Czech and Slovak Literary Ventures 2022-2023

Join us for literary presentations and small-group informal discussions of Czech and Slovak books in English translation. Everyone is welcome.

Discussions are cosponsored by the Czech and Slovak Cultural Center of Minnesota, Czech & Slovak Sokol Minnesota, and the Office of the Honorary Consul of the Czech Republic.

Meetings are currently held both in-person and virtually.

Saturday, September 17, 10 a.m. – noon
Ivan Lendl: The Man Who Made Murray by Mark Hodgkinson – Book discussion

Saturday, October 22, 10 a.m. – noon
The Hussites by Stephen E. Lahey – Book discussion

Saturday, November 19, 10 a.m. – noon
Memory Speaks: On Losing and Reclaiming Language and Self by Julie Sedivy – Book discussion

Saturday, December 17, 10 a.m. – noon
Thinking about Ordinary Things: A Short Invitation to Philosophy by Jan Sokol – Book discussion

Saturday, January 28, 10 a.m. – noon
From Good King Wenceslas to the Good Soldier Švejk: A Dictionary of Czech Popular Culture by Andrew Lawrence Roberts – Discussion of selections from the book

Saturday, February 25, 10 a.m. – noon
Daughters of the Winter Queen: Four Remarkable Sisters, the Crown of Bohemia, and the Enduring Legacy of Mary, Queen of Scots by Nancy Goldstone – Book discussion

Saturday, March 25, 10 a.m. – noon
Today We Die a Little: Emil Zátopek, Olympic Legend to Cold War Hero by Richard Askwith – Book discussion

Saturday, April 22, 10 a.m. – noon
Czechoslovakia: Behind the Iron Curtain by Zuzana Palovic and Gabriela Bereghazyova – Book discussion

Saturday, May 27, 10 a.m. – noon
Helga’s Diary: A Young Girl’s Account of Life in a Concentration Camp by Helga Weiss – Book discussion

Questions? Contact gwen@cs-center.org