

Sean—Prague 2009

No food and no shopping? It seems that Sean's trip to Prague was a quiet affair!

Prague is in the centre of Europe, bordering Germany, Austria, Slovakia and Poland. The language spoken is Czech. Prague Castle is where the Kings of Bohemia, Holy Roman Emperors and presidents of Czechoslovakia and the Czech Republic have had their offices. The Bohemian Crown Jewels are kept here. Prague Castle is one of the biggest castles in the world (according to Guinness Book of Records 'the biggest ancient castle') at about 570 meters in length and an average of about 130 meters wide. You can see it in the distance in all Sean's photos...



The Žižkov Television Tower is a uniquely-designed tower built in Prague between 1985 and 1992. It stands high above the city's traditional skyline from its position on top of a hill in the district of Žižkov, from which it takes its name. In 2000, sculptures by Czech artist David Černý of crawling babies were temporarily attached to the tower's pillars. The sculptures were admired by many and were returned in 2001 as a permanent feature.

The Charles Bridge was erected to connect the new district to Malá Strana "lesser quarter". The Lesser Quarter was founded in 1257 on the slopes below the Prague castle and is least affected by recent history.

Here's Sean on the bridge watching the world go by and wondering if it's time for lunch yet?

