

ST-PIERRE-JOLYS



SOLID LINE: TRANS CANADA TRAIL / CROW WING TRAIL IDENTIFIED BY BLUE SIGNS WITH WHITE ARROWS

DASHED LINE: LOOP TRAIL - NOT SIGNED

Access Point: A St-Pierre-Jolys Museum Parking Lot

Directions: PTH 59 South to St-Pierre-Jolys; follow Museum signs to Joubert Street

Length: 1.8 miles or 2.9 kms

Description: Starting at cairn, go towards Maison Goulet, follow dike, cross Hwy 59 and continue until dike ends. Go north (left) on Parenteau Rd, west (left) on Jolys Ave East, enter Carillon Park and follow path. Exit onto Hébert St., go west (right), cross PTH 59 at fountain and back to Access Point.

To See: Rock cairn, St-Pierre-Jolys Museum www.museestpierrejolys.ca; Village of St-Pierre-Jolys www.stpierrejolys.com

History: *Rock cairn commemorates the Crow Wing Trail

*The former Moïse Goulet house is a municipal heritage site. Mr. Goulet was a freighter on the Crow Wing Trail. He built the house in 1870.

*The Museum is a provincial heritage site. It is the former Convent of the Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary, and is open during the summer. Tours are especially available during Maple Sugar Festival in spring.

*Saint-Pierre was founded in 1877. Father Noel Ritcot of St-Norbert and the Métis wanted to claim this fertile land before the Canadian government sent their surveyors to claim the land.



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