

FROM DUNES TO DOLLARS BY MICHAEL & STEVE HAMILTON-CLARK

Exhibit on from September 22 to October 29, 2022

The Exhibition "From Dunes to Dollars – Dubai's Xtraordinary Journey – A Pictorial Odyssey 1965 – 2015" to be held at the O'Connor Group Art Gallery 22 September to 29 October will showcase photographs taken by father and son team, Michael and Steve Hamilton-Clark.

Why the Exhibition? Because Michael and Steve wanted to share their unique photographic journey being witness to Dubai's emergence from a small town on a tidal creek in the Arabian Gulf to a world-renowned city of superlatives, making Dubai today not just a destination, but a global brand.



GALLERY HOURS: Wednesday to Saturday: 12:00 to 5:00 pm

From Dunes to Dollars Dubai's

Xtraordinary Journey

A Pictorial Odyssey 1965-2015

By Michael & Steve Hamilton-Clark

22 September to 29 October 2022

Noon - 5:00pm Wed - Sat
and some evenings

Admission is Free

Opening Reception 24 September, 1:00 - 3:00pm

O'Connor Group Art Gallery
9201 Corbould Street, Chilliwack, BC, V2P4A6

www.oconnorgroupartgallery.com

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FRONT & CENTRE

Get ready to howl with JUNO Award winner Norman Foote!

Full of more treats than tricks, Halloween at the Chilliwack Cultural Centre has never been more fun! On **October 28**, Norman Foote invites you to dress up in your spooktacular costumes and join him for a **Halloween Howl**. With a fantastic mix of music, stories, and humour, this show is the perfect way to celebrate the spookiest day of the year with the whole family.

"I learned to play the audience at an early age. As soon as I could play a few chords on guitar my mother would ask me to play whenever company came over. It was a challenge I was up for," says Norman. "This is one of the most enthusiastic Halloween shows because it's less spooky and more about dressing up and singing together."

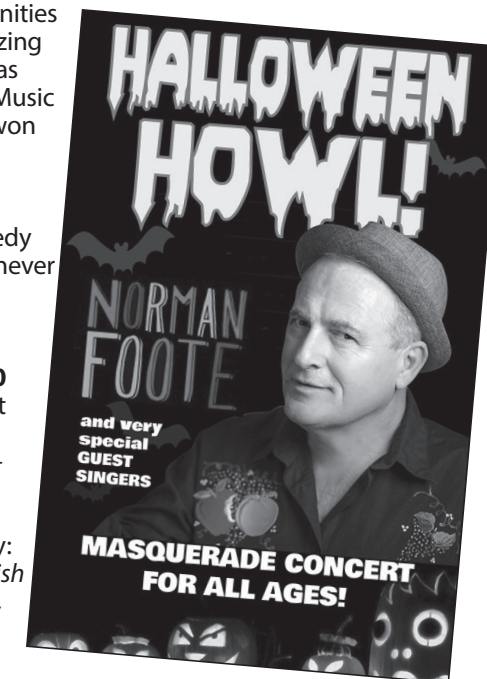
From dressing up in costumes, telling spooky stories and putting on shows, Halloween is one of the most creative times of the year for kids. Norman uses that imagination to lead audiences on an energetic, interactive, and hilarious musical journey, creating a new Halloween tradition that the whole family can enjoy! Using outrageous props and even a choir, Norman has created a show that will inspire you from start to finish.

Norman's passion for songwriting, telling stories and comedy has taken him through communities all around the world, where he's put on amazing concerts. He's a JUNO award winner, as well as the recipient of multiple Western Canadian Music Awards. His music has time and time again won the hearts of audiences.

Dress the whole family up and come for an unforgettable evening of side splitting comedy and good cheer. The Halloween treats have never been quite as sweet!

Halloween Howl is coming to the Chilliwack Cultural Centre on **October 28, 2022 at 7:00 pm**. Tickets are \$12, and can be purchased at the Centre Box Office, online at www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca, or by calling 604-391-SHOW(7469).

Halloween Howl is generously sponsored by: *The Chilliwack Progress, 98.3 STAR FM, the British Columbia Arts Council, the BC Touring Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Province of British Columbia and the Department of Canadian Heritage.*



ART CLASSES

Peyote Stitch Beading

(Adults, 2 sessions)

October 22 to October 29 - 11:00 am to 12:30 pm
Stuart will share the technique of the peyote stitch in his own designs. Once you learn peyote stitch, its applications are endless!

Teen Paint Night

(13 to 15 years old, workshop)

October 25 - 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Local artist Mary Goertzen will guide new artists, artists with experience, and anyone in between for an evening of painting.

Next Level Acrylics

(Adults, 4 sessions)

October 27 to November 17 - 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Imagine a beautiful painting with gestures of colour and light, one that expressed your power as an artist with clarity and statement.

Intro to Oil Painting

(Adults, 6 sessions)

November 1 to December 6 - 6:00 to 8:00 pm

Learn the core concepts of painting with oil. Using colour, shape and by gaining an understanding of the dynamics of light.

Next Steps in Photography

(Adults, 4 sessions)

November 1 to November 22 - 6:15 to 8:15 pm

You've got the basics of photography – now turn your lens to more complex subjects! Take your camera skills to the next level in this intermediate class.

Wheel 2: Beyond Basic Wheel

(Adults, 6 sessions)

November 3 to December 15 -

10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Continue to develop your beginning skills and apply them in new ways. Once you are able to center your clay and can create the basic shapes in wheel throwing, it's time to take your technique just a bit further.

Painted Wooden Ornaments - Youth

(13 and Up, workshop)

November 3 - 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Put a special touch on your walls or tree this winter. Create a trio of colourful acrylic painted wooden ornaments with local artist Mary Goertzen to put up in your own home or give as gifts to teachers, friends and family.

Painted Wooden Ornaments - Adult

(Adults, workshop)

November 3 - 6:00 to 7:30 pm

Put a special touch on your walls or tree this winter. Create a trio of colourful acrylic painted wooden ornaments with local artist Mary Goertzen to put up in your own home or give as gifts to teachers, friends and family.

Painted Wooden Ornaments - Youth

(13 and Up, workshop)

November 4 - 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Put a special touch on your walls or tree this winter. Create a trio of colourful acrylic painted wooden ornaments with local artist Mary Goertzen to put up in your own home or give as gifts to teachers, friends and family.

Wheel 3: Building Bigger

(Adults, 6 sessions)

November 5 to December 17 - 10:00am to 1:00 pm

This class will build upon a basic ceramic skill set and further your proficiency as a potter. Topics covered include throwing larger, multi piece vessels, lidded pots, pouring vessels, altered forms and basic surface decoration.

Glass Beads 2: Dots

(Adults, workshop)

November 5 - 1:00 to 4:00 pm

Learn all about making glass dots – how to make them, where to put them, how to stack them and manipulate them to make beautiful designs, flowers, and accents on your glass beads.

Crochet Market Bag

(Adults, workshop)

November 5 - 1:00 to 4:00 pm

No plastic grocery bags? No problem! Join Sidrah and learn to make your own crochet market bag – you'll never be without one!

Kids Knit!

(8 and Up, 4 sessions)

November 7 to November 28 - 5:00 to 6:30 pm

Learn how to begin a project, do the knit and purl stitches, create a design using them, how to create lace patterns, add or subtract stitches, and fix mistakes along the way.

OPEN STUDIOS

CLAY OPEN STUDIO

\$8 DROP IN OR \$70 FOR
10 DROP-IN PUNCH CARD
Mondays: 6:00 - 9:00 pm
Fridays: 10:00 am - 8:30 pm
Sundays: 1:00 - 4:00 pm
(Registration is Required)

LIFE DRAWING OPEN STUDIO - UNDRAPPED

\$12 DROP IN OR \$40
MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION
OR \$55 FOR FIVE SESSIONS
Wednesdays: 6:30 - 9:00 pm
(Registration is Required)

LIFE DRAWING OPEN STUDIO - DRAPPED

\$12 DROP IN OR \$40
MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION
OR \$55 FOR FIVE SESSIONS
Thursdays: 6:30 - 9:00 pm
(Registration is Required)

GLASS OPEN STUDIO

\$9 DROP IN OR \$80 FOR
10 DROP-IN PUNCH CARD
Sundays: 1:00 - 4:00 pm
(Registration is Required)



Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents

Gord Sinclair Music series

A true Canadian Rock legend, songwriter and bassist Gord Sinclair electrifies with his powerful solo debut! Gord Sinclair is a Canadian singer, songwriter, and bassist with a career spanning more than 30 years in the music industry. Best known for his success of writing, recording, and touring as a member of The Tragically Hip, Sinclair is now the first member of the band to release music since the passing of frontman Gord Downie in 2017. Sinclair is fearless in exploring both the joys and the heartache of life through his music, creating a performance that is full of emotional weight and highlights the good in the world.

Gord Sinclair is generously sponsored by: *98.3 STAR FM, the British Columbia Arts Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Chilliwack Progress, and The Department of Canadian Heritage.*

October 22, 2022 - 7:30 pm

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: All Seats \$35

CHILLIWACK
CULTURAL CENTRE

Centre
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SAVE THE DATE!

PROXIMITY: A COLLECTION OF SHORT WORKS
December 2, 2022

TOM LAVIN & THE LEGENDARY POWDER BLUES
December 3, 2022

A WONDERHEADS CHRISTMAS CAROL
December 8, 2022

LISA BROKOP'S CLASSIC COUNTRY CHRISTMAS
December 10, 2022

BUDDY'S HOLLY JOLLY CHRISTMAS
December 13, 2022

WINTER HARP
December 14, 2022

HANDEL'S GLORIOUS MESSIAH
December 16, 2022

CHRISTMAS EVER AFTER
December 17, 2022

A CELTIC CHRISTMAS
December 17, 2022

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Fraternal Order of Eagles presents
HOTEL CALIFORNIA

HOTEL CALIFORNIA – The Original Tribute to The Eagles (Canada). For over three decades now **HOTEL CALIFORNIA** have been recreating the legendary sound of **THE EAGLES**, and thrilling audiences all over the world. The band set the bar in 1986, and they've remained the industry leading substitute for The Eagles ever since.

OCTOBER 20, 2022 - 7:30 PM
Abbotsford Arts Centre
Tickets: All Seats \$55

Fraser Valley Comedy presents
JEST LADIES COMEDY

Fraser Valley Comedy is proud to present **Jest Ladies Comedy** featuring **Melanie Rose & Yumi Nagashima!**

Hosted by **Nic Enright-Morin!** Also special performances by: **Randee Neumeyer, Cari Moore, and Ericka Young!**

You'll laugh. You'll cry. You'll probably refresh your drink. But, mostly, you'll wonder if it's all true. Trust us, it is.

NOVEMBER 5, 2022 - 7:30 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$35

Secondary Characters presents
MAMMA MIA!

ABBA's hits tell the hilarious story of a young woman's search for her birth father.

This sunny and funny tale unfolds on a Greek island paradise. On the eve of her wedding, a daughter's quest to discover the identity of her father brings three men from her mother's past back to the island they last visited 20 years ago.

OCTOBER 21, 22, 28, 29, & 30, 2022 - 7:30 PM
OCTOBER 22, 23, 29, 2022 - 2:00 PM
Rotary Hall Studio Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$29 / Seniors & Students \$25 / Youth \$20

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents
BLACK UMFOLOSI
Music Series

Zimbabwe's greatest ambassadors share music and dance, and welcome you in to witness their stories! With beauty and enthusiasm, **Black Umfolosi** captivate audiences with the traditional songs and dances of Southern Africa. Their natural ability to communicate, paired with their passion that comes through in their performances.

NOVEMBER 6, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$35 / Senior \$32 Youth \$30
Sponsored by: the Chilliwack Progress, the British Columbia Arts Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Province of British Columbia and the Department of Canadian Heritage.

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents
JOSEPHINE
Theatre Series

Electrifying, intense and real, **Josephine** is a riveting account of one of the most remarkable figures of the 20th century. This haunting cabaret will charm and dazzle you as **Josephine** shatters stereotypes of race, gender roles and sexuality. **Josephine's** fearless joy at her reception on the stages of Paris is scarred by the discrimination that haunts her life, igniting her passion for civil rights.

OCTOBER 23, 2022 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$35
Sponsored by Platinum Sponsor: O'Conor Group. Other sponsors include: the Chilliwack Progress, the British Columbia Arts Council, the City of Chilliwack, the Province of British Columbia and the Department of Canadian Heritage.

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents
TH'OWXIYA: THE HUNGRY FEAST DISH
Kids Series

"When you take something from the earth, you must give something back." Let yourself be swept away in the legend of **Th'owxiya**, an old hungry spirit that inhabits a feast dish of tempting and beautiful foods from around the world. Caught stealing a piece of cheese, a young mouse named **Kw'at'el** must embark on a journey.

NOVEMBER 12, 2022 - 2:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$12
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.

The Diamond Mine Agency presents
STEVE-O BUCKET LIST TOUR (CHILLIWACK)

Until it was time to prepare for this tour. Not only are the stunts more ridiculous than what you already know **Steve-O** for, he did them all, and made a highly XXX-rated, multimedia comedy show out of them. 19+ Event

OCTOBER 26, 2022 - 7:00 PM
OCTOBER 27, 2022 - 7:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets:
October 26 VIP Section* \$175.50
October 27 VIP Section* \$156.20
Tier 1 \$65.95
Tier 2 \$60.95
Tier 3 \$55.95
*VIP Includes – Front Section Seats, Comedy Show Ticket, Meet & Greet With Steve-O

Chilliwack Players Guild presents
THE OUTSIDER

In the midst of a political scandal, **Ned Newley**, the ultimate policy wonk, is unexpectedly thrust into the position of Governor. **Ned Newley** doesn't even want to be Governor. He has no political instincts, a paralyzing fear of public speaking, and his poll numbers are impressively bad. **Ned** might be the worst candidate to ever run for office. Unless the public is looking for... the worst candidate ever to run for office.

NOVEMBER 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, & 26, 2022 - 7:30 PM
NOVEMBER 20 & 27, 2022 - 2:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$25 / Senior & Student \$20

The Comic Strippers presents
THE COMIC STRIPPERS
(19+ Only)

A fictitious male stripper troupe (played by a cast of some of Canada's best improvisational comedians) performs a sexilarious improv comedy show. They try to be sexy... it just comes out funny. Constantly grooving and gyrating in between scenes they banter with the crowd and perform their hilarious twist on improv sketches. They sing, they "dance", and they are ready to make you laugh.

NOVEMBER 5, 2022 - 8:00 PM
Abbotsford Arts Centre
Tickets: All Seats \$49
6+ Group \$44

Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents
WARREN MILLER'S DAYMAKER
Film Series

From Alaska to Greece, British Columbia's **Monashee** mountains and beyond, the 73rd annual ski and snowboard film, **Daymaker**, will replace the mountains in your mind with ones that free your mind. Join **Crazy Karl Fostvedt, Michelle Parker, Katie Burrell, Daron Rahlves, Ryland Bell, Cam Fitzpatrick, Connery Lundin**, and more out on the hill and you can't really have a bad day.

NOVEMBER 19, 2022 - 7:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$20
Sponsored by:

CSOPA presents
DESTINATION BROADWAY

CSOPA is a non-profit, pre-professional, youth theatre training organization, striving to provide excellent instruction and creation from industry professionals in design, voice, dance, and acting to produce professional caliber shows for performance.

NOVEMBER 5, 2022 - 6:30 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: All Seats \$27.50

Ballet Victoria presents
THE NUTCRACKER

Ballet Victoria's Nutcracker is a 21st century updated family tradition with everything you expect from a ballet production. **Creative Outlet** presents **Ballet Victoria's Nutcracker**. A 21st century updated family tradition with everything you expect from a **Ballet Victoria** ballet production: This original Christmas tale danced to the timeless score of the **Nutcracker** is filled with humorous pantomime, beautiful costumes, magic and as always, surprises for the whole family.

DECEMBER 1, 2022 - 7:00 PM
HUB International Theatre
Tickets: Adults \$30 / Senior & Student \$25 / Children \$15

Support The Centre

We are so excited about the fantastic success the **Chilliwack Cultural Centre** has achieved in our first nine and a half years! Since opening, we have focused on three main areas of development: providing world class entertainment at accessible ticket prices; maintaining the highest standards of arts and crafts programs at prices families can afford; and ensuring the **Chilliwack Cultural Centre** remains the pride of **Chilliwack**.

In order to achieve these goals the **Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society** must raise over one million dollars through earned revenue, arts grants, sponsorships, and donations each year. Consider making a fully tax deductible donation to help us ensure that **Chilliwack** has access to the very best arts experiences.

Naming Opportunities

Naming of the **Cultural Centre's** spaces will gain your business or organization an enormous amount of public exposure every time an event is held at this world-class facility.

88 Key Club

A vision for a new, world-class facility began over a decade ago and it was spurred on by a committee commissioned by **Chilliwack's City Council**.

Take Your Seat!

Remarkable sight lines characterize each and every seat in the **Chilliwack Cultural Centre's** magnificent 597 seat **HUB International theatre**.

For more information, contact the **Centre Box Office**, online at www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca, or by calling 604-391-SHOW(7469).

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.