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LEGENDARY A CAPPELLA QUARTET

CHILLIWACK, BC – With their timeless harmonies, leads, and charm, *The Nylons* have earned their place as Canada’s most beloved vocal quartet. Since their humble beginnings in the back of a Toronto delicatessen in 1979, the group has gone on to worldwide tours, award-winning albums, and international recognition as one of the top a cappella groups of all time. From earning Gold and Platinum records for their early 80s releases, to Juno Award nominations for their 15th record ‘Skin Tight’ in 2011, *The Nylons* have had made a huge impact on the Jazz music scene over their over long and storied career, and are bringing their memorable hits and vibrant stage show to the Cultural Centre on **February 13, 2014**.

Those unforgettable tracks ‘The Lion Sleeps Tonight’, ‘Happy Together’, and ‘Na Na Hey Hey Kiss Him Goodbye’ will be sung with as much energy and flair as ever, as original *The Nylons*

member Claude Morrison is joined by baritone Gavin Hope, tenor Garth Mosbaugh, and bass Tyrone Gabriel, for a night steeped in nostalgia and loaded with good old fashioned fun. Those trademark harmonies, melodies and incredible vocal compositions that took *The Nylons* to stages in Asia, Australia, Europe, Brazil, the United States and of course their native Canada are as strong as ever, and the timelessness of their classic hits chimes out proudly when these extraordinary and charming performers go under the limelight.

“After 25 years of singing unaccompanied, the boys prove there really isn’t a song they can’t do an a cappella version of. Opening with Poison Ivy and Back on Track, they covered a range of classic hits throughout their 90-minute set”

Ottawa Sun.com

The Nylons have been through it all during their long history, gaining a vast amount of experience and affirming their place as one of the most valuable contributors to Canadian music over the past three decades. With an ever-changing style that has seen Claude and his fellow vocal virtuosos evolve from producing catchy versions of 50s and 60s pop songs, to invigorating their unique brand of choral Jazz with elements of fusion, rock and roll, blues, R&B, country and western, and even a hint of rap, *The Nylons* have maintained their huge appeal by continuing to challenge themselves and their art. Combining their enormous back catalogue and knowledge of pop music from the 50s to the contemporary with tight choreography and fabulous showmanship, they continue to perform worldwide to passionate audiences and critical acclaim. Get ready for a show “packed with trademark silky smooth harmonies, soulful heartwarming leads, and oozing with debonair charm”, when *The Nylons* come to the Cultural Centre’s main stage on February 13, 2014!

Come and enjoy the timeless charm of *The Nylons* this February. Call the Centre Box Office at 604-391-SHOW(7469) or visit www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca

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Additional Information

<http://www.thenylons.com/index.php>

Official website

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Oe6z8uHp-ug&feature=youtu.be>

The Nylons Symphony show video

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Nylons/175667012449202?sk=wall>

Official Facebook page

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Chilliwack Cultural Centre

Owned by the City of Chilliwack, the Cultural Centre houses two unique performance venues, an art gallery, music instruction studios, arts and crafts studios, meeting rooms, offices, and is home to the Chilliwack Academy of Music and the Chilliwack Art Gallery. Since opening in 2010, over 150,000 tickets have been sold through the Centre Box Office, with a value exceeding 2,000,000. The Centre is overseen by The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society on behalf of the City, and boasts The

Chilliwack Academy of Music, The Chilliwack Visual Artists Association and The Chilliwack Players Guild as partners.

Chilliwack Cultural Centre highlights:

- 597 seat performance theatre
- 168 seat recital hall / rehearsal space / dance studio / meeting space
- Chilliwack Art gallery (22-foot high display area)
- 21 music instructional rooms
- Arts and crafts studios
- Storage and Archival Resource Room

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