



FRONT & CENTRE

Ring in the holiday season with Canadian country music icon Lisa Brokop and a night of Christmas music!

Lisa Brokop's journey has taken her from her home in Surrey, British Columbia, to reside in Nashville, Tennessee, but on **December 10**, this Canadian country music star will be making a return to the Chilliwack Cultural Centre with **Lisa Brokop's Classic Country Christmas**. With her soothing voice and Christmas cheer, Lisa will show you why she is one of the most endearing musicians, in a concert that celebrates all the joys of the holiday season!

thing that she believes is what's allowed her to have such an enduring career and coming back to Canada to celebrate will always be important to her.

There is nothing like the simple joy, peace and warmth that comes from a night of Christmas music, and you are sure to leave fully filled with the spirit of the season. Don't miss your chance to join in the festivities!

Lisa Brokop's Classic Country Christmas is coming to the Chilliwack Cultural Centre on **December 10, 2022** at **7:30 pm**. Tickets are \$45 for adults, \$42 for seniors and \$40 for youth, and can be purchased at the Centre Box Office, online at www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca, or by calling 604-391-SHOW(7469).

Lisa Brokop's Classic Country Christmas is generously sponsored by: *89.5 JR Country, The Chilliwack Progress, The British Columbia Arts Council, the BC Touring Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Province of British Columbia and the Department of Canadian Heritage.*

Music Series



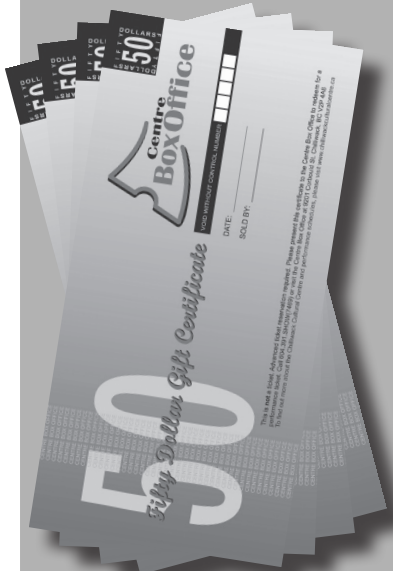
Through the years, Lisa has collected holiday songs that mean the most to her and now she'll be sharing them all with you. This intimate solo concert will feature Christmas classics as sung by Patsy Cline, Emmylou Harris, Loretta Lynn, and Barbara Mandrell.

Lisa has spent more than twenty years performing in the spotlight. A gifted singer-songwriter, she is one of the most nominated and award-winning female vocalists in Canadian country music history. She has built her reputation as not only a fantastic performer but also as a charismatic personality that loves to connect with her fans through the honesty of her music. Her relationship with her fans is some-

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Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

BRIA SKONBERG

Music Series

New York City based Juno award winning jazz trumpeter and vocalist Bria Skonberg returns to her beloved hometown to perform songs inspired by the holidays, along with classics and original tunes, celebrating togetherness and reconnecting with her roots in the post-pandemic era.

DECEMBER 23, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$35 / Seniors \$32 Youth \$30

Sponsored by: 98.3 STAR FM, Baker Newby LLP, The Chilliwack Progress, The British Columbia Arts Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Province of British Columbia and the Department of Canadian Heritage.

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FARHAD KHOSRAVI & DANIEL STADNICKI

Music Series

Resonating tones of the santur weave naturally with the earthy sounds of percussion creating a seamless musical journey! The earliest version of the santur dates back to as far as Babyonian stone carvings (669 B.C.) Now, Prairie Debut audiences have the opportunity to hear the evocative sound of this ancient Persian instrument performed in contemporary style that traverses time.

JANUARY 26, 2023 - 7:30 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$29

CSOPA presents

CINDERELLA

The contemporary Broadway adaptation of the classic musical Cinderella! The classic musical features new characters, a hilarious libretto, surprising twists, and an unforgettable score from Rodgers & Hammerstein.

JANUARY 11, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, & 21, 2023 - 7:30 PM
JANUARY 14, 15, 21, & 22, 2023 - 2:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets:
Previews \$18.50
Adults \$25.50
Seniors & Students \$22.50

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

MOLLY'S COMEDY CABARET

Comedy Series

Dynamic singer, actress and entertainer Molly Wilson takes the stage in a show that will have you laughing all the way through! The explosive talent of Chilliwack's own Molly Wilson takes over The Centre with a musical variety show that is guaranteed to leave you smiling. Featuring Molly's powerhouse vocals, this cabaret show is filled with sketch comedy and your favourite songs from Broadway, pop, rock and Motown. .

JANUARY 27, 2023 - 7:30 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$30

Chilliwack Players Guild presents

MYSTERY IN PIMLICO - RADIO PLAY SERIES

Adelaide Blanche de la Tremoille (played by famous English actress Mary Wimbush) was born in 1855 France. She was encouraged by her husband Edwin to openly engage in romantic acts with Wesleyan Reverend George Dyson, who was also charged with Adelaide in the poisoning death of Edwin. He provided the larger quantities of liquid chloroform, than had been proscribed by Dr. Leach for an on-going illness!

JANUARY 14, 2023 - 1:00 AM
JANUARY 14, 2023 - 3:00 AM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$12

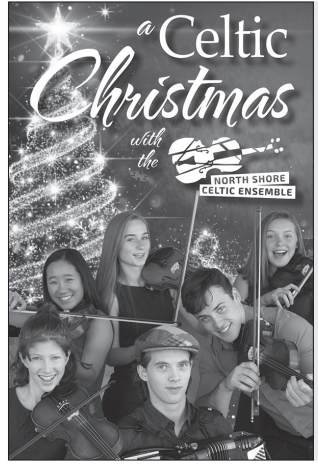
1st Annual

HEART OF GOLD GALA

Fundraiser for Childhood Cancer Research

The first annual Hearts of Gold gala fundraiser for childhood cancer research, hosted by Trevor McDonald, will be a fun and informative night while raising much needed funds for groundbreaking childhood cancer research. Cancer is the #1 cause of death in children, more than all other diseases combined! Yet only 5% of all cancer funding is directed to childhood cancers. This needs to change and you can help!

FEBRUARY 9, 2023 - 6:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$50
Early Bird price: \$40 until December 24, 2022
Group discount for 10+



Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

A Celtic Christmas

Music Series

The North Shore Celtic Ensemble invites you to join them for a spirited and heartwarming Celtic Christmas! In their very own West Coast Celtic style, the NSCE will share stunning arrangements, evocative songs and captivating fiddle music that will carry you right into the holiday spirit. This lively blend of strings, wind instruments and percussion will put an unforgettable spin on your Christmas season.

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December 17, 2022 - 7:30 pm
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$35 / Seniors \$32 / Youth \$30

CHILLIWACK CULTURAL CENTRE

Centre BoxOffice 604-391-SHOW(7469)

www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca

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The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society acknowledges that it is located on the unceded traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Stó:lō Coast Salish peoples.

SAVE THE DATE!

CONCERTANGO
February 10, 2023

THE COMIC STRIPPERS
February 10, 2023

BALLET JÖRGEN'S CINDERELLA
February 14, 2023

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST
February 20, 2023

DIYET & THE LOVE SOLDIERS
February 23, 2023

CHRIS FUNK: THE WONDERIST
March 10, 2023

JULIET: A REVENGE COMEDY
March 11, 2023

LEGENDS SHOW
March 18, 2023

BILLY BISHOP GOES TO WAR
March 31, 2023

VIMFF - BEST OF THE VANCOUVER INTERNATIONAL MOUNTAIN FILM FESTIVAL
April 1, 2023

JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR
April 5 to 9, 2023

BOWED, PLUCKED, AND STRUMMED
April 14, 2023

THE BOOK OF WILL
April 20 to 30, 2023

CURTIS CLEAR SKY AND THE CONSTELLATIONZ
April 21, 2023

Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

CHRISTMAS CAFE

We invite you to celebrate the most beautiful time of the year with us!

Come and enjoy good music featuring the students from the Chilliwack Academy of Music to make this Christmas unforgettable!

DECEMBER 3, 2022 - 2:00 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Free Admission

Original Legends of Rock N' Roll presents

BUDDY'S HOLLY JOLLY CHRISTMAS

Zachary Stevenson is the leading man from the hit musical "The Buddy Holly Story"... he is the main attraction and host for this special Christmas concert... Buddy's Holly Jolly Christmas. Stevenson will be joined by former international tribute Champion Ben Klein performing as Elvis and Cassandra Jean performing as Brenda Lee

DECEMBER 13, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets:
Early Bird \$49
All Seats \$55

Mur-Man Productions presents

TOM LAVIN & THE LEGENDARY POWDER BLUES

Canada's perennial top blues band has performed worldwide offering their audience an incredible array of blues stylings including their many hits, including Thirsty Ears, Hear That Guitar Ring, What've I Been Drinkin'?, Boppin' With The Blues and of course, Doin' It Right, the track the put Powder Blues on the way to stardom. Brought to you by Mur-Man Productions.

DECEMBER 3, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$69.50+GST

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

WINTER HARP

Music Series

Embodying the spirit of Christmas, Winter Harp is a captivating blend of medieval splendour and dazzling music. Be transported to a magical world with magnificent aesthetics, the performer's luxurious medieval attire, and beautifully hand-carved instruments.

DECEMBER 14, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$45 / Seniors \$42
Youth \$40
Sponsored by: 98.3 STAR FM, The Chilliwack Progress, The British Columbia Arts Council, the BC Touring Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Province of British Columbia and the Department of Canadian Heritage.

Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

MARTINE DEKKER AND JESSICA JOU STUDIOS - CHRISTMAS RECITAL

We invite you to celebrate the most beautiful time of the year with us!

Come and enjoy good music featuring the students from the studios of Martine Dekker and Jessica Jou Studios – to make this Christmas unforgettable!

Student recitals are at the Chilliwack Academy of Music and open to the public at no charge. Come see our talented students perform.

DECEMBER 3, 2022 - 10:30 AM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Free Admission

Chilliwack Symphony Orchestra presents

HANDEL'S GLORIOUS MESSIAH

The Chilliwack Symphony Orchestra & Chorus and professional soloists present Handel's Messiah, conducted by Paula DeWit, on Friday December 16, 2022 at 7:30

This best-loved oratorio includes favourites such as "Hallelujah" and "The Trumpet Shall Sound".

DECEMBER 16, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets:
All Seats \$40

Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

ROD SWANSON CHRISTMAS RECITAL

We Invite you to celebrate the most beautiful time of the year with us!

Come and enjoy good music featuring the students from the studio of Rod Swanson to make this Christmas unforgettable!

Student recitals are at the Chilliwack Academy of Music and open to the public at no charge. Come see our talented students perform. More information about upcoming recitals is available at the Centre Box Office.

DECEMBER 4, 2022 - 1:30 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Free Admission

Ever After Character Company presents

CHRISTMAS EVER AFTER

This 45 minute show features a live 3 piece band, and includes a singalong that the audience can participate in. After the show, there will be a 15 min intermission, followed by a meet and greet and photo ops with The Snow Sisters, Cinder Ella, Snow White, Princess Beauty, Princess Punzie, The Island Princess, The Mermaid Princess, The Tinker Fairy, Princess Judith, and Mirabel!

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - 11:00 AM
DECEMBER 17, 2022 - 2:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets:
All Seats \$20
Children (1 and Under) \$10
Group (6 or more) \$15

Wonderheads Theatre Society presents

A WONDERHEADS CHRISTMAS CAROL

The holiday classic you love brought to life in a way you never imagined possible! Praised by the CBC as "Pure magic" and the Globe and Mail as "Powerful, surprising and moving," acclaimed theatrical imagineers the WONDERHEADS present their delightfully captivating reimagining of Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol, with giant masks, whimsical puppets, and wondrous theatrical invention.

DECEMBER 8, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets:
Tier 1: Adults \$44 / Youth \$32
Tier 2: Adults \$36 / Youth \$28

Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

WESLEY HAWKINS STUDIO - CHRISTMAS RECITAL

We invite you to celebrate the most beautiful time of the year with us!

Come and enjoy good music featuring the students from the studio of Wesley Hawkins and make this Christmas unforgettable!

Student recitals are at the Chilliwack Academy of Music and open to the public at no charge. Come see our talented students perform.

DECEMBER 17, 2022 - 2:00 AM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Free Admission

Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

KARIN FEHLAUER STUDIO - CHRISTMAS RECITAL

We invite you to celebrate the most beautiful time of the year with us!

Come and enjoy good music featuring the students from the studio of Karen Fehlauer and make this Christmas unforgettable!

Student recitals are at the Chilliwack Academy of Music and open to the public at no charge. Come see our talented students perform.

DECEMBER 10, 2022 - 9:30 AM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Free Admission

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

A ZANIAC CHRISTMAS

Kids Series

Alex Zerbe, the Professional Zaniac moves like a rubber band from one end of the stage to the other in this Christmas extravaganza as he returns to the Chilliwack Cultural Centre! Having been cracking jokes on stage for over fifteen years, Alex Zerbe's shows zigzag between a comedic onslaught of absurd ideas and odd skills.

DECEMBER 18, 2022 - 2:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$12
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Chilliwack Academy of Music presents

LISA SCYNER AND SHEILA ARDIES STUDIOS - CHRISTMAS RECITAL

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Come and enjoy good music featuring the students from the studios of Lisa Scyner and Sheila Ardies to make this Christmas unforgettable!

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DECEMBER 10, 2022 - 1:30 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Free Admission

Universal Gospel Choir presents

GO TELL IT... IN THE VALLEY

Join Universal Gospel Choir, one of Vancouver's most enduring cultural treasures, for "GO TELL IT... IN THE VALLEY", a high-calibre, high-energy choral concert celebrating the holiday season.

Led by Artistic Director, Lonnie Delisle and accompanied by a stellar 5-piece band, including grammy-nominated Jonny Tobin on piano, the 70 voice choir will raise the rafters at the Abbotsford Arts Centre.

DECEMBER 18, 2022 - 4:00 PM
Abbotsford Arts Centre
Tickets: General \$45 / Student \$39 / Child \$25

FOR TICKETS:

Call: 604-391-SHOW(7469) **In Person:** 9201 Corbould Street, Chilliwack **Online:** www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca

THE CENTRE BOX OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday 9:30 am to 9:00 pm | Saturday & Sunday 9:30 am to 5:00 pm, open one hour before performances.