

Come Snowshoe the Canadian Shield ...

Join us for an Afternoon/Evening of Snowshoeing in Gatineau Park
... a "Family-Friendly" Outing



Who: CLEE Members, Teachers on Exchange, Friends and Family

What: An afternoon/evening of snowshoeing (10 km total distance) in Gatineau Park, including a cheese fondue supper at Healey Hut.

When: Saturday, February 10th, 2018 at 3pm

Where: Meet at P15 (see [Gatineau Park Winter Trail Map 2017/2018](#))

Why: A great way to enjoy the Canadian outdoors in winter!

Equipment: We have snowshoes for all (just let us know your needs), and a pulk for hauling food items. Larger boots fit more securely into snowshoe bindings. Dress for the weather (lots of layers). You may wish to bring a headlamp or flashlight for the walk out as the sun will have set.

Park Pass: You may purchase a "snowshoe pass" (\$8 per adult or \$19 per family, Children 12 and under are free) from the NCC park attendant at P15.

Food: We will provide the cheese fondue and bread (and cheese quesadillas for young ones who may not wish to have fondue) for dinner. Let us know if you can contribute these other items to compliment our meal:

- White wine
 - Hot chocolate for kids
 - Apples (cubed)
 - Pears (cubed)
 - Raw veggies
 - Trail mix for snacking en route
 - Dessert (ie. cookies, brownies, chocolate ...)
- * Please let us know of any food allergies or preferences.

Travel/Accommodations: Carpooling is encouraged. Please reach out to others on this email to share rides. If travelling from far away we have room for guests at our home in Ottawa (446 Island Park Drive), and you are welcome to stay over Friday and/or Saturday evening.

More Information: For more information about Snowshoeing in Gatineau Park check out: <http://www.ncc-ccn.gc.ca/places-to-visit/gatineau-park/things-to-do/snowshoeing-gatineau-park>

Please **RSVP** with the number (and age) of those joining us, and the number of pairs of snowshoes needed.
Looking forward to meeting you all.

cheers,
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