



2024 - NOTICE TO SHIPPING #14

MAISONNEUVE REGION MONTREAL / LAKE ONTARIO SECTION

New Practice for Pleasure Craft Lockages

The Corporation is introducing a new schedule for pleasure craft in our South Shore and Beauharnois Canal locks. This new schedule offers greater predictability for pleasure crafts users, with passages through the locks at fixed times.

This approach aims to maintain a balance between commercial navigation and pleasure craft users, under the supervision of the operations center. It also reduces congestion at the locks caused by pleasure craft awaiting transit.

Lockage Season for Pleasure Crafts at Canadian Locks

The pleasure craft lockage season will begin on May 10 2024 at the Canadian Locks of the Montreal-Lake Ontario region as per the schedule below :

Pre-opening season : Friday, May 10, 2024 to Sunday, May 12, 2024
Official pleasure craft season : Friday, May 17, 2024 to Monday, October 14, 2024
Post-closing weekend : Friday, October 18, 2024 to Sunday, October 20, 2024

Traffic management will be based on locking pleasure craft within an hour of the set time. The new pleasure craft lockage times are as follows:

Saint-Lambert :	9 :00 (upbound)	18 :00 (downbound)
Côte Sainte-Catherine :	11 :00 (upbound)	16 :00 (downbound)
Lower Beauharnois (BOH3) :	15 :00 (upbound)	12 :00 (downbound)
Upper Beauharnois (BOH4) :	16 :00 (upbound)	11 :00 (downbound)

Your understanding and cooperation are greatly appreciated during the summer season.

May 7, 2024