

# TOURS AND ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

## TOURS

### HISTORIC AND MODERN QUÉBEC CITY AND GENERAL GOVERNOR'S RESIDENCE WALKING TOUR

*Monday, July 10, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.*

Tour the only walled city in North America and learn of the old buildings and proud monuments that line the winding streets. Stops will be made at the National Assembly and Parliament Hill, the Battlefields Park, the Citadel, Notre-Dame-de-Quebec basilica, Place d'Armes, and Place Royale, the cradle of French civilization in North America. The city walking tour culminates with a tour of the General Governor's Residence overlooking the majestic St. Lawrence River. *Register in advance for this tour. Registration fee is \$65.00 USD per person and includes professional tour guides, entrance fees, roundtrip transportation, and bottled waters.*

### LOWER TOWN/PLACE ROYALE WALKING TOUR AND RIVER CRUISE

*Tuesday, July 11, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.*

A visit to Place-Royale is like stepping back in time to the early days of New France. It was here that Samuel de Champlain founded his "abitation" (a modest wooden structure) in 1608. Learn all about this cradle of French civilization in North America at Musée de la Place Royale. Following the walking tour, you will board a river boat to cruise the St. Lawrence River and admire the breathtaking views. *Register in advance for this tour. Registration fee is \$75.00 USD per person and includes professional tour guides, entrance fees, roundtrip transportation, and bottled waters.*

### ISLAND OF ORLEANS TOUR

*Wednesday, July 12, 1:30 - 5:00 p.m.*

Native Americans inhabited the Island of Orleans long before Jacques Cartier set foot on it in 1535 and named it in honor of the Duke of Orleans, son of Francois 1st, King of France. Beginning in 1650, the French slowly settled the island, introducing the seigniorial system, which encouraged the development of agriculture and introduced craft industries. A guided visit of the village of Sainte-Petronille, often referred to as the "tip of the island," will allow you to appreciate the ancestral houses and the lifestyle of the summer residents. A trip to a local winery with an onsite tasting and guided tour of the vineyard is also included. *Register in advance for this tour. Registration fee is \$100.00 USD per person and includes professional tour guides, entrance fees, wine tasting, roundtrip transportation, and bottled waters.*

### THE BEAUPRÉ COAST AND MONTMORENCY FALLS TOUR

*Thursday, July 13, 1:30 - 5:00 p.m.*

Discover Québec City's countryside as you travel through small historical villages overlooking the St. Lawrence River. Throughout your time traveling the coast, enjoy stops at the world-famous shrine in Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré; Albert Gilles' copper shop; a 1652 stone house for fresh baked bread; and Montmorency Falls – a natural waterfall 1.5 times higher than Niagra Falls. *Register in advance for this tour. Registration fee is \$75.00 USD per person and includes professional tour guides, entrance fees, roundtrip transportation, and bottled waters.*

## ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

### FESTIVAL D'ETE DE QUÉBEC

*July 6-16, 2017*

As Canada's largest outdoor performance event, the festival features international music superstars along with top new talent for 11 days. See acts like Kendrick Lamar, P!NK, Metallica, Muse, and many more! For a complete list of performances and to purchase tickets, visit [www.infestival.com/en/](http://www.infestival.com/en/).

### QUÉBEC CITY BIKE TOURS

Join Cyclo Services for one of their guided bike tours of the Greater Québec area. Ride safely with certified guides who will show you Québec City as you have never seen it before. Some rides will take you through the outskirts of the city in minutes with new surroundings while others will introduce you to historic sites and neighborhoods. Biking is a spontaneous way of meeting the locals in their everyday living. A choice of bike tours are offered that are suitable for all riders. Visit [www.cycloservices.net](http://www.cycloservices.net) for more information.

### HOT AIR BALLOONING OVER QUÉBEC CITY

Conveniently located in old Québec City, Québec Montgolifères invites you to enjoy an amazing bird's eye view of the St. Lawrence River and the surrounding Québec City area. Rides last one hour and are accompanied by an experienced pilot. For more information, visit [www.quebecmontgoliferes.com](http://www.quebecmontgoliferes.com).

### RIVER RAFTING

Experience rafting on the Jacques-Cartier River at its best! Professional guides will take you down a 9.6 km (5.9 miles) class III-V rapid. Families welcome. For more information, visit [www.expeditionsnouvellevague.com/en/](http://www.expeditionsnouvellevague.com/en/).