
First online winners of “A year of pleasures in Brome-Missisquoi – Quebec’s Wine Region”

Brome-Missisquoi, January 22, 2010 – It was a pleasure for the managers of the Brome-Missisquoi MRC and CLD to hold, on January 22, the first of a series of seven monthly drawings as part of the online contest “**A year of pleasures in Brome-Missisquoi – Quebec’s Wine Region.**”

The theme of the month was “Nature and Landscapes.” In the advertizing, while the owners of the mountain-side inn Au Diable Vert, Julie Zeitlinger and Jeremy Fontana, enthused about the ideal playground, mountain landscapes and breathtaking views in Brome-Missisquoi, the assistant director of the MRC spoke of various measures in effect to protect all of these treasures.

In the text of her online entry the winner, Carmen Michaud of Brome, explained that after leaving the region for many years, she returned to discover “that no other landscape in Canada can compare to that of Brome-Missisquoi.” Mrs. Michaud has won a prize worth \$400 including a copy of “Brome-Missisquoi Notebooks” as well as the following gift certificates:

- A box of fine chocolates from Chocolats Colombe in Dunham;
- Snowshoe outings (equipment rental and access to trails) at Au Diable Vert in Glen Sutton;
- Gift certificate (\$50) to Le Cyprès in Brome-Lake;
- Gift certificate (\$15) to the Cidrerie Fleurs de pommiers in Dunham;
- Gift certificate (\$25) to Gagliano Vineyards in Dunham;
- Gift certificate (a visit for two + a bottle of ice wine) to the Vignoble l’Orpailleur vineyard in Dunham;
- A pair of tickets to ski at Mont Sutton;
- A pair of tickets to ski at SkiBromont.com.

The winner co-registered a friend from Ottawa, Michelle Rennie, who for her part was awarded a gift certificate (\$100) to the Auberge Joli Vent in Brome Lake.

Six other drawings will be held between now and July and a final drawing for regional winners, namely: a second prize of a value of \$1,000 and a grand prize of a value of \$5,000 worth of pleasures in Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec’s Wine Region. People can register online at: www.brome-missisquoi.

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