Quebec City & Sew Much More, Quilt Canada Toronto Quilt Tour 2025

June 11th – June 20th, 2025

Dating back to 1608, with its narrow cobblestone streets and stone buildings lined with bistros and boutiques, it is time to visit the romantic and historical city: Quebec City. Ride the Funicular joining the upper & lower town, with the famous Chateau Frontenac Hotel towering over the city. Along our route, we will visit quilt shops and finish the tour at Quilt Canada in Toronto.

\$ 3495 Cdn / \$2633 US per person double occupancy (includes all taxes) \$ 850 Cdn / \$650 US single supplement additional (includes all taxes)

Optional extra day offer: Stay another day at Quilt Canada. Included is 1-night hotel stay on June 20, 2025, with Breakfast & Show Entrance. (transportation not included) The price is \$175 Cdn / \$130 US for double occupancy and \$ 277 Cdn / \$210 US for single occupancy

Tour starts and ends in Toronto, Ontario.

* Land Package Tour Includes:

- 10 days 9 nights deluxe hotel accommodation double occupancy
- Welcome and Farewell Dinner
- All Breakfast Daily at your hotel
- Includes a total of 14 meals 10 breakfasts, 1 lunch & 3 dinners
- Visits to 6 fabulous quilt shops plus Quilt Canada Show
- Visit Canada's second oldest city Historical Quebec City
- Explore Upper Canada Village
- Have a guided tour and demonstration at Moulin a Laine D'Ulverton (Wool Mill)
- Enjoy a walking tour of Quebec City
- A free day exploring Quebec City
- Enjoy the spectacular view from the top of Montmorency Falls
- Discover the miracles of St. Anne de Beaupre Shrine
- A visit and lunch at the Sugar Shack
- Visit Montreal's Creative Botanical Gardens
- Explore the magical town of Perth
- Cruise the Thousand Islands on the Thousand Island Boat Cruise
- One day entrance to Quilt Canada classes not included

- Find new creative ideas at Quilt Canada spend the entire day
- All excursions as listed on the final itinerary
- Luxury coach transportation to all excursions
- Services of a Professional Tour Manager who will remain with the group for your entire tour

*Your Land Package Tour does not include:

- Airfare (We can book the flight for you)
- Transportation to & from the hotel
- Gratuities for the guides and bus driver.
- Some lunches and some dinners (unless indicated)
- Insurance coverage, Medical and/or cancellation
- Telephone calls, souvenirs, additional snacks or drinks
- Excess baggage costs (overweight and over-sized luggage may have additional costs levied by the airline)
- Single hotel supplement of \$850 Cdn / \$650 US

Itinerary*

Day 1 – Arrival Day The Excitement Starts - Bonjour!

(Wed) – Quilters from near and far will arrive at our meeting place. If you are flying or driving to join our tour, we have a room secured at the hotel for you that is included in our package.

Stay overnight in Toronto, Ontario

Day 2 – Let the fun begin!

(Thurs) – Today we hit the ground running. After breakfast, we will visit quilt shops on our way to beautiful and historical Quebec City with a lunch stop at the Big Apple. Once at our overnight destination, we will all meet in the evening for a welcome dinner. A great way to get to know our fellow quilt travelers.

Stay overnight in Morrisburg, Ontario Meal(s) – B, D

Day 3 – English & French Borders

(Fri) – This morning after a delicious breakfast, we will head to Upper Canda Village, one of the largest living-history sites in Canada. With over 40 buildings, the place will transport you back in time to before 1860. As we leave Ontario, we will stop for a quick lunch along the way. After crossing the Ontario-Quebec border, we will visit Moulin a Laine D'Ulverton. Dating from 1840, this wool mill is a heritage building containing architectural features specific to the wood and stone construction of that era. The mill comes back to life with the recreation of what it would have been like to work in a workshop where oils, sweat and hard manual labour would come together.

Stay overnight in Quebec City, Quebec Meal(s) – B

Day 4 – Historical and Beautiful Quebec City

(Sat) – Today is yours to discover. After a guided tour of the old city, you will have the rest of the day to explore, shop, and feast. Lots of picture-taking opportunities. Ride the funicular and remember to visit inside the Chateau Frontenac Hotel. Imagine how gorgeous and prestigious the people and the gowns would have been.

Stay overnight in Quebec City, Quebec Meal(s) – B

Day 5 – Montmorency Falls & St. Anne de Beaupre Shrine

(Sun) – A must-visit while in Quebec is to Montmorency Falls. A full 30 m (98.4') higher than Niagara Falls you can cross the suspended bridge to feel the power of the river as it thunders beneath you. After a spectacular view from the top looking over to lle d'Orleans and the St. Lawrence River, we will head to St. Anne de Beaupre Shrine. A special place for prayers and miracles. After our guided tour, we will then travel across to the island for lunch at the Sugar Shack (Le Relais des Pins - Cabane à sucre). A place where you can enjoy a traditional Quebec meal, trying maple ham, maple syrup, maple tea, and maple taffy. Delicious for any sweet tooth. After lunch, we will return to Quebec City, with more time for you to explore.

Stay overnight in Quebec City, Quebec Meal(s) – B, L

<u>Day 6 – Montreal Botanical Gardens</u>

(Mon) – Our day starts with a scenic drive from Quebec City to the Montreal Botanical Gardens stopping along the way for a quick break. Montreal Botanical Gardens is recognized as one of the world's finest and a true living museum. Founded in 1931, there are over 20 themed gardens. We will take our time to explore before heading to the quaint town of Perth for our next 2-night stay.

Stay overnight in Perth, Ontario

Meal(s) - B, D

Day 7 – A Day in Perth

(Tues) – There is so much to see and do in the beautiful town of Perth. There are even two quilt shops which we will have a chance to shop. One is in town and the other is just on the outside. The first place to check out is the museum and visitor centre where you can grab a map of the town and talk to some very proud and knowledgeable staff. There are lots of restaurants to choose from and be sure to see the tribute statue of Big Ben, the world champion show jumping horse that many thought was too big to fly. One of two horses to be inducted into Canada's Sports Hall of Fame. The day is yours with lots of free time to enjoy, explore, and relax.

Stay overnight in Perth, Ontario Meal(s) – B

Day 8 - Time to Cruise

(Wed) – Today we will enjoy our time on the water. We will cruise the beautiful area of the Thousand Islands, hear the spectacular love story of Boldt Castle, and see the smallest international bridge to name a few. Afterward, we will make a stop for lunch and should time permit a stop at a quilt shop before we continue to our hotel where we will rest up for our next busy day at Quilt Canada.

Stay overnight in Toronto, Ontario Meal(s) – B

<u>Day 9 – Quilt Canada – Toronto International Centre</u>

(Thurs) – Lots of excitement today as we visit Quilt Canada. This traveling show is the largest in Canada and we are sure you will find lots of goodies and ideas to create. You will have the entire day at the show to marvel at the construction of beautiful quilts, discuss the prize winners, and let us not forget about the marketplace. So much fun. We will end our day with a great farewell dinner. Never a goodbye but see you later, till next time or tour.

Stay overnight in Toronto, Ontario Meal(s) – B, D

Day 10 - Say Goodbye

(Fri) - After a fabulous 10 days, it will be time to share breakfast one last time before we leave to return home and tell others of our fun adventures. If you wish to stay another day at the show or continue taking classes (not included), we can secure you a room for an extra night (not included). Just let us know and we can make the room arrangement for you.

Meal(s) - B

Au Revoir Mes Amie

*Itinerary subject to change