

# GRAND OPENING WEEKEND LAVENDER FIELDS AND DREAM GARDENS

Saturday & Sunday, July 2 & 3, 2016 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

## **CELEBRATE WITH US**

Come celebrate the Grand Opening of the Lavender Fields and Dream Gardens attractions at Champs de Rêves, on the weekend of Saturday and Sunday, July 2nd and 3rd, 2016, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

These brand new mosaiculture gardens were conceived by Champs de Rêves owner and landscape artist, Mark Rassi, as a way to promote the art of gardening and horticulture. "I want these gardens to inspire people to be creative with their own homes and gardens. Each visit to the gardens will delight nature lovers of all ages."

The public is invited to explore these exciting new attractions and activities during the Grand Opening weekend.

#### LAVENDER FIELDS



Enjoy a relaxing stroll through winding rows of sweet scented lavender. Remember to stop by the Lavender Boutique where you'll find a wide selection of natural lavender products to satisfy your senses.

#### DREAM GARDENS



Lose yourself in the elaborate structure of the Labyrinth, created with 10-foot tall ornamental grasses and relax in the calm of the Japanese Gardens. Then marvel at the mosaicultures - monumental horse, whale and cobra sculptures composed of carefully selected plants and flowers.

#### SAND SCULPTURE COMPETITION



Mélineige Beauregard and Joris Kivits, 2nd place, Siesta Key, FL, USA, Free Minded, 2015, 8'x15', sand

Renowned Quebec master sand sculptor Mélineige
Beauregard has won more than 50 prizes for her craft
including the World Champion title at the 2016 World Sand
Sculpting Championship in Taiwan. During the Grand
Opening Weekend, Mélineige and her team of artists will
compete against each other's talents to bring you a new
series of larger than life sand sculptures that express the link
with beauty and nature. Vote for your favourite sculpture and
you may win one of 3 exclusive Champs de Rêves gift
vouchers valued at \$100, \$150 and \$200

(draw valid on July 2nd and 3rd 2016 only).

#### LIVE MUSIC

On Saturday, July 2, 2016 from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m., treat yourself to a series of musical voyages. Quebec singer-songwriter Juulie Rousseau will transport you on a rich sonic journey inspired by her love for nature and travels to Mongolia and Iran. Alternative music singer-songwriter Beyond Davis' solo acoustic guitar and voice will serenade your soul. Jab Jab a trio with roots in Trinidad and Granada, will get you moving to reggae and the hot rhythms of the Caribbean islands.



An unforgettable fun packed experience for everyone.

Come celebrate and discover your dreams at Champs de Rêves!

#### **GENERAL ADMISSION**

Prices per daily visit (valid from July 2nd to September 1st, 2016)

Adults / seniors (65 years and over): \$8.00 Students and children (over the age of 12): \$8.00 Children under age 12 (must be accompanied by 1 adult): Free Family (max. 2 adults and 2 children over the age of 12): \$25.00

No pets, foods or beverages permitted on site. Champs de Rêves is wheelchair accessible.

Ticket counter located at the entrance to the Dream Gardens (Cash, Visa, Interac debit accepted)

### **VISITING HOURS**

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Rest of the Season

July 4th to Sept. 1st, 2016 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

#### **DIRECTIONS & PARKING**

Champs de Rêves (1620 Chemin Daoûst in Vaudreuil-Dorion) is located 1 km West from exit 26 St-Lazare on the Trans-Canada Highway 40 West (Route Transcanadienne Ouest / Autoroute 40 Ouest).

Parking is free of charge for all visitors with a valid entrance ticket.

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