



Nordik Spa-Nature Donates more than \$115,000 to the Quebec Cancer Foundation

Chelsea, September 20, 2016 – Nordik Spa-Nature is proud to have donated more than \$115,000 to the Quebec Cancer Foundation (FQC) over the last three years. The commitment has led to Nordik's recognition as an official FQC partner. Over the last three years, various large-scale events have been organized and actions have been taken to raise funds to support the Foundation, especially the Outaouais Regional Centre and Lodge, which receives more than 1000 visitors annually. As a result of its commitment, Nordik Spa-Nature has contributed in its own way to the well-being of people battling cancer, a disease that affects almost one in two people across Québec and which impacts daily life in many ways, including the well-being of their families.

Real action

Among the events organized by Nordik Spa-Nature, we wish to draw particular attention to: the golf tournaments, Aufguss contests during the Grand Défoulement for the FQC, garage sales, FQC days (during which \$5 were donated for each purchase of a thermal experience), and the famous masked ball in co-operation with event planner Orkestra-Events.

Additionally, with its desire to increasingly cooperate to improve the well-being of residents and users in the region requiring the services of FQC during their battles, Nordik Spa-Nature is offering access to the thermal experience, massage therapy treatments, and Källa treatments to resell them at advantageous prices and raise more donations.

"I would like to give my heartfelt thanks to Nordik Spa-Nature for its ongoing support over the past three years. Thanks to its generosity and its commitment, people living with cancer – not only in our region, but also in Québec as a whole – have been able to benefit from day-to-day services and support," emphasized Corinne Lorman, director of the Outaouais Regional Centre and Lodge of the Quebec Cancer Foundation.

Continuing commitments this Friday, September 23

Nordik Spa-Nature is continuing its commitment by taking the opportunity to promote its 2016 FQC Day, which will take place on Friday, September 23, from 9 a.m. to midnight. For each purchase of a thermal experience, Nordik Spa-Nature will donate \$5 to the FQC. Bring your friends and relax for the cause!

Nordik Spa-Nature would like to thank its partners, visitors, and employees for their co-operation in completing various projects that have allowed it to gather donations for this noble cause year-after-year. Thanks to them, we are able to provide a break in the storm.

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About the Quebec Cancer Foundation

For more than 35 years, the Quebec Cancer Foundation has carried out its mission to support Quebecers living with cancer and their families in their day-to-day lives by offering living environments and services to promote their well-being.

About Nordik Spa-Nature:

Located just outside Gatineau Park, only 10 minutes from downtown Ottawa, Nordik Spa-Nature is the largest spa in North America. Open since July 2005 in the village of Chelsea, Québec, the spa today employs over 170 people, all of whom are dedicated to providing guests with an exceptional experience. To date, over \$16 million have been invested in the spa to create a wide range of relaxation facilities: 7 exterior baths, 8 unique saunas, a salt-water floating pool, an infinity pool, numerous interior and exterior relaxation areas, and a restaurant and lounge.

Over the years, Nordik Spa-Nature has won numerous awards: *Innovator of the year* at the 2013 Ottawa Tourism Awards, *Tourist Attraction of more than 100 000 visitors of the year* and People's Choice Award at the Grands Prix du tourisme de l'Outaouais, *Best Nordic Spa in Canada* at the 2013 SpAWARDS, *Innovator of the year* at the 2012 Canadian Tourism Awards and the spa was also recognized in 2012 as one of the 9 greatest tourist attractions in Canada by WHERE Magazine.