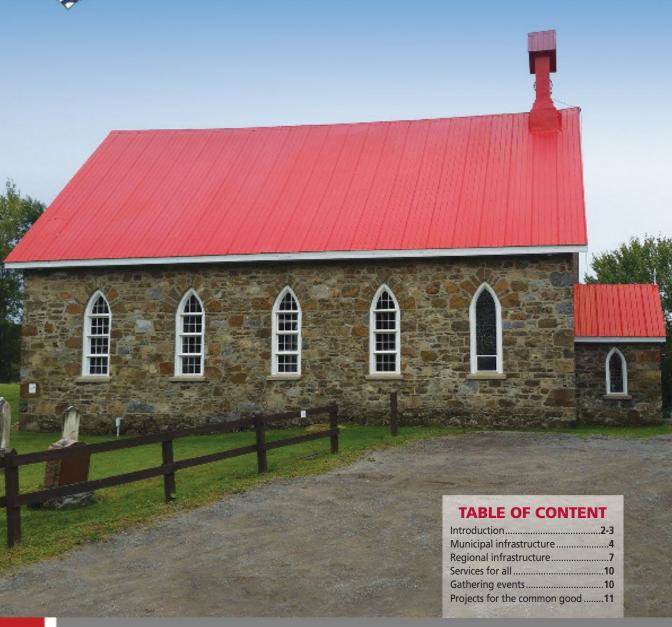


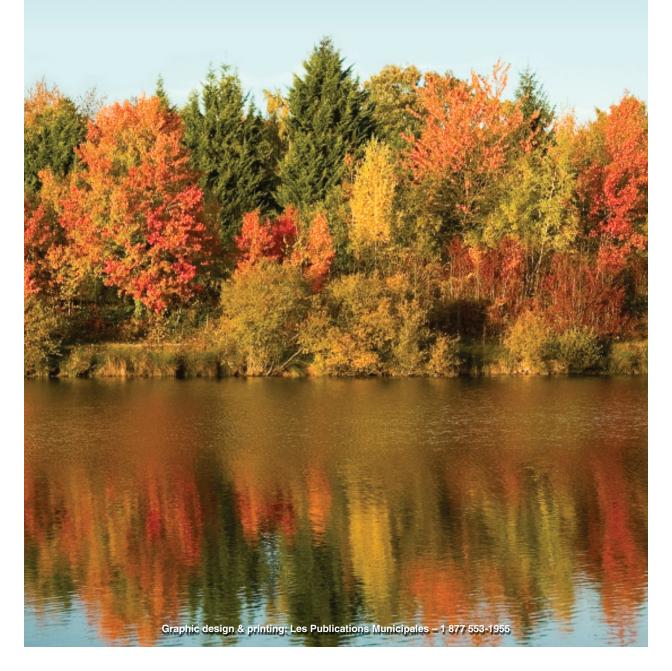
# SERVICE DIRECTORY



**SERVICES OFFERED TO GORE RESIDENTS** 

# INTRODUCTION

This service directory compiles the services offered to the residents of Gore. The Township of Gore is a rural municipality with many cottagers. Its services are in harmony with the desire to preserve the natural character of the territory while keeping our residents' tax burden as low as possible.

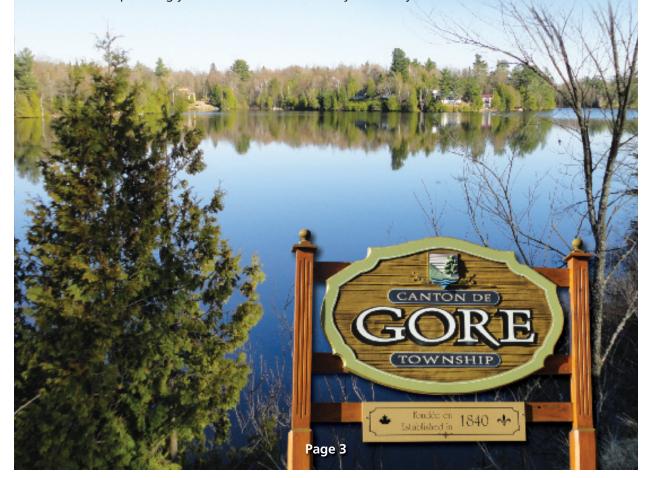


Our small municipality, established in 1840 and located one hour northwest of Montreal, is considered a privileged vacation spot and a leader in environment. With our numerous lakes and forests, it has gradually become a place where it is good to settle long term. Our permanent population is constantly increasing. In fact, the rate of increase is the highest in the MRC of Argenteuil.

The Township of Gore is part of the MRC of Argenteuil, a territory of more than 1,339 km² of which the city center is Lachute. Several major services and infrastructure are grouped together in the more densely populated municipalities. It would not be cost effective for each municipality to have, let's say, its own arena, this would create additional costs and an increase of municipal taxes for everyone. Having major services and infrastructure in more densely populated areas makes the most sense and is more affordable for all.

In addition to the services offered to our residents, the MRC of Argenteuil also supports the municipality by providing us with professional services such as an engineer, a biologist, a forest engineer, to name a few. A portion of your taxes contributes to the cost of ensuring quality régional and local infrastructure and services.

Take advantage of the information in this directory and keep it at your fingertips. It will surely be useful in planning your activities and those of your family members.



# **MUNICIPAL INFRASTRUCTURE**

#### **MUNICIPAL PARK - 45 CAMBRIA ROAD**

- ➤ Chalet (opening hours on https://cantondegore.qc.ca/)
- > Outdoor rink (opening hours on https://cantondegore.qc.ca/)
- > Tennis, basketball and pickleball (equipment available during opening hours)
- ▶ Building where the CPE Le Rêve de Caillette is located http://www.lerevedecaillette.com/
  The CPE has 29 subsidized child care spaces in this building located in a peaceful and
  natural environment in the municipal park. We are one of the few municipalities to
  have a CPE established in our municipality that serves our young families.
- Soccer Field
- Walking and snowshoe trails managed by Gore trail committee volunteers.
- Dog park completely fenced, offering shaded and sunny areas.
- > Community Garden constructed and cared for by volunteers.
- > Outdoor exercise equipment which can be used in all seasons.
- ▶ Boat cleaning station for the prevention of invasive aquatic plant species in our lakes.



#### **GOOD NEIGHBOURS ECOCENTER - 40 SIDELINE ROAD**

The Good Neighbours Ecocenter is the result of cooperation between the municipalities of the Township of Gore, Township of Wentworth and Mille-Isles. It is located on Sideline road in Gore. The Ecocenter's hours of operation are Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays, as well as legal holidays, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm from Victoria Day up to Thanksgiving Day, and Saturdays and Sundays from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm from Thanksgiving Day to Victoria Day.

The Ecocenter offers exclusively to the residents of these municipalities a recovery of specific materials that are not accepted in the selective collection. Here is the list of materials accepted at the Ecocenter:

- > Building, renovation and demolition materials: wood and wood materials, aggregates (asphalt, concrete, brick and stone), metal, shingles, gypsum and others.
- ▶ Information and communication technology products: computers, tablets, laptops and peripherals; display devices (TV, flat screen); printers, photocopiers, facsimile machines and multi –function devices; video games and game consoles; phones, answering machines, cellular and pagers; DVD or VHS player.
- ▶ Household hazardous waste: domestic paint including aerosols; oil, filters and used oil containers including aerosols; compact fluorescent lamps and fluorescent tubes; primary and secondary batteries.
- Used tires.

A resource center is also located on the Ecocenter site. It offers a recovery service for furniture and reusable products. The residents of the three municipalities are invited to bring in reusable items and to re-use those that are there.



#### TRINITY COMMUNITY CENTER - 2 CAMBRIA ROAD

- > Community center available by reservation at the municipal office (450 562-2025)
- > Art and fitness classes
- ▶ Seniors' Lounge
- > Workshops and eat and greets for seniors
- ▶ Children's Christmas party
- > Community breakfasts and dinners

Most classes, activities and workshops are organized and presented by volunteers and are, in most cases, free or inexpensive. The Township of Gore has a large bank of volunteers who are involved in all areas of community life; be it with our children, our elders or our families, and at our seasonal events. If you would like to become a volunteer, do not hesitate to contact us at the municipal office (450 562-2025). It's a good way to meet your neighbours, share your interests with them and get involved in your community. Apart from the volunteer committees, there are also several associations. These associations, also run by volunteers, are very proactive in preserving water quality, environment and the outdoors, sustainable development and quality of life.



# REGIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE

### **LACHUTE LIBRARY - 378 MAIN STREET, LACHUTE**

Through inter-municipal agreements, there is no annual membership fee for residents of Lachute, Gore and Wentworth, Information: 450 562-4578.

# MULTISPORT CENTER 452 ARGENTEUIL AVENUE, LACHUTE

At the back of the Polyvalente Lavigne and the Laurentian regional high school (LRHS), this important sports and leisure center offers our students and our population a synthetic soccer/ football field, a renovated athletic track and a biking/walking trail. Information: 450 562-2474.



# INDOOR POOL 452 ARGENTEUIL AVENUE, LACHUTE

Newly rebuilt, this ultra-modern swimming pool offers a program of classes and free swim schedule at the same rate for all residents of the MRC. Phone: 450 562-3781.





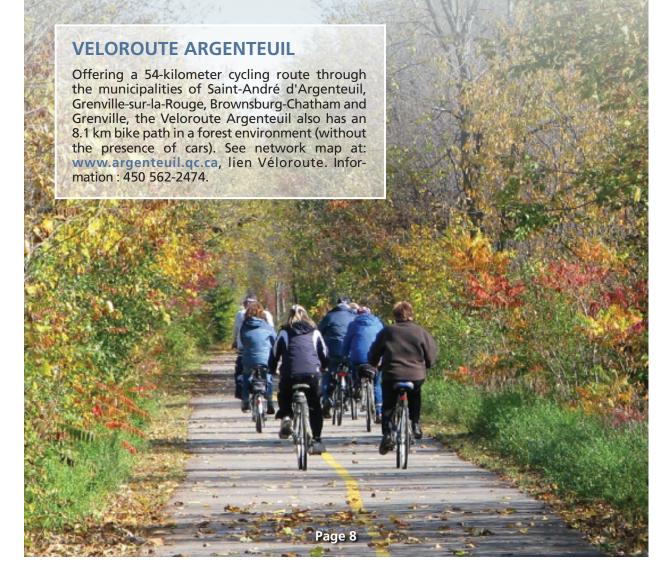
#### LACHUTE AND BROWNSBURG-CHATHAM ARENAS

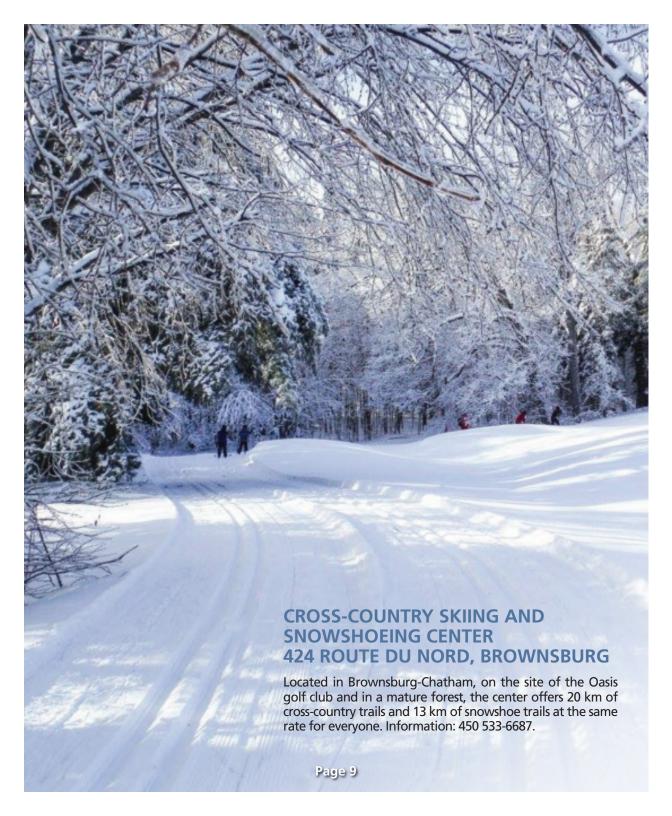
Minor hockey and figure skating registration, as well as free skating and hockey sessions are available at the same rate for all residents of the MRC Argenteuil.

80 Hamford Street, Lachute Phone: 450 562-1618 200 MacVicar Street, Brownsburg Phone: 450 407-0577

### **GYMNASIUM LRHS - 448 ARGENTEUIL AVENUE, LACHUTE**

Evening courses are offered by associations at the same rate for all residents of the MRC Argenteuil (badminton, basketball, pickleball, etc.) Information: 450 562-8571.





# **SERVICES FOR ALL**

#### ADAPTED AND COLLECTIVE TRANSPORT

Find out more about public transit services (Taxibus, Argenteuil/Saint-Jérôme circuit, Carrefour d'Argenteuil circuit, Ski Bus Argenteuil) and adapted transport. Information: 450 562-5797. www.argenteuil.qc.ca

#### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICE - 540 BERRY STREET, LACHUTE**

Offers start-up support and business development in the region. Phone: 450 562-8829.

## RALLYING EVENTS

#### MINI-GAMES OF ARGENTEUIL

A day of initiation to physical activity for 6-12 year olds is offered free of charge every summer in early July on the Polyvalente Lavigne and LRHS grounds. Phone: 450 562-2474.



#### CANADIAN SKI MARATHON

The longest and oldest cross-country ski tour in North America. The route, built between Lachute and Gatineau, has been crossing the municipalities of Brownsburg-Chatham and Grenville-sur-la-Rouge since 1967. www.skimarathon.ca

# PROJECTS FOR THE COMMON GOOD

#### HIGH-SPEED INTERNET ACCESS

For several years, efforts have been under way to obtain grants to improve the situation and provide service to the greatest number of residents and companies. To this end, the MRC has applied for grants in April 2017 in the amount of \$ 9.5 million from the governments of Quebec and Canada as part of the new Québec Branché program (provincial) and Connect for Innovation program (federal).

### SENSITIZATION TO EXOTIC INVASIVE AQUATIC PLANTS

In order to prevent their introduction into the lakes of the territory, awareness-raising has been conducted across the MRC since 2016, including the production of a guide and the characterization of lakes. www.mddelcc.gouv.qc.ca/eau/paee/index.htm

#### **FAMILY AND SENIORS POLICY**

A regional policy was developed jointly with the nine municipalities located in Argenteuil in order to develop the "Think and Act Families/Seniors". The Township of Gore, with the involvement of residents and councillors, also developed a policy that reflects the needs of Gore families and seniors. You can you can get a copy from the municipal office at 9 Cambria Road. www.cantondegore.qc.ca. Select the link to the right *Unir les GENERATIONS*.



# CULTURAL POLICY

The MRC Argenteuil supports the development of culture in its broad sense, encompassing the various expressions whether artistic, heritage, or education. www.argenteuil.qc.ca or 450 562-2474.



# COMMUNITY AGRICULTURE

Since 2015, the MRC has been developing a community agricultural project of 245 hectares situated in Brownsburg-Chatham, in order to increase the supply of fruits and vegetables offered by the food banks of Argenteuil. To this day, the distribution of food (13 tons in 2015 and 20 tons in 2016) is benefitting 2,000 residents of Argenteuil in need. Information: 450 562-2474.



# ARGENTEUIL HOSPITAL FOUNDATION 145 DE LA PROVIDENCE, LACHUTE

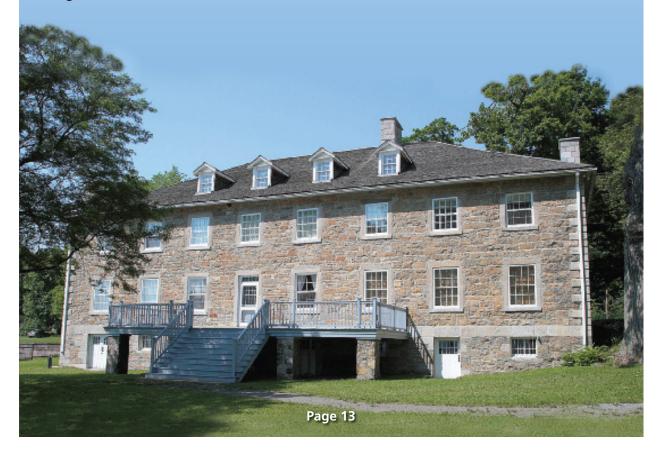
The Argenteuil Hospital Foundation is devoted to collecting donations to support the many projects of the Multiservice Center for Health and Social Services in Argenteuil, part of the CISSS des Laurentides. Telephone: 450 562-3761 ext. 72100.

# LACHUTE ENTRAIDE COUNTER - CENTRAIDE LAURENTIDES 273 MAIN STREET, LACHUTE

The main target of Centraide Laurentides is the fight against poverty and the search for solutions to help those experiencing difficulties, in each MRC territory. Phone: 450 562-9932.

# ARGENTEUIL REGIONAL MUSEUM 44 LONG SAULT ROAD, SAINT-ANDRE-D'ARGENTEUIL

Located in Saint-André-d'Argenteuil, Carillon area, it is the second oldest private museum in Canada and presents permanent and temporary exhibitions related to the history of Argenteuil. Phone: 450 537-3861.



### CAMMAC – 85 CAMMAC ROAD, HARRINGTON

The Music Center, located on the shores of Lake McDonald in Harrington, welcomes participants from around the world to their music camp and offers various stays during the year for individuals surrounded by music and the countryside. Phone: 819 687-3938.

### MAISON DE LA CULTURE – 375 MAIN STREET, LACHUTE

The City of Lachute exhibit hall hosts, each year, seven or eight exhibitions of amateur, semi-professional or professional artists from Argenteuil and from outside the region. Phone: 450 562-3781.

#### MAISON DE LA FAMILLE - 232 BETHANY AVENUE, LACHUTE

Several free activities are offered to the families of Argenteuil with an annual fee of \$2. Phone: 450 562-0503.

### **ENTRAIDE CENTER OF ARGENTEUIL - 171 MARY STREET, LACHUTE**

The Entraide Center provides needy families with grocery baskets every week to help combat malnourishment. Phone: 450 562-5151.

Our website also includes several telephone numbers of organizations and clubs. You can access them at www.cantondegore.qc.ca

