

Leslie Anthony's Itinerary

4-day stay on Anticosti Island

Day 1

6 a.m. Flight from Montréal
11:30 a.m. Arrival in Port-Menier, on the west side of the island
Pickup of car on loan from SÉPAQ
Brief visit of the village
Lunch at Auberge Port-Menier

Destination of the day: Chicotte-la-Mer, on the south side of the island
En route: stop at Kalimazoo Falls
Seaside horseback ride in Chicotte-la-Mer

Day 2

Hike in Chicotte-la-Mer
Seal watching (seals basking in the sun)
Visit of the abandoned lighthouse at Pointe Sud-Ouest
Grand Lac Salé, Jupiter 12 and its salmon pool
Overnight stay at Auberge McDonald

Day 3

Full day
Visit of the Baie-de-la-Tour sector (parabola-shaped cliffs)
Hike to Vauréal Falls
Lunch at the Vauréal Falls lookout – amazing view
Stop at the *Wilcox* shipwreck
Observation of the canyon from Pointe-Carleton
Visit of the peat bog (near the canyon)
Night of tales and legends

Day 4

En route to Port-Menier...
Day of hiking and geology
Visit of the Grotte-à-la-Patate cave system (the third deepest in Québec)
Visit of the vestiges of Henri Menier's castle near Port-Menier
A magical end to the day: sunset over the abandoned hamlet of Baie-Sainte-Claire, in the company of white-tailed deer

Day 5

8 a.m. Departure to the airport for the flight home