buldoci Neratovice
- Club colours = yellow and blue



Athletic stadium with football field

- Capacity: 1000 people
- Founded in 1967
- Track for running, sand for long jumping, shot put, place for high jump
- Club= FK Neratovice Byskovice and TJ Neratovice
- Club colours= yellow and blue (both)



Athletic field behind the school

- *Football field*
- *Without stand*
- *For everyone*
- *Behind the elementary school*



Indoor pool

- Founded in 1986
- 2 pools and 1 hot tub
- Water slide
- Fitness centre, sauna and massages
- Buffet



BATTLE GROUND GYM

- Founded in 2022
- Season ticket or individual entrance fees



Football stadium in Byskovice

- FKNB partner football field, training centre



Football training field

- For FKNB youth team matches
- Football field with artificial grass of 4th generation



SKATE PARK in Lobkovice

- Founded in 2023
- Open 24h
- For skateboards, scooters and inline skates



Karate Clubs Dragon and Shotokan

- 260 karate fighter
- Long tradition
- For all ages

FAMOUS ATHLETES from NERATOVICE

- Tomáš Čvančara - football player in Germany
- Pavel Bucha - football player for Pilsen
- Jan Chramosta - football player for Jablonec
- Martin Chabada - ice hockey player and coach for HC Buldoci Neratovice and HC Sparta Prague
- Milan Doleček - rower for Dukla Prague
- Jiří Bílek - football player for Slavia Prague
- Josef Pacovský - karate fighter for the Czech republic



Cultural monuments in Neratovice

Church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary

- Founded in the half of the 14th century
- Originally served as a parish church
- There is even a bell tower nearby



Statue of a rider

- Created in 2011
- Made of polystyrene



Birthplace of Jaroslav Putík

- Czech writer
- His book called Muž s břitvou takes place in Neratovice



Birthplace of Ljuba Hermanová

- Czech actress, opera singer



St. Audrey's church

- Founded in the second half of The 17th century



Stone book

- In honour of the Father of The Nation – František Palacký
- located near Lobkovice castle



Lobkovice castle

- Renaissance castle
- The first mention comes from 1403

