

EIGNER HAUS

oldest house in Gablitz (16th / 17th century)

Location: Bachgasse 5, 3003 Gablitz

Named after its former owner, the “Eigner Haus” (= Eigner House) is the oldest house in Gablitz. The right part of the house, which is the oldest, dates back to the 16th / 17th century. In all likelihood it used to be the ice cellar of the “Stiftstaffern”, i.e. the monastery tavern, which was built by the Mauerbach Charterhouse in 1648.

The former “Kellerhäusl” (= cellar house), as it was known then, was expanded and improved in the 18th century. The house has been listed as a historic monument and is currently inhabited, which is why it can only be visited from the outside. Occasionally, however, the current tenants will organise exhibitions and music performances.

- *Grimmlinger, Renate u. Haunschmidt, Angelika (2020): Gablitz - eine Geschichte. Baumgarten: Fa. Mails & More.*
- Further research by Renate Grimmlinger

~*~