

FICHE SIGNALÉTIQUE « M »

INTERNATIONAL APPALACHIAN TRAIL

Customer info for reservation

NAME *Ruisseau-des-Pitounes shelter*
Matane Wildlife Reserve

TOPO MAP: **Matane Wildlife Reserve**

OPERATION DATES: *June 24th to October 11th*

PLACES AVAILABLE:

1 4 walls shelter (lean-to) with 4 bunk beds, without mattress, which can accommodate 4 persons

2 platforms which can accommodate 2 tents of 2 persons (8 peoples max)

COST: **\$10 / tent, per night**

\$15 / night for a lean-to of 3.7m X 3.7m

LOCATION: *Matane Wildlife Reserve*

NEAREST ROAD ACCESS: *Reserve's road 1*

WALKING DISTANCE FROM THE NEAREST ROAD ACCESS: **4.4 km**

NEXT SECTION WEST: *John campground* DISTANCE: **13.3 km**

NEXT SECTION EAST: *Lac-Tombereau campground* DISTANCE: **13.6 km**

OTHER SERVICES: *Dry pit toilet, platforms, watering place, food-support*

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The campground includes 1 lean-to (4 walls shelter) of 3.7 m X 3.7 m which can accommodate 4, and 2 wood platforms of 3.7 m X 3.7 m which can accommodate 8 persons. 2 tents of 2 persons per platform. The tents must be installed on the platforms. There's also a dry pit toilet on the campsite. The maintenance is the user's responsibility.

A food support (anti-bear) is also on the campground. It is use to hang at 4 m from the ground the hiker's food, to keep the bears and other wild animals away.

You must bring your own tent, sleeping bag, mattress, camping stove (camping heater), matches, pocket lamp, plates and utensils, food, toilet paper, first aid kit.

There's a watering place near the campground. The water may not be drinkable: it's recommended to boiled water or even treated it with some product. It's allow to do fire only in the specific spots and only if the drought level is not too high. The hikers must record themselves at the beginning of the hike to obtain a visitor's permit for these places: John entrance of the Matane Wildlife Reserve and Islet entrance of the Cap-Chat ZEC.

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