Hotel de Glace and Riversmead B&B

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At Hudson's Riversmead B&B, the Valentine's package is offered all year.

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Hôtel de Glace, Station touristique Duchesnay near Ste. Catherine de la Jacques Cartier, is a three-hour drive from Montreal. Take Highway 40 east to Exit 295 and Route 367 north for 16 kilometres. Rooms start at \$189 per person double occupancy, including breakfast at Duchesnay, a welcome cocktail, bedding and access to sauna and hot tubs. It's \$189 plus \$50 per person, for a Theme Suite, or \$189 plus \$75 to \$175 per person, for suites with fireplaces and/or hot tub. Add \$50 per person Fridays and \$75 Saturdays. Details: 877-505-0423, 418-875-4522, www.hoteldeglace.qc.ca.

Riversmead B&B, 245 Main Rd. in Hudson, is a 40-minute drive from downtown Montreal. Take Highway 40 west to Exit 26. Room prices range from \$125 to \$140 for two, including breakfast. Valentine's Special: \$150 to \$165 for two, including drinks, chocolates. Details: 450-458-5053, www.bbcanada.com/9031.html.

Restaurant Le Maxime, 400 Main Rd. in Hudson. Lunch and dinner are served Tuesday to Saturday. The restaurant will be open for Valentine's dinner on Sunday, \$32 to \$45 per person. Details: 450-458-1371, www.restaurantlemaxime.com.

Planning a meaningful getaway for Valentine's Day is a tough task, but take heart in the many options.

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