

PHOTOTHEQUE & SPEC SHEET

LOCATION & DIRECTIONS TO THE MOUNTAIN

Le Massif is accessible by the summit and base. Follow Route 138 – the ski area is located 73 km (45 miles) east of Québec City, and 18 km (14 miles) west of Baie-Saint-Paul.

- **From the summit:** Turn off Route 138 onto the ski area road, which leads you to the top of the trails along a magnificent winding drive lined with conifers (6 km).
- **From the base:** Off Route 138, follow the road to Petite-Rivière-Saint-François in a long descent to the river. After passing through the village tucked between mountains and sea, the base of the slopes lies just ahead on the right (21 km).



Summit access road



Shoreline at the base



Access route 138

LE MASSIF'S TOP ATTRACTIONS



Access C from La Charlevoix

- Spectacular view of the St. Lawrence River
- Highest skiable vertical in Eastern Canada: 770 metres (2,526 ft)
- Average annual snowfall: more than 6 m (21 ft) annually
- 48 trails & glades, and 34 acres for hors piste skiing
- National Alpine Training Centre – FIS homologated for Downhill
- Altitude at the base: 36 metres (118 ft)
- Altitude at the summit: 806 metres (2 645 ft)
- Skiable terrain: 410 acres (166 hectares)
- Longest run: 4.8 km (2.98 miles)
- 5 grooming machine / one with winch
- 4 lifts:
 - 1 high-speed quad with mid-station
 - 2 high-speed quads
 - 1 platter lifts
 - Lift capacity: 8,700 skiers/hour
- 299 snowguns:
 - 16 fan guns
 - 280 air/water snowguns
 - 35 water sticks



ACCESSIBLE BUILDINGS



Summit Chalet (Capacity: About 2,000 guests)

Three-storey building erected in 2001. The facade faces the river, with wrap-around windows to highlight the beautiful scenery. Preferred chalet among visitors. Several outdoor points offer terrific views and easy access.

Level 1

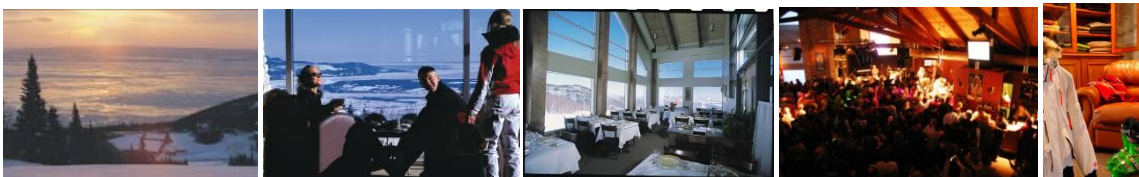
- SnowSchool Desk
- Daycare
- Rossignol Boutique
- Rentals & Repair Centre
- Lockers

Level 2

- Mer et Monts Restaurant
- Bistro Cafeteria & 2 adjacent lunch areas
- Windowed lounge area with easy-chairs
- Bar with small stage & mezzanine
- Welcome & Guest Services Desk
- Infirmary

Level 3

- Administration offices
- Conference Room



Base Chalet



Base chalet (Capacity: About 1,500 guests.)

Two-storey building erected in 1992. A southern exposure offers a pleasant view of the river, while the northern façade faces the trails. Open approximately 85 days per season. Many interesting outdoor viewpoints, particularly in spring when hay bales are set up to accommodate a bar and BBQ.

- Cafeteria & 2 adjacent seating areas
- Bar with pool table & fireplace
- Sales & Rental Centre on Lower Level
- Infirmary & Ticket Office located in adjacent building



Camp-Boule



Summit of Camp - Boule sector

Barnboard building erected in 1983. Relocated in 2004 on the highest peak, it accommodated guest services in the days when skiers rode to the summit by bus. Superb view of the river and Ile-aux-Coudres; offers a wide range of vistas. Open approximately 50 days per season. Easily accessed by car and lift.

Seating capacity: 150 guests

- Crêperie & seating area
- Mezzanine with easy chairs
- Private group welcome infrastructures
- Infirmary & administration on Lower Level



THE MOUNTAIN

Camp-Boule Sector



Camp-Boule Express Lift

This 2,400 skiers/hour high-speed quad has been transporting slide sports enthusiasts since 2004. It enhances the distribution of clientele to the different mountain sectors, and travels to the summit in under 6 minutes. It is 1,350 metres long, with a vertical of 360 metres.

La Bouchard

Located under the lift, it's a "half & half" trail – groomed on one side, bumps on the other. Its steep incline at the top is ideal for advanced skiers, while its bottom segment is perfect for carving. The bumps are delicious – the trail retains snow beautifully, and has a pleasant, gentle fall line.



La Fortin

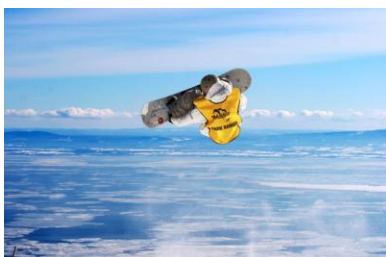
The mountain's most defiant glade. Very tight and steep, it verges on hors piste skiing. A paradise for experts hunting for powder and a good challenge

La Lavoie

A sweet trail, average in width with a constant fall line. Perfect for high-speed carving. Is used for training sessions and races.



Terrain Park



Bigger & better than ever – designed for intermediates and experts. Sprawling over 8-acres and located at the summit on the combined areas between La Grande-Pointe and L'Anse, it's a freestyler's paradise complete with standard and natural features.



Mont à Liguori



Mont à Liguori is located east of the Camp-Boule Sector. Open since January 2008, it is specially developed for hors piste skiing and includes 34 acres of untouched, untracked skiable terrain reserved for expert skiers.



With a maximum vertical of 500 metres, runs depart at 800 metres above sea level and face south-east. 40% pitches in some sections. No lift service: Specialized equipment is required (hors piste skis & bindings, seal skins).



Mont à Liguori boasts low densities and is open from January to March, depending on natural snow coverage, temperature and time of day. Ideal for being one with nature, and abundant powder.



Grande-Pointe Sector



Grande-Pointe Express Lift

This high-speed quad was installed in 1992. With a 2,800 skiers/hour capacity, it conveys visitors directly to the summit's welcome infrastructures from the base of the mountain. It is 2,570 meters long, with a vertical of 657 meters.

La Petite-Rivière

The perfect place for a snapshot of "the sea at your ski tips". A heavenly 1.8 km carving trail – straight, wide and very forgiving. A delightful appetizer early morning. Sunny exposure until late afternoon.



La Prairie

Winding, narrow and less travelled, it offers an interesting perspective of Ile-aux-Coudres and nature's luxuriance. Fast and fun, its upper portion is a carver's dream, while its lower segment unfurls stairway-style. Hidden away on its lower left section is an amazing glade.

Le Mur

One of Le Massif's best-kept secrets. Secluded from the rest of the ski area, mid-mountain scenery is breathtaking. Very short and steep, it leads to *La Pointue*. Colossal springtime bumps, with optimal sun early morning.



La Coulée

A narrow, gracefully winding beginner trail. From Camp-Boule, it gently meanders down the Grande-Pointe Sector. Look for a rest area drenched in sunshine with slopeside benches. Lovely segment for practising/learning carving skills at moderate speed.

Maillard Sector



Maillard Express Lift

A 2,600 skiers/hour high-speed quad. It is 2,560 metres long with 665 metres of vertical. Equipped with a mid-station, it picks up clients mid-mountain - which is great for skiing the upper section of the ski area.

Anguille-Écoutille Junction

The junction between the Grande-Pointe and Maillard Sectors, it offers a stunning westerly view and great afternoon sunshine. It begins with a good pitch - which gives the impression of literally flying over the river.



La 42

This trail has made Le Massif history. In its natural state, this 2.2 km bump run has steeps that command respect. A must on deep-powder days, when other trails do not offer the vertical to reach speeds powder hounds adore.



La Charlevoix

Site of the National Alpine Training Center. Elevated to the pinnacle of Eastern Canada's steepest of steeps by Ski Canada Magazine, *La Charlevoix* ranks among the three most difficult Women's World Cup downhill runs in the world. Public access is limited to approximately forty days per season - conditions, training and racing schedules permitting.



Maillard Sector (Cont'd)

- **La Charlevoix – Starting Mound**

The starting mound's 35-metre terrain extension is a truly magnificent 360° observation point despite its exposure to strong winds. The 150-step open-air staircase may be climbed, one at a time...



- **La Charlevoix – Access C**

A natural platform located between the starting mound and the wall's steepest pitch. With a 64% incline, this is the trail's sheerest section. Mountain and river scenery as far as the eye can see, with views of the shoreline, Ile-aux-Coudres and surrounding islands.



- **La Charlevoix – Access D**

La Charlevoix's lower section, it presents less vertical. Ideal for junior races and training sessions, as well as spring skiing.

