

## Castle Červený kameň



Nearby of Modra near the village Píla impressively exemtps a massive structure of the Castle Červený Kameň. The castle is well seen even from long distances. This monument well-preserved castle with four corner towers from 13th century is considered as a one of the unique objects of Central Europe building. The fortification is an example of Renaissance architecture in Slovakia. The Castle was built between 1537-56 by Italian builders, its big storage space should be used for the storage of copper ore. Later the owners of the Palffy family had refurbished the castle into a comfortable aristocratic residence with a rich baroque decoration. Nowadays there is very valuable exposition of Slovak National Museum – historical furniture, contemporary living and weapons, gallery and pharmacy of the Castle. The part of the object are other attractions as horse/ponyriding and watching the hawker `s shows on the hawker court called ASTUR.

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