

## Pre Tours Travel Classics 2025

A variety of pre tours are offered to delegates attending Travel Classics in Québec City in October 2025.

> To **register** for one of the pre tours, please fill in this application form.

Click here to register.

Every effort will be made to place you in your first choice.

**The deadline to register is June 6** Fam tour confirmation will be sent in June.



### Savour every moment in Western Québec

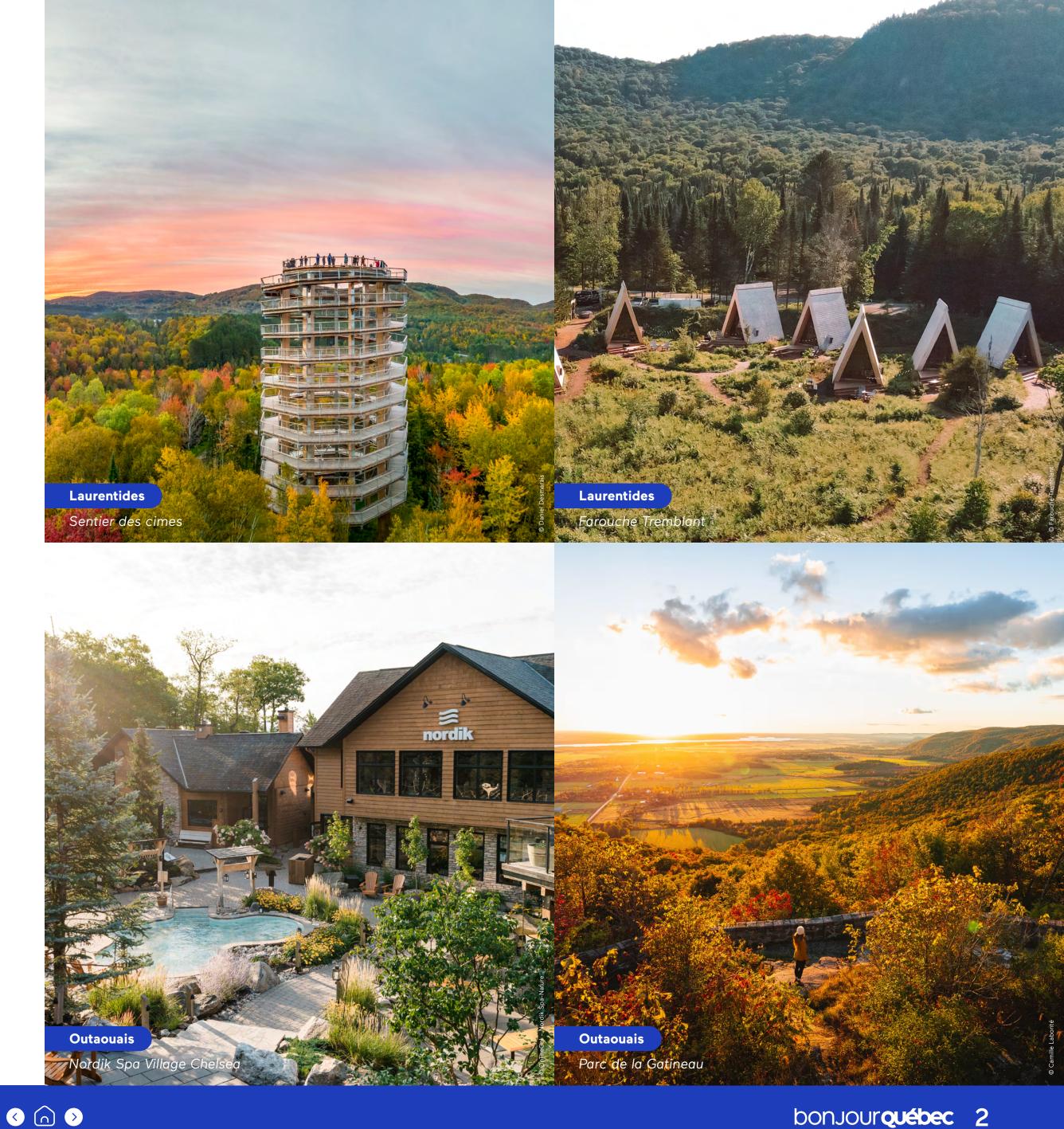
### Dates: October 8 to 13

Please note that this tour starts in Montréal (travel plans to be booked accordingly).

This 4-day journey of discovery starts with an immersion in the bounty of nature in the Laurentians region, with activities ranging from the treetop walk leading to a 130-foot high observation tower with a spectacular 360-degree view to exploring the richness of regional flavours with farm-to-table delicacies, foraging workshops, and culinary delights.

You'll spend two nights at Farouche, an eco-resort and small farm set in the pristine outskirts of Parc national du Mont-Tremblant. Seven A-frame cabins are designed to leave a minimal footprint while immersing guests deeply in the region's natural beauty. Just steps away, the main building includes a café and bar, a cozy lounge with a fireplace, and five modern bathrooms (private or shared).

The discoveries continue in the Outaouais region with a guided e-bike tour of <u>Gatineau Park</u> led by Nomades du parc, perfect for admiring the fall colors. After a restful night, you'll spend a relaxing day at North America's largest spa, Nordik Spa Village Chelsea, and enjoy one of the spa's many restaurants. Next up is a stay at the Fairmont Le Château Montebello, a luxury hotel famed as the world's largest log cabin construction, including a fine dining experience at Aux Chantignoles.





## Montréal: Globally influenced culture and culinary delights

**Dates: October 10 to 13** 

Please note that this tour starts in Montréal (travel plans to be booked accordingly).

Montréal is a lively <u>fall destination</u>, offering European charm at a fraction of the cost of a transatlantic getaway. By day, wander through Old Montréal's cobblestone streets, where historic landmarks and charming cafés evoke the romance of Paris. Explore the city's vibrant street art, trendy boutiques, and locally-made goods, discovering each <u>neighborhood's distinct personality</u>. After dark, Montréal's nightlife rivals Berlin's with underground clubs, live music, and international DJs that play all night long. Fall is also the perfect time to sample the city's dynamic culinary scene, featuring an array of <u>restaurants</u> and farm-to-table bistros.



# Québec City celebrates its unique heritage and vibrant history

Dates: October 10 to 13

Please note that this tour starts in Québec City (travel plans to be booked accordingly).

Québec City is renowned for its natural beauty and vibrant history and heritage, including its <u>architecture</u>, <u>culture</u>, <u>culinary identity</u>, and nearby <u>outdoor destinations</u>. You'll learn all about the city's history and the visionary urban planning that led to it becoming a <u>UNESCO World Heritage Site</u> in 1985.

Participants will also explore <u>Île d'Orléans</u>, with its historic homes and barns preserved for agritourism, and meet local artisans showcasing the finest local products. In the Wendat community of <u>Wendake</u>, the beloved La Traite restaurant is led by a new Wendat Executive Chef, Anora Collier, whose innovative culinary philosophy is rooted in local traditions and terroir. An enchanting night walk under the magical lights at <u>Onhwa' Lumina</u> caps off this memorable culinary experience.

Outdoor enthusiasts will enjoy finishing their trip at the <u>Parc national de la</u> <u>Jacques-Cartier</u>, a protected area saved from becoming a hydroelectric plant in 1975, where a spectacular waterfall and nature experience awaits.

It's the perfect opportunity to explore beyond the Travel Classics program in Québec City!

Québec City Fairmont Le Château Frontenac



Québec City Parc national de la Jacques-Cartier

Québec City Vignoble Ste-Pétronille





### Charlevoix: An unforgettable taste of Québec's wild beauty

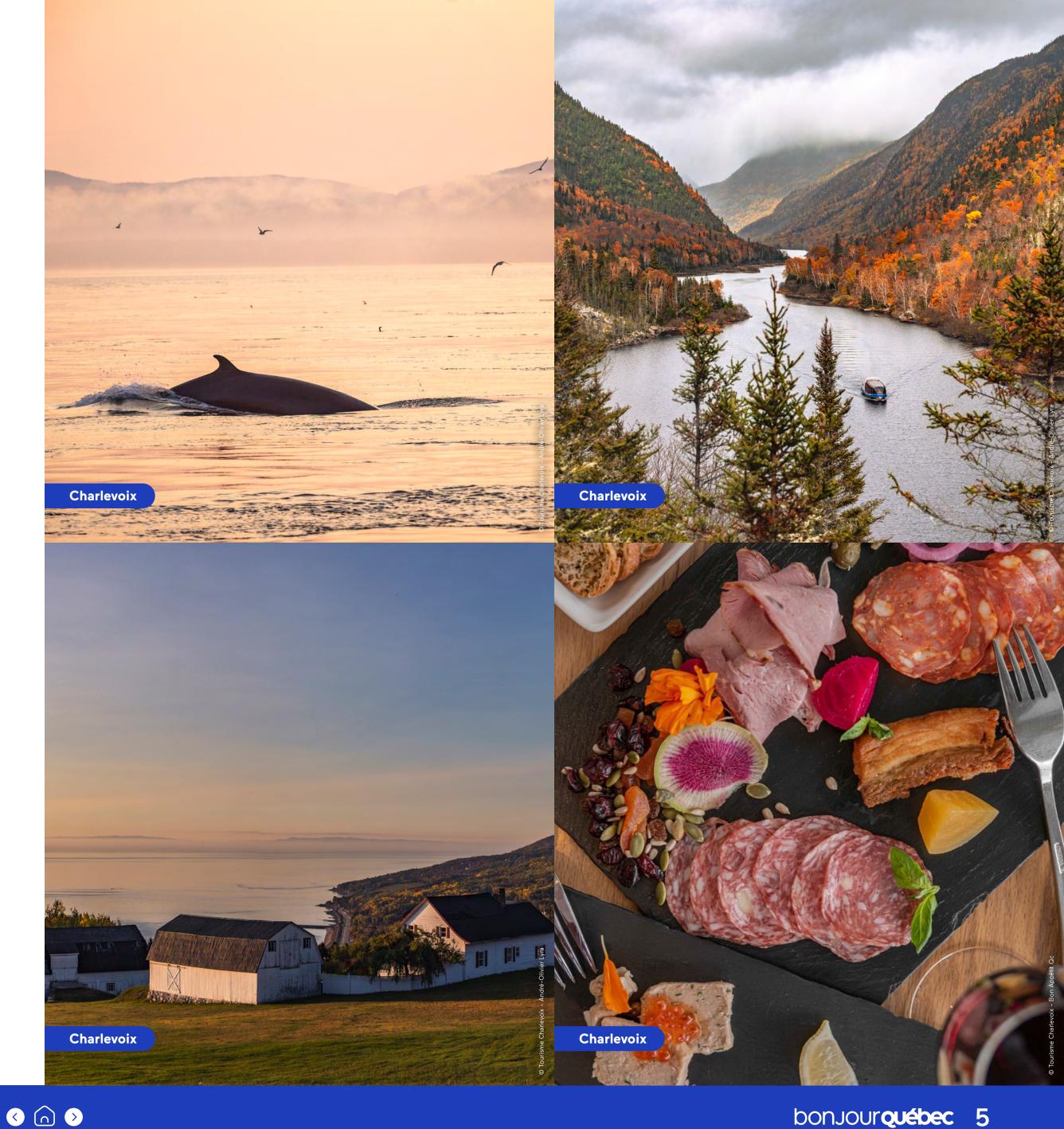
Date: October 9 to 13

Please note that this tour starts in Québec City (travel plans to be booked accordingly).

Nestled between mountains and the St. Lawrence River, <u>Charlevoix</u> is a true Québec gem where striking landscapes, rich culinary traditions, and warm hospitality combine for an unforgettable experience.

Witness the grandeur of the St. Lawrence River with a Croisières AML excursion, as whales breach the surface in a mesmerizing dance with nature. Further inland, the Parc national des Hautes-Gorges-de-la-Rivière-Malbaie offers a stunning wilderness escape, where sheer cliffs and winding rivers set the stage for breathtaking outdoor adventures. Along the Flavour Trail of <u>Charlevoix</u>, the deep-rooted connection between local chefs and producers shines through in every dish, highlighting the region's dedication to fresh, locally sourced ingredients and authentic culinary experiences.

Just a quick trip from Québec City, Charlevoix is a must-visit destination where nature, flavours, and culture blend in perfect harmony.



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### Savour the harvests: a colorful fall journey through Southern Québec

**Dates: October 9 to 13** 

Please note that this tour starts in Montréal (travel plans to be booked accordingly).

Experience the vibrant tastes and colours of Southern Québec with an exclusive Fall Harvest Familiarization Tour. Explore the scenic orchards along Montérégie's cider route and the picturesque vineyards of the famous Eastern Townships wine route, showcasing award-winning ciders and wines, and stroll through dazzling cranberry fields at peak season during the annual celebration, Canneberges en fête in Centre-du-Québec.

For those looking for a one-of-a-kind exhilarating experience Vélovolant sends you soaring above the treetops in comfortable pedal-powered cablecars. This immersive journey also features unforgettable farm-to-table experiences that celebrate local flavors and passionate producers including Espace Old Mill restaurant and <u>Au Pâturage</u>. Capture the essence of autumn with vibrant colours, authentic stories, and sensory delights. Join us and share with your audience the joys of harvest season in the heart of Québec!



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