Ready for a breath of fresh air? Why not hop on your bicycle and tour the quiet streets and fields of Saint-Jean-Baptiste? Set your sights on either mountain adjacent to the municipality, which has the unique fortune of bordering on two Monteregian Hills. This bicycle route will give you a whole new perspective on the Mont Saint-Hilaire Biosphere Reserve.

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6. **RANG DU CORDON ORCHARDS**
   - Rang du Cordon
   - Saint-Jean-Baptiste (Quebec)
1 ÉGLISE DE SAINT-JEAN-BAPTISTE
Saint-Jean-Baptiste Church has one of Quebec’s most beautiful painted interiors. Traditionally ornamented with sculpture, this church’s décor is masterfully painted instead. The work’s relief and realism are the result of François-Édouard Meloche’s wonderful interplay of light and shadow and “trompe l’oeil” technique.

2 PORCELAINES BOUSQUET
At the Porcelaines Bousquet Economuseum, visitors learn how Limoges-style porcelain is made. The clay, dug up from the earth, is found throughout the area, and history tells us that its presence here in the Richelieu Valley gave birth to a substantial pottery industry located mainly along the river’s banks. Through her devotion to her craft, Mrs. Bousquet is a living link between the past and the present, the traditional and the modern.

3 ÉQUITATION CHEZ FRANCE
If you have a little time to spare, why not go for a ride and let your horse show you the bucolic countryside around Saint-Jean-Baptiste and natural scenery surrounding Mont Saint-Hilaire?

4 JARDINS BÉTHEL
Fernand and Esméralda Berner are renowned throughout the region for the quality and variety of their organic herbs and produce. Their pesticide-free approach is an eloquent example of how agriculture and nature can coexist in harmony. With passion and patience, they succeed in producing quality products while maintaining a respect for the Earth.

5 FERME MES PETITS CAPRICES
Tucked away off a quiet back road, Mes Petits Caprices farm is helping to put a new face on the Saint-Jean-Baptiste countryside. Goats gambol and graze on the fresh grass that gives their milk its unique flavour and makes the farm’s goat cheese so delectable. If you have a sweet tooth, you can pick up some honey and blueberries (in season). Before getting on your way, take a few minutes to admire the view of the mountain from this side.

6 LES VERGERS DU RANG DU CORDON
Variety is the hallmark of the Rang du Cordon orchards. Whether in a glass or still on the tree, apples are always on the menu. While some orchards put on educational activities that cultivate your brains and imagination, others simply offer a taste of homemade products or let you pick your own apples. You’re sure to find something to your taste! When you’re ready to continue your tour and turn onto chemin Bédard, you’ll have a chance to see farmers’ fields up close and discover Saint-Jean-Baptiste’s agricultural side.