

# MICHELLE'S SUPER-HAPPY-FUN-TIME-FRIENDSHIP-BUILDING GUIDE TO MONTREAL

## FOOD AND DRINK:

Schwartz's (Famous smoked meat sandwiches)

**What:** Fill your belly (with meat), your brain (with memories) and your heart (with plaque) for \$9.60!

Where: 3895 Saint-Laurent Boulevard; 20 minute walk from McGill

**When:** Hot meat available after 10:30am all days of the week; they close 1:30am Fridays and 12:30am all other nights.

CAT CAFE (come drink some LiberTEA) What: Petting cats and overpaying for food Where: 172 Duluth Est, Montreal H2W 1H3 ; 25 minute walk from McGill When: Closed Mondays; open from 11am to 8pm Tuesday to Thursday; 10am-10pm Friday and Saturday.

La Banquise (Poutine)

What: Poutine binge (\$7-17 depending on type and size) Where: 994 Rue Rachel Est; 40 minute walk from McGill When: Cheesy goodness 24/7!

Dieu du Ciel (bar)

What: Getting your drank on (around \$7 per pint)Where: 29 Laurier West, Montreal; 36 minute walk from McGill... walk off the beer belly?When: 3PM to 3AM all days except Friday-Sunday they open at 1PM

La Distillerie no.1 (bar)

What: The alcohols Where: 300 Rue Ontario Est, Montréal; 24 minute walk from McGill When: 4pm until 3am all nights

### Bar K Karaoke (with private rooms!)

What: "It's like talking, except longer and louder, and you move your voice up and down"— Elf
Where: 2110 Rue Crescent, Montréal; 12 minute walk from McGill
When: \$10 dollars per person during happy hour (except for Wednesdays)....The price bumps up to \$15 on Fridays and Saturdays. For a small room (max 4 people) it's \$20 an hour. Hours [Mon-Thurs: 6:00pm to 3:00am and Fri-Sun: 3pm - 3:00am]

### Fairmount Bagel

What: Carbs to achieve voluptuousness. Where: 74 Fairmount West When: Mon- Sun: 24/7

### Kem Coba (icecream)!!!!

**What:** Participate in the ancient tradition of consuming animal fats to repress your feelings and numb the pain of life's emotional complexities.

Where: 60 Avenue Fairmount O; 40 minute walk from McGill

**When:** Closed on Mondays. Open from 12pm to 8pm all other days except Wednesdays, open until 10pm.

# **ACTIVITES & ATTRACTIONS**

#### **Notre-Dame Basilica of Montreal**

What: Looking at a beautiful church (\$5) Where: 1110 Rue Notre Dame Ouest; 30 minute walk from McGill When: 8am to 5pm on Mondays; 8am to 8pm Tuesday to Saturday

#### **Biosphere Environmental Museum**

What: Educational environmental exhibitions (\$10 for students and \$15 for adults) Where: Located at Parc Jean-Drapeau; 160 Chemin Tour-de-l'Isle, Île Sainte-Hélène When: 10am to 5pm all week!

#### The Montreal Museum of Fine Arts

What: Pretending to understand art.Where: 1380 Sherbrooke Street West; 12 minute walk from McGillWhen: 10am to 5pm daily! Wednesdays until 9pm with reduced admission from 5pm to 9pm.

#### **Botanical Garden & Insectarium**

What: Cool exhibits insects and plants!

Where: INSECT: 4581, Rue Sherbrooke Est —- GARDEN: 4101 Rue Sherbrooke E; Approximately 30 minutes away by bus... (11 minutes walking distance between two locations) When: 9am to 5pm! ... [\$14.50 for students (must show card) and \$19.75 for adults]

#### **Mont Royal**

**What:** Get thighs of steel while forging friendships to last a lifetime. **Where:** 26 minute walk from campus

#### House of Jazz

What: Drink fancy drinks, have lunch/dinner and eat dessert while listening to.
Where: 2060 Aylmer (9 minute walk from campus)
When: Monday 16:00 pm to 12:00 am / Tuesday to Thursday 11:30 am to 11:30 pm / Friday 11:30 am to 1:30 am

#### Club 649

What: Self-conscious dancing with your new best friends. Free salsa lessons, Wed at 9:30pm. Where: 1112 Rue Sainte-Catherine; 12 minute walk from McGill When: 9pm to 3am

#### **Eaton Centre Montreal**

What: Celebrating the productivity of capitalism.Where: 705, rue Sainte-Catherine Ouest (9 minute walk from campus)When: 10am-9pm all days except Saturday (7pm) and Sunday (5pm)

#### Old Port of Montreal

What: pretty view/haunted houses/ food trucks/ zip-lining/mazes. Where: Approximately 40 minute walk from McGill

#### Pro-am Wednesdays and Newbie Tuesdays at the Comedy Nest

What: Give validation through the form of laughter to deeply insecure/troubled people. Where: 2313 Rue Sainte-Catherine (28 minute Walk ) When: Wednesdays at 8pm! Cover Fee \$5

#### **Redpath Museum:**

**What**: A museum on campus with a geological garden, world cultures exhibits, animals, etc... **Where:** 859 Sherbrooke Street West

When: Open Monday to Friday: 9am-5pm