



# Les nouvelles du PDQ33

Dear citizens,  
Dear partners,

In this time of festivities, there are many opportunities to celebrate with our families and friends.

To ensure that everyone can enjoy these priceless moments with their loved ones, our 6th newsletter includes some tips to encourage responsible behaviors.

Happy holidays!

Commander Joanne Matte



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## PARTNER SURVEY

In November, the PDQ33 asked through an online survey Parc-Extension partners about their security concerns in the sector.

Road safety and incivility in public spaces are the two main issues raised by our partners.

We would like to thank the 27 participants who contributed to identify the main focus in our 2019 action plan.

## WHAT WOULD BE YOUR CHOICE?

On december 10, Barthélemy-Vimont elementary school received the Parminou theater company and its play ***Ou ça?*** created with the SPVM support.

For 9 to 12 year olds, the play deal with the choices to be made and the possible consequences: legality or illegality, truth or lies, love or violence, etc. Important choices to make especially during the transition from elementary to secondary.

## HALLOWEEN 2018

For Halloween, our two socio-community officers met 1500 elementary students to remind them few important safety tips that should be observed to ensure the night runs smoothly. It was also the occasion to give them treats and reflective tapes.

## LEGALIZATION OF CANNABIS

Cannabis regulation in Québec is defined in the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions.

The main measures concerning it are, in particular:

- cannabis possession;
- cannabis cultivation;
- cannabis use;
- road safety.

For more information: <https://encadrementcannabis.gouv.qc.ca/>

## TIPS!

### FOR WINTER DRIVING SAFETY...



Keep a safe distance between your vehicle and the one in front of you, leaving a distance of at least two seconds.



Reduce your speed and signal your intentions early on.



Before taking to the road, for your safety and for others, make sure to remove the snow from your vehicle.



From **December 15th to March 15th**, taxis and passenger vehicles registered in Québec must have four tires specifically designed for winter driving.

### FOR COURTESY ON THE ROAD...



- Before turning at a green light, stop and yield passage to pedestrians crossing the road;
- Stop your vehicle before the intersection's stop line;
- At designated crossing areas, stop your vehicle to allow pedestrians to cross;
- Use your headlights at all times to see well and be seen by other road users.



- Make sure you are seen by drivers before crossing a street;
- Cross at the intersection or at the nearest pedestrian crossing;
- Respect pedestrian lights installed at intersections and, if there are none, follow the traffic lights;
- For more protection, remain on the sidewalk while waiting to cross;
- Wear clothing with bright colors or reflective bands to be more visible.

For holiday season, police officers from the neighbourhood police stations 33 will sets up more roadside checks to reduce the number of motorists driving under the influence of alcohol and drugs.



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