

Thursday March 10th Tour.

There were not too many takers for last Thursday's tour but Judy Lazarus, Murray Moss, Sorel and I set off down the Corridor from the church at Montfort. The weather was mild, a tad above zero and it was snowing heavily. Murray and I elected to ski up the post, while Judy and Sorel continued down the Corridor. I must say that I have never seen this trail in such beautiful condition. We usually ski it early in the season when it's a rough stream bed. We were eagerly anticipating a speedy schuss down the Promenade when PFFTT we narrowly avoided an abandoned Morin Heights groomer blocking the trail. Worse was to come a few metres farther down where we discovered that the packing of the trail had been abandoned, forcing us to slog through 25 cms of heavy snow.

When we reached the Corridor Judy was waiting for us but Sorel had continued towards M-H. It was still snowing steadily, and no one had brought a camera to record our participation. We noted that during our two hour ski, we did not meet a single other skier. We all got to the XC office where we had left one car, and immediately repaired to the newly relocated and re-opened O'Petit restaurant, where a delicious repast was had.

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