



MUSÉE DU CHÂTEAU RAMEZAY MUSEUM

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The Governor's Garden Blossoms

New Historical Re-enactments in the Heart of Old Montreal

Montreal, May 9, 2007 – From June 1 to Thanksgiving Day, the Governor's Garden will be transformed into a theatre for new historical re-enactments and demonstrations. These activities are free to the public during the hours of operation at the Château Ramezay Museum. Characters in costume, like the executioner's wife, the governor's gardener and the king's soldier welcome visitors and accompany them through the Garden in a fun, interactive and educational voyage back in time.

On weekends, a program of special activities will complete this lasting experience. The Garden comes to life with the sound of traditional music, and visitors are invited to participate in arts and crafts workshops - making candles, soap, paper and much more.

Located throughout the garden, audio panels in six different languages are available for visitors to learn more about the members of the Ramezay family and the various elements of the Museum and Garden.

The terrace of the Café du Château is an ideal place for salads, sandwiches, desserts and beverages. Our catering service, supplied by the Claude Postel Group, is offered during the summer, from June until September.

Discover the Governor's Garden this summer, and enjoy the lively visit that takes you through a voyage in time in the heart of the historic neighbourhood of old Montreal, two steps from Jacques-Cartier Square and the Champ-de-Mars Métro station, across from City Hall.

A detailed program of our activities and hours of operation are on the Château Ramezay Museum's website, under the Garden page: www.chateauramezay.qc.ca.

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