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Capitaine fantôme docks at parc-nature Harwood

Vaudreuil-Dorion, September 26, 2024 -For Halloween, the City of Vaudreuil-Dorion is once again offering a trail through *parc-nature Harwood* (3900, route Harwood). From October 5 to November 3, between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m., the public is invited to take part in challenges and solve riddles, under the theme of *capitaine fantôme*. On October 25, 26 and 27, the adventure will be enhanced by the addition of complementary activities.

“Last year, nearly 4,000 people took part in the game at *parc-nature Harwood* throughout the month of October. Given the enthusiastic response to this activity, we approached *Parcours Ludiques* to propose a new concept for Halloween, this time with a pirate theme. We’re hoping people will turn out to relive the experience,” says Vincent Bastien, Director of the *Service des loisirs et de la culture*.

Guided by a mobile application, adventurers will progress along the route from station to station. To participate, only one Internet-enabled smartphone per group is required. Simply download the free *Parcours Ludiques* app, available on the app Store or Google Play, and enter the VAU24 access code.

Lasting around an hour, this tour can be completed rain or shine. In case of rain, however, an umbrella and waterproof boots are recommended. For evening tours, participants should bring a headlamp or flashlight.

Special program

On October 25, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., the route will be punctuated by scary pirates. This evening is recommended for those aged 12 and over. Additional activities, such as inflatable games and a balance course, will also take place on October 26, from 1 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m., as well as on October 27, from 1 to 4 p.m. Starting at 1 p.m. on October 26 and 27, *Caravane Mozaïk* will be on hand to hold a pirate costume creation workshop, as well as a photobooth. Sweets and hot drinks will be served free of charge on all three days.

Parking is limited at *parc-nature Harwood*, so car pooling is recommended. The complete Halloween program is available online.