



EVENTS SPOTLIGHT

The latest and greatest events at the Chilliwack Cultural Centre!

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!

Monday-Friday: 9:30am-9:00pm / Saturday & Sunday: 9:30pm-5:00pm

Upcoming Events

SPECIAL EARLY BIRD OFFER!

\$5 OFF REGULAR TICKET PRICE *April 3 to April 30*

The Original Legends of RocknRoll presents

AN EVENING WITH THE RAT PACK

The legendary Rat Pack lived and died the high life of booze, broads, and bright lights, always projecting a sense of detachment and serenity. Through it all, they always remained just outside the radar of understanding... the most distant stars in the firmament. Dean Martin's biographer (Nick Tosches) once noted very appropriately, these guys are what the Italians call a menefreghista... "one who simply doesn't give a damn".

Don't miss this fun-filled evening of good music, good fun, and tom-foolery portrayed exactly like the originators did so many years ago on the Las Vegas strip.

MORE INFO

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

October 8, 2017 – 7:00pm

Tickets: Early Bird Discount \$49 / Regular Price \$54

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Chilliwack Division of Family Practice presents

MINI MED SCHOOL: NUTRITION: WHAT'S HEALTHY AND WHAT'S NOT?

Free Information Session.

Talk to local doctors and other health professionals on important medical topics. Join us for our 9th annual Mini Med School. An evening series of informal discussions and quite possibly life-altering learning.

Light refreshments and snacks will be served.

Registration not required. But encouraged.

www.minimedschoolchilliwack.eventbrite.ca

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

March 28, 2017 – 7:00 to 9:00pm

Tickets: Free Admission

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

GLORY

A mix of martial-arts and contemporary dance!

Inspired by the epic battles of childhood and a passion for action films, Glory examines the complexities of violent behaviour and its glorification in our media-drenched culture. Through a cinematic lens, with first-person video material, Glory takes the audience through multiple images and expressions on the amplification of experience and violence in society. A company of six bold and dynamic performers

create a physical essay around numerous themes of glorification. Creating rich and dark imagery through visceral and impactful choreography, Glory pushes the audience to question the purpose and reasoning of violent material in society.

Glory is generously sponsored by The Chilliwack Progress, Best Western, the British Columbia Arts Council, the Government of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, and the City of Chilliwack.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

April 4, 2017 – 7:30pm

Tickets: Adult \$30 / Senior \$27 / Youth \$25

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

CAMPGROUND: A MURDER MYSTERY IN THE WOODS

Warning: Flashlights, Facebook, Didgeridoo

Was it the hipster on the wharf with a bag of stale gluten-free buns? Or the redneck on the beach with the out-of-control jet ski? When a young man goes missing, an overzealous and somewhat inexperienced police officer must use clues from iPhone videos and Facebook posts to piece together what might have happened over one crazy weekend in the world within a world that is Campground – A Murder Mystery in the Woods (with songs!)! Was there foul play? More importantly, did anyone remember toilet paper? Featuring original songs, video and Lucas Myers unique brand of observational humor and brilliant character work, Campground – A Murder Mystery in the Woods (with songs!) is a hilarious theatrical experience not to be missed!

Contains adult material and situations- may not be appropriate for all audiences.

Campground: A Murder Mystery In The Woods is generously sponsored by Myriad, The Royal Hotel, Prime Signs, the British Columbia Arts Council, The Chilliwack Progress, the Government of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, and the City of Chilliwack.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

April 7 & 8, 2017 – 7:30pm

Tickets: All seats \$25

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Livenation.com presents

AN EVENING WITH CITY AND COLOUR (SOLO)

(Sold Out)

City and Colour, acclaimed singer, songwriter and performer Dallas Green, has announced an extensive Canadian tour for 2017. "An Evening with City and Colour - Solo" tour kicks off in Courtenay, BC on April 1 and wraps up in Corner Brook, NL on May 16.

City and Colour has partnered with Plus 1 so that \$1 from every ticket will go to support MusiCounts and putting musical instruments into the hands of kids who need them most.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

April 8, 2017 – 8:00pm

Tickets: \$57.50

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

CAPTAIN FUTURE SAVES THE WORLD

What happens when the imaginations/minds of the future are threatened by the brain numbing, highly addictive, social networking apps of the ominous conglomerate/evil Genius Dr. SamGoogAppleSoftSung-Mart? Captain Future Happens! With his trusty ukulele, Myron, and his slightly less trustworthy time machine, the Timeswozzler 8000, Captain Future takes the audience back through time to bring the history of our imaginations vibrantly alive, using songs, raps, puppets, and interactive performance. Will his hijinks succeed? Find out in Captain Future Saves the World!

Captain Future Saves The World is generously sponsored by Tim Hortons, KPMG Chilliwack, Emil Anderson Maintenance Co Ltd, The Royal Hotel, the British Columbia Arts Council, the Chilliwack Progress, the Government of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, and the City of Chilliwack.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

April 9, 2017 – 2:00pm

Tickets: All Seats \$10

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

FREUD'S LAST SESSION

An imaginary meeting of two of the 20th century's greatest academics.

Filled with humanity, humor, and razor-sharp dialogue, Freud's Last Session imagines the meeting of two of the 20th century's greatest academics. On the brink of war in Europe, author and former atheist C.S. Lewis visits the London home of Dr. Sigmund Freud. Lewis's recent embrace of Christianity stands in stark contrast to Dr. Freud, whose beliefs are influenced by his life's work in science. Amidst evacuations and air raid sirens these two legendary scholars debate religion, sex, love, the existence of God, and the meaning of life itself.

Freud's Last Session is generously sponsored by the Chilliwack Players Guild, The Chilliwack Progress, Columbia Arts Council, the Government of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, and the City of Chilliwack.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

April 19 & 20, 2017 – 7:30pm

Tickets: Adult \$25 / Senior \$22 / Youth \$20

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Players Guild presents

JITTERS

"David French's comedic masterpiece..."

An Ambitious work by a young playwright nears its final rehearsal. Unfortunately the cast features an actress and leading man who can't stand each other, a character actor who can't remember his lines, and a young actor who shows up soused! Throw in a tyrannical stage manager, an eager young director and the novice playwright, and whatever can go wrong does. But the show, despite all, goes on...

A warm-hearted, lively and truly hilarious look at the backstage machinations of a theatre group.

Friday April 21 - Opening night Gala, meet the cast after the show and light refreshments.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, HUB International Theatre

April 20 (Preview Night), 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 2017 – 7:30pm

April 23, 2017 – 2:00pm

Tickets: Adult \$25 / Senior \$20 / Youth \$20

Preview Night 2 for \$25

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

SHAWN FARQUHAR'S CABARET OF WONDERS VIII

Join an extraordinary gathering of magicians!

Settle in for a night of wonder and delight as legendary magician Shawn Farquhar hosts his Cabaret of Wonders. This intimate evening brings a vibrant variety of magicians to the stage, from world-renowned performers to local talent. This casual cabaret setting is the best way to experience innovative acts, illusions, and more in a fantastical display of never-before-seen works and magical standards! Whether you're a magic enthusiast or have dreams of bringing your own illusions to stage, this casual community gathering of magicians is a chance to see magic behind the scenes – and get up close and personal with the most talented performers from British Columbia and beyond.

Joining Shawn...

Axel Hecklau

Keith Fields

Shawn Farquhar's Cabaret of Wonders VIII is generously sponsored by Mertin Auto Group, Kyle Hislop Royal LePage, Bathe, The Chilliwack Progress, the British Columbia Arts Council, the Government of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, and the City of Chilliwack.

[MORE INFO](#)

Chilliwack Cultural Centre, Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

April 21, 2017 – 7:30pm & 10:00pm

Tickets: All Seats \$20

[BUY TICKETS](#)

ALSO AT THE CENTRE BOX OFFICE:

[RON JAMES... Pedal to the Metal!](#) (Chilliwack) – May 4, 2017

[RON JAMES... Pedal to the Metal!](#) (Abbotsford) – May 5, 2017

[Munsch Upon a Time](#) – May 7, 2017

[Chilliwack's Art of Wine Festival](#) – May 13, 2017
[Alice in Wonderland Jr.](#) – May 16, 17 & 20, 2017
[Dear Edwina Jr.](#) – May 16, 17, & 20, 2017
[Hello Shakespeare/Act With Scene](#) – May 16, 19 & 20, 2017
[The Secret Garden](#) – May 17, 18 & 20, 2017
[Shake with a Zombie](#) – May 18, 19, 20, 2017
[Unity 1918](#) – May 18, 19 & 20, 2017
[Disney's Beauty and The Beast](#) – May 25-27, 2017
[Night in Vienna](#) – May 28, 2017
[Whitney! Rod! Tina! Roy! – A Tribute](#) – June 1, 2017
[Lunch At Allen's](#) – June 21, 2017
[British Pub Nights](#) – July 6 - 15, 2017
[An Evening with Arlene Dickinson](#) – September 16, 2017
An Evening with The Rat Pack – October 8, 2017
[A Tribute to Elvis In Concert](#) – October 14, 2017

Chilliwack Art Gallery

The 2017 Fraser Valley Regional Biennale

The 2017 Fraser Valley Regional Biennale is adjudicated and coordinated by a guest curator appointed by the Reach Gallery and Museum. The overall project is in partnership with the Abbotsford Arts Council, the Mission Arts Council and the Chilliwack Visual Artists Association.

The Biennale presents a wide range of artwork created over the past two years by emerging and professional artists throughout the Fraser Valley. This is a unique opportunity and an honour for the CVAA to have been invited to participate.

O'Connor Group Art Gallery – April 6 to May 13, 2017

Free and open to the public.

Gallery Hours: Wednesday – Saturday, 12:00-5:00pm

Opening Reception: April 8, 2017 at 6:00 – 8:00pm



Check our website for details.

www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca/classes

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!

2017 ART CLASSES

WIRE LEVEL 2: COILING WIRE (adult)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor: Alicia Champ

Saturday: 1:00-4:00pm (workshop)

April 1, 2017

Coiling wire is a great way to add visual interest to your jewellery designs. Alicia Champ will take you through the 3 stages of coiling from beginner to advanced, and create this fun and artistic necklace design.

Cost: \$53

[Register](#)

AMAZING MAGIC (ages 8-12)

Performance Studio • Instructor: Ray Bertrand and Steve Dickson

Tuesdays: 7:00-8:00pm (6 sessions)

April 4 – May 9, 2017

Want to be a hit at your next family gathering?

Come learn some sleight-of-hand magic from Fraser Valley Magic Circle and International Brotherhood of Magicians members Ray Bertrand and Steve Dickson! Together they will share some secrets while taking you through demonstrations, explanations and learning techniques that will make your friends say “WOW! How did you do that?”

Cost: \$80

[Register](#)

UPCYCLE YOUR DUSTY GEMS (adult)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor: Carla Swope

Saturday: 1:00 – 4:00pm (workshop)

April 8, 2017

Do you have beads or a pendant collecting dust in a drawer? Looking to give them a new or updated style?

Breathe new life into old or broken strands of beads or jewellery to make a pair of earrings and necklace. There will be some guidelines to make the new jewellery, but room to be creative with a variety of items to choose from in the class. If you have a piece you'd like to upcycle, bring it along! Get inspiration through this class and leave with skills that will let you work on your own items in the future.

Cost: \$50

[Register](#)

WIRE LEVEL 2: FORM & FORGE (adult)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor: Alicia Champ

Tuesday: 6:00 – 8:00pm (workshop)

April 11, 2017

Twist wire into unique shapes and use a hammer and anvil to forge the design into something completely unique.

Students interested in moving into silverwork will appreciate this great way to refine your wire skills. Design and then forge wire into adjustable wire rings, and then take the skills you've learned and transfer it to bracelets, earrings, and pendants.

Cost: \$40

[Register](#)

PRACTICAL PHOTOGRAPHY: UNDERSTANDING COMPOSITION (adult)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor: Vickie Legere

Saturday: 1:00 – 4:00pm (workshop)

April 22, 2017

Learn to organize the key elements of your picture to get the most out of the moment!

What distinguished a memorable photo from a random picture? It's all about composition – what goes in your photo is the story, make it a good one! Learn to compose a photo, get some practice putting a shot together, and get same-day feedback from instructor, Vickie Legere.

Cost: \$35

[Register](#)

PUNCH A PERSONALIZED PENDANT! (adult)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor: Alicia Champ

Saturday: 6:00 – 8:00pm (workshop)

April 22, 2017

Celebrate Earth Day at the Centre!

Metal cookie boxes get new life as personalized jewelry in this Earth Day workshop with Alicia Champ. Punch out a pendant, then give it your own personal touch with a loved one's name or words to live by.

Cost: \$40

[Register](#)

ANIME IN ACTION (kids)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor:

Monday: 4:30 – 5:30pm (6 sessions)

April 24-June 5, 2017

Take your first steps into learning this increasingly popular style of illustration!

The basics of anime are introduced, then progress into full-colour illustrations. Learn how to use simple shapes and guidelines to create an expressive character. Explore inspiring options for hair, eye, and costume design, as well as how to render various facial expressions. Bring your characters to life with bold inking, vibrant markers, and expert tips from our instructor.

Cost: \$77

[Register](#)

HANDBUILDING 4: GARDEN PARTY (adult)

Clay Studio • Instructor: Sarah Belley

Wednesdays: 6:00 – 8:30pm (4 sessions, over 5 weeks)

April 26-May 24, 2017

A new year and the opportunity to create is in the air! Registration for each class includes one free drop-in for the Clay Open Studio on Monday nights or Friday mornings.

Get out the patio decorations – or better yet, make them yourself! In the theme of outdoor entertaining, make pieces to decorate your table as well as to serve on. You will also have a chance to make a stunning lit centerpiece!

Cost: \$145

[Register](#)

CREATE A CABOCHON! (adult)

Painting & Drawing Studio • Instructor: Alicia Champ

Saturday: 1:00 – 4:00pm (workshop)

April 29, 2017

Create a unique focus piece for a necklace or ring with glass.

A cabochon is usually a gemstone which has been shaped and polished as opposed to faceted, which results in a smooth glassy surface with a flat back. Use glass to create a kaleidoscope of colour or a solid beautiful jewel tone. Registration for this class also includes a Glass Open Studio drop-in voucher.

Cost: \$50

[Register](#)

ALSO AT THE CENTRE BOX OFFICE:

[Glass Beads Level One](#) – May 2 – May 23, 2017

[Watercolour Portraiture](#) – May 3 – June 7, 2017

[Wheel a la Carte 4 – Fanciful Teapots](#) – May 11 – June 8, 2017

[Nature Photography](#) – May 13, 2017

[Wrapping Cabochon Pendants](#) – June 3, 2017

[Travel Photography](#) – June 10, 2017

Continuing Open Studios

Clay Open Studio:

Sundays: 1:00 to 4:00pm

Fridays: 10:00am – 1:00pm

Mondays: 6:00 – 9:00pm

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

Glass Open Studio:

Mondays: 6:00 – 9:00pm

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

Life Drawing Open Studio:

Wednesdays: 6:30 – 9:00pm

Thursdays: 6:30 – 9:00pm

Drop in \$12, or a Monthly Subscription for \$40,
or a 5 Session Punch Card for \$55

Handicraft-a-rama Open Studio:

April 26, May 31, 2017

6:30 to 8:30pm

No Charge!



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

Restaurants involved in this fantastic offer include:

BOZZINI'S, CORKY'S, DECADES, PRESTONS, 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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While we take many precautions to ensure the accuracy of the Centre Box Office Newsletter, occasionally errors or omissions appear. Ticket holders are encouraged to double-check dates and times on their tickets. Information on the Tickets always supersedes email listings. Should there be a discrepancy between the cost, date, time, or venue listed in this email versus the information provided to us by the presenter, then the presenter information shall always be taken as correct. If you are unsure, please call the Centre Box Office to be on the safe side - 604.391.SHOW(7469).

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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