

# Northern Quebec/Montreal Garden Tour

**NEW DATE:**

**Sunday July 13<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

Three days/Two nights



## Featuring:

- *Jardin Baroque*
- *Champs de Reve*
- *Montreal Botanical Garden*
- *Jardin de Michel Corbeil – display garden and retail nursery*
- *Plus private gardens – including a fabulous collection of “Bonsai.”*

## Tour Itinerary:

**Day 1** – After departing the GTA, we start our journey travelling east with a midday picnic lunch stop at my favourite Ontario private garden of Mary Ann Van Berlo then our afternoon is spent experiencing a new garden adventure – Champs de Reve.

We will be arriving in Laval in the late afternoon and making the Le St. Martin Hotel & Suites ([www.lestmartin.com](http://www.lestmartin.com)) our home for two nights. We will end our day with a welcome dinner. (L, D)

**Champs de Reve** - <https://www.champsdereves.com>. Stroll through the landscaped gardens and admire the amazing sculptures that combine thousands of plants with high-quality materials. They have created world-class sculptures that are truly a one-of-a kind and a must -see.



**DAY 2** – After our buffet breakfast, our day starts with a tour of an outstanding private garden– **Le Jardin Baroque**, near Rawdon, QC.

**Le Jardin Baroque** is the private garden of Mona Larochelle and Paul Gombert – located in zone 4b. Started in 2005, the garden runs alongside a stream and features several ecological zones and various soil types. The garden hosts a wide range of plant collections.

Initially, it served as an experimental garden for new horticultural varieties and plants classified as zone 5.

We then travel to the world-renowned **Montreal Botanical Gardens**. Our visit will include a tour of the MBG plus time for lunch (on your own).

**Montreal Botanical Gardens** - With its collection of 22,000 plant species and cultivars, 10 exhibition greenhouses, some thirty thematic gardens, and teams of researchers and activities staff, the Montréal Botanical Garden ranks as one of the world's largest and most spectacular botanical gardens. You are sure to be captivated by the colors and fragrances from around the world as you wander from the delightful Chinese Garden to the heart of the Sonoran desert, from the peaceful oasis of the Japanese Garden to the classically designed French garden or the woodlands of the Laurentians



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**DAY 3** –After breakfast and checking out of our hotel, we are visiting the display garden of **Michel Corbeil** – a large nursery in St. Eustache. With your purchases safely stashed on our motor coach, we will then proceed to the private garden of **Celine Arsenault** and be amazed at the Bonsai collection of her husband, **David Easterbrook**.

We then travel to Hudson QC for our “farewell” lunch.

We depart in the afternoon and stop at a beautiful Ontario private garden before reaching the GTA in the early evening. (B, L)

*Please note that the itinerary is subject to change.*



**Your package includes:**

- Return motor coach transportation.
- Two nights’ accommodation at beautiful Le St. Martin Hotel & Suites, 1400 rue Maurice-Gauvin, Laval, QC 450-902-3000
- Tours/admission to attractions listed in Itinerary.
- FIVE Meals: two breakfasts; two lunches; one dinner
- Services of Margaret Dailey-Plouffe, HNA Travels Tour Director

**NEW Cost: \$ 989. per person/double occupancy + HST (\$ 1,117.57)**

Single \$ 1,239. + HST (\$1,400.07)

Non-refundable deposit of \$ 300. due upon booking; Balance due by May 26th

**PICK-UP INFORMATION:** This tour originates in the Burlington area and then travels east with pick-ups along Hwy 401 east. Please call the office for departure information.

**FOR OTTAWA CLIENTS** – pickup in Kingston – parking paid by HNA OR possibility of a shuttle (with at least 10 persons)

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