



See you at the bottom of the slope, by the great big fir forest
Photo: Frans Lecluse

Winterfest is coming up this Saturday

We still need help to make a success of the festivities – see our [call for volunteers](#).

You might want to take advantage of the free admission to introduce friends to winter joys of the Arbo. Find more details on the [program of activities](#).

Are you skate skiing?

Have you tried the new trail yet??? Our skate and classic tracks are maintained on a regular basis to provide optimal ski conditions. Find up-to-date information about [trail conditions](#) on our web page. The route of the skate ski trail is now on our [trail map](#), print it or ask the gatekeeper for a copy. Hats off to long-time volunteer cartographer John Charlow for producing yet another fine map update!

Capture the winter spirit

We are looking for photos of people enjoying this season: walkers, snowshoers, skiers and toboggan fans! In particular, we don't have any photos of skate skiers. Spectacular shots are possible on this new trail and would be useful to promote it. With the snow season well underway, there may be good opportunities after the grooming of the trails later this week. Note that, ideally, the characters should be silhouettes that cannot be recognized. Send your files in a photo album or as low resolution attachments to anne.godbout@mcgill.ca

In his “spare time”, our Field Operations Manager, Scott Pemberton, writes a monthly column in the Baie D’Urfé News & Views. In the News section of our web page, you will find the link to his latest piece, a bold account and a great read on our spirited members and Friends titled [A Different Take on Winter](#).

We have received additional copies of the reprint of the [2019 Phenology Calendar](#) for those who have ordered it and we have a few extra copies to sell at \$18 each. Drop by the Gatehouse to get a copy -phone or email us if you wish to have one put aside for you.



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