Reflective on foot

The Builders of Magog

Behind Magog's heritage homes lie fascinating stories, remarkable people and a few legends that helped shape the city we know today.

As you follow this walking tour, discover the Johnson, Moore and Merry families, along with other influential figures who contributed to Magog's development. Meet pioneers, entrepreneurs, poets and visionaries whose innovations, ambitious projects, traditions and remarkable stories have left a lasting mark on the region.

From elegant heritage homes to Pine Hill Cemetery, this tour invites you to see Magog's heritage through a new lens and discover the women and men who wrote the first chapters of its history.

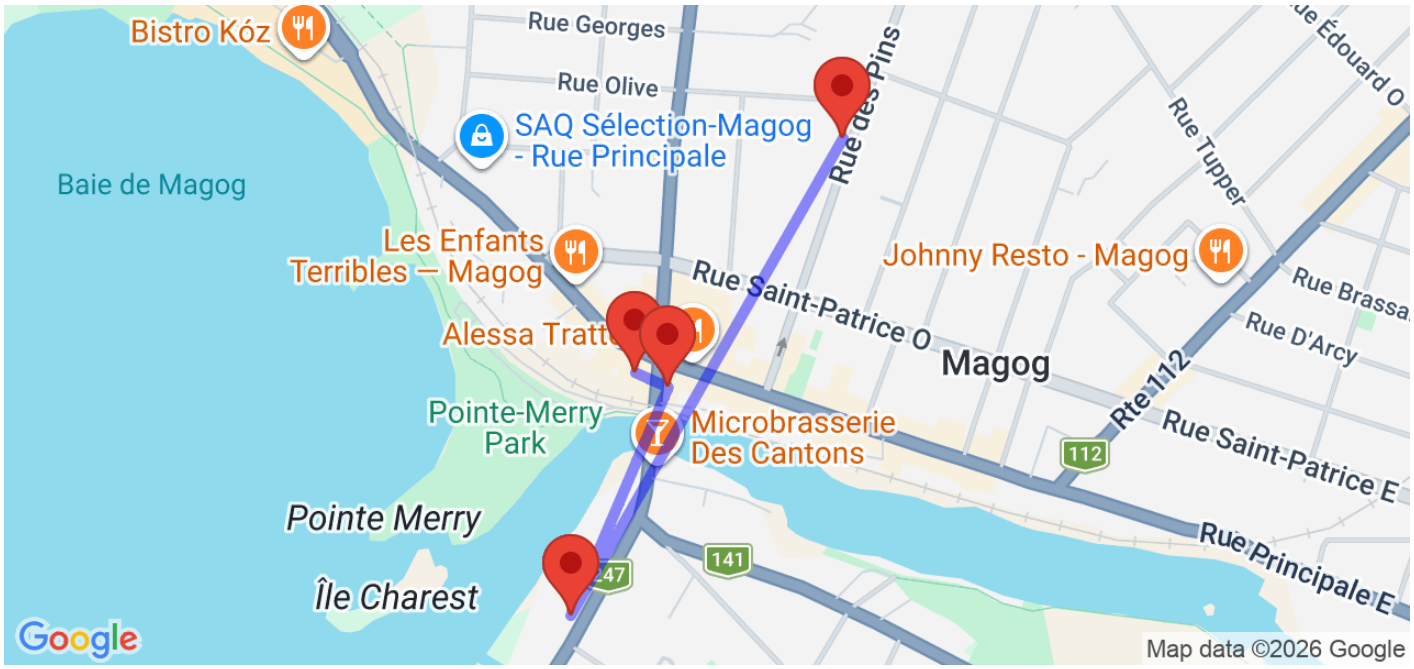
Difficulty	Distance	Duration
Easy	1.5 km	21 min

Starting location

Tourist Information & Welcome Center
375 Rue Principale Ouest, Magog, QC J1X 2B1

Price

Free



*Please note that this is not an accurate itinerary. For navigation purposes please refer to Google Maps or the preview map on the website.

Itinerary

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Sunnyside: The Johnson House

Built around 1875, Sunnyside House is one of Magog's finest heritage landmarks. It tells the story of the Johnson family, whose remarkable journey is marked by fascinating characters, intriguing stories and a rich cultural legacy.

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Dogs allowed

Address

255 Rue des Pins, Magog, QC J1X 2H8

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Pine Hill: Reinventing a resting place

At first glance, nothing suggests this was once Magog's first cemetery. Yet its story is marked by two remarkable relocations of burial sites, reflecting a community's determination to preserve the memory of its earliest settlers.

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Address

133 Rue Merry Sud, Magog, QC J1X 3L2

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The Moore House: Elegant and distinctive

Built around 1865, the Moore House stands out for its elegant Gothic Revival-inspired architecture. It reflects the legacy of Alvin H. Moore, an entrepreneur, politician and visionary who played a key role in Magog's economic and tourism development.

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Microbrasserie La Memphré
12 Rue Merry Sud, Magog, QC J1X 3K9

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The Merry House: Bringing history to life

Built in 1821, the Merry House is one of the most important landmarks from Magog's early days. Now a museum, it tells the story of the Merry family, whose entrepreneurial spirit, commitment to education and dedication to preserving local history helped shape the community we know today.

Dogs
No dogs allowed

Address

Maison Merry
708 Rue Principale Ouest, Magog, QC J1X 2B3

Services

- Rest area
- Parking
- Picnic tables
- Restrooms

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