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## Plaisirs d'hiver: An array of outdoor sports activities in several Vaudreuil-Dorion parks

**Vaudreuil-Dorion, January 19, 2021 –** The City's Outdoor *Plaisirs d'hiver* sports program is back again this year and will take place every weekend from January 30 to February 27. Even though most of the activities will be held at parc de la Maison-Valois, other sites will also be hosting some activities on a spontaneous basis with the objective of introducing residents to winter sports.

Because of the current context, sports equipment may be loaned out for independent practice only. Upon reservation, citizens will be able to enjoy trying out fatbikes, snowskates and crosscountry skis. Other returning activities will include ice fishing, an evening of torch-lit snowshoeing and the ever popular snow scooter. A game of Crock Putt (giant croquet), an obstacle course and hockey challenge games will add to the fun.

"Our teams work hard to provide activities that can be carried out in a safe context. We know how important it is, especially right now, to be active and enjoy the great outdoors. We are counting on people's cooperation to follow health guidelines so that we can continue to offer these activities," said Mayor Guy Pilon.

## Activities at new locations

In order to offer these activities to a greater number of citizens, fatbike loans will be offered at parc de la montée Cadieux on January 30th and at parc de la Seigneurie on both January 30th and February 6th. Snowskates will be available at parc Paul-Gérin-Lajoie on January 30th, and cross-country skis will be available at parc de Dorion-Gardens on February 21st.

The complete programming is available on the City's website, under Recreation and Culture/ Activities and Events/Plaisirs d'hiver. Please note that activities may vary depending on weather conditions and government pandemic guidelines.