

Viking Monday Tour Report for March 22, 2021

Val-Morin on the Chasse Galerie trail

Another gorgeous day, it's almost getting boring. Today we were blessed with perfect corn snow; fast, and soft on the surface. We started off from Richard's cottage in Val-Morin on the Chasse Galerie trail at the northern tip of the MH back country trail network. The drawback here was that the trail with access to ch de Val Royal had been walked on and the foot holes were 20/25cms deep, not enough to bother us on the flat or climbing but a bit scary on the downhills, although no one was tumbled. When we got to Lovers Leap trail we went west to the Rapide Blanc where we met Henry Nesvadba, Viking member and occasional tourer who lives on Lac Gustave. We then went back on the LL to the Chasse Galerie and back to the L'Heureux cottage. The distance covered was less than 5kms but these are difficult trails, and it took almost 2 ½ hours.

Kind regards,

Gordon

