



Dear Patron,

You are receiving this email as you had indicated that you were interested in being sent information about upcoming events available through the Centre Box Office. If you see something you like, just click on the link for that show to get more details or to order tickets. You can also contact the Centre Box Office in person (Monday - Friday, 9:30am-9:00pm, Saturday & Sunday, 9:30am-5:00pm and open one hour before performances) at 9201 Corbould Street, Chilliwack, BC, V2P 4A6, by phone at 604.391.SHOW(7469), or online at www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca We look forward to seeing you at the next show for some fantastic entertainment!

Happy New Year
from the Chilliwack Cultural Centre
Make 2016 your year of creativity at The Centre!

Remember that for a limited time the CPASS is still available – don't miss the opportunity to experience the very best of Chilliwack's arts and culture events with this incredible deal!

CPASS – the ultimate way to experience the arts in Chilliwack! The **CPASS** – the Chilliwack Performing Arts Sampler Series - is a spectacular way to take advantage of all the live entertainment happening on Chilliwack stages in the coming months. For \$99, patrons will receive 10 separate vouchers that can be redeemed for tickets to shows with nine of Chilliwack's Arts & Culture organizations, creating a choose-your-own experience format through which you can decide which shows you want to see! More information is available on the CPASS website [here](#).

Upcoming Events

Chilliwack School of Performing Arts (C.S.O.P.A) presents

MARY POPPINS

One of the most popular Disney movies of all time is capturing hearts in a whole new way: as a practically perfect musical! This high-flying, magical musical adventure touches down in Chilliwack January 2016 at the Chilliwack Cultural Centre.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

Preview Show: January 13 & 14, 2016 7:30pm

Preview Show Tickets: \$9.75

January 15, 16, 21, 22 & 23, 2016 7:30pm

January 16, 17, 23 & 24, 2016 2:00pm

Tickets: Adult \$22, Senior/Student \$16

[BUY TICKETS](#)

The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

SHAWN FARQUHAR'S CABARET OF WONDERS - THREE

The electrifyingly entertaining and hugely successful *Shawn Farquhar's Cabaret of Wonders* will continue into 2016 – with this third edition of a night of wonder and delight! These evenings bring a variety of diverse magicians into the spotlight alongside world-renowned and two-time world champion of magic **Shawn Farquhar**, celebrating the unparalleled excitement and entertainment of live magic. You'll be awed as illusionists conjure their original works before your eyes, offering an up-close-and-personal perspective of magic rarely seen on stages and that becomes even more astounding in the intimate cabaret style of these shows. Prepare to kick back, settle down with a drink, and witness the magic of *Shawn Farquhar's Cabaret of Wonders!*

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

Friday, January 22, 2016 7:30pm

Tickets: \$20

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

THE CENTRE ROCKS

Local musical talent electrifies the stage in the brand new series ***The Centre Rocks***. The **Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society** has teamed up with multi-media production company **Tractorgrease** to bring the community exciting new rock concerts in the Rotary Hall Studio Theatre throughout the year.

Bands to be announced.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to experience incredible local bands at The Centre! Join the crowd in the perfect intimate setting to experience a concert and come dance to the fantastic talent that we have right here in our own backyard.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

Saturday, January 23, 2016 7:30pm

Preview Show Tickets: \$8

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

SEEDS

A powerful, brilliant piece of theatre that is both intellectual and emotional.

A dramatic and thought-provoking depiction of one Canadian farmer's battle with corporate greed, ***Seeds*** documents the story of Percy Schmeiser, the Saskatchewan man that took on Monsanto in one of the most controversial legal cases in recent memory. Based on trial transcripts and interviews with farmers, academics, and scientists, ***Seeds*** is a thrilling and stirring exploration of the facts and events that are at the centre of the debate about modern agriculture, GMO concerns, and the clashes between independent farmers and the biotech industry. Shedding light on the individuals at the heart of these issues, ***Seeds*** merges crucial topics of our time with dramatic storytelling in an award-winning production that boldly and importantly confronts Schmeiser's question of 'who owns life?'

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 7:30pm

Tickets: Adult \$35, Senior \$32, Student \$30

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

FRASER VALLEY DISTILLERY FESTIVAL

The Fraser Valley Distillery Festival is a tasting event, featuring some of the best Craft and Micro Distilleries in BC. Featuring craft vodkas, gins, single malt whiskeys, fruit liqueurs, flavour liqueurs and more. All the distilleries are BC owned and operated, and make small batch spirits from locally sourced ingredients.

Event is 19+ only, and ticket holders must provide proof of age to enter.

Admission includes samples, food, entertainment and more. You can sample any of the available drinks, and even purchase your favourites in the on-site liquor store provided by Sardis Liquor.

The event is a fundraiser for **The Chilliwack Academy of Music**. The Academy is a non-profit music school a member of the BC Association of Community Music Schools, and a registered charitable organization. All of the proceeds of the event go to raise funds to support music education in your community.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre

Friday, January 29, 2016 7:00 – 10:00pm

Tickets: \$45

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

SUDDENLY MOMMY!

A hysterical glimpse into the surprises of motherhood!

For a side-splitting show baring the joys and wonders of motherhood, join Anne Marie Scheffler on a hysterical journey that every parent will be able to relate to in ***Suddenly Mommy!*** From hot dates to play dates and experiencing the ups and downs of the rollicking rollercoaster of being a mom, ***Suddenly Mommy*** covers it all with tongue-in-cheek wit and the kind of hilarious realism that only comes with trying to juggle a baby in one hand and a movie script in the other. An uproariously entertaining and fantastically fun take on the sudden surprises of parenthood (because let's face it, it's always a surprise!) ***Suddenly Mommy*** tackles all the thrills, fears, and unexpected shocks of becoming a mother with heart-on-sleeve honesty, deadpan delivery... and maybe a martini or two!

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

Saturday, January 30 & Sunday, January 31, 2016 7:30pm

Tickets: \$25

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ALSO AT THE CENTRE BOX OFFICE:

[Sleeping Beauty](#) – February 11, 2016

[Shawn Farquhar's Cabaret of Wonders Four](#) – February 12, 2016

[The Centre Rocks](#) – February 13, 2016

[No Tweed Too Tight](#) – February 19 & 20, 2016

[The Three Musketeers](#) – February 21, 2016

[Sarah Hagen with Nicolo Eugelmi](#) – February 26, 2016

[An Intimate Evening with Jim Byrnes](#) **SOLD OUT!** – February 26, 2016

[The Comic Strippers](#) – February 27, 2016

[The Lonely – a tribute to Roy Orbison](#) – March 2, 2016

[A Closer Walk with Patsy Cline](#) – March 7, 2016

[I am Woman – Hear me Laff!](#) – March 8, 2016

[The Centre Rocks Four](#) – March 12, 2016

[Carmen](#) – March 12, 2016

[The Middle of Everywhere](#) – March 13, 2016

[The Mystery of the Hungry Heart Motel](#) – March 15 & 16, 2016

[Trevor & Lorena Comedy Magic Show](#) – March 19, 2016

[Simon Fraser University Pipe Band](#) – March 20, 2016

[The Best of the Vancouver International Mountain Film Festival](#) – March 26, 2016

[Timber!](#) – April 7, 2016

[Voices](#) – April 9, 2016

[The Nylons](#) – April 10, 2016

[John McDermott – Traditionally Yours](#) – April 14, 2016

[Sarah Hagen with special guests The Bergmann Duo](#) – April 15, 2016

[Jump!](#) – April 15, 2016

[Gypsy](#) – April 21 – 30, 2016

[Chilliwack's Art of Wine Festival](#) – May 14, 2016

[A Piano Extravaganza](#) – May 21, 2016

[A Journey of Healing](#) – May 28, 2016

Chilliwack Art Gallery

Chilliwack Visual Artists Association presents

Nature Reimagined: Form & Place

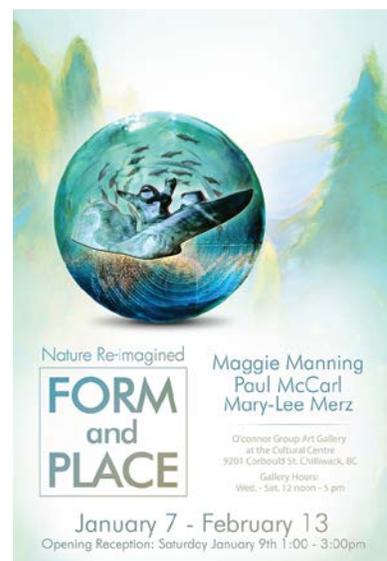
Maggie Manning, Paul McCarl and Mary-Lee Merz “re-imagine” the natural world through sculpture, painting and printmaking.

For Maggie Manning, painting provides a vehicle to explore the movement, composition, balance and light in the living landscape; with each new investigation, another secret is revealed. Perhaps, through the act of painting, it is the artist who is “re-imagined” by receiving gifts.

Paul McCarl’s creative inspiration is directly related to his experience of the outdoors. Exploring the environment he finds boulders that excite his imagination. The inner heart of the stone is “re-imagined” as Paul carves and sculpts the stone to reveal images of West Coast Wildlife.

The observation of movement and patterns in nature informs the watercolours and print making of Mary-Lee Merz. Using this information she explores possibilities, which result in natural forms being “re-imagined”

O'Connor Art Gallery, Chilliwack Cultural Centre
Exhibition runs January 7 – February 13, 2016.



Opening Reception: Saturday, January 9, 2016, 1:00-3:00pm



NEW 2016 CLASSES NOW ON SALE!

10% Discount for Advance Registration!*

With a huge range of arts and crafts classes including pottery, painting and drawing, crafts and more, there really is something for everybody at the Centre Check our [website](#) for full details on even more upcoming classes!

* Register more than four weeks in advance of class start date to receive a 10% discount on course fees.

ASK ABOUT OUR PRIVATE CLASSES!

If you're interested in a particular topic or art form, we can arrange a time for you to sit down one-on-one with an instructor to get personalized instruction. We can also organize private classes for you and a group of friends for the ultimate crafting club experience!

Continuing Open Studios

CLAY OPEN STUDIO

Mondays: 6:00 – 9:00pm

Fridays: 10:00am – 1:00pm

Drop in \$6 or 10 Session Punch Card for \$50

LIFE DRAWING OPEN STUDIO

Saturdays: 10:00am – 12:30pm (Resuming January 9, 2016)

Wednesdays: 6:30 - 9:00pm (Resuming January 6, 2016)

Drop in \$12, \$40 monthly subscription, or 5 Session Punch Card for \$55

GLASS OPEN STUDIO

Mondays: 6:00 – 9:00pm

Drop in \$9 or 10 Session Punch Card for \$80

Classes Beginning in January 2016...

[Magic Mud \(Kids\)](#) – January 25, 2016

[Theatre Peeps \(Kids\)](#) – January 25, 2016

[Melt and Pour Soap \(Adult\)](#) – January 25, 2016

[Stop Motion \(Kids\)](#) – January 26, 2016

[Glass Beads Level 1 \(Adult\)](#) – January 26, 2016

[Acting for Film & TV](#) – January 26, 2016

[Drawing Light and Shade](#) – January 27, 2016

[Splash Watercolour](#) – January 28, 2016

[Art Safari \(Kids\)](#) – January 28, 2016

[Handicraft-a-Rama](#) – January 28, 2016

[Clay Creators: Handbuilding](#) – January 30, 2016

[Intro to Comic Book Illustration](#) – January 30, 2016

[Cards from the Heart](#) – January 30, 2016

[Beginner Photography](#) – January 30, 2016

[Clay Creators: Wheel](#) – January 30, 2016

[Glass Dots](#) – January 31, 2016



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On the night of your show, you simply present your ticket prior to ordering and receive your discount of special!

Restaurants involved in this fantastic offer include:

BOZZINI'S, CORKY'S, DECADES, KURO, ORIGINAL JOE'S, PRESTONS, SOCIETY GATHERING HOUSE, SWISS CHALET, VITA BELLA, AND WOO MAI.

For more details go to our website:

www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca

Want to know more? To find out more details on upcoming events, venue rentals, series subscriptions, and more, check out www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca or call the Centre Box Office at 604.391.SHOW(7469).

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AND FINALLY...a note about scents

Some patrons have allergies or sensitivities to scented products. Please consider this when attending events. Your respect is appreciated.

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