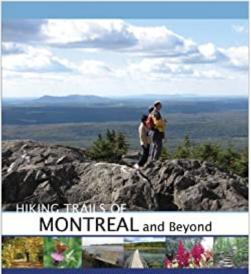


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Hiking Trails Of Montréal And Beyond



including Laval, Lanaudière, the Laurentians, Montérègie, and the Eastern Townships

Michael Haynes



Synopsis

Featuring 50 hiking routes within 150 km of Montreal, this handy guide explores trails within the city, Laval, and in the adjacent Laurentians, LanaudiÃ[¬]re, MontÃ[©]rÃ[©]gie, and Eastern Townships. Michael Haynes hiked and mapped each of the 50 trails, and in this handy guide, he provides detailed maps, trail descriptions, and GPS coordinates, as well as information on time, length, difficulty, and facilities available on each route. To round out the experience, he also includes photographs of interesting sites, charts, hiking tips, and sidebars on historical, cultural, and natural subjects as well as a glossary of common hiking terms for non-French speakers. From the Centre de la nature du Mont Saint-Hilaire to le sentier de l'Ours and from le circuit TransTerrebonne to les sentiers du Mont Rigaud, Hiking Trails of Montreal and Beyond is without question the best hiker's companion to the region, whether for quiet afternoon excursions or serious multiday expeditions.

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The author describes in great detail 50 hikes, which my travel partner and I narrowed down to three. Our visit to Montreal lasted only two days so we ended up doing just two hikes: Parc Mont Real and Mont St. Hilaire. Both were delightful and met his descriptions, although we would have liked a big and detailed map of Mont Real. We got confused coming down. One other regret was that the book was limited to the area around. Montreal. We also were traveling to Quebec and would have loved comparable descriptions of the hikes there.

This is a thorough and detailed guide book and I look forward to many hikes in the future with my brother-in-law and nephews. Great book.

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