

MUTEK

MONTRÉAL GUIDE

With Montréal as the backdrop to MUTEK 2015, you can also take in the exceptional food scenes and other bewitching delights that characterize the city.

So that you can make the most of what Montréal has to offer, we've prepared a simple guide filled with recommendations for shopping, eating out and discovering surrounding neighborhoods. Obviously, this is just an overview of what our great city has on offer. See this guide as the first steps in your journey. MUTEK 2015 wishes you a wonderful time exploring Montréal.

THE DIGITAL SPRING

Montréal, a capital of digital art, presents for the second time the Digital Spring, a season full of cultural discovery. A promotional initiative of special events hosted by the various digital arts organizations in Montréal, comprising more than 100 exhibitions, installations, immersive experiences, performances and public art interventions the season lasts until the summer solstice. Visit www.printempsnumerique.info for the detailed program.

QUARTIER DES SPECTACLES

Generally quiet during Montréal's long hibernation period, at first blossoming in the spring, the city comes alive at its core, as it launches festival season and people return to the streets in droves. At the heart of so much collective activity, downtown oozes with anticipation and promise. While going from the MAC to the Théâtre Maisonneuve, or while walking to the Métropolis at night, witness how the area, also home to the red light district, takes on an entirely other, after hours flavour. Replete with characters, hustlers and tourists, this stretch of downtown also struts sophistication and sensuality with its media facades and playground sensibility.

EATING DOWNTOWN

FURCO - \$\$
Top food, top atmosphere
425 Mayor
514.764.3588
Open 7/7 from 4pm
KITCHEN: TUE-SAT: 5pm-12am
SUN-MON: 5pm-10pm
barfurco.com

CAFÉ PARVIS - \$
Top coffee, top pizzas, top prices
433 Mayor
51 4.764.3589
MON: 7am-4pm
TUE-FRI: 7am-1lpm
SAT: 5:30 pm-1lpm

BLEURY BAR À VINYLE - \$\$
Secret terrace, great drinks prices and exceptional music
2109 Bleury
514.439.2033
TERRACE: TUE-WED: 5:30 pm-lam
THU-SAT: 4pm-lam
vinylebleury.ca

PIKOLO CAFÉ - \$ A coffee master 3418 Parc 514.508.6800 MON-FRI: 7am-7pm SAT-SUN: 9am-7pm pikoloespresso.com

RENOIR - \$\$\$

Eco-gastronomy - local food
1155 Sherbrooke West
514.285.9000

MON-FRI: BREAKFAST: 6am-llam / LUNCH: 12pm-3pm
SAT-SUN: BRUNCH / LUNCH: 6am-3pm
EVENING: 7/7: 5pm-10:30pm
restaurant-renoir.com

LE CHEVAL BLANC - \$
A beer lovers paradise
809 Ontario East
514.522.0211
7/7: 3pm-3am
lechevalblanc.ca

FOU D'ICI - \$\$\$
"Eat local" flagship grocery store - ready to eat
360 Maisonneuve West
514.600.3424
MON-FRI: 8am-8pm
SAT: 9am-6pm
foudici.com

LA CUVÉE - \$\$
Impeccable discoveries from around the world 815, de Maisonneuve East 514.419.4141.
MON: 11:30am-2:30pm
TUE-THU: 11:30am-2:30pm / 5pm-10pm
FRI: 11:30am-2:30pm / 5pm-11pm
SAT: 5pm-11pm
lacuveemontreal.com

(Special offer: get 15% off during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

SHOPPING DOWNTOWN

LIBRAIRIE FORMAT
Amazing book shop specialized in contemporary
art and literature.
2 St. Catherine East
514.842.5579
TUE: 11 am-5pm
WED-FRI: 11am-7pm
SAT: 12pm-5pm
librairieformats.org

ATOM HEART
Record shop offering an extensive collection
of underground rock and electronic music
364 Sherbrooke East
514.843.8484
MON-WED: 1lam-6pm
THU-FRI: 1lam-9pm
SAT:1lam-5pm
SUN:12pm-5pm
atomheart.ca

PAPETERIE NOTA BENE
Collection of notebooks and paper products
from all over the world
3416 Parc
514.485.6587
MON-FRI: 11am-7pm
SAT: 11am-5pm
nota-bene.ca

MUST-VISITS DOWNTOWN

THE MAIN / ST. LAURENT

A street full of contradictions, almost bi-polar, the line between French and English neighbourhoods, where underground loft parties anonymously meet massive nightclubs; here's where the two solitudes come together to hang out, share a drink, explore fashion, furniture and food.

Tip: The 55 bus along St. Laurent will take you all the way up and down the Main. To head north just catch the bus on St. Laurent – to head south catch it on St. Urbain (one block west of St. Laurent).

BELGO Montréal's largest centre of visual art galleries all in one building 372 St. Catherine West 514.861.2953 thebelgoreport.com

EATING ON ST LAURENT

MONTRÉAL POOL ROOM - \$
Fast-food institution and across the road from notorious

show bar, Café Cléopâtre 1217 St. Laurent 514.954.4487 7/7: 10pm-4am

BOUILLON BILK - \$\$\$ Impossible to be disappointed 1595 St. Laurent 514.845.1595 LUNCH / MON-FRI: 1:30pm-2:30pm EVENING / MON-SUN: 5:30pm-11pm bouillonbilk.com

SUWU - \$\$

Excellent cocktails, snacks and ambiance 3581 St. Laurent 514.564.5074 MON-FRI: 11am-2:30pm / 5pm-3am SAT-SUN: 11am-3am

SCHWARTZ - \$ Smoked meat Paradise 3895 St. Laurent 514.842.4813 SUN-THU: 8am-12:30am FRI: 8am-1:30am SAT: 8:30am-2:30am schwartzsdeli.com

suwumontreal.com

LAÏKA - ŚŚ

Excellent music, ambiance and food, and a community meeting place for 16 years

4040 St. Laurent 514.842.8088

MON-THU: 8:30am-2am FRI: 8:30am-3am SAT: 9am-3am SUN: 9am-2am.

The kitchen closes depending on how busy things are, but expect to eat until 2am during weekends! laikamontreal.com

(Preferential offer: get 20% off during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

BIG IN JAPAN - \$\$ Japanese fusions – intimate ambiance 3723 St. Laurent 514.847.2222 MON-WED: 11am-3am SAT-SUN: 4pm-3am

FOODLAB - SS

Enjoy a wonderful rooftop terrace and delicious food at the Société des arts technologiques (SAT).

There's a special event presented by NFB and SAT during MUTEK 2015 on Saturday, May 30 from noon to 3pm: a musical brunch with KID KOALA and the projection of the immersive film MINOTAUR by MUNRO FERGUSON.

1201 St. Laurent
514.844.2033 #225

MON-FRI: 5pm-10pm Musical brunch: SAT, MAY 30: 12pm-3pm sat.gc.ca/fr/laboculinaire

HOF KELSTEN - \$
Bread, sandwich and coffee. Their aim: the best bread in MTL
4524 St. Laurent
514.649.7991
WED-SUN: 8am-7pm
hofkelsten.com

BUNS HAMBURGER HOUSE - \$ Real meat! Real burgers! 3673 Saint-Laurent 514.759.7799 SUN-WED: 11:30am-12am THUR-SAT: 11:30am-4am

BOMBAY MAHAL EXPRESS - \$
Indian food & delivery service
3681 St. Laurent
438.386.3331
MON-WED: 11am-10pm
FRI-SAT: 11am-11pm
SUN: 12pm-10pm
bombaymahalexpress.ca

AUX VIVRES - \$
Vegan cuisine, juice bar + express service
4631 St. Laurent
514.842.3479
MON-FRI: 1lam-1lpm
SAT-SUN: 10am-1lpm
auxvivres.com

LE COMPTOIR CHARCUTERIES - \$\$
Outstanding québécois food - very convenient with a late night kitchen
4807 St. Laurent
514.844.8467
LUNCH: TUE-FRI & SUN: 10:30am-2pm
EVENING 7/7: 5pm-12am
comptoircharcuteriesetvins.ca

SHOPPING ON ST LAURENT

EVA B Vintage clothing institution 2015 St. Laurent 514.849.8246 MON-SAT: 11am-7pm SUN: 12pm-6pm eva-b.ca

STATION 16 Urban art gallery 3523 St. Laurent 514.849.8016 MON-FRI: 9am-7pm SAT: 12pm-5pm station16shop.com

FREITAG CONCEPT Lovely jewels, with a made in MTL focus 3762 St. Laurent 514.845.1788 TUE-FRI: 12pm-7pm SAT: 11am-5pm

MOOG AUDIO
Musical instruments shop with great selection of machines and synths
3828 St. Laurent
514.284.7434
MON-WED: 10am-6pm
THU-FRI: 10am-9pm
SAT: 11am-6pm
SUN: 12pm-5pm
moogaudio.com

(Preferential offer: get 5% off all regularly priced gear OR 10% off modules in stock by TipTop, Audio, Elektron, Doepfer, Hexinverter, Kilpatrick Audio and Verbos Electronics during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

I B I K I Hip fashion 4357 St. Laurent 514.509.1675 MON-WED: 12pm-7pm THU-FRI: 12pm-9pm SAT-SUN: 12pm-5pm www.ibiki.com V DE V Vintage furniture and design shop 5042 St. Laurent 514.277.8484 MON-WED: 10am-6pm THU-FRI: 10am-9pm SAT: 10am-5:30pm SUN: 10am-5pm vdevmaison.com

GÉNÉRAL 54
Female fashion, from Montréal designers and elsewhere 5145 St. Laurent 514.271.2129
MON-WED: 11am-6pm
THU-FRI: 11am-8pm
SAT-SUN: 11am-5pm
general54.blogspot.ca

LA FIN DU VINYLE / THE DEATH OF VINYL Catacombs record shop 6307 St. Laurent 514.495.2786 MON-WED: 11am-7pm THU-FRI: 11am-9pm SAT: 12pm-6pm SUN: 12pm-5pm deathofvinyl.com

EAST OF ST LAURENT

LAFONTAINE PARK AND THE PLATEAU

Lafontaine Park is the perfect place to go for a piknic, a post MUTEK bbq, or just simply for a walk along its pond's shores. Heading north will bring you to the heart of the Plateau, an increasingly exclusive neighbourhood in the centre of the city. It's the ideal area for window-shopping, taking a coffee break or checking all the latest fashion trends on parade.

EATING ON THE PLATEAU

LA BANQUISE - \$ Poutine paradise 994 Rachel East 514.525.2415 7/7: 24h/24

RÔTISSERIE ROMADOS - \$
Portuguese chicken heaven
115 Rachel East
514.849.1803
MON-WED: 6:30am-9pm
THU-FRI: 7am-10pm
SAT-SUN: 7am-9pm

AU PIED DE COCHON - \$\$\$
Pork, more pork, foie gras and maple sirup
536 Duluth East
514.281.1114
WED-SUN: 5pm-12am
restaurantaupieddecochon.ca

AU CINQUIÈME PÉCHÉ - \$\$\$
A well kept secret
4475 Saint-Denis
514.286.0123
TUE-WED: 5:30pm-10pm
THU-FRI: 11:30am-2pm / 5:30pm-11pm
SAT: 5:30pm-11pm
aucinquiemepeche.com

(Preferential offer: get 20% off during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

CHUCHAI Vegetarian Thai restaurant 4088 Saint-Denis 514.843.4194 TUE-SAT: llam-2pm / 5pm-llpm www.chuchai.com PASSION & GOURMANDISES - \$ Homemade delights 77 des Pins East 514.507.3023 MON-FRI: 7:30am-6pm SAT: 7:30am-4pm passionetgourmandises.com

(Preferential offer: get 5% off on any purchase of \$10 or more upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

LALOUX - \$\$\$
Delicious local and socially responsible menu 250 des Pins East 514.287.9127
MON-FRI: 11:45am-2:30pm
FRI-SAT: 5:30pm-11:30pm
SUN-THU: 5:30pm-10:30pm
www.laloux.com

(Preferential offer: a free appetizer with a main course OR a free dessert when you order an appetizer and a main course, during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

SHOPPING ON THE PLATEAU

Record shop 1373 Mont-Royal East 514.524.7397 MON-WED: 10am-7pm THU-FRI: 10am-9pm SAT-SUN: 10am-6pm aux33tours.com

BOUTIQUE ALIBI Men's fashion 506 Rue Rachel East 514.903.4006 SAT-WED: 11am-6pm THU-FRI: 11am-9pm boutiquealibi.com

WEST OF ST LAURENT

MOUNT ROYAL PARK

It's our own Central Park, and co-designed by the same landscape architect, Frederick Law Olmsted. It's at the top of the "mountain" that you will enjoy the very best views of Montréal. While walking up there will definitely burn some calories, the other option would be the number 11 bus – Montagne Direction West, which you can catch at the corner of St. Laurent and Mont-Royal.

EATING IN THE WEST OF ST LAURENT

PULLMAN - \$\$
Sinful pleasures of wine, cheese, charcuteries and small plates
3424 Parc
514.288.7779
SUN-TUE: 4:30pm-12am
WED-SAT: 4:30pm-1am
pullman-mtl.com

(Preferential offer: get 15% off during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

KAZU - \$\$\$
Tiny dynamic Japanese bistro. Outstanding food!
Expect a lineup but so worth it
1862 St. Catherine West
514.937.2333
MON: 12pm-3pm / 5:30pm-9:30pm
WED-FRI: 12pm-3pm / 5:30pm-9:30pm
SAT: 5:30pm-9:30pm
SUN: 12pm-3pm / 5:30pm-9pm
kazumontreal.com

SOUTH OF ST LAURENT

CHINATOWN

Established in the mid 1800s by Chinese immigrants working in the mines and railroads, today the neighbourhood continues to be the centre of the Chinese community, which celebrates many of its traditional holidays and festivals here. From natural medicines and great tea shops, the food is also varied and cheap! Plus very close to all the MUTEK 2015 venues. (Though you should also check out Chinatown 2, located west along St. Catherine, around St. Mathieu).

EATING IN CHINATOWN

MAISON KIM FUNG - \$\$ Dim Sum specialist 1111 St. Urbain 514.878.2888 7/7: 7am-3pm / 4:30 pm-10pm restaurantchinatownkimfung.com

NOODLE FACTORY - \$
Home made noodles, super fast service 1018 St. Urbain 514.868.9738 7/7: 11am-10pm restonoodlefactory.com

MAI XIANG YUAN - \$ Craziest dumplings 1084 St. Laurent 514.875.1888 7/7: 11am-9pm

SUMO RAMEN - \$\$ Perfect Japanese soup 1007 St. Laurent 514.940.3668 7/7:11am-10pm

MY CANH - \$ Excellent Vietnamese 1086 St. Laurent 514.398.9407 7/7: 10am-10pm

CHEZ BONG - \$
One of the best Korean bibimbaps going
1021 St. Laurent
514.396.7779
Closed on Wednesday and Sunday

MEI - \$ Real soup dumplings, tremendous cold spicy noodle dishes - very affordable 1425 Mackay 514.288.1314

MILE END

Considered the trendiest neighbourhood in town, and often compared to Williamsburg in Brooklyn, it is home to world famous musicians, artists, and independent galleries and shops, not to mention some of the best ethnic and new creative food cultures.

TIP: The 80 Bus on Parc goes north to south every 10 minutes. To head north, catch it at the exit of Place des Arts metro on President Kennedy Avenue. Wait on Parc Avenue, pointing south to come back to MUTEK 15, and get off once you arrive at Place des Arts metro. At night the Bus changes to 365 Parc. Same route.

EATING IN THE MILE END

LUSTUCRU - \$\$\$
Best tartare in MTL - raw bar
5159 Parc
514.439.6701
MON-WED: 5pm-10:30pm
THU-SAT: 5pm-11:30pm
bistrolustucru.com

LA BUVETTE CHEZ SIMONE - \$\$\$ What a buvette! Curated and accessible wine list 4869 Parc 514.750 .6577 7/7: 4pm-3am buvettechezsimone.com

DIEU DU CIEL - \$ Micro-brewery 29 Laurier West 514.490.9555 FRI-SUN: 1pm-3pm MON-THU: 3pm-3am dieuduciel.com

CHEZ BORIS - \$
Donut and coffee
5151 Parc
514.900.1965
MON-THU: 9am-6pm
FRI-SUN: 9am-9pm
chezboris.ca

SALA ROSA - \$
Amazing tapas, infamous and amazing live venue
4848 St. Laurent
514.844.4227
SUN-THU: 5pm - 11pm
FRI-SAT: 5pm - 12am
lasalarossa.com

NOUVEAU PALAIS- \$\$
Deluxe Diner
281 Bernard West
514.273.1180
TUE-WED: 1lam-3pm / 5:30 pm-12am
THU-SAT: 1lam-3pm / 5:30pm-3am
www.nouveaupalais.com

LA PANTHÈRE VERTE - \$
Vegan - organic- falafel paradise
160 St. Viateur East
514.508.5564
MON-SAT: 1lam-10pm
SUN: 1lam-9pm
www.lapanthereverte.com

CIRKUS - \$\$\$
Courses that look and taste like works of art 1481, Laurier East 514.303.9030
WED-FRI: 5:30pm-10:30pm
SAT: 10:30am-2:30pm / 5:30pm-11pm
SUN: 10:30am-2:30pm / 5pm-9:30pm
restaurantcirkus.com

(Special offer: get a free aperitif when you order a meal, for the duration of the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

MANITOBA - \$\$
Share the simplicity of eating well, drinking well and having a good laugh together.
271 Saint-Zotique West
514.270.8000
TUE-FRI: 11am-3pm, 18pm-12am - SAT: 18pm-12am - SUN: 10am-3pm
restaurantmanitoba.com

(Special offer: get 15% off + a free drink during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

For bagels just check ST. VIATEUR or FAIRMOUNT streets

SHOPPING IN THE MILE END

DRAWN & QUARTERLY Book store, comic books specialist, the kind a shop where you want to buy every single item! 211 Bernard West 514.279.2224 drawnandquarterly.com

PHONOPOLIS Record shop 207 Bernard West 514.270.4442 MON-SAT: 11am-5pm SUN: 12pm-6pm phonopolis.ca

SONORAMA
Record shop
260 Bernard West
514.273.5553
MON-WED: 10am-7pm
THU-FRI: 10am-9pm
SAT: 11am-6pm
SUN: 12pm-6pm
sonoramadisques.com

MUST-SEES IN MILE END

L'ATELIER CIRCULAIRE
Artist centre specializing in creation, research, distribution and education of art prints.
5445 de Gaspé #105
514.272.887
WED-SAT: 12pm-5pm
atelier-circulaire.qc.ca

MONASTIRAKI Local gallery and curiosity shop 5478 St. Laurent 514.278.4879 WED: 12pm-6pm THU-FRI: 12pm-8pm SAT-SUN: 12pm – 5pm monastiraki.blogspot.ca

OLD MONTRÉAL

Historically charged, Old Montréal may be the ancient soul of the city, but it has developed into a high-end district for food, fashion and nightlife. From the avant-garde aesthetic offered by the free contemporary art gallery DHC/ ART, and its sister complex Phi Centre, to internationally renowned restaurants, the old port makes for evocative strolls by day with opportunities to enjoy the waterfront, cafés and shops, and haunted adventures by night.

EATING IN OLD MONTRÉAL

LE CARTET - \$\$\$
Brunch, lunch, take out and gourmet foods for sale 106 McGill 514.871.8887
MON-FRI: 7am-7pm SAT-SUN: 9am-4pm lecartet.com

OLIVE & GOURMANDO - \$
Simply perfect for an afternoon snack
351 St. Paul West
514.350.1083
TUE-SAT: 8am-6pm
oliveetgourmando.com

AUBERGE ST-GABRIEL - \$\$\$\$
To treat yourself
426 St. Gabriel
514.878.3561
TUE-WED: 6pm-10pm
THU-FRI: 11:30am-2:30pm / 6pm-11pm
SAT: 6pm-11pm
aubergesaint-gabriel.com

EUROPÉA BOUTIQUE - \$\$-\$\$\$ Delicious lunch box 33 Notre-Dame West 514.844.1572 MON-FRI: 8am-4:30pm europeaespaceboutique.ca

MANGIA FOCO - \$\$\$ The real Italian pizza 105 St. Paul West 514.419.8380 MON-FRI: 11:30am-2pm / 5pm-12am SAT-SUN: 5pm-12am mangiafoco.ca

SHOPPING IN OLD MONTREAL

ZONE ORANGE

Gallery and shop, with a lot of made in MTL

410 St. Pierre 514.510.5809

7/7: 12pm-6pm

=shop.galeriezoneorange.com

ROONEY

Men's and Women's fashion labels 395 Notre-Dame West / Nº 101 514.543.6234 MON-WED: 11:30 am-6pm

THU-FRI: 11:30am-8pm SAT-SUN: 12pm-5pm rooneyshop.com

MUST-SEES IN OLD MONTREAL

DHC/ART

Free contemporary art foundation 451 St. Jean 514.849.3742 WED-FRI: 12pm-7pm SAT-SUN: 11am-6pm

dhc-art.org

PHI CENTRE

A gathering place for art and the MUTEK 2015 by day venue

407 St. Pierre 514.225.0525

MON-FRI: 10am-7pm SAT: 12pm-5pm phi-centre.com

HABITAT 67

A masterpiece of the architect Moshe Safdie – Must see! 2600 Pierre-Dupuy 514.866.5971 habitat67.com

TIPS AND TRICKS

RESTAURANTS

Be wise and reserve a table at the restaurant of your choice the day before you want to go. It is common to add a 15% gratuity on top of the bill, calculated before taxes.

BIKE SERVICE

Fitz & Follwell Co – Bike rental service – Preferential offer: \$85 CAD taxes included per 5 rental days / \$25 CAD taxes included for one rental day during the festival upon presentation of your MUTEK FESTIVAL PASSPORT or WEEKEND PASS)

CARPOOLING

Amigo Express – Carpool service – Preferential offer: first subscription free if you visit www.amigoex-press.com/events/mutek2015

STM PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

You can easily move around Montréal by using public transportation.

Metro stations are also renowned for their various designs, many of them dating to the Expo67 era. There is affordable bus service from the airport to the city centre:

Take the 747 bus - Airport P.-E. Trudeau - \$10 CAD. Visit http://www.stm.info/en for bus and metro schedules.

Download the free STM application to plan your travels around the city.

TAXI: UBER

Your private driver.

Request, ride, and pay via your mobile phone. By seamlessly connecting riders to drivers through a user-friendly application, UBER makes cities more accessible and your travel around Montréal safe and easy. You order a taxi with two clicks and then follow in real time the car's trajectory.

Preferential offer: benefit from a \$20 CAD credit on your first ride with UBER by using the promo code MUTEK15. Visit the Apple Store or Google Play to download the UBER app.