

Bílovec, Nový Jičín distr., Moravian-Silesian Region

Early modern chateau Bílovec

(15th–18th cent.)



The establishment of this fortified manor in the south-east part of the town is probably dated back to the 2nd half of the 15th century. Originally a simple fortified manor, it soon changed into a city palace, which was remodelled into a four-wing Renaissance chateau at the end of the 16th century. The current three-wing ground plan has developed after a fire in 1729 and the following reconstruction by the Sedlnický Family from Choltice. The chateau area was subject of an archaeological research; its results will be presented to the public in the form of an exhibition devoted to the building development of the chateau.

References: Plaček 1996; Grůza – Augustinková 2001; Kiecoň 2015.

Navigation point: N 49°45'19.80", E 18°00'59.85".

Map notes: A – northern wing of the chateau; B – extension of the original palace building; C – city wall; D – gate, rampart and ditch; E – drawbridge; F – gate tower.



Access map.

After Tomášek et al. 2015.



Site map.

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Basement of the first core of the castle with barrel vault and later arcade.
Photo P. Kaniová.



Remains of the castle gate with later added vaulted cellar.
Photo F. Kolář.



One of the fragments of Renaissance building blocks found in Baroque backfills.

Photo J. Tůmová.