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# Fall Arts Guide 2017-18

It's your lucky day: our 13th annual compendium of all the theatre, dance, concert and art events heading this way will help ensure that your autumn does not remain a blank canvas.

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# Longer Nights and How to Fill Them

There are hundreds of events heading this way to brighten up the dark, chilly evenings that are also in the offing. Our 13th annual guide to all the upcoming happenings and hoedowns will take you off the horns, or at least the antlers, of your entertainment dilemmas.

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# THEATRE

## ALBERTA THEATRE PROJECTS

All shows at Martha Cohen Theatre, Arts Commons, 205 8th Ave. S.E. 403-294-7475, [atplive.com](http://atplive.com)

Sept. 12-30: **The Last Wife** To save her own life, Katherine Parr must learn to use all her powers of persuasion to win over her husband, the notorious Henry VIII.

Oct. 17 to Nov. 4: **To the Light** A painter reflects on her friendship with an older woman after her friend's death amid the chaos of England after the First World War. Inspired by Virginia Woolf's *To the Lighthouse*.

Nov. 21 to Dec. 31: **Charlotte's Web** This is some adaptation of E.B. White's beloved children's classic about the unlikely friendship between a pig named Wilbur and a spider called Charlotte.

Jan. 16-28: **Empire of the Son** Presented as part of the High Performance Rodeo, this is a funny and poignant autobiographical one-man show by former CBC broadcaster Tetsuro Shigematsu about his rocky relationship with his emotionally reserved father.

Feb. 27 to March 17: **Constellations** In a series of parallel moments over the course of Marianne and Roland's relationship the show explores the infinite trajectories that love can take to bring us together or pull us apart.

April 3-21: **Glory** This show uses music and dance inspired by the jazz age to tell the true story of Canada's first national female hockey league.

## ASPEN CROSSING THEATRE

Dinner theatre. All shows at Aspen Crossing, one kilometre west of Mossleigh, Alta. on Hwy. 24. 1-866-440-3500, [aspencrossing.com](http://aspencrossing.com)

Oct. 6-31: **Train of Terror** Experience haunted railway cars, disturbing entertainment and ultimate fear.

Nov. 24 to Dec. 24: **The Polar Express Train Ride** The award-winning book by Chris Van Allsburg comes to life in the course of a magical journey.

## BANFF CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

All shows at Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff, Alta unless otherwise noted. 403-762-6301, [banffcentre.ca/events](http://banffcentre.ca/events)

Oct. 15: **Murray SawChuck: Magician** The illusionist, magician, comedian and actor has been dubbed "the Dennis the Menace of magic." His show blends "comical mishaps" with real magic and is suitable for the whole family.

Nov. 18: **One-Man Star Wars Trilogy** Charles Ross brings his mercurial talent, boundless energy and spot-on

voice impressions to the task of bringing *Star Wars* to the stage.

## BERT CHURCH LIVE THEATRE

All shows at the Bert Church Theatre, 1000 East Lake Blvd., Airdrie, Alta. 403-948-8824, [thebertchurchtheatre.com](http://thebertchurchtheatre.com)

Sept. 23: **The Spark: A Hero Takes Charge** Presented by Accidental Humour Co. Maddy Martin is a brilliant, if mild-mannered electrical engineer who becomes a superhero after a freak accident grants her the incredible powers of static electricity.

Sept. 29 - Oct. 1: **Pinkalicious the Musical** Presented by StoryBook Theatre. Pinkalicious can't stop eating pink cupcakes. Her pink indulgence lands her at the doctor's office with pinkitis, an affliction that turns her pink from head to toe. Based on the book by Victoria and Elizabeth Kann.

Oct. 15: **Menopause the Musical** Four women meet while shopping for a black lace bra. After noticing several shared traits, they joke about their hot flashes, mood swings, wrinkles, weight gain, memory loss, too much sex, not enough sex, and more.

Dec. 21: **A Charlie Brown Christmas** Presented by StoryBook Theatre. Features selections from *You're A Good Man Charlie Brown* as well the classic animated television special *A Charlie Brown Christmas*.

## BROADWAY ACROSS CANADA

All shows at the Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. Tickets at Ticketmaster, 403-777-0000, [broadwayacrosscanada.ca](http://broadwayacrosscanada.ca)

Sept. 26 to Oct. 1: **The Sound of Music** The spirited, romantic and beloved musical story of Maria and the Von Trapp Family arrives in a new production.

Nov. 3-5: **Jersey Boys** The true story of how four blue-collar kids became the Four Seasons, one of the greatest success stories in pop music history.

Feb. 20-25: **Motown** The true American Dream story of Motown founder Berry Gordy's journey from featherweight boxer to the heavyweight music mogul who launched the careers of Diana Ross, Michael Jackson, Smokey Robinson and many others.

## DEWDNEY PLAYERS GROUP THEATRE

At Rotary Performing Arts Centre, 3 Elma St. E., Okotoks. [dewdneyplayers.com](http://dewdneyplayers.com)

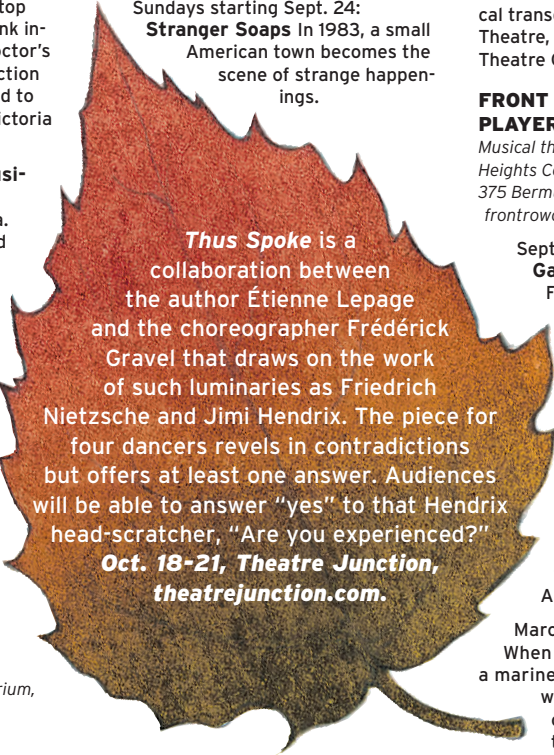
Nov. 10-25: **Arsenic & Old Lace** The classic black comedy about murderous aunts.

## DIRTY LAUNDRY

Improvvised live-action soap operas. 403-701-1284, [dirtylaundrycalgary.com](http://dirtylaundrycalgary.com)

Mondays starting Sept. 18: **Sunset Studios Hollywood**. 1942. The world is at war and the movies became everyone's favourite escape. Sunset Studios is the most popular and profitable movie studio around. Follow the lives on and off screen of the studio's most famous actors as they try to make pictures in a troubled time.

Sundays starting Sept. 24: **Stranger Soaps** In 1983, a small American town becomes the scene of strange happenings.



Thus Spoke is a collaboration between the author Étienne Lepage and the choreographer Frédéric Gravel that draws on the work of such luminaries as Friedrich Nietzsche and Jimi Hendrix. The piece for four dancers revels in contradictions but offers at least one answer. Audiences will be able to answer "yes" to that Hendrix head-scratcher, "Are you experienced?"  
**Oct. 18-21, Theatre Junction, [theatrejunction.com](http://theatrejunction.com).**

## FORT CALGARY DINNER THEATRE

750 9th Ave. S.E. 403-290-1875, [fortcalgary.com](http://fortcalgary.com)

Sept. 15 and Nov. 17: **Clue: Murder is Not a Game!** You are called to Fort Calgary Mansion as a potential witness to the murder of Mr. Boddy.

Oct. 20: **Mafia Murders!** Everyone has an agenda, and if you haven't made your bones yet, you could be called upon, so be prepared.

Oct. 31: **Town Hall Howler** A town hall meeting has been called to share information about what's been happening over the past two weeks: ghost sightings, strange occurrences and unexplained phenomenon.

Dec. 14-15: **Murder at Mistletoe Mall** A Christmas celebration that promises mistletoe, madness and murder.

Dec. 20-22: **Have Yourself a Merry Little Murder** While snow is falling, we'll be singing a slaying song tonight.

## FORTE MUSICAL THEATRE GUILD

587-393-6121, [fortemusical.ca](http://fortemusical.ca)

Sept. 26 to Oct. 7: **Touch Me: Songs for a (Dis)Connected Age** This modern musical revue impresses with its soaring vocals and refreshing depictions of our most private technological transgressions. At the Big Secret Theatre, Arts Commons as part of Theatre Calgary's Up Close series.

## FRONT ROW CENTRE PLAYERS

Musical theatre. All shows at Beddington Heights Community Arts Centre, 375 Bermuda Dr. N.W. 403-246-8505, [frontrowcentre.ca](http://frontrowcentre.ca)

Sept. 22 to Oct. 7: **The Pajama Game** At the Sleep-Tite Pajama Factory, sparks fly between the new superintendent, Sid Sorokin, and Babe Williams, leader of the union grievance committee, when the workers strike (and sing and dance) for a pay increase.

Jan. 12-27: **City of Angels** A musical tale of decadence and homicide with a liberal sprinkling of femmes fatale in 1940s Los Angeles.

March 30 to April 14: **Dogfight** When Corporal Eddie Birdlace, a marine, meets Rose, a waitress whom he enlists to win a cruel bet, she rewrites the rules of the game and teaches him the power of love and compassion.

June 15-30: **Priscilla Queen of the Desert** Tag along with Tick, Bernadette, and Adam, a glamorous Sydney-based performing trio who travel to the middle of the Australian Outback on their battered old bus they christened "Priscilla."

## GHOST RIVER THEATRE

All shows at West Village Theatre, 2007 10th Ave. S.W., unless otherwise noted. 403-242-7118, [ghostrivertheatre.com](http://ghostrivertheatre.com)

Sept. 13-17: **Scent Bar** Presented in collaboration with Beakerhead. A blindfolded sensory performance experience based on our sense of smell. At 604 8th Ave. S.W.

Nov 9-12: **Devised Theatre Intensive 2017** Participants develop, learn and experiment with new tools for creative expression. The intensive demands rigorous par-

ticipation from individuals through hands-on exercises based on unique artistic practices.

Jan. 25-28: **Qlab Intensive** A hands-on introduction to the tools and techniques used in audiovisual design for theatre and multimedia performance.

Feb. 1-4: **Video Projection Intensive** An exploration of video technology and advanced media playback.

**HANDSOME ALICE THEATRE-** [handsomealice.com](http://handsomealice.com) Oct. 12-22: **inVISIBLE** An intimate slumber party, joyful gathering of collective energy and a raw, vulnerable, complex, liberating Happening. Be prepared to enter an immersive environment where human experience is explored through diverse female perspectives. At Matthews Theatre, Craigie Hall, U of C.

March 15-24: **A Chitenge Story** Inspired by true events, this is the story of a young woman who travels to her native Zambia to find and confront the man who abused her as a child. At Joyce Doolittle Theatre, Pumphouse Theatre.

## JUBILATIONS DINNER THEATRE

1002 37th St. S.W. 403-249-7799, [jubilations.ca](http://jubilations.ca)

Sept. 1 to Oct. 29: **Greased 2** The hip cats and cool chicks begin a new school year at Rydell High.

Nov. 3 to Feb. 4: **Downton Abbey Road** The Crawley family is abuzz with anticipation for Lady Mary's birthday celebration, but everybody has a dark secret. Set to the music of the Beatles.

Feb. 9 to April 15: **Orange is the New Pink** A musical comedy that riffs on the hit TV show *Orange is the New Black*.

## LUNCHBOX THEATRE

All shows at Lunchbox Theatre, 115 9th Ave. S.E. 403-265-4292, [lunchboxtheatre.com](http://lunchboxtheatre.com)

Sept. 18 to Oct. 7: **Book Club II: The Next Chapter** Two years after the events depicted in *Book Club*, the gang is back. Lisa's marriage is mired in routine, but the club's attempts to cheer her up create a dilemma in the form of an encounter with an old flame.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 11: **Flight Risk** On the eve of his 100th birthday, a man shares his experiences in the Second World War, which are the source of his enduring sorrow, with a new nurse in his care home.

Nov. 27 to Dec. 23: **The Santaland Diaries** An out-of-work and broke actor in New York City takes a job as an elf in Macy's Santaland Village. Based on the book by David Sedaris.

Jan. 15 to Jan. 27: **Inner Elder**



## DYNASTIC STRUGGLES

Theatre folk are not exactly shrinking violets, so maybe it comes as no surprise that Theatre Calgary, which is about to launch its 50th anniversary season, decided to throw its own birthday party.

The bash begins Sept. 5 when the curtain goes up on **Blow Wind High Water**. The show is written by Sharon Pollock, “the first woman of Canadian theatre,” and deals with three generations of Calgarians struggling to stick together as the flood waters rise. It marks a return of sorts for Pollock, who had one of her earliest successes as a playwright when *Walsh* premiered at Theatre Calgary in 1973. She also served as the company’s artistic director in 1984. In a pleasing bit of symmetry, *Blow Wind High Water* will mark the first production for Theatre

Calgary under its new artistic director, Stafford Arima.

Dynastic succession of a more turbulent nature is the focus of **The Last Wife**, which opens the Alberta Theatre Projects season (Sept. 12-30). A hit at the Stratford Festival in 2015, *The Last Wife* centres on Katherine Parr and her attempts to wield influence over her husband, Henry VIII.

Fans of political intrigue will also want to catch **Julius Caesar** (Sept. 21 to Oct. 7) at The Shakespeare Company. Intrigue of a different nature forms the core of Vertigo Mystery Theatre’s **Nine Dragons** (Sept. 16 to Oct. 15), which begins with the murder of a beautiful spy on the seedy side of Hong Kong and then travels to even darker places. —Bruce Weir

Michelle Thrush’s autobiographical one-woman show is presented with **One Yellow Rabbit** as part of the High Performance Rodeo.

Feb. 19 to March 10: **Ai Yah! Sweet & Sour Secrets** Chinese-Canadian Jade Wong is caught between being true to herself and living up to her family’s cultural expectations. It all comes to a head when her father invites a surprise guest to celebrate Chinese New Year.

April 2-21: **Miss Caledonia** Desperate to escape the stall-cleaning, hay-baling drudgery of 1950s life on Rural Route 2, Peggy Ann Douglas dreams of becoming a Hollywood movie star. Her journey begins with the local pageant.

May 8-12: **RBC Emerging Director’s Showcase**

May 25 to June 9: **Stage One Festival of New Canadian Work**

### MORPHEUS THEATRE

All shows at Pumphouse Theatre, 2140 Pumphouse Ave. S.W. 403-246-2999, [morpheus theatre.ca](http://morpheus theatre.ca)

Sept. 22-30: **Moon Over Buffalo** A theatre couple’s attempt to get their careers back by impressing Frank Capra goes hilariously wrong.

Dec. 8-16: **Beauty and the Beast** The holiday panto is an irreverent treatment of the classic tale of love and acceptance.

Jan. 26 to Feb. 10: **A Little Murder Never Hurt Anybody** On New Year’s Eve, a man resolves to kill his wife within the next 12 months. Happy New Year!

April 27 to May 12: **HMS Pinafore** Join the Captain, the Admiral, dear little Buttercup in this Gilbert & Sullivan operetta.

### ONE YELLOW RABBIT

All shows at Big Secret Theatre, Arts Commons, 205 8th Ave. S.E. 403-264-3224, [oyr.org](http://oyr.org)

Jan. 5-28: **32nd Annual High Performance Rodeo** Featuring theatre, music, dance, and multidisciplinary art, the High Performance Rodeo animates the city with an array of live performances from around the world. Various venues.

### PEGASUS PERFORMANCES

Murder mystery dinner theatre. 403-246-4811, [greatfun.ca](http://greatfun.ca)

Dates TBA: Comic murder mystery dinner theatre at Century Downs Casino and other locales.

### ROSEBUD THEATRE

All shows at Rosebud Theatre, 102 Railway Ave., Rosebud, Alta. 1-800-267-7553, [rosebudtheatre.com](http://rosebudtheatre.com)

Sept. 22 to Oct. 28: **The Christians**

Is there really a hell? This is not a question Pastor Paul’s congregation has ever considered. But at the mortgage-burning celebration for their new church, the question changes everything.

Nov. 10 to Dec. 23: **Cariboo Magi** A bedraggled troupe of players travel by camel through deep snow to take the stage in B.C.’s Cariboo region on Christmas Eve. The result is a sublime and hilarious evening.

### SAGE THEATRE

All shows at West Village Theatre, 2007 10th Ave. S.W. 403-264-7243, [sagetheatre.com](http://sagetheatre.com)

Sept. 14-24: **Apple** Out of a job and with his marriage in trouble, Andy meets a mysterious young woman whom he looks to for salvation.

March 22-31: **69: Legislating Love & The Everett Klippert Story** A young historian becomes fascinated with the case of Everett Klippert, the last person to be jailed for homosexuality in Canada.

June 3-10: **Ignite! Festival of Emerging Artists** Festival presents exciting work from new voices. Take in the bleeding edge of the theatre, music, dance and the arts.

### SCORPIO THEATRE

All shows at Pumphouse Theatre, 2140 Pumphouse Ave. S.W. [scorpio.ca](http://scorpio.ca)

Oct. 6-14: **Jaan** Dr. Bennett’s career is marred by disappointment, failure, and ridicule. His discovery of a living mermaid—one of the fabled mermaids of Lake Minnewanka—will either bring fame or more derision.

Date TBA, Winter: **1984** George Orwell’s classic is once again timely.

Date TBA, Spring: **The Old Sad Songs** A woman and a country singer who have had a long correspondence see their relationship take on characteristics of his songs.

### THE SHAKESPEARE COMPANY

Shows at Vertigo Studio Theatre, 115 9th Ave. S.E., unless otherwise noted. 403-852-2273, [shakespearecompany.com](http://shakespearecompany.com)

Sept. 21 to Oct. 7: **Julius Caesar** Caesar’s military victories leave him with absolute political power. That is until Brutus and his co-conspirators begin plotting. March 15-31: **King Lear** The monarch’s decision to divide his kingdom between his daughters has disastrous repercussions.

May 17 to June 2: **Much Ado About Nothing** Beatrice and Benedict match wits before realizing they are a love match.

## STAGE WEST

Dinner theatre. 727 42nd Ave. S.E.  
403-243-6642, [stagewestcalgary.com](http://stagewestcalgary.com)

Sept. 8 to Nov. 12: **I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change** An hilarious revue that takes on the truths and myths behind that contemporary conundrum known as "the relationship."

Nov. 17 to Feb. 4: **Pure '90s** Featuring the most memorable music of the decade "that still feels like yesterday."

Feb. 9 to April 15: **Baskerville: A Sherlock Holmes Mystery** Comedic genius Ken Ludwig transforms Arthur Conan Doyle's classic *The Hound of the Baskervilles* into a murderously funny adventure.

April 20 to June 24: **Legally Blonde** The musical based on the popular movie will take you from the sorority house to the halls of justice with Broadway's brightest new heroine and her chihuahua, Bruiser.

June 29 to Sept. 2: **Red Rock Diner** Five teens come of age while DJ Red Robinson plays the biggest hits of the 1950s. From "Great Balls of Fire" and "Jailhouse Rock" to "Diana" and "Crying," this infectious musical captures the excitement

and innocence of the burgeoning rock 'n' roll scene.

## THEATRE CALGARY

All shows at Max Bell Theatre, Arts Commons, 205 8th Ave. S.E., unless otherwise noted. 403-294-7447, [theatrecalgary.com](http://theatrecalgary.com)

Sept. 5-30: **Blow Wind High Water** Sharon Pollock's latest is uniquely Calgarian story of a family coming together as the flood waters rise.

Sept. 26 to Oct. 7: **Touch Me: Songs for a (Dis)Connected Age** This modern musical revue impresses with its soaring vocals and refreshing depictions of our most private technological transgressions. Presented in conjunction with Forte Musical Theatre in the Big Secret Theatre, Arts Commons.

Oct. 10 to Nov. 4: **Sisters: The Belles Soeurs Musical** A musical based on Michel Tremblay's iconic work. In 1960s Montreal, Germaine Lauzon, a working-class housewife, has just won a jackpot of one million trading stamps. But who can she trust when her jealous family and neighbours come over for a stamp-sticking party?

Nov. 23 to Dec. 24: **A Christmas**

Carol Stephen Hair returns as Ebenezer Scrooge in the annual production of Dickens' classic tale.

Jan. 5-13: **Onegin** The rock musical is an inspired retelling of Pushkin's classic tale of love and sorrow. Presented by the Arts Club Theatre as part of the High Performance Rodeo.

Jan. 30 to Feb. 24: **Twelfth Night** As imagined by The Old Trout Puppet Workshop, this refreshing take on Shakespeare's classic comedy will leave you rolling in the aisles.

March 6-31: **The Humans** Peer inside a tenement apartment in New York City's Chinatown as the Blake family gathers for Thanksgiving. It isn't long until old tensions boil over and personal secrets are laid on the table.

April 17 to May 19: **The Secret Garden** The classic children's book comes beautifully to life in this stunning Broadway musical.

**THEATRE JUNCTION** All shows at Theatre Junction Grand, 608 1st St. S.W. 403-205-2922, [theatrejunction.com](http://theatrejunction.com)

Oct. 18-21: **Thus Spoke Daniel** Léveillé Danse presents a performance that breaks the confines

of dance, provokes thought and is devilishly sexy.

Jan. 24-27: **MDLSX** The Italian theatre company Motus presents its genre-blurring multimedia performance that deals with gender and sexuality.

Spring 2018: **Wrought** Rachid Ouramdane is an innovative choreographer whose new work features two dancers and a series of haunting solo pieces.

## U OF C SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS

Shows at Reeve Theatre, University of Calgary, unless otherwise noted. 403-220-7202, [scpa.ucalgary.ca](http://scpa.ucalgary.ca)

Nov. 24 to Dec. 2: **Metamorphoses** Set in and around a large pool of water, Mary Zimmerman's *Metamorphoses* is an alluring and magical piece of theatre that retells several of the myths from Ovid's seminal poem.

Feb. 9-17: **Conduct** A hybrid performance/event inspired by the enigmatic life and career of Henry Cowell, one of the most influential American composers of the 20th century.

## URBAN STORIES THEATRE

403-831-0031, [urbanstoriestheatre.org](http://urbanstoriestheatre.org)

Oct. 15-28: **The Mary Mink Story** By Marla Crooks. At Motel Theatre, Arts Commons.

Feb. 13-17: **The Just Acts Play Fest** At Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W.

March. 4-17: **Queen of the Ring** By Wendy Froberg. At Motel Theatre, Arts Commons.

**VERB THEATRE** All shows at Motel, Arts Commons. 403-294-9494, [verbtheatre.com](http://verbtheatre.com)

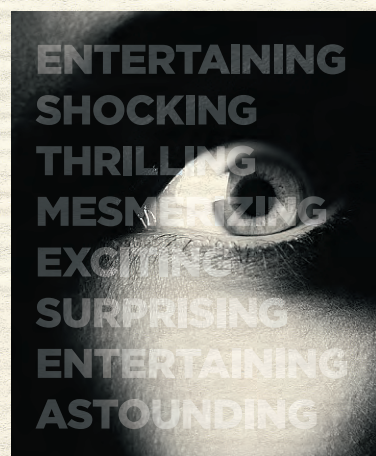
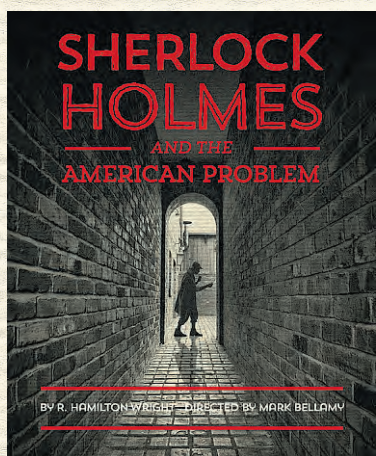
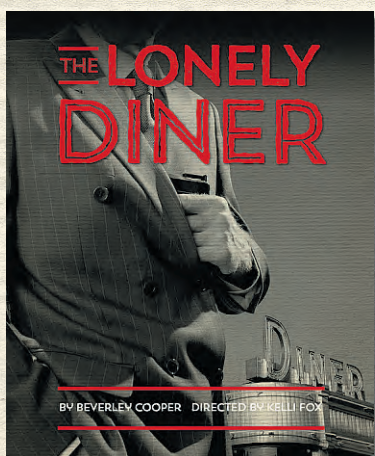
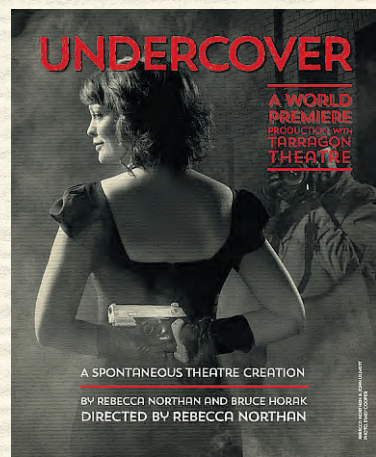
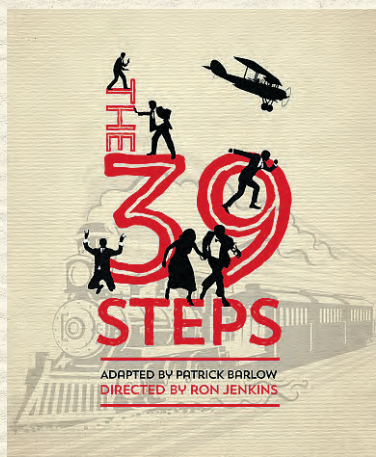
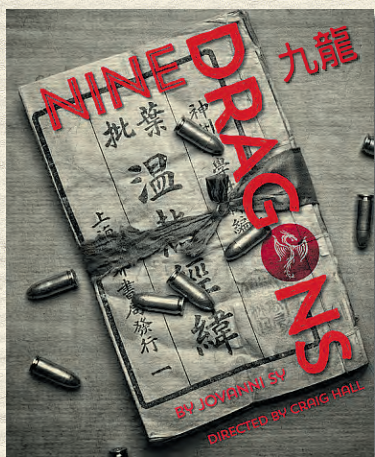
Nov. 9-18: **Blackbird** Twelve years after their illegal relationship, a woman returns to confront the man she loved.

March 22-31: **Easter Island** A magical and immersive theatrical experience about the imprints we leave behind.

## VERTIGO MYSTERY THEATRE

All shows at Vertigo Theatre Centre, 115 9th Ave. S.E. 403-221-3708, [vertigotheatre.com](http://vertigotheatre.com)

Sept. 16 to Oct. 15: **Nine Dragons** When an upper-class European girl is found murdered on the seedy side



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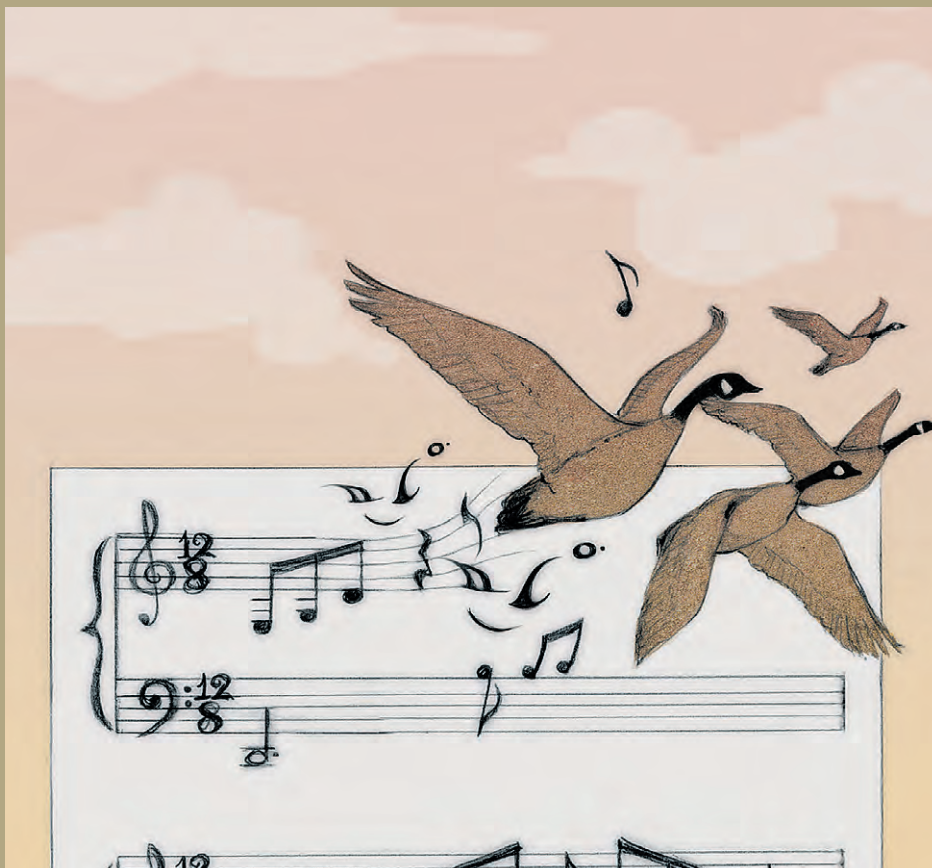
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# Classical / Choral / Opera



## SOLID CITIZENS

The Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra is both a pillar of the community and a good host. The former status is achieved by lending its talents to organizations like Calgary Opera and Alberta Ballet when they are in need of live music.

This year, that list expands to include the Calgary International Film Festival and its presentation of *La La Land* with a live soundtrack (Sept. 21). As for being a gracious host, the CPO this season welcomes the likes of **Jan Lisiecki** (Sept. 29 and 30), **Kronos Quartet** (Oct. 13 and 14), **Fred Penner** (Oct. 22), **Yo-Yo Ma** (Dec. 7 and 8) and even figure skater **Jamie Salé**, who presents *Music of the Ice: Skating's Greatest Hits* (Oct. 20 and 21).

The highlight of the fall may well be *True North: Symphonic Ballet*,

a CPO commission that celebrates the 150th anniversary of Confederation. The work is a collaboration between five Canadian composers and the choreographer Yukichi Hattori.

The **Calgary Opera** season kicks off with *The Barber of Seville* (Nov. 18, 22 and 24) but its first public event is the *Grand Salute to Bob McPhee*, who is stepping down as general director and CEO after 19 years. The event goes Oct. 3 and features an impressive array of singers, including **Tracy Dahl**, **Andrea Hill**, **John Tessier** and **Brett Polegato**. All proceeds from the evening will go to Calgary Opera's endowment for new works and emerging artists, which is only fitting given that McPhee championed both during his tenure. —*B.W.*

of Kowloon Bay, ambitious Chinese police detective Tommy Lam is on the case. But faced with corruption and the prejudice of his superiors, how far will Tommy go in the pursuit of justice?

Nov. 11 to Dec. 16: **The 39 Steps** Alfred Hitchcock's film comes to the stage courtesy of a talented cast of four playing more than 150 zany characters.

Jan. 13 to Feb. 11: **Undercover** Rebecca Northan, creator of *Blind Date*, and her partners in improvisational crime are looking to recruit one intrepid audience member for an undercover ride into the criminal mind.

Jan. 23-27: **True Crime** Presented as part of the High Performance Rodeo. Musician and provocateur Torquil Campbell explores the psyche of con man Clark Rockefeller. What does it mean for an excellent fabulator to embody an excellent fabulator? And does an intricate con differ that much from a successful work of art?

March 10 to April 8: **The Lonely Diner** In a quiet diner in rural Canada diner, Lucy yearns for the glitz and excitement of America's roaring cities. But the excitement and danger finds her in the form of an infamous gangster who comes to town.

May 12 to June 10: **Sherlock Holmes and the American Problem** The year is 1887, the occasion is Queen Victoria's Jubilee, and American performer Anne Moses (a.k.a. Annie Oakley) needs the help of the World's Greatest Detective.

## CHILDREN'S THEATRE

**CALGARY INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL**  
403-294-7414, [calgarykidsfest.ca](http://calgarykidsfest.ca)

May 23-26: Local, national and international artists create an extraordinary cultural community in and around Arts Commons.

## CALGARY YOUNG PEOPLE'S THEATRE

All shows at West Village Theatre, 2007 10th Ave. S.W., unless otherwise noted. 403-242-7118, [cypt.ca](http://cypt.ca)

Oct. 20-28: **Unity (1918)** In this dark comedy, a small Saskatchewan town is hit by a devastating flu and the citizens begin to turn on each other.

Nov. 23 to Dec. 2: **Grounded** A teen comedy that welcomes audiences to Sir Richard Falls Academy. Rebuild, repair, reform. No one shall leave as they came. March 1-10: **Peter Pan** J.M. Barrie's original script comes to life in this hilarious and magical production featuring youth performers.

April 18 to May 5: **The Probably**

**True (but also not) Adventures of the Imaginary Book Club** A literary adventure for young audiences, touring to Calgary Public Libraries.

May 2-5: **Cannonball** A festival of youth-created theatre.

## COCHRANE VISION THEATRE

Shows at Cochrane Rancho House, 101 RanchoHouse Rd. [cochranevisiontheatre.com](http://cochranevisiontheatre.com)

Dec. 1-10: **Treasure Island, A Pantomime** A show comprising slapstick humour, songs, dance and plenty of audience participation.

## LOOSE MOOSE THEATRE FOR KIDS

2nd Floor, Crossroads Market, 1235 26th Ave. S.E. 403-265-5682, [loosemoose.com](http://loosemoose.com)

Sept. 23 to Oct. 15: **Robin Hood**

Nov. 4-26: **The Frog Prince**

Jan. 27 to Feb. 18: **Sleeping Beauty**

April 7-29: **TBA**

## STORYBOOK THEATRE

All shows at Beddington Heights Community Arts Centre, 375 Bermuda Dr. N.W. unless otherwise noted. 403-216-0808, [storybooktheatre.org](http://storybooktheatre.org)

Until Sept. 9: **West Side Story** One of the great musicals of the 20th century is a love story set on opposite sides of a turf war between the Sharks and the Jets.

Sept. 20 to Oct. 14: **Pinkalicious** This musical, based on the book by Victoria and Elizabeth Kann, tells the tale of a girl who turns pink after being unable to stop eating pink cupcakes. At Engineered Air Theatre, Arts Commons.

Oct. 20 to Nov. 11: **Madagascar** This musical follows the gang as they escape from the zoo and find themselves on an unexpected journey to the madcap world of King Julien's Madagascar.

Nov. 24 to Dec. 30: **The Wizard of Oz** The classic tale of Dorothy's travels over the rainbow.

Nov. 30 to Dec. 17: **A Charlie Brown Christmas** A two-act musical that features highlights from the *You're A Good Man Charlie Brown* and the TV special *A Charlie Brown Christmas*. At Vertigo Studio Theatre.

Feb. 9-24: **The Outsiders** S.E. Hinton's classic tale comes to the stage.

March 9-24: **To Dream Again** A magical tale that sees a nine-year-old girl use stories in an attempt to have her parents recapture the moment when they were young and in love.

April 5-8: **Invincible You, Invincible Me** A one-act cabaret that mixes popular song with personal stories of bullying and negative self-image.

April 20 to May 5: **Huck Finn** Mark Twain's classic tale of adventure and vital life lessons.

May 18 to June 9: **Mary Poppins** A musical adaptation of the Disney classic.

June 8-17: **Ty Rex: King of Third Grade** Ty is an average third grader. He's got an overactive imagination, he loves dinosaurs, and he's got one week to create an epic story with his archenemy.

## CLASSICAL/ CHORAL/ OPERA

### BANFF CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

All shows at Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff, Alta. unless otherwise noted. 403-762-6301, [banffcentre.ca/events](http://banffcentre.ca/events)

Sept. 29: **New Canadian Global Music Orchestra** At Studio Bell, 850 4th St. S.E.; Oct. 6: **Banff Musicians In Residence**; Oct. 13: **Tariq Harb**; Oct. 27: **Jean Derome**; Nov. 10: **Michailo Babiak**; Nov. 24: **Doug Cox**; Dec. 1: **Don Henry**; Jan. 12: **Banff Musicians in Residence**; Jan. 19: **Katherine Chi**; Jan. 26: **Banff Musicians in Residence**; Feb. 2: **Caroline Shaw**; Feb. 9: **Peggy Lee**; Feb. 13: **Pedja Muzijevic: Solo Piano**; Feb. 16, 23 and 27: **Concert in the 21st Century**; Feb. 22: **In Performance: Pro Coro Canada**; Feb. 24: **Pro Coro Canada and Participants from Choral Art**; March 1, 4 and 10: **Choral Art**; March 2: **Concert in the 21st Century**.

### CALGARY BACH SOCIETY

Performances at Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W. 403-451-8287, [calgarybachsociety.com](http://calgarybachsociety.com)

Nov. 19: **J.S. Bach & 500 Years of Reformation** Featuring vocalists Jonquil Koddo, David Fertal, Tyler Fitzgerald, and 2017 Vocal Scholarship Winner Justine Pariag.

March 25: **J.S. Bach-The Six Motets** Presenting Bach's six authenticated motets.

### CALGARY BOYS' CHOIR

403-440-8422, [calgaryboyschoir.com](http://calgaryboyschoir.com)

Oct. 29: **Free Halloween Concert** Dress up in costume and be entered into a draw for a prize. At Strathcona Christie Aspen Community Centre, 277 Strathcona Dr. S.W.

Dec. 3: **Calgary Boys' Choir Christmas** An afternoon of traditional favorites and sing along carols. At

Bethany Chapel, 3333 Richardson Way S.W.

### CALGARY CIVIC SYMPHONY

Performances at Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons, 205 8th Ave. S.E. 403-670-5430, [calgarycivicsymphony.ca](http://calgarycivicsymphony.ca)

Oct. 29: **Oh! Canada** Featuring Canadian pianist Stewart Goodyear.

Dec. 10: **IceTime** Celebrate the Canadian winter with music from the rink and seasonal sing-along favourites.

Feb. 11: **Festival da Musica** Featuring the University of Calgary String Quartet.

April 15: **Stars and Stripes** Featuring CPO concertmaster Diana Cohen and an enhanced and eclectic orchestra.

June 10: **Rising Stars** Featuring winners of the 2018 Calgary Converto Competition

### CALGARY MULTICULTURAL CHOIR

Performances at River Park Church, 3818 14A St. S.W. 403-249-2629, [calgarymulticulturalchoir.ca](http://calgarymulticulturalchoir.ca)

Dec. 9: **The Joys of December** Featuring familiar and new selections celebrating the joys of the festive season, and the Canadian winter.

### CALGARY OPERA

Performances at the Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. 403-262-7286, [calgaryopera.com](http://calgaryopera.com)

Nov. 18, 22 and 24: **The Barber of Seville** Escape into the hilarious high-jinx of Count Almaviva, as he plots against Doctor Bartolo to win the love of the beautiful Rosina.

Feb. 3, 7 and 9: **Eugene Onegin** Tatyana is introduced to the Onegin and falls in love. He coldly rejects her. His choice to flirt with Olga, fiancée of his friend Lensky, results in a heart-stopping duel between the two. Years later, Onegin realizes he loves Tatyana, however it is too late.

April 14, 18 and 20: **Tosca** Escape into this love triangle as Tosca, a famous opera singer, becomes the object of affection of two men, Scarpia, the Chief of Police and her true love, Cavardossi, a famous painter.

### CALGARY PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL

Performances at various venues at the Mount Royal University campus. 403-283-6009, [calgarykiwanisfestival.ca](http://calgarykiwanisfestival.ca)

April 23 to May 12: Enjoy this family-friendly event that is Calgary's premier amateur performing arts festival. From music to spoken word, these performers will wow you.

### CALGARY PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

Performances at Jack Singer Concert Hall,

Arts Commons, 205 8th Ave. S.E., unless otherwise noted. 403-571-0849, [cpo-live.com](http://cpo-live.com)

**BACH@KNOX FESTIVAL** Performances at Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W.

May 24: **Bach & Telemann**; May 25: **Neil Cockburn Plays Bach Organ Classics**; May 26: **Bach & Handel: Brandenburg II & Water Music**.

### CALGARY PHIL PRESENTS

Oct. 12: **Fifty for the Future with Kronos Quartet**; Feb. 28: **Time For Three**; May 9: **Fauré Requiem: Luminous Voices & The Calgary Philharmonic Chorus**

### DISCOVERY

Nov. 25: **Greatest Classical Hits**; Jan. 27: **The Best of Tchaikovsky**; March. 10: **Tchaikovsky & Saint-Saëns** With Diana Cohen; April 28: **The Great Human Odyssey**.

### THE MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS

Nov. 30 to Dec. 2: **A Traditional Christmas**. At Grace Presbyterian Church, 1009 15th Ave. S.W.; Dec. 1-2: **Handel's Messiah**; Dec. 3: **Sing-Along Messiah**; Dec. 8-9: **A Swinging Little Christmas with Tony Desare**; Dec. 13-14: **A Jann Arden Christmas**; Jan. 1: **Salute to Vienna New Year's Concert**.

### MASTERWORKS

Sept. 29-30: **Brahms and Mahler** With Jan Lisiecki; Oct. 26: **National Arts Centre Orchestra: Life Reflected**; Oct. 28: **True North: Symphonic Ballet**; Jan. 19-20: **Mendelssohn Hymn of Praise**; March 2-3: **Tchaikovsky & Rachmaninoff**; May 11-12: **Mozart & Bruckner**.

### POPS

Oct. 20-21: **Music of the Ice: Skating's Greatest Hits**; Dec. 8-9: **A Swinging Little Christmas with Tony Desare**; Feb. 23-24: **Rock On! The Best Symphonic Rock Ever**; April 6-7: **My Favourite Things! Celebrating the Music of Julie Andrews**; May 4-5: **Fandango: Sizzling Flamenco**; June 8-9: **If it Ain't Got That Swing!**

### RUSH HOUR

Nov. 23: **Blockbusters You Know & Love**; Jan. 26: **From Russia With Love: Tchaikovsky**; March 9: **Diana Cohen in Concert**; April 27: **The Great Human Odyssey**.

### SHOWCASE

Oct. 13-14: **New World: Symphony and Kronos Quartet**; Nov. 10-11: **Afghanistan: Requiem for a Generation**; Feb. 16-17: **Romantic Rachmaninoff** With Luca Burretti; March 23-24: **Beethoven, Mendelssohn and Schumann**; June 1: **Take Flight: The Firebird and Cantus Arcticus**.

### SYMPHONY SUNDAY FOR THE KIDS

Oct. 22: **Fred Penner With Orchestra**; Feb. 25: **Bach to the Future**; April 29: **The Great Human Odyssey**; June 3: **Wall-To-Wall Percussion**.

### SPECIALS

Sept. 21: **La La Land**; Sept. 22: **A Taste of the Calgary Philharmonic**; Oct. 6-7: **Disney in Concert: The Little Mermaid**; Nov. 2: **Corb Lund**; Nov. 3: **Michael Bernard Fitzgerald** with Orchestra; Dec. 7-8: **Yo-Yo Ma in Concert**; Jan. 13: **The Tenors**. At Southern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W.; Feb. 10: **A Symphonic Tribute to Prince**; March 16-17: **Natalie MacMaster** with Orchestra; April 5: **Roby Lakatos in Concert**; April 21: **That's my Jam: Adele to Pharrell**; May 18-19: **Harry Potter and The Philosopher's Stone In Concert**. At Southern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W.; June 15-16: **Ode to Joy**; June 20-21: **Pops in the Park**. At Heritage Park, 1900 Heritage Dr. S.W.; June 23: **Owen Pallett in Concert**.

### TRUE NORTH FESTIVAL

Oct. 12: **Fifty for the Future** With Kronos Quartet; Oct. 13-14: **New World Symphony and Kronos Quartet**; Oct. 20-21: **Music of Ice: Skating's Greatest Hits**; Oct. 22: **Fred Penner** With orchestra; Oct. 26: **National Centre Orchestra: Life Reflected**; Oct. 27: **The Road to the True North**; Oct. 28: **True North: Symphonic Ballet**; Nov. 2: **Corb Lund**; Nov. 3: **Michael Bernard Fitzgerald** With orchestra; Nov. 8: **Land's End Ensemble**. At National Music Centre, 850 4th St. S.E.; Nov. 10-11: **Afghanistan: Requiem for a Generation**.

### CALGARY PRO MUSICA SOCIETY

Performances at the Rozsa Centre, U of C. 403-244-8277, [calgarypromusica.ca](http://calgarypromusica.ca)

### MASTERS SERIES

Oct. 1-2: **Brentano String Quartet** with Hsin-Yun Huang, viola; Nov. 12-13: **Ensemble Masques**; Jan. 21-22: **Ariel Quartet**; March 11-12: **Weiss-Kaplan-Stumpf Trio**; April 29-30: **Dover and Pacifica String Quartets**.

### HORIZONS SERIES

Oct 21: **The Food of Love: Songs, Dances, and Fancies for Shakespeare** Featuring Baltimore Consort; Feb. 10: **Banff International String Quartet Competition Winner** Featuring Rolston Quartet; April 8: **Paddle to the Sea** Featuring Third Coast Percussion.

Feb. 4: **Talmon Hertz Legacy Series Family Concert** Tyrannosaurus Sue: A Cretaceous Concerto.

May 7: **Dick Matthews Young Artists Development Program** Young artists debut concert.

### CALGARY RENAISSANCE SINGERS & PLAYERS

Performances at St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W., unless otherwise noted. [renaissance-singers.com](http://renaissance-singers.com)

Dec. 10: **Exultate and Rejoice!** With guest performer Katie Partridge and the CRSP Players. At St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W.

May 6: **Spring Concert** A concert of the madrigals (and more) of Monteverdi and his contemporary Salamone Rossi. At St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W.

June 19: **Special Concert** Featuring Los Angeles Zimriyah Chorale and Spiritus Chamber Choir. At Beth Tzedek Synagogue, 1325 Glenmore Tr. S.W.

### CALGARY SOCIETY OF ORGANISTS

Performances at Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W. [rccocalgary.org](http://rccocalgary.org)

Sept. 23: **Rashaan Allwood in Recital** Organist Rashaan Allwood comes to Calgary to perform on the mighty Casavant pipe organ.

### CALGARY WIND SYMPHONY

Performances at Rozsa Centre, U of C. 403-214-7571, [calgarywindsymphony.com](http://calgarywindsymphony.com)

Nov. 5: **Comrades: Chamber Music from Eastern Europe**

Dec. 17: **Frozen** With special guests Foothills Brass.

March 18: **Symphonic Masterworks III** With special guests Adam Zinatelli and Miranda Canonico, trumpets.

June 17: **Johnny in June!** With special guest Johnny Summers.

### CANTARÉ CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Performances at Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W., unless otherwise noted. 403-685-1132, [cantarechildrenschoir.org](http://cantarechildrenschoir.org)

Oct. 14: **Cantaré Children's Choir in Concert**

Nov. 11: **A Grateful Nation Remembers** Honour those valiant Canadians who have served our country. At Field of Crosses, Memorial Drive.

Dec. 16: **A Time of Snow** Bask in the glow of candlelight as the angelic sound of children's voices sing the glorious music of the season.

March 3: **Man Enough to Sing** Men, it's time to get out of the shower and sing with an amazing group of gentlemen. One rehearsal. One per-

formance. At St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W.

March 10: **Cantaré Children's Choir in Concert**

May 5: **Cantaré Children's Choir in Concert** At St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W.

June 9: **Cantaré Children's Choir in Concert**

### CLASSICAL GUITAR SOCIETY OF CALGARY

*Knox Presbyterian Church, 3704 37th St. S.W., otherwise noted. 587-435-7170, classicalguitarsocietyofcalgary.com*

Oct. 14: **Iliana Matos**; Nov. 24: **Sylvain Bergeron**. At St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W.; Feb. 10: **Beijing Guitar Duo**; March 17: **Fabio Zanon**; April 7: **Xavier Jara**; May 12: **CGSC Showcase Concert**.

### CONSERVATORY AT MOUNT ROYAL UNIVERSITY

*All shows at Bella Concert Hall, MRU. 403-440-7770, tickets.mru.ca.*

**SINGLE CONCERTS** Nov. 5: **Calgary Korean Orchestra** At Leacock Theatre, MRUWYATT SERIES Oct. 4: **Israeli Chamber Project**; Jan. 21: **Antonio Pompa-Baldi**; April 22: **Johannes Moser and Andrei Korobeinikov**.

### EARLY MUSIC VOICES

*Performances at Christ Church Elbow Park, 3602 8th St. S.W. 403-461-7726, earlymusicvoices.ca*

Oct. 20: **Cantores: Ensemble Diabolous in Musica** Featuring music from the manuscripts of the Pope's chapel in Avignon, including many works that have not been sung since the 14th century.

Jan. 27: **Traces: The Many Colours of Medieval Song** Katherine Hill seeks to restore the human expression, life and colour to songs of the distant past.

March 3: **Of Gods, Myths and Musicians** Violinist Paul Luchkow and harpsichordist Michael Jarvis present an evening of virtuoso 18th-century sonatas in a program including works by Telemann, Handel, and Biber.

April 15: **Bach: Magnificat** Alberta's new period instrument ensemble, Rosa Barocca, led by Claude Lapalme, will be joined by VoiceScapes and other local singers for a performance of beautiful "Magnificat" and "Cantata No. 106" by J.S. Bach.

### THE FESTIVAL CHORUS

*Performances at Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W. unless otherwise noted. 403-294-9494, thefestivalchorus.com*

Nov. 25: **I Christmas in Seville** Joyous choral works with instrumental

ensemble featuring festive Spanish carols, Baroque motets, favorites like Feliz Navidad, A La Nanita Nana and an audience sing-along.

March 3: **A Whole New World** The world of children celebrated in selections ranging from Brahms, Mozart, Beethoven, Copland to the beloved music from Disney movies. At Eckhardt-Gramatté Hall, Rozsa Centre, U of C.

April 21: **Haydn's the Creation** A beloved choral masterwork with The Festival Chamber Orchestra and guest soloists telling the Genesis story.

### HIGH RIVER GIFT OF MUSIC SOCIETY

*Performances at High River United Church, 123 Macleod Trail. S.W., High River, Alta. 403-652-2895, highrivergiftofmusic.com*

Sept. 30: **Gypsies, Troubadours, and Tangos Isabel** Featuring Isabel Bayrakdarian, soprano.

Oct. 28: **The Art of the Piano** Featuring Luca Buratto, piano.

Dec. 10: **A Special Celebration of Christmas**

Jan. 26: **The Joy of Sax Proteus Saxophone Quartet**

March 10: **Violins and Piano** A New Twist Chooi Brothers and Philip Chiu.

April 28: **Young Musicians Extraordinaire** Featuring Luka Coetzee, cello and Jacques Forestier, violin.

### THE INSTRUMENTAL SOCIETY OF CALGARY

*All performances at St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W. 1-844-598-1273, instrumentalsociety.ca*

Oct. 1: **Wind Energy** Featuring a number of Calgary Philharmonic wind players and the ISC's Artistic Director, Rolf Bertsch.

Nov. 5: **Green Bananas** Journey from the beautiful, idiomatic and passionate writing of Piazzolla, to the many various techniques and forms of this unique instrumental mix in *Crumb's An Idyll for the Misbegotten* and Hatzis' *Arctic Dreams*.

Jan. 21: **Canadian Images** Featuring Calgary's oldest professional chamber ensemble, Ensemble Resonance.

Dec. 3: **Duo Solista**

### KENSINGTON SINFONIA

*Performances at Hope Lutheran Church, 3527 Boulton Rd. N.W. 403-451-8287, kensingtonsinfonia.ca*

Nov. 5: **The Nations** Telemann's charming suite of baroque character-pieces and dances.

Feb. 11: **Triptych** Works by Canadian composer Elizabeth Knudson.

May 20: **Gordian Knot** Featured works include Purcell's Chaconne from "The Gordian Knot Untied", a new premiere from Donovan Seidle, and Philip Glass's Echorus for 2 violins.

### LUMINOUS VOICES

*All shows at Bella Concert Hall, MRU. 587-889-8370, luminousvoices.ca*

Oct. 15: **Arvo Pärt's: Berliner Messe** Choral works by Swiss composer Frank Martin and modern master Arvo Pärt, rounding off the program with pieces by Brahms and Tarik O'Regan.

Dec. 31: **A Luminous New Year's Eve** A concert of diverse choral music with chocolate and sparkling wine.

Feb. 25: **Leap of Faith** Featuring the premiere of a new work by Canadian composer Peter-Anthony Togni on the theme of "leap of faith". With Calgary flautists Sara Hahn and Sarah Gieck for the first time.

### MOUNTAIN VIEW CONNECTION

*Performances at Christ Church Elbow Park, 3602 8th St. S.W., unless otherwise noted. 403-240-4174, mountainviewconnection.com*

Dec. 3-4: **Sea Fever** Songs and chamber music inspired by the sea At Lougheed House, 707 13th Ave. S.W.

Feb. 11: **Faded Memories** Songs for ghosts and for those now gone.

June 10: **Dream With Me: Composers' Love Songs** Featuring love songs by famous composers.

### MOUNT ROYAL KANTOREI

*Performances at Christ Church Elbow Park, 3602 8th St. S.W. 403-440-8509, mtroyal.ca/kantorei*

Nov. 27: **Canada 150 - Celebrating Canadian Songs and Composers** Selections highlight Canada's diverse cultural regions, with composers from each province and territory, emphasis on classical composers, along with some Canadiana.

### ONE VOICE CHORUS

*Performances at St. Stephen's Anglican Church, 1121 14th Ave. S.W. onevoicechorus.ca*

November: **Collaborations I: Circle of Love, Circle of Respect**

March: **March Forth Dinner Party**

April: **Collaborations II: Powerful Words, Powerful Love**

### PRO ARTS SOCIETY

*Wednesdays at Cathedral Church of the Redeemer, 218 7th Ave. S.E. 403-269-1904, proartssociety.ca*

Sept. 13: **Claire Butler (piano) with Matt Heller (double bass)**; Sept. 27:

**Aya Mhana (Syrian singer/song-writer)**.

### HARRY AND MARTHA COHEN FOUNDATION EMERGING ARTIST SERIES

Sept. 20: **Anastassia Moussatova and guests (flamenco music and dance)**; Oct. 18: **Mosaic String Quartet**.

### NICKLE FAMILY FOUNDATION YOUNG ARTIST CONCERT SERIES

Sept. 27: **Aya Mhana (Syrian folk)**; Oct. 4: **William Friedson (piano)**; Nov. 15: **Calgary Performing Arts Festival 2017 award winner**.

### SPIRITUS CHAMBER CHOIR

*403-922-7021, spirituschamberchoir.ca*

Sept. 24: **Connect...Create III** With the Calgary Girls' Choir, and Beaker-head. Audiences explore concepts of sound and song, and examine how our bodies respond to music. At Eckhardt-Gramatté Hall, U of C.

Dec. 9: **A Spiritus Christmas** With Foothills Brass. Bring the family and enjoy the sounds of the season. At Cathedral Church of the Redeemer, 604 1 St. S.E.

March 18: **G.F. Handel's Alexander's Feast** At Bella Concert Hall, MRU.

### U OF C DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

*Performances at various venues around U of C. 403-210-7576, scp.uocalgary.ca*

### FACULTY & FRIENDS CONCERT SERIES

Oct. 28: **The Double Hook**; Nov. 25: **UCalgary Global Village Band**; Dec. 7: **A Celebration of Bartok III**.

### SINGLE CONCERTS

Sept. 15: **Fulbright Scholar Jack Wilkins**; Oct. 12: **UCalgary Wind Ensemble and Symphonic Band**; Nov. 8: **UCalgary Jazz Orchestra**; Nov. 15: **University Chorus**; Nov. 16: **UCalgary Orchestra**; Nov. 17: **UCalgary Bass and Percussion**; Nov. 20: **2017 E-Gré Winner's Tour**; Nov. 21: **UCalgary Wind Ensemble**; Nov. 22: **UCalgary Guitar Ensemble**; Nov. 23: **UCalgary Chamber Music**; Nov. 24: **Chamber Choir & Voice Lab**; Nov. 27: **UCalgary Chamber Music**; Nov. 28: **UCalgary Collegium Musicum**; Nov. 29: **UCalgary Chamber Music**; Dec. 5: **UCalgary World Music Ensemble**; Dec. 6: **UCalgary Symphonic Band**.

### VOICESCAPES

*Performances at Christ Church Elbow Park, 3602 8th St. S.W. unless otherwise noted. 403-208-6094, voicescapes.ca*

Dec. 17: **Sing Along Messiah** A Calgary Christmas favorite featuring vocal soloists and chamber orchestra. At Knox United Church, 506 4th St. S.W.

Jan. 27: **The Many Colours of Medieval Song** Katherine Hill from Toronto leads the choir in a programme that seeks to explore the human expression, life, and colour to songs of the distant past.

April 15: **Bach - Magnificat** Presented by Early Music Voices Concert Series.

### WESTWINDS MUSIC SOCIETY

*Performances at McDougall United Church, 8516 Athabasca St. S.E. 403-255-3485, westwindsmusic.org*

Sept. 13: **Open House** At William Aberhart School, 3009 Morley Tr. N.W.

Nov. 20: **Fall Concert for all Concert Bands**. At Rozsa Centre, U of C.

Nov. 19 - 21: **Ironwood Jazz Concerts for all Jazz Bands**

Feb. 3: **Winter Choral Concert**

March: **30th Anniversary Gala Performance** At Jack Singer Concert Hall, 205 8th Ave. S.E.

## CONCERTS/ COMEDY

### SEPTEMBER

Sept. 1-3; Sept. 8-9: **Garth Brooks** At Scotiabank Saddledome. TM.

Sept. 2: **AJJ** At The Palomino, 109 7th Ave. S.W. myshowpass.com. **Justin Martin** At The Hifi Club, 219 10th Ave. S.W. TF. **Lam Phung va Nhung Cuoc Tinh** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM.

Sept. 3: **Coone** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. myshowpass.com.

Sept. 6: **Against Me!** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TF.

Sept. 7: **Neon Dreams with Beach Season** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

Sept. 8: **Simple Plan** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TM. **Yes** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Sept. 9: **Caspa** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. myshowpass.com. **Daggermouth** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. TF. **Havoc** At Distortion, 3828 Macleod Tr. S. myshowpass.com. **Oh Wonder** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. TF. **Skillet** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TM.

Sept. 11: **Com Truise + Nosaj Thing** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 12: **Daniel O'Donnell** At Jubilee



Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **New Swears** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

Sept. 13: **Bonobo** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. thisisblueprint.com. **I Love The 90s Tour** At WinSport Arena, Canada Olympic Park. TM.

Sept. 14-17: **FozzyFest** At Big Springs Campground, Lake Koochanusa, B.C. fozzyfest.com.

Sept. 15: **Fiver** At Hillhurst United Church, 1227 Kensington Close N.W. universe.com. **Mad Caddies** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 16: **Big Rock Barn Burner Concert** With The Sheepdogs, Scenic Route to Alaska and The Silkstones. At Big Rock Brewery, 5555 76th Ave. S.E. TF. **The Cave Singers** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TM. **Gareth Emery** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. thisisblueprint.com. **Googooosh** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **Lorrie Morgan & Pam Tillis-Grits & Glamour** At Deerfoot Inn & Casino, 11500 35th St. S.E. TF. **Rise Against** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM. **SkiTour** At The

Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 17: **The Sadies** At Theatre Junction Grand, 608 1st St. S.W.

Sept. 19: **Giuda** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 20: **Allan Rayman** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TM. **Ralph** At The Palomino, 109 7th Ave. S.W. ticketweb.ca.

Sept. 21: **Amy Helm** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF. **Jennifer Cardini** At The Hifi Club, 219 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 22: **Boney M** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM. **Goodwood Atoms** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM. **Voodoo Glow Skulls** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 23: **B.A. Johnston** At The Palomino, 109 7th Ave. S.W. myshowpass.com. **Elliott Brood** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TF. **State Champs** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TF.

Sept. 24: **Kacy & Clayton** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 25: **Dark Tranquility** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 25-26: **Elvis Presley Tribute** At Stage West, 727 42nd Ave. S.E.

Sept. 26: **Lisa LeBlanc** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF. **Nickelback** At Scotiabank Saddledome. TM.

Sept. 27: **Austra** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Sept. 27-29: **Feist** At Bella Concert Hall, MRU. TM.

Sept. 28: **Bliss N Eso** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM. **Steve Earle** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM.

Sept. 29: **Tech N9ne** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. myshowpass.com.

Sept. 30: **Billy Kenny** At The Hifi Club, 219 10th Ave. S.W. TF. **Comeback Kid** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

#### OCTOBER

Oct. 1: **I Prevail** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. TF.

Oct. 2: **The New Pornographers** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. TF.

Oct. 3: **Daniela Andrade** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM. **Joe Bonamassa** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **The Menzingers** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TF.

Oct. 4: **Jesus Piece** At The Palomino, 109 7th Ave. S.W. TF. **Richard Clayderman** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Oct. 6: **Mickey Avalon** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TF. **The Highest Order** At Nite Owl, 213 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Oct. 7: **Duke Dumont** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. myshowpass.com. **IKONS Kiss Tribute Band** At Deerfoot Inn & Casino, 11500 35th St. S.E. **Tei Shi** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TF. **TUNS** At The Hifi Club, 219 10th Ave. S.W. TF. **Wannabe: The Spice Girls Tribute Band** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

Oct. 9: **Bizarre Ride II The Pharcyde 25th Anniversary Tour** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. myshowpass.com.

Oct. 11: **The Bros. Landreth** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF. **Foreigner** At Jubilee Auditorium,

1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **Imagine Dragons** At Scotiabank Saddledome. TM. **Sarah Slean** At Theatre Junction Grand, 608 1st St. S.W.

Oct. 12: **Arcade Fire** At Scotiabank Saddledome. TM. **Boz Scaggs** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM. **Moulettes** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF.

Oct. 13: **Japandroids** At MacEwan Ballroom, U of C. TF.

Oct. 14: **Every Time I Die** At MacEwan Ballroom, U of C. TF. **Kings of Leon** At Scotiabank Saddledome. TM. **Sinjin Hawke & Zora Jones** At The Hifi Club, 219 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Oct. 15: **The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **Whitehorse** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TF.

Oct. 16: **Gavin DeGraw** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. myshowpass.com.

Oct. 17: **alt-J** At Big Four Building, Stampede Park. TM.

Oct. 18: **Chris de Burgh** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **Hey Ocean!** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF.



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# Concerts / Comedy



## THE BEAT GOES ON

One of the first highlights of the fall concert season is the **I Love the '90s** tour, with Vanilla Ice, Salt N Pepa, Rob Base, Young MC and Biz Markie appearing on Sept. 13 at WinSport Arena. But those who love other decades will also be well served. Fans of the 1970s in general and disco in particular will be enthused to see **Boney M** at the Grey Eagle Resort & Casino on Sept. 22; the 1980s are well-represented by **Gary Numan** (Nov. 24 at Commonwealth Bar & Stage) and '70s-holdover **Foreigner** (Oct. 11 at Jubilee Auditorium). Fans of music of a more recent vintage get breakout artists from the oughts like **Feist** (Sept. 27-29 at Bella Concert Hall) and **Arcade Fire** (Oct. 12 at Scotiabank Saddledome), while newcomers **Daniela Andrade** (Oct. 3 at The Gateway) and **Ralph** (Sept. 20 at The Palomino) hope to build a following

that will demand their appearances decades down the road.

Those whose fandom is constricted less by time than by genre will find solace in the city's many folk clubs. Mainstay **John Wort Hannam** makes a quartet of appearances—Jan. 26 at the Calgary Folk Club, Feb. 3 at Saturday Night Special, May 12 at the Bow Valley Music Club, and April 13 at Fish Creek Concerts for his annual ALS fundraiser "Songs for Ken"—while raucous west coasters **Tequila Mockingbird Orchestra** play just one night—Jan. 27—at the Nickelodeon Music Club.

Finally, the hep cats of jazz won't be disappointed. TD Jazz's season starts with a pair of luminaries in concert: **Hudson**, featuring drummer Jack DeJohnette (Oct. 17 at Jack Singer Concert Hall), and pianist **Ramsey Lewis** (Nov. 17). —*Jon Roe*

Oct. 20: **Flogging Molly** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TM.

Oct. 21: **Cattle Decapitation** At Dickens Pub, 1000 9th Ave. S.W. TF. **Single Mothers** At Nite Owl, 213 10th Ave. S.W. TF. **Trench Finger & The Path Less Traveled** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

Oct. 22: **The Mavericks** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Oct. 23: **The Deep Dark Woods** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF.

Oct. 24: **Hockey Dad** At Nite Owl, 213 10th Ave. S.W. TF. **Martha Wainwright** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TF.

Oct. 27: **Cemetery of Sound: dead-mau5** At BMO Centre, Stampede Park. TM. **Jeffery Straker** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF.

Oct. 28: **Big Sugar** At Deerfoot Inn & Casino, 11500 35th St. S.E. TF. **Chris Lake with Dombresky** At The Hifi Club, 219 10th Ave. S.W. thisisblueprint.com. **The Dudes Annual Halloween Party** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM. **Silversun Pickups** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TM.

Oct. 29: **Gordon Lightfoot** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM. **Jesse Cook** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Oct. 30: **Tegan & Sara** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

### NOVEMBER

Nov. 2: **Birds of Chicago** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF.

Nov. 3: **David Myles** At Theatre Junction Grand, 608 1st St. S.W. **Nothing More** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TM. **Scott Helman & Ria Mae** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

Nov. 4: **The Glorious Sons** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TF. **In This Moment / Hollywood Undead** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. TF. **Let It Be** At Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons. **San Holo** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. thisisblueprint.com. **Sikdope** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. myshowpass.com.

Nov. 5: **Alex Cuba** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TF.

Nov. 6: **Yanni** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Nov. 7: **The Simon & Garfunkle Story** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Nov. 10: **Children of Bodom** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. TF.

Nov. 11: **Gwar** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W.

Nov. 12: **Lany** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. TF.

Nov. 14: **Halsey** At Scotiabank Saddledome. 7 p.m. TM.

Nov. 16: **Silverstein** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TF.

Nov. 18: **Current Swell** At Marquee Beer Market & Stage, 4630 Macleod Tr. S. TF.

Nov. 20: **Arch Enemy & Trivium** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TF.

Nov. 22: **Cold Specks** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TF.

Nov. 24: **Death From Above** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM. **Gary Numan** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. ticketweb.ca. **Seven Lions, Tritonal, & Kill The Noise** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. thisisblueprint.com. **William Prince with Justin Lacroix** At Festival Hall, 1215 10th Ave. S.E. TF.

Nov. 26: **Arnel Pineda** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM.

Nov. 29: **Brit Floyd** At Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons.

### DECEMBER

Dec. 1: **A Tribe Called Red** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. TM.

Dec. 2: **Charlie Brown's Christmas with Jerry Granelli** At Central United Church, 131 7th Ave. S.W. TF. **The Dead South** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TF. **The Legend of Zelda: Symphony of the Goddesses** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM. **Troyboi** At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. thisisblueprint.com.

Dec. 5: **Diana Krall** At Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons.

Dec. 12: **Colter Wall** At Commonwealth Bar & Stage, 731 10th Ave. S.W. TM.

Dec. 31: **The Trews** At Deerfoot Inn & Casino, 11500 35th St. S.E. TF.

## concert series

### BANFF CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

All shows at Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff, Alta. unless otherwise noted. 403-762-6301, banffcentre.ca/events

Sept. 10: **Randy Bachman**; Sept. 21: **Barry Walsh**; Sept. 30: **Sam Lundell**; Oct. 20: **Eliza Gilkyson**; Nov. 17: **Linda McRae**; Nov. 25: **The Barra MacNeils: An East Coast Christmas**; Dec. 1: **Don Henry**; Dec. 3: **Jerry Granelli Trio: A**

**Charlie Brown Christmas**; Dec. 8: **Jesse Zubot**; Dec. 17: **Tom Jackson: Christmas 150**; Jan. 14: **Harry Manx**; Jan. 20: **Frederick Gravel: Some Hope for the Bastards**; Jan. 26: **Banff Musicians in Residence**; Feb. 22: **Josh Ritter**; March 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 and 23: **Kevin Welch**; March 10, 17 and 24: **Kevin Welch, Neil Osborne, and Fats Kaplin**.

#### BERT CHURCH THEATRE

1000 East Lake Blvd., Airdrie, Alta.  
403-948-8824, [thebertchurchtheatre.com](http://thebertchurchtheatre.com)

Oct. 7: **Gerry Madigan**; Oct. 20: **Port Cities**; Oct. 24: **Fubuki Daiko—Japanese Drumming**; Nov. 2: **Double-Double Duo**; Nov. 3: **Megan Lane**; Nov. 18: **The Paperboys**; Dec. 1: **George Canyon Christmas Show**; Dec. 17: **Sons of Maxwell**; Jan. 15: **Lisa Loeb**; Jan. 25: **Jeffery Straker**; Feb. 14: **54-40 Unplugged**; Feb. 21: **Hank Williams Live - 1952**; April 7: **Prairie Mountain Fiddlers**; April 29: **John McDermott**; May 17: **Infinitus**.

#### BD&P WORLD MUSIC SERIES

Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons,  
205 8th Ave. S.E. 403-294-9494,  
[artscommons.ca](http://artscommons.ca)

Oct. 4: **PIAF! The Show**; Nov. 7: **The Sachal Ensemble—Song of Lahore**; Feb. 1: **Marc Cohn Anniversary Show** Featuring The Blind Boys of Alabama; March 8: **Lila Downs**; April 10: **CHE MALAMBO**.

#### BRAGG CREEK PERFORMING ARTS SOCIETY

Bragg Creek Community Centre,  
23 White Ave., Bragg Creek. 403-949-4114,  
[braggcreekperformingarts.com](http://braggcreekperformingarts.com)

Oct. 14: **Don Ross & Calum Graham in Concert** Pairing these two artists at very different stages in their careers, is a great story of mentorship and inter-generational collaboration.

Nov. 25: **Juno & multiple Maple Blues Winners** Gritty Blues/Rock, swamp and boogie with a side of funky Soul.

Feb. 10: **Over the Moon in Concert** At Redwood House, Redwood Meadows.

March 24: **Laila Biali in Concert**

May 5: **Jill Barber & Matthew Barber in Concert**

#### CALGARY JAZZ ORCHESTRA

403-239-8545, [calgaryjazzorchestra.com](http://calgaryjazzorchestra.com)

Concerts on Oct. 22, Dec. 17, Feb. 11, April 22, and June 17.

#### CLIFF BUNGALOW-MISSION JAZZ CONCERT SERIES

2201 Cliff St. S.W. 403-650-7596,  
[janmuldersounds.com/CBMJazz.html](http://janmuldersounds.com/CBMJazz.html)

Monthly jazz concert series featuring some of the best of Calgary's jazz

musicians and ensembles. Concerts on the first Wednesday of the month from September to June.

Sept 4: **The Esteban Herrera Quartet**; Oct. 4: **Vocal jazz night with Johanna Sillanpaa**.

#### LITTLE CONCERTS SERIES

Fort Calgary, 750 9th Ave. S.E. 403-290-1875, [fortcalgary.com](http://fortcalgary.com)

Sept. 15: **The Wardens with Jim & Lynda McLennan**; Nov. 17: **Jenny Allen with Carter Felker**; Jan. 19, March 9, and May 11: **TBA**.

#### PCL BLUES SERIES

Engineered Air Theatre and Martha Cohen Theatre, Arts Commons, 205 8th Ave. S.E. 403-294-9494, [artscommons.ca](http://artscommons.ca)

Sept. 29-30: **Kenny Neal**; Oct. 27-28: **Harpdog Brown & the Travelin' Blues Show featuring Sugar Brown**; Nov. 24-25: **Dawn Tyler Watson**; Jan. 19-20: **Mr. Sipp**; March 2-3: **Roy Book Binder**; May 11-12: **Toranzo Cannon**.

#### PRIME TIME BIG BAND

The Ironwood Stage & Grill,  
1229 9th Ave. S.E. 403-269-5581,  
[primetimebigband.com](http://primetimebigband.com)

Sept. 23: **Season Opener**;  
Oct. 7: **Live at the Ironwood CD Release**.

#### STAMPEDE CITY SESSIONS

Webber Academy Performing Arts Centre,  
1515 93rd St. S.W.  
[stampedecitysessions.com](http://stampedecitysessions.com)

Sept. 23: **Bobby Wills**; Nov. 18: **The Northern Pikes**.

#### TD JAZZ SERIES

Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons,  
205 8th Ave. S.E. 403-294-9494,  
[artscommons.ca](http://artscommons.ca)

Oct. 17: **HUDSON**; Nov. 17: **A Night of Chicago Jazz** Featuring Ramsey Lewis with special guest vocalist Ann Hampton Callaway and Marquis Hill; Feb. 22: **Stacey Kent**; April 28: **Ms. Lisa Fischer and Grand Baton**.

#### U OF C MONDAY NIGHT JAZZ SERIES

Concerts at various venues around U of C. Presented by the University of Calgary department of music. 403-220-5313, [scpa.ucalgary.ca](http://scpa.ucalgary.ca)

Sept. 25: **Dueling Pianos**; Dec. 4: **Nate Waters' Quintet**; March 13: **Richard Harding, saxophone**.

#### WIDE CUT WEEKEND

Weekend festival at Ironwood Stage and Grill, Mikey's Juke Joint and Eatery, The

Royal Canadian Legion No. 1, King Eddy, Oak Tree Tavern and The Blues Can. [widecutweekend.com](http://widecutweekend.com)

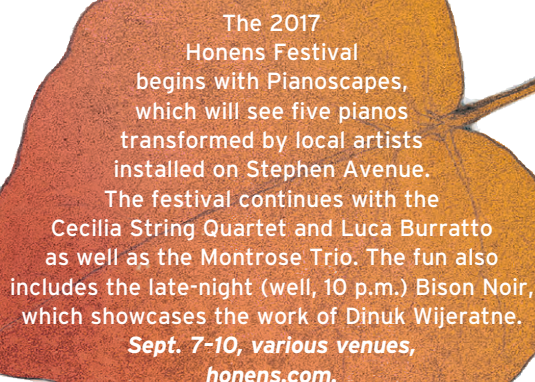
Oct. 12-14: Showcases over 30 Canadian Roots Music acts from across the country, with a focus on Alberta. Six downtown and Music Mile venues host a full schedule of shows and "in the round" events.

## folk club concerts

#### BOW VALLEY MUSIC CLUB

House band: *Coyote Moon*. At Strathcona Community Centre, 277 Strathcona Dr. S.W. unless otherwise noted. 403-287-2299, [bowvalleymusicclub.org](http://bowvalleymusicclub.org)

Oct. 7: **Dave Gunning and J.P. Cormier**; Oct. 28: **Rosie and The Riveters and Belle Plaine/Blake Berglund**; Nov. 18: **Del Barber** with



The 2017 Honens Festival begins with Pianoscapes, which will see five pianos transformed by local artists installed on Stephen Avenue. The festival continues with the Cecilia String Quartet and Luca Burchetto as well as the Montrose Trio. The fun also includes the late-night (well, 10 p.m.) **Bison Noir**, which showcases the work of Dinuk Wijeratne. **Sept. 7-10, various venues, honens.com.**

Sweet Alibi opening; Jan. 27: **Alberta Night** With The Travelling Mabels, Shaela Miller Band and The O'Pears; Feb. 24: **Lion Bear Fox and Big Little Lions**; March 17: **Samantha Martin and Delta Sugar**; April 7: **Madison Violet**; April 21: **Gordie MacKeeman and His Rhythm Boys**; May 12: **John Wort Hannam**.

#### CALGARY FOLK CLUB

Dalhousie Community Centre, 5432 Dalhart Rd. N.W. 403-286-5651, [calgaryfolkclub.com](http://calgaryfolkclub.com)

Sept. 15: **Fortunate Ones**; Sept. 29: **Kevin Bennett**; Oct. 13: **The Ennis Sisters**; Oct. 27: **Valdy**; Nov. 10: **Harris, Greenway, Jencks**; Nov. 24: **The Young 'uns**; Jan. 12: **Ellis Paul**; Jan. 26: **John Wort Hannam**; Feb. 9: **The Changing Room**; Feb. 23: **James Hill and Anne Janelle**;

March 9: **Billy Crockett**; March 23: **Red Moon Road**; April 6: **Hot Club of Cowtown**.

#### FISH CREEK CONCERTS

Concerts at River Park Church, 3818 14A St. S.W., and Southwood United Church, 10690 Elbow Dr. S.W. 403-244-2912, [fishcreekconcerts.com](http://fishcreekconcerts.com)

Sept. 15: **Garnet Rogers**; Oct. 13: **Connie Kaldor**; Oct. 28: **Valdy**; Nov. 17: **Small Glories and friends Xmas**; Jan. 19: **Coig**; Feb. 2: **Stephen Fearing and Oh Susanna**; March 2: **Tri Continental**; March 16: **High Bar Gang**; April 13: **John Wort Hannam's "Songs for Ken" annual ALS Fundraiser**; April 27: **Marty Joseph**.

#### FOOTHILLS BLUEGRASS SOCIETY

Concerts at the Irish Cultural Centre, 6452, 35th Ave. N.W. [foothillsbluegrass.com](http://foothillsbluegrass.com)

Sept. 30: **Kick off Barbeque** Featuring **The Bugs and Roxxen and Dalrymple**

#### GALLERY HOUSE CONCERTS

Concerts at private residence. [galleryhouseconcerts.com](http://galleryhouseconcerts.com)

Sept. 10: **Claire Ness**; Oct. 1: **The Acoustic Guitar Project**; Oct. 2: **Zachary Lucky**.

#### NICKELODEON MUSIC CLUB

Crescent Heights Community Hall,  
1101 2nd St. N.W. 403-284-4384, [thenick.ca](http://thenick.ca)

Sept. 30: **Lynn Miles**; Oct. 14: **Connie Kaldor**; Oct. 28: **Union Duke**; Nov. 11: **Adrian Nation**; Nov. 25: **Lizzy Hoyt**; Jan. 13: **Danny Michel**; Jan. 27: **Tequila Mockingbird Orchestra**; Feb. 10: **Irish Mythen**; Feb. 24: **Amelia Curran**; March 10: **Sultans of String**; March 24: **Cristina and Quinn Bachand**; April 7: **Jack Semple**.

#### ROCKY MOUNTAIN FOLK CLUB

House band: *Ceard*. Hillhurst-Sunnyside Community Association,  
1320 5th Ave. N.W. 403-283-4525, [rockyfolkclub.tripod.com](http://rockyfolkclub.tripod.com)

Sept. 22: **Barry Luft** With **Horizon Ridge**; Oct 20: **The Wardens** With **Ceard**; Nov. 17: **Lynne Hanson**; Dec. 1: **Cori Brewster and Christie Simmons** With **Horizon Ridge**; Jan. 19: **Robbie Burns Night** With **Ceard**, **Mercat Cross**, **Graham Taita** and **Robert Henderson**; Feb. 16: **TBA**; March 16: **St. Patrick's Night** With **Hazel**

**Grey and The Hubcaps**, plus opener **Ceard**; April 13.: **The Heebie-jee-bees With opener Horizon Ridge**; May 11: **Ceard, The Senior Service and Horizon Ridge**.

#### SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL

House band: *The Beagle Boys*. Braeside Community Centre, 11024 Braeside Dr. S.W. 403-271-3719, [saturdaynightspecial.ca](http://saturdaynightspecial.ca)

Sept. 16: **Eric Bibb**; Oct. 14: **Ennis Sisters and The Travelling Mabels**; Nov. 4: **The Young 'uns**; Nov. 25: **The Once**; Jan. 13: **Harry Manx** With **Kevin Breit**; Feb. 3: **John Wort Hannam**; Feb. 24: **James Hill and Anne Jenelle**; March 17: **The High Bar Gang**; April 7: **The Hot Club of Cowtown**; April 28: **End of Year Volunteer Celebration**.

## comedy

#### BERT CHURCH LIVE THEATRE

1000 East Lake Blvd., Airdrie, Alta.  
403-948-8824, [thebertchurchtheatre.com](http://thebertchurchtheatre.com)

Nov. 17: **This is That Live**; Jan. 19: **Brent Butt**; Jan. 29: **Colin Mochrie and Deb McGrath**; Feb. 5: **Silver Screen Scoundrels**.

#### THE COMEDY CAVE

9206 Macleod Trail S. 403-287-1120, [thecomedycave.com](http://thecomedycave.com)

Sept. 1-3: **Ed Hill**; Sept. 5-10: **Chris Gordon**; Sept. 12-17: **Samuel Conroe**.

#### FUNNYFEST CALGARY COMEDY FESTIVAL

403-228-7888, [funnyfest.com](http://funnyfest.com)

May 30 to June 10: Showcases a wide range of standup comedy, one-person shows and sketch talent from around the world.

#### KINKONAUTS

Kinkonauts LAB, 112 16th Ave. N.W., [kinkonauts.com](http://kinkonauts.com).

Oct. 7: **Much Ado From Nothing: Improvised Shakespeare**

#### THE LAUGH SHOP

5940 Blackfoot Trail S.E. 403-255-6900, [thelaughshopcalgary.com](http://thelaughshopcalgary.com)

Sept. 1-2: **Mike Paramore**; Sept. 7-9: **Sean Kent**; Sept. 14-16: **Jeremy Hotz**; Sept. 21-23: **DJ Demers**; Sept. 28-30: **Phil Hanley**; Oct. 5-7: **Dave Nystrom**; Oct. 12-14: **K Trevor Wilson**; Oct. 15: **Scott Thompson**; Oct. 19: **Michelle Shaughnessy**; Oct. 20-21: **Tom Arnold**; Oct. 26-28: **Chris Locke**.

#### YUK YUK'S

At the Elbow River Casino, 218 18th Ave. S.E. 403-258-2028, [yukyus.com](http://yukyus.com)

Sept. 1-2: **Todd Ness**; Sept. 7-9: **Alex Wood**; Sept 8: **Going Out With a Bang**; Sept. 14-16: **Big Jay Oaker-son**; Sept. 21-23: **Garrett Clark**;

# Museums / Galleries



## HISTORY AT WORK

Medieval tapestries were both decorative and informative. They remain inspirational. Take the Bayeux Tapestry, for instance. The zippy little number was begun around 1070 and, in the course of its 70 metres, tells the tale of the Norman Conquest of England. Sandra Sawatzky is a Calgary-based filmmaker, writer and artist. More importantly, she finds embroidery to be meditative, and, after a quick trip to the library to reacquaint herself with the Bayeux Tapestry, decided to create a tapestry—about 70 metres long—telling the story of how oil has impacted human civilization.

Nine years and some 16,000 hours of stitching later (she was in the habit of getting up at 5:15 a.m. and quitting for the day at 10:15 p.m.), Sawatzky has completed her project. **The Black Gold Tapestry** goes on display at the Glenbow beginning Oct. 7. In a concession to modernity, it has a website, theblackgold-tapestry.com, so those who just can't wait can get a sneak peek.

**The Sleeping Green**, Dianne Bos's latest series of photographs was similarly inspired by historical events. The Calgary artist travelled to the battlefields of the First World War some 100 years after the guns fell silent. Bos works with pinhole cameras, which require long exposures to capture images. This means her work captures both a place and the passing of time.

It's an effect Bos heightens by incorporating objects found in no man's land—rocks, leaves, a bullet—into her printing process. The technique, yielding as it does images that are both beautiful and eerie, is well-suited to a meditation on no man's land some 100 years after it earned its name.

**The Sleeping Green**—the exhibition takes its title from a line in *Break of Day in the Trenches* by the British war poet Isaac Rosenberg—runs Oct. 28 to Nov. 18 at Newzones. Bos will be signing copies of her limited-edition book at the opening. —B.W.

Sept. 28-30: **James Kennedy**; Oct. 19-21: **Bryan Callen**; Nov. 30 to Dec. 2: **Steve Simeone**.

### YYCOMEDY FESTIVAL

At various Calgary venues. [yycomedy.ca](http://yycomedy.ca)

Oct. 16-21: Headliners include **Shaun Majumder, Steve Patterson, Deanne Smith, Nathan Macintosh, Laurie Elliott, Levi MacDougall, Debra DiGiovanni, Graham Clark** and more.

### SINGLE SHOWS

Sept. 6: **Lewis Black & Kathleen Madigan** At Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons.

Sept. 9: **George Lopez** At Grey Eagle Event Centre, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM.

Sept. 16: **Randy & Mr. Lahey** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

Sept. 30: **The Comic Strippers** At University Theatre, U of C.

Oct. 13: **Whose Live Anyway** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM.

Oct. 13-14: **Jerry Seinfeld** At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. TM.

Oct. 19: **Just for Laughs Comedy Tour** Hosted by Sugar Sammy, featuring Alonzo Bodden and Gina Brillon. At Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. Tm.

Nov. 3: **Yuk Yuk's On Tour with Andrew Albert and Matt Foster** At Rotary Performing Arts Centre, 3 Elma St. E., Okotoks. [myshowpass.com](http://myshowpass.com).

Nov. 11: **Bob Saget** At Grey Eagle Resort & Casino, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. TM.

Nov. 18: **Demetri Martin** At MacEwan Hall, U of C. **Taggart and Torrens** At The Gateway, SAIT Campus Centre. TM.

## DANCE

### ALBERTA BALLET

Performances at the Jubilee Auditorium, 1415 14th Ave. N.W. 403-245-4549, [albertaballet.com](http://albertaballet.com)

Sept. 21-23: **Tango Fire** This sublime, sensuous performance comes straight from the tango houses of Buenos Aires.

Oct. 25-28: **Dangerous Liaisons** The intricate story of lust, seduction and revenge arrives with updated choreography by artistic director Jean Grand-Maitre.

Dec. 15-17 and Dec. 21-24: **The**

**Nutcracker** The holiday classic lets audiences enter a kingdom of sweets, fall in love with a Sugar Plum Fairy, and face an army of mischievous mice.

Jan. 19-20 **Shaping Sound: After the Curtain** An electrifying mash-up of dance styles and musical genres presented by a dynamic company of dancers under the direction of Emmy winner Travis Wall.

Feb. 15-17: **Opus Cactus** Momix and its artistic director Moses Pendleton explore the desert with a mix of sensuality and humour.

March 14-17: **Cinderella** This world premiere from associate artistic director Christopher Anderson takes its inspiration from the 1697 Charles Perrault version.

May 2-5: **All of Us** The music of The Tragically Hip forms the soundtrack for a new work by Jean Grand-Maitre.

June 9: **Paquita and Other Works** The School of Alberta Ballet's professional division presents a year-end performance featuring the story of the Spanish gypsy.

### BANFF CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

Performances at Eric Harvie Theatre, Banff Centre, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff, Alta. 403-762-6100, [banffcentre.ca](http://banffcentre.ca)

Jan. 20: **Frédéric Gravel: Some Hope for the Bastards** The Québécois choreographer sets nine dancers in motion. The result is a show of "corrosive energy" that challenges the foundations of dance itself.

Feb. 10 **Ballet BC: Romeo and Juliet** The troupe comes over the mountains to present the classic tale as told by French choreographer Medhi Walerski.

### CALGARY INTERNATIONAL BURLESQUE FESTIVAL

At The Palace Theatre, 219 8th Ave. S.W. Tickets at [myshowpass.com](http://myshowpass.com)

Oct. 13-15: Events include a Friday Cabaret Showcase, a Saturday Glamour Showcase and a Sunday Brunch Showcase.

### DANCERS' STUDIO WEST

403-244-0950, [dswlive.ca](http://dswlive.ca)

Sept. 7-9; Sept. 14-16: **Dancing Home: A Celebration of Canadian Artists 2017** Alberta Dance Festival featuring new works by eleven Alberta contemporary dance choreographers in two distinct programs of performance over two weekends. At Pumphouse Theatre, 2140 Pumphouse Ave. S.W.

### DECIDEDLY JAZZ DANCEWORKS

111 12th Ave. S.E. 403-245-3533, [decidedlyjazz.com](http://decidedlyjazz.com)



Nov. 16-26: **Velocity** The show is choreographed by dancers and presents a variety of approaches to movement.

April 20 to May 6: **Mimic** Created by Kim Cooper and Peter Balkwill, this show will feature dance, live music and live puppets.

#### MOSCOW BALLET

[moscowballet.com](http://moscowballet.com)

Nov. 18: **Great Russian Nutcracker** The touring production celebrates Christmas and the company's 25th anniversary. At Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons.

#### SPRINGBOARD PERFORMANCE

403-265-3230, [springboardperformance.com](http://springboardperformance.com)

**CONTAINR** Free family-friendly events at containR at East Village Junction, 439 9th Ave. S.E., and containR Art Park in Sunnyside, 1020 2nd Ave. N.W.

Sept. 5, 12, 19, 26: **Open Stage Tuesdays** Jam, meet new people and share your creativity with the community. Come support, get inspired by, and enjoy performances by local music, dance, theatre, spoken word and poetry artists and neighbours. At Sunnyside.

Sept. 7, 14, 21 and 28: **Creative Living Room Series** Enjoy live performances by local artists—music, dance, theatre, spoken word and more. At East Village Junction.

#### ALBERTA CULTURE DAYS PRESENTATION

Sept. 29 to Oct. 1: PechaKucha 30, Wednesday Night Big Band.

**FLUID FESTIVAL** Various venues. 403-265-3230, [fluidfest.com](http://fluidfest.com)

Oct. 18-28: Presented by Springboard Performance. Featuring local, national and international danceartists, Fluid Fest ignites the city with performances, workshops, artist talks and happenings to inspire and connect.

Oct. 18-21: **Thus Spoke...** Co-presented with Theatre Junction Grand. A playful antidote to misery and apathy, a performance that explodes all conventions of dance and theatre.

Oct. 20-21 **Telemetry** A convulsive synchronicity of bebop, swing, and contemporary dance featuring Canadian tap virtuoso Danny Nielsen.

Oct. 25-26: **This Duet We've Done (so many times)** Dance theatre piece that touchingly captures the complex relations of attraction and repulsion that can unite two people.

Oct. 27-28: **Physical Therapy Cabaret** Bound by a small space, Calgary artists and national guests to share whimsical and irreverent performances.

#### U OF C DANCE PROGRAM

At University Theatre, University of Calgary unless otherwise noted. 403-220-5313, [scpa.ualgary.ca/dance](http://scpa.ualgary.ca/dance)

Nov. 23-25: **Dance Montage** A celebration of dance communities and a collection of dance works showcasing the incredible diversity of Calgary's dance scene.

Jan. 12-27: **ProSeries** A three-week festival focusing on creative connection and collaboration between visiting Polish artists and their Canadian counterparts.

March 15-17: **Mainstage Dance** Professional choreographers present new contemporary and jazz dance works and collaborate with University of Calgary dance students.

April 5-7: **Dance@Night** A year of creative process culminates in this exceptional night of contemporary dance from talented emerging artists who are completing their university dance training.

April 9-11: **Dance@Noon** The works of junior students in the BFA dance program are showcased.

## MUSEUMS

#### FORT CALGARY

750 9th Ave. S.E. 403-290-1875, [fortcalgary.com](http://fortcalgary.com)

An interpretive centre featuring stories of Calgary's past from 1875-1914, including the history of the RCMP in Calgary.

Sept. 22: **Treaty Day.** Week of cross-cultural learning experiences.

Until Monday, Oct. 9: **Exhibition of Original Treaty 7 Document.** Learn more about why you are here, and why we are the way we are as a society in southern Alberta.

Nov. 11: **Remembrance Day Service & Holiday Artisan's Fair.** Commemorative ceremony and holiday fair featuring over 60 local artisans.

#### GLENBOW MUSEUM

130 9th Ave. S.E. 403-268-4100, [glenbow.org](http://glenbow.org)

Until Sept. 10: **Kent Monkman—Shame and Prejudice: A Story of Resilience** The exhibition takes the viewer on a journey through 300 years of Canada's history, narrating a story of Canada through the lens of First Nations' resilience.

Until Sept. 10: **Romancing the Canoe** Exploring how the elegant craft has been celebrated in Canadian art from the early 19th century to the 21st.

Oct. 7 to Jan. 7: **DaveandJenn: The Wellspring** The artists have created an immersive environment that transforms the gallery into an undersea grotto populated by an enigmatic presence.

Oct. 7 to Jan. 7: **Eye of the Needle**

This exhibition explores how the humble needle and thread, the shiny bead and sequin, the porcupine quill and tuft of moose hair have been used in the hands of skilled creators to create objects of incredible beauty.

Oct. 7 to Jan. 7: **Higher States: Lawren Harris and His American Contemporaries** After his soaring depictions of mountains and icebergs made him famous and became quintessential Canadiana, the iconic landscape painter and member of the Group of Seven turned to abstraction, seeking to find or create "the spiritual in art."

Oct. 7 to Jan. 7: **Jennifer Wanner: Second Nature** Wanner opens traditional scientific botanical art by splicing images of threatened and extinct Canadian plant species together to create new hybrid plants – one to represent each province and territory in Canada.

Oct. 7 to May 21: **The Black Gold Tapestry** Nine-years in the making, Sandra Sawatzky's 220-foot hand-embroidered The Black Gold Tapestry tells the story of how oil has impacted human civilizations around the world, from bitumen bubbling up in the waterways and marshes of Iraq 5,000 years ago to the enormous influence of oil on the global economy today.

**Permanent Exhibitions:** Mavericks: An Incurable History of Alberta; Niitsitapiisinni: Our Way of Life; New Sun Gallery of Aboriginal Art and Culture; Picturing the Northwest: Historical Art from Glenbow's Collection; Many Faces, Many Paths: Art of Asia; Treasures of the Mineral World; Where Symbols Meet: A Celebration of West African Achievement; Warriors: A Global Journal Through Five Centuries.

#### THE HANGAR FLIGHT MUSEUM

4629 McCall Way N.E. 403-250-3752, [asmac.ab.ca](http://asmac.ab.ca)

Over two dozen civilian, military and commercial aircraft displayed within the museum's two full-size hangars. Everything from Canada's first powered aircraft, the Silver Dart, to the majestic Lancaster bomber.

#### HERITAGE PARK

1900 Heritage Dr. S.W. 403-268-8500, [heritagepark.ca](http://heritagepark.ca)

Sept. 13, 20, 27 and Oct. 4, 11, 18: **Ghost Tours** You'll never know who—or what—you'll bump into as you take a walk down the dark and deserted streets of Heritage Park.

Sept. 16: **The September Shindig** Heritage Park fundraiser. Get up close to a wild-west rodeo presented by the Calgary Stampede, a live professional gunfight, gourmet meal and nighttime midway rides.

Sept. 23-24: **Railway Days** Antique steam machines and Heritage Park's vast rail collection take centre stage with demonstrations, hands-on activities and exciting exhibits.

Oct. 26-29: **Ghouls' Night Out** Perfect for families with little ghouls aged three to nine, who are looking for a fun, safe night out.

Nov. 25 to Dec. 23: **Once Upon a Christmas Weekends.** Experience the magic of Christmas past with festive wagon rides, carol singing, holiday shopping, visits with Santa and much more.

#### THE MILITARY MUSEUMS

4520 Crowchild Trail. S.W. 403-410-2340, [themilitarymuseums.ca](http://themilitarymuseums.ca)

Sept. 14: **Lecture: The Road from Colony to Ally and Towards a Canadian Way of War** Presented by Dr. John Scott Cowan, Principal Emeritus of the Royal Military College of Canada.

Oct. 20: **Centennial Gala** Honour and commemorate Canada's three seminal victories in 1917 that helped to transform the nation into a self-confident and sovereign state. At Telus Convention Centre, 120 9th Ave. S.E.

Nov. 11: **Remembrance Day Service** Annual outdoor Remembrance Day Service.

On permanent display: **The Enigma Machine** The encryption machine used by the Nazis in the Second World War. **HMCS Huron Monument** The port propeller of the warship serves as a memorial to the men and women who worked the boiler and engine rooms of the Royal Canadian Navy in the 20th century. **CF-104** The CF-104 Starfighter is a Cold War Era fighter that is part of an Air Force exhibit that pays tribute to the Canadians who stood ready to defend Canada throughout the Cold War. **CF-5** The CF-5 Freedom Fighter on display at The Military Museums was designed in the mid-1950s as a lightweight, well-armed, inexpensive supersonic fighter. **Taurus ARV** The Taurus ARV (Armoured Recovery Vehicle) was originally used to recover and tow armoured vehicles disabled by combat damage or mechanical failure during military operations.

#### ROYAL TYRRELL MUSEUM

Highway 838, Midland Provincial Park, Drumheller. 1-403-823-7707, [tyrrellmuseum.com](http://tyrrellmuseum.com)

Journey through time and come face to face with some of Canada's mightiest dinosaurs. Ninety minutes east of Calgary. Open year-round.

#### STUDIO BELL

850 4th St. S.E. 403-543-5515, [studiobell.ca](http://studiobell.ca)

Until Fall 2017: **Milestones: Sarah McLachlan** Exhibition features her CP-80M electric grand piano, Kay "Barney Kessel" electric guitar, a Kala ukulele, hand-written lyric sheets, tour books and an outfit she wore at Lillith Fair.

Sept. 9: **Honens Day** Masterclasses, concerts, a screening of *Genius Within—The Inner Life of Glenn Gould* and more.

Until June 2018: **Big, Big, Love—k.d. lang on Stage** Through a range of visual displays, visitors will experience lang's eclectic repertoire, from cow punk to Nashville country classics, to Broadway standards and cabaret-influenced tunes.

**Permanent Exhibitions:** Explore five floors of exhibitions that tell the story of music in Canada, celebrate music icons at the Canadian Halls of Fame, rock out with interactive instrument installations and sing along in vocal booths.

#### TELUS SPARK

220 St. George's Dr. N.E. 403-817-6800, [sparkscience.ca](http://sparkscience.ca)

Ongoing: **The Brainasium** Train your brain in this outdoor, one-acre adventure space filled with experiences that explore sound, physics and simple machines. **Being Human** Connect your one-of-a-kind personal experiences to the science behind being human. **Earth & Sky** Investigate Alberta's unique geology and explore our world from the bedrock beneath us to the aurora overhead. **Open Studio** Explore your creative side in film, music, style, art and new ways of using technology. **Creative Kids Museum** For kids under the age of nine to learn and grow while they splash, race, crawl and climb. **Energy & Innovation** Stretch your problem-solving capabilities by probing the nature of energy.

**Adults Only Nights:** Sept. 14: **Hack It** Hacking is the art of making something the way you want it, instead of the way it is. You may have already tried hacking electronics or toys, but what about hacking your life or your mood? Oct. 12: **Crime and Punishment** Unleash your inner investigator with us tonight as you become a CSI, explore the psychology of criminal behaviour, and delve into the ways society has dealt with the "criminal element" throughout history. Nov. 9: **Food and Chemistry** Get hands-on with food science and discover that the kitchen and the lab are not as different as they seem. Dec. 14: **Greatest Hits** Take this opportunity to enjoy the best again.

## WHYTE MUSEUM OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES

111 Bear St., Banff. 1-403-762-2291, whyte.org

Oct. 5: **Rockywood Reels: River of No Return** Classic film starring Marilyn Monroe and Robert Mitchum filmed in the Canadian Rockies.

Until Oct. 15: **Banff Reflections: 150 Years and Counting** This exhibition reflects the character of Banff as a town uniquely situated in a national park with large expectations from the labyrinth of global visitors. **This Wild Spirit: Women in the Rocky Mountains of Canada** Many women challenged the Canadian Rockies between the late-19th and mid-20th centuries. This exhibition presents a sampling of these women's creative responses, in photography, painting, cartography and writing.

Oct. 21 to Jan. 28: **On the Fringe of the Bow** This exhibition features skateboard designs, tattoo art and three-dimensional chainmail constructions. **Eastern Slopes Grizzly Bears: Each One is Sacred** Field biologist and artist, Colleen Campbell tracked the patterns of bears along the eastern slopes of the Rockies and created renderings detailing the bears' individuality and demonstrating the challenges they face in this high-traffic corridor.

Nov. 9: **Rockywood Reels: Far Country** Starring James Stewart, Ruth Roman and Walter Brennan, this film was shot at the Columbia Icefields, Mt. Edith Cavell and the Athabasca River.

Dec. 2: **A Whyte Christmas—Open House** Bring family and friends to enjoy crafts, cookies, carols, community friendships and, of course, a visit from Santa.

Jan. 23: **Jon Whyte Spelling Bee and Trivia Challenge** Annual evening of friendly competition will test your wit and memory. Spectators are encouraged.

Feb. 3 to April 8: **Encounters with the Sublime: Sebastião Salgado & Bradford Washburn** This exhibition showcases silver gelatin photographs by Salgado and Washburn of the Kluane National Park and Reserve, together with three other protected areas which make up a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

## GALLERIES

### ALBERTA CRAFT GALLERY

cSpace King Edward, 208, 1721 29th Ave. S.W. 587-391-0129, albertacraft.ab.ca

Until Sept. 23. **Citizens of Craft** Fifteen artists and a community that admires the original, the creative, the personal and the authentic.

Sept. 29 to Nov. 4: **Along the Bow** The Bow Valley as a source of inspiration, a representation of the bold beauty of the region.

Nov. 25: **Let It Snow** Evening of shopping with door prizes, live music and delicious treats.

### ALBERTA PRINTMAKERS SOCIETY & ARTIST PROOF GALLERY

4025 4th St. S.E. 403-287-1056, albertaprintmakers.com

Sept. 8 to Oct. 13: **Chad Erpelding—Taking Stock** Exhibition utilizes data visualization and systems-based strategies to investigate global institutions.

Sept. 30: **Print It Yourself Festival** Family-friendly event with hands on printmaking and demonstrations in silkscreen and linoleum, and letterpress printing.

Oct. 20 to Nov. 30: **Stacey Watson—Field Work** Series of intaglio prints exploring the notions of labour, creative process and lost endeavour.

Dec. 8: **Not So Mini Exchange and Fundraiser** Annual fundraiser featuring eight-inch by 10-inch original prints by contemporary artists from around the world on sale.

Jan. 5 to Feb. 16: **Christie Kirchner and Katie Bruce—surface to surface** The process of transformation—from the folding and unfolding, to the referent object to the finalized prints—and invites the viewer to reflect on the visible trace of the actions performed by each artist.

Feb. 23 to April 6: **Jackie Huskisson—Absurd Walls** Huskisson challenges and pushes the boundaries of fine art by investigating ideas of failure and low theory, incorporating comic books, cheap materials, drawing, printmaking into her work.

### ARTPOINT GALLERY

1139 11th St. S.E. 403-265-6867, artpoint.ca

Until Sept. 2: **Summer Invitational**

Sept. 9-30: **The Artpoint Members Exhibition** Painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture and textiles. In the Main Gallery, Red Gallery and Stairway Gallery. **Julia Hajnoczky—at the last judgement we will all be trees** Solo show of miniature paper sculpture, photographs, rayographs and more, exploring the theme of the tree. In the Upstairs Gallery.

Oct. 13-28: **Fabienne Leydecker and George Duncan—Provocative Formulations** Showcasing an explosive combination of contemporary functional art furniture and sculpture complimented by elegant, sensual acrylic works of art honoring the beautiful feminine lines and spirit. In

the Main Gallery. **Fred Spina—Arctic Places and Other Spaces** With great detail Spina presents intimate pieces clearly Northern in nature, but still ambiguous in their essence and meaning. In the Red Gallery. **Sue Heathcote—Night Falls at Muskrat Pond** The pond is presented through a series of intimate views. In the Stairway Gallery.

Nov. 3-25: **Heritage Weavers and Spinners Guild—Elements** In the Main Gallery. **Brian Pawlak—Acrylic and Stone** Pawlak attempts to try and change the world through the use of timeless materials used in the creation of an art work. In the Red Gallery.

Dec. 1-23: **Kumu Ranaweera—Wonderful World** Folk art blended with dreams and nature. In the Main



*Illuminations*  
might just come as a consolation for the shorter days and longer nights of fall. The participatory artwork by Sarah Fuller and Moment Factory uses projections and sound to consider the future of wild spaces. Viewers will be walking through the piece, so bring comfortable shoes and an open mind. Oct. 5-7, Banff National Park, banffcentre.ca.

Gallery. **Carole Bondaroff, Cary Ross and Stan Phelps—The Circle Within** Etchings, paintings and sculpture exploring the symbolic nature of the circle as it relates to the passage of time. In the Red Gallery. **Andrew Hyslop—New Works** In the Stairway Gallery.

### BANFF CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

All shows at Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff, unless otherwise noted. 403-762-6301, banffcentre.ca/events

### VISUAL + DIGITAL ARTS OPEN LECTURES-

Sept. 12: **Max Andrews and Mariana Canepa Luna**; Sept. 26: **Sean Lynch**; Oct. 3: **Kristina Lee Podesva**; Nov. 7: **Joar Nango**; Nov. 14: **Ursula Johnson**; Nov. 16: **Jesse McKee**; Nov. 28: **Paul O'Neill**.

**VISUAL + DIGITAL ARTS OPEN STUDIOS** Oct. 4, 5, and 18: Discover the work of the artists in the Geologic Time and independent residency programs; Dec. 6:

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### WALTER PHILLIPS GALLERY

Sept. 9-10: **Performance: In hospital home** The audience is invited to share tea and conversation with artist Taryn Kneteman, as a ritual of care in an unexpected outdoor space.

Until Sept. 10: **for the time being—2017 Alberta Biennial of Contemporary Art** New works by 24 Alberta artists approaching the political implications of self-organization and wayfinding in new and unknown territories that may or may not be visible.

Oct. 5-7: **Illuminations** A participative artwork experience by Sarah Fuller and Moment Factory. Through storytelling, projection, and technology, re-imagine nature without boundaries.

### Oct. 28: Mountain Artwalk

Explore mountain art and photography exhibits on Banff Centre campus, wrapping up with a reception at Walter Phillips Gallery.

Until Aug. 2018: **Joi T. Arcand—namōya nititwēwina nitayān** Arcand explores the revitalization of the Cree language, and the many conversations that arise from her attempt to learn the language. This is expressed through the translation of the phrase, "I don't have my words"

into nehiyawēwin, or Plains Cree (Y dialect).

### CANADA HOUSE GALLERY

201 Bear St., Banff. 1-800-419-1298, canadahouse.com

Oct. 7: **Banff Gallery & Wine Hop** Tour through the art galleries of Banff and enjoy a variety of wines and fine art.

Oct. 21: **Dorset Graphic Collection** Annual launch of graphics from Dorset, the première Inuit art community on Baffin Island in Nunavut. Featuring no. 1/50 and no. 3/50 of the collection of etchings, stone lithographs and hand cut stencils.

Oct. 18-31: **Laura Harris—Finding Love** Harris is a powerful, energetic and vivacious painter.

Nov. 1-13: **Under a Clear Sky—Steven Nedervere** Inspired by deep, dreamy mountain panoramas.

Nov. 25: **Joy—Gallery Holiday Party** Join over 20 artists for a holiday celebration.

### CANMORE ART GUILD GALLERY

In Elevation Place, 700 Railway Ave., Canmore. canmoreartguild.com

Sept. 2-19: **Wanda Ellerbach**

Sept. 23 to Oct. 10: **Claudia Schellenberg Solo Show**

Oct. 13 to Nov. 7: **3D Show**

Nov. 11-28: **Leanne Schnierer Solo Show**

Dec. 2 to Jan. 2: **Christmas Show**

### CHRISTINE KLASSEN GALLERY

200, 321 50th Ave. S.E. 403-262-1880, christineklassengallery.com

Sept. 5 to Oct. 14: **Teresa Posyniak—Drifters & Blooms** Inspired by the beauty and complexity of nature, Posyniak's richly textured paintings pay homage to an unsung hero of our environment—plankton. **Aron Hill—Drawings & Paintings** Hill's recent graphic paintings recall aspects of minimalism and colour field painting, finding conceptual company in the late Modernist works produced particularly in Canada. **Introducing: Heather Close** Bridging the gap between painting and sculpture, her meticulous handcrafted assemblages made from wood, paint, felt and embroidery are lovingly crafted metaphors for the human mind, or more specifically, our memories.

### THE COLLECTORS' GALLERY OF ART

1332 9th Ave. S.E. 403-245-8300, cgoart.com

Sept. 16 to Oct. 12: **Shelley McMillan—One Artist, Two Visions** McMillan's abstract works give her freedom to explore and play with various mediums, colours, shapes and texture, which in turn help her form and compose her expressive landscapes.

Oct. 28 to Nov. 22: **Will Millar—Ghosts of Old Ireland** The former leader of The Irish Rovers has now returned to his first creative love of painting.

### CONTEMPORARY CALGARY

117 8th Ave. S.W. 403-770-1350, contemporarycalgary.com

Sept. 1 to Jan. 21: **Extratextual** The project explores ways in which modes of writing, as well as concepts of textuality and narrative have informed artistic production. The exhibition will include contemporary and historical projects by artists and writers across disciplines.

### CSPACE KING EDWARD

1721 29th Ave. S.W. 403-476-2025, cspaceprojects.com

Until Oct. 1: **I Am Western A** postmodern interpretation of the

cowboy and western genre; deconstructing, re-contextualizing, and modernizing the image of who we are with an eye and integrity to current realities. With work by Terrance Houle, Heather Benning, Chris Cran, Lyndal Osborne and Mitch Kern.

#### ESKER FOUNDATION

444, 1011 9th Ave. S.E. 403-930-2490, [eskerfoundation.com](http://eskerfoundation.com)

Sept. 16 to Dec. 22: **Mary Anne Barkhouse—Le Rêve aux Loups** Works reflect on our skewed experience of nature as a resource for human needs rather than as an ecosystem with its own intrinsic value. **Postcommodity—A Very Long Line** Immersive four-channel video installation comprised of four screens of moving images, featuring desert landscapes, that are framed by the constant presence of a fence.

Until Oct. 22: **Making Treaty 7: Finding Common Ground** Rotating presentation of works produced in response to the Making Treaty 7 Cultural Society's Common Ground Dinner Series. In the Project Space.

#### FRAMED ON FIFTH

1207 5th Ave. N.W. 403-244-3688, [framedonfifth.com](http://framedonfifth.com)

Until Sept. 1: **Cindy Lee—Oh What A Tangled Web** Exploring the unpredictable and natural beauty of the ancient technique of felting.

Sept. 5-30: **Edith VanderKloot—Revealed Beneath** Using slate as her canvas she starts with the inherent characteristics found in the stone and using paint and other media such as lichen or sand makes them her own.

#### GALLERY 505

505 8th Ave. S.W. [calgaryalliedartsfoundation.ca](http://calgaryalliedartsfoundation.ca)

Until Sept. 22: **Objects of Fascination** A selection of works from the City of Calgary's public art collection that display a group of artist's captivation with objects, and in turn their interpretation of these pieces into artworks.

#### GIBSON FINE ART

102, 628 11th Ave. S.W. 403-244-2000, [gibsonfineart.ca](http://gibsonfineart.ca)

Sept. 30 to Oct. 14: **Angela Morgan** Morgan's human figures express the poses of life, and her work celebrates humanity through the use of color, pattern, and line.

Oct. 21 to Nov. 11: **Janice Tanton Tanton** focuses her work upon artfully discovering the colorful contemporary threads of commonality woven within the remarkable diversity of our species.

Nov. 17 to Dec. 2: **Sheila Kernan** Kernan finds beauty in large urban centers as well as on remote mountain tops and is mesmerized by the energy and excitement of translating an experience onto canvas.

#### HERRINGER KISS GALLERY

709a 11th Ave. S.W. 403-228-4889, [herringerkissgallery.com](http://herringerkissgallery.com)

Until Oct. 7: **Curtis Cutshaw—50** Fractured, deconstructed and organic images on birchwood tiles create a sense of removal of purpose. **Oksana Kryzhanivska—Metamorphosis** Part of Beakerhead. An exploration of enhancing human perception with computationally-augmented sculpture.

Oct. 12 to Nov. 11: **Reinhard Skoracki—Docta ignorantia (The Learned Lesson of Ignorance)** New table top size sculptures by Skoracki which incorporate humour and multiple meanings.

Nov. 16 to Dec. 23: **Joe Fleming—Signs of the Time** Fleming's newest work is a combination of post-consumer imagery with a variety of paint applications on hand fabricated aluminum and polycarbonate surfaces creating a diary of observations of contemporary times. **Jason Frizell—Worn Out Shoes and Back Page News** Frizell continues his exploration of undefined narratives and uncertain relationships rendered in 1:87 scale.

#### ILLINGWORTH KERR GALLERY

In ACAD, 1407 14th Ave. N.W. [ikg.acad.ca](http://ikg.acad.ca)

Until Sept. 16: **#Ideasforall** Artists imagine a prototype wall structure to be placed "in the vicinity of the United States border with Mexico" as solicited by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security Office.

#### JARVIS HALL GALLERY

333B 36th Ave. S.E. 403-206-9942, [jarvishallgallery.com](http://jarvishallgallery.com)

Until Sept. 9: **Sondra Meszaros—Weird Woman** Weird Woman considers a woman in relationship to nature through acts of resilience, resistance, and representation; at the root of the show is a move beyond identity that reflects a becoming-nature sentiment.

Sept. 15 to Oct. 14: **Jeremy Pavka and Larissa Tiggeles**

Oct. 20 to Nov. 18: **Bill Rodgers**

Nov. 24 to Dec. 23: **Tyler Los-Jones and Sondra Meszaros**

**LEIGHTON ART CENTRE** *Rural location 15 minutes southwest of Calgary (detailed directions on the centre's website). 403-931-3633, [leightoncentre.org](http://leightoncentre.org)*

Until Sept. 24: **Rachelle LeBlanc—Transformations** LeBlanc's intricate hooked sculptures tell stories.

Sept 30 and Oct. 1: **Fall Paint-Out** Bring your sketching and painting supplies and capture the colours of the Fall in a plein-air art weekend.

Sept. 30 to Oct. 29: **Spontaneous Combustion** Group show presented by the Burns Visual Arts Society.

# ILLUMINATIONS

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BANFF NATIONAL PARK

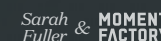
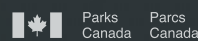
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ROUGE NATIONAL URBAN PARK

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Nov. 4-5; 11-12: **Christmas in the Country Art Sale** Featuring over 100 local painters under one roof.

#### LINEHAM HOUSE GALLERIES

33 Elma St., Okotoks. 403-917-1445, [linehamhousegalleries.com](http://linehamhousegalleries.com)

Until Sept. 20: **Fresh Picked Southern Alberta** Group show by Alberta artists working with Alberta subject matter or "Alberta states of mind" in a new non-western genre.

#### LOUGHEED HOUSE GALLERY

707 13th Ave. S.W. 403-244-6333, [lougheedhouse.com](http://lougheedhouse.com)

Until Nov. 5 **Cultivating the Landscape: A Social History of Gardening in Calgary** Historic and contemporary photographs, gardening tools, archival material and gardening ephemera, primarily focused on the 1890s to 1960s.

#### MARION NICOLL GALLERY

At Alberta College of Art + Design, 1407 14th Ave. N.W. [marionnicollgallery.wordpress.com](http://marionnicollgallery.wordpress.com)

Until Sept. 1: **Haley Crow—Her Potential for Corruption**. Presenting the relics of the Fallen Women. In the LRT Window.

#### MIDTOWNE GALLERY

9250 Macleod Tr. S. 403-252-7063, [midtownegallery.ca](http://midtownegallery.ca)

Sept. 2-27: **Karen Chaisson & David Skolny—An Inspired Approach**

#### THE NEW GALLERY

208 Centre St. S. 403-233-2399, [thenewgallery.org](http://thenewgallery.org)

Until Sept. 29: **Jadda Tsui and Mat Lindenberg—Song for the End of the World** Exhibition utilizing sound, play-place balls and the inevitable end of times. Viewers can watch the space slowly fill for the duration of the exhibition. At The New Gallery Plus-15 Window, Arts Commons.

Sept. 15 to Oct. 28: **To talk to the worms and stars** Through several artists, this exhibition explores alternative ways of knowing, and how these viewpoints have been suppressed throughout history.

Oct. 2 to Nov. 24 **Tamara Harkness—Come Clean** Delicate handkerchiefs embroidered with statements collected from the artists family and friends about race in Canada. At The New Gallery Plus-15 Window, Arts Commons.

Nov. 10 to Dec. 23: **Juli Majer, Sarah Davidson, Sonja Ratkay, and Melanie Thibodeau—Puddlepopper** This show featured sculptural mixed media pieces in which the artists were working with themes of the world-building specifically found in science fiction.

#### NEWZONES GALLERY

730 11th Ave. S.W. 403-266-1972, [newzones.com](http://newzones.com)

Sept. 16 to Oct. 21: **Jonathan Forrest—Building Blocks of Colour** Part of the vibrant next generation of Saskatchewan's abstract painters, Forrest's boldly coloured acrylic paintings playfully reference post-war abstract painting. **Yecheil Gagnon—Midwinter Thaw** Gagnon's visual language gained much of its syntax through working with plywood; the themes and techniques that are explored are diverse.

Oct. 28 to Nov. 18: **Dianne Bos—The Sleeping Green** Through this series, Bos examines the historic battle-grounds of the First World War. The pinhole photography techniques she uses produce still images of a passage of time. **Rana Rochat—Works on Paper** In her new series, the forms and marks, with their apparent weight, particular vitality, and inertia, live in a luminous and transparent environment.

#### NICKLE GALLERIES

Taylor Family Digital Library, University of Calgary. [nickle.ucalgary.ca](http://nickle.ucalgary.ca)

Until Sept. 7: **Coins of Jesus: Money and Religion in the Ancient World** Judeo-Christian coinage in the numismatics collection of Nickle Galleries. Beginning with Persian Imperial coins and Phoenician shekels, the exhibition presents Jewish, Judeo-Roman, Roman Christian and Byzantine coinage, concluding with Islamic and Medieval money.

Until Sept. 24: **Embodied—MFA Graduating Exhibition 2017** Four artists explore their relationships to their bodies as sites of inscribed social, cultural, and political meaning through a variety of media.

Sept. 21 to Dec. 16: **The Writing on the Wall: Works of Dr. Joane Cardinal-Schubert, RCA** The exhibition reflects the cyclical nature of Cardinal-Schubert's (1942-2009) work, including 60 pivotal pieces in painting, drawing, printmaking, collage, ceramic, and installation.

Oct. 6 to Dec. 16: **Miruna Dragan—Everywhere Possible Therefore True** Utilizing encaustic paint, photography, textiles, and architectural intervention, Dragan examines archetypes, myths, and symbols, including those of her native Romania.

#### OKOTOKS ART GALLERY

53 North Railway St., Okotoks. 403-938-3204, [okotoksculture.ca](http://okotoksculture.ca)

Until Sept. 2: **Brandy Saturley—Canadianisms: A Half Decade Inspired By Canada** From a goalie mask on a Canadian flag, Saturley began a journey to marry the influences of Canadian pop culture with

compositions of well-known, historical paintings. **From Cow-Catcher to Caboose** Created by the artist members of the OAG in celebration of Canada's sesquicentennial, the pieces in this exhibition were all developed with a central theme in mind: the railway.

Sept. 9 to Nov. 11: **Colin Smith—Reflections of Canada** Smith's work focuses on non-traditional representations of the landscape. For the past nine years, he has been refining both the quality of the image produced by his camera obscuras, as well as the focus of his creative practice. **Ann Haessel—Threads that Bind** Haessel blurs the boundaries between traditional fabric art, painting, and mixed media.

Nov. 17 to Dec. 21: **Spirit of Christmas Art Show and Sale** Showcasing one-of-a-kind holiday ornaments, jewelry, cards, and the walls will be filled with original, local artwork for sale.

#### THE PEANUT GALLERY

At John Fluevog, 207 8th Ave. S.W. 403-265-1970, [fluevog.com](http://fluevog.com)

Until Oct. 7: **Julie Land—Paintings with a Purpose** New series of abstract work incorporating salvaged materials from a Mexican landfill.

#### STRIDE GALLERY

1006 Macleod Trail S.E. 403-262-8507, [stride.ab.ca](http://stride.ab.ca)

Sept. 15 to Nov. 3: **Patrick Cruz and Gabrielle L'Hirondelle Hill—Other Portraits** A collaborative sculptural project that considers processes of knowledge building, familiarization and how we become acquainted with a person, place or thing.

Until Sept. 29: **Conrad Marion—Bad Moments** Forever crumbling relationships, the loss and redefining of identity, and the toxicity of the heroicized romantic self-image are closely examined through a heavily nostalgic slow dance at your high school prom. At Stride Plus-15 Window, Arts Commons.

#### TRÉPANIÉRBAER

105, 999 8th St. S.W. 403-244-2066, [trepanierbaer.com](http://trepanierbaer.com)

Opening Sept. 8: **Michael Smith—Descry**

#### TRUCK GALLERY

2009 10th Ave. S.W. 403-261-7702, [truck.ca](http://truck.ca)

Sept. 8 to Oct. 14: **Alana Bartol—In Blood or Bone** In Blood and Bone asks how dowsing might shift our relationships to natural resources, technology, and place, while examining remediation, care, and the reliability of information. Last year, the Orphan Well Adoption Agency began investigating new methods of

remediation through the practice of dowsing at abandoned oil well sites in Alberta.

Until Sept. 30: **Mabel Tan—Does your body remember how to play?** Interactive installation that positions play as a means of understanding environment. At Truck Plus-15 Window, Arts Commons.

Oct. 27 to Dec. 9: **Jade Yumang—Thumb Through** Series of sculptures that reference a 1972 legal scandal in New Jersey where police officers, without warrant, entered a gay bookstore and seized publications that were deemed obscene.

#### UNTITLED ART SOCIETY

343 11th Ave. S.W. [uascalgary.org](http://uascalgary.org)

Until Sept. 23: **Maryse Larivière—Under the cave of winds** A kidnapping, love letters, an Antonionesque reverie, including a new 16 mm film and suite of sculptural works.

Until Sept. 30: **Meghan Price—New Balance No. 1** Site-specific photographic work that depicts vibrant yet grimy layers of high tech textiles, foams and rubbers. At UAS Plus-15 Window, Arts Commons.

#### VIVIANEART

1114 11th St. S.W. 587-349-2014, [vivianeart.gallery](http://vivianeart.gallery)

Sept. 15 to Oct. 28: **Diane Landry** Presented as part of Beakerhead. Utilizing a self-taught technical skillset, Landry transforms everyday objects into beautiful and visually engaging artworks while exploring the relationship between light, sound and motion.

#### WALLACE GALLERIES

500 5th Ave. S.W. 403-262-8050, [wallacegalleries.com](http://wallacegalleries.com)

Sept. 14 to Oct. 11: **30th Anniversary Show** Every artist currently represented will be on display.

Sept. 15: **Anniversary Party**

Oct. 12-25: **Ronald Bloore, Ted Godwin, Dorothy Knowles, Kenneth Lochhead and Harold Town—Clem Said** Exhibition explores the relationships that art critic Clement Greenberg had on five artists and looks at how his connection with each impacted their careers.

Oct. 25 to Nov. 15: **William Duma—Autumn Colour** Discover a selection of new works from Duma that exemplify his ability to play with light while portraying the beautiful variations of the Alberta landscape.

Nov. 15 to Dec. 6: **Escapism** Group exhibition featuring bright, happy and sunny art works for you to escape into.

Dec. 7-24: **Christmas Miniature Show** A selection of small works perfect for that special gift under the

tree. Works by William Duma, Toni Onley, David Sorensen, Nancy Boyd, William Webb, Simon Andrew, David Alexander, and more.

#### WEBSTER GALLERIES

812 11th Ave. S.W. 403-263-6500, [webstergalleries.com](http://webstergalleries.com)

Until Sept. 30: **Inuit Art for the Collector** Featuring works by Osuitok Ipeelee, Kiawak Ashoona, Axangayu Shaa, Manasie Maniapik, Lucassie Ikkidluak, Johnny Inukpuk, Palaya Qiat-suq Usilu, Jackoposie Oopakak, Mark Totan, Mosese Kolola, Newgiliak Qimerkak, Jaco Ishuluktak, Nalenik Temela, Kumakuluk Saggiak, Nuna Parr, and more.

## ASSORTED ART SHOWS

#### ARTEMBER

Around Airdrie. [artember.ca](http://artember.ca)

Sept. 9 to Oct. 1: A true collaboration of creative minds and bodies working together to give you access to creative activities, events and hands-on learning.

#### ARTWALK

[calgaryartwalk.com](http://calgaryartwalk.com)

Sept. 16-17: Self-guided gallery tour. Printable maps can be downloaded from the website.

#### ALBERTA CULTURE DAYS

For complete event listings see [ab.culturedays.ca](http://ab.culturedays.ca)

Sept. 29 to Oct. 1: A three-day celebration of Alberta's arts and culture in various locations throughout the province. Events range from hands-on workshops, live musical performances, historical exhibits, to drumming circles and art displays.

#### BEACON ORIGINAL ART

At Bridgeland-Riverside Community Association, 917 Centre Ave. N.E. 403-276-9602

Oct. 14-15: **Annual Fall Exhibition & Sale**

#### COCHRANE ART CLUB FINE ART SALE

St. Andrews United Church, 128 1st St. E., Cochrane. [cochrane-tourism.ca](http://cochrane-tourism.ca)

Nov. 18: Free admission. Semi-annual show and sale.

#### COCHRANE VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE ARTISTS IN RESIDENCE

521 1st St. W., Cochrane. [cochrane-tourism.ca](http://cochrane-tourism.ca)

Sept. 9-10: **Laura Procnier**; Oct. 28-29: **Karen Orser**;



Nov. 18-19: **Gwen Stickels.**

### EAST SIDE STUDIO CRAWL

See a map of locations at [burnsvisualarts.com](http://burnsvisualarts.com)

Sept. 16: Explore the collectives, workshops and home-based studios tucked in amongst the houses and streets of Inglewood and Ramsay. Look out for the red balloons.

### FOOTHILLS ART CLUB ANNUAL FALL SHOW AND SALE

St. Andrews United Church, 128 1st St. E., Cochrane. [cochrane-tourism.ca](http://cochrane-tourism.ca)

Oct. 14: Free admission, free draw for an original painting and refreshments.

### HAND MADE HERE ARTIST COLLECTIVE

Triwood Community Association, 2244 Chicoutimi Dr. N.W. [facebook.com/handmadehere](http://facebook.com/handmadehere)

Nov. 18-19: **Christmas Show & Sale** Blown and fused glass, ceramics, fibre, wood, jewelry and metals, paintings and drawings by 25 artists.

### NORTH MOUNT PLEASANT ARTS CENTRE

523 27th Ave. N.W. 403-221-3682, [nmpac@calgary.ca](mailto:nmpac@calgary.ca)

Sept. 21: **NMPAC Annual Instructor Show** Celebrate the talent of the arts centre staff.

Sept. 22: **Harvest Handmade and Open House** Professional and practicing artist demonstrate their talents.

Oct. 27: **Halloween Boo Bags** Make a bag with the help of an artist instructor. Supplies provided. Bags are \$10 each. Registration required.

## LITERARY

### BANFF CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

All shows at Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff, Alta. unless otherwise noted. 403-762-6301, [banffcentre.ca/events](http://banffcentre.ca/events)

Sept. 8 and 15: **Open Readings** Faculty and participants in the Centering Ourselves program read from their works in progress.

Oct. 5: Sept. 8 and 15: **Open Readings** Faculty and participants in the Centering Ourselves program read from their works in progress. **Cusk in Conversation with Sheila Heti** Cusk (*The Lucky Ones*, Arlington Park) and Heti (*How Should a Person Be*, Ticknor) sit down for an illuminating conversation.

Oct. 13: **Outriders** Five writers from Scotland undertake five journeys

across the Americas with local writers to reveal untold stories.

### Oct. 28 to Nov. 5: Banff Mountain Film and Book Festival

International competition for the best of outdoor filmmaking and mountain literature. Festival is bursting with stories of profound journeys, unexpected adventures and ground breaking expeditions told by renowned authors, photographers, adventurers and filmmakers from around the globe.

Nov. 23: **Open Artists Talks: Rawi Hage and Madeleine Thien** The authors who are faculty in the Fables in the 21st Century program discuss their work.

Nov. 30: **Open Artists Talks: Lisa Moore** The authors who is teachings in the Fables in the 21st Century program discusses her work.

Dec. 7: **Open Readings: Fables for the 21st Century** Participants from Fables for the 21st Century read from their recently completed works.

### CALGARY DISTINGUISHED WRITERS PROGRAM

University of Calgary. 403-220-8177, [ucalgary.ca/cdwp](http://ucalgary.ca/cdwp)

Sept. 8: **Hello/Goodbye** Denise Chong arrives to assume her duties as the program's writer-in-residence. Naturally, that necessitates saying goodbye to the man she is replacing: Shane Book.

### CALGARY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Events at Calgary Central Library, 616 Macleod Trail S.E., unless otherwise noted. 403-260-2620, [calgarypubliclibrary.com](http://calgarypubliclibrary.com)

Sept. 8: **Bill's Book Café with Michal Lavi** The film director and Sidewalk Citizen Bakery co-owner explores risk and mountaineering through a lively discussion of Jon Krakauer's *Into Thin Air* with Calgary Public Library CEO, Bill Ptacek. At Memorial Park Library, 1221 2nd. St. S.W.

Sept. 11 to Oct. 17: **Book Discussion Groups** Titles under discussion include *Stalin's Daughter* by Rosemary Sullivan, *Just Kids* by Patti Smith, and *Dead Wake* by Eric Larson. Various locations.

Sept. 15: **Author in Residence** Welcome award-winning author and poet Bruce Hunter and celebrate 30 years of the program with past resident authors. At Memorial Park Library, 1221 2nd St. S.W.

Sept. 15: **Locked Library** Three hours, six floors of puzzles and 1,000 competitors. Presented as part of Beakerhead. \$40. [libraryafterdark.ca](http://libraryafterdark.ca).

Sept. 19: **Remembering Love** Wendy Portfors discusses her book, which

chronicles her life after her husband was diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumour and her path from grief to healing. At Quarry Park Library, 108 Quarry Park Rd. S.E.

Sept. 27: **The Winners' Circle** Gail Bowen presents the latest Joanne Kilbourn mystery. At Fish Creek Library, 11161 Bonaventure Dr. S.E.

Oct. 6: **Bill's Book Café with Anila Lee Yuen** The Centre for Newcomers' CEO and sci-fi geek sits down with Calgary Public Library CEO Bill Ptacek, to discuss politics and family in *Bloodline (Starwars)* by Claudia Gray. At Judith Umbach Library, 6617 Centre St. N.

Oct. 24: **East or West** Local author Sudhir Jain's latest is a collection of linked stories that explore the gulf between Eastern and Western values. At Village Square Library, 2623 56th St. N.E.

Oct. 22: **Where I Live Now** Sharon Butala's memoir is a study of aging, relationships and rural gender roles. It also offers insight into our relationship with nature. At Fish Creek Library, 11161 Bonaventure Dr. S.E.

### EXPRESSIONS: SPOKEN WORD

Shows at Cafe Koi, 1011 1st St. S.W. [facebook.com/koiexpressions](http://facebook.com/koiexpressions)

Every second Monday: A spoken-word event with an open mic followed by a set from a featured artist.

### FILLING STATION

Events at Pages, 1135 Kensington Rd. N.W. [fillingstation.ca](http://fillingstation.ca)

**Flywheel Reading Series** Monthly readings (poetry, fiction, spoken-word) showcasing the best in Calgarian and Canadian literature. Second Thursday of the month.

### OWL'S NEST BOOKS

815A 49th Ave. S.W., unless otherwise noted. 403-287-9557, [owlsnestbooks.com](http://owlsnestbooks.com)

Sept. 9: **Dale Leckie: Rocks, Ridges and Rivers** Guide to the geological vistas of Banff, Jasper, and Yoho national parks.

Sept. 12: **Katherine Dell: Harmless** The local YA author launches her debut fantasy novel.

Sept. 14 **Anne Campbell: The Fabric of the Day** The celebrated poet launches a new collection.

Sept. 15: **Dan Gaynor: The Hearts and Hands of Leadership** The 12 timeless practices of effective leaders.

Sept. 21: **FreeFall Magazine** Launch of the the Fall 2017 issue.

Sept. 27, Oct. 25 and Nov. 29: **AWCS Presents: Writers Unplugged** An open-mic at which writers are invited to share five minutes of their work in

a supportive environment.

Sept. 28: **Coffin Hop Press Presents: Robert Bose and Awel Howerton** The local authors launch *Fishing with the Devil* and *Con Morte*.

Oct. 23: **Tyche Books Presents: Jayne Barnard and Eileen Bell** The local authors launch their new novels.

Nov. 16: **Coffin Hop Press Presents: Weird Winter Wonderland** The local press launches an anthology of edgy and bizarre holiday-themed stories.

### PAGES ON KENSINGTON

1135 Kensington Rd. N.W. 403-283-6655, [pageskensington.com](http://pageskensington.com)

Featuring book clubs, author readings and book launches. Events TBA. See website for updates.

### THE PEOPLE'S POETRY FESTIVAL

Events take place in the East Village. [loft112.org](http://loft112.org)

Sept. 7: **Art Opening** The festival kicks off with an exhibition and sale of art inspired by poetry. At Loft 112, 535 8th Ave. S.E.

Sept. 9: **Festival** The one-day event features poetry walks, workshops, readings and battles as well as live music and DIY poetry stations.

### SHELF LIFE BOOKS

100, 1302 4th St. S.W. 403-265-1033, [shelflifebooks.ca](http://shelflifebooks.ca)

Sept. 6: **Woolf's Voices** An evening of readings, music and art that celebrate the feminine spirit.

Sept. 7: **Dina Del Bucchia: Don't Tell Me What to Do** This debut collection of funny and strange short stories is populated by weirdos and misfits trying out new ways of being in the world.

Sept. 30: **How can you think that?!? A Political Bookclub** A book club for conservatives and liberals who want to get out of their echo chambers and bridge the great divides. This month's book is *The Great Divide* by William D. Gairdner

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### THE SINGLE ONION

Events at Shelf Life Books, 100, 1302 4th St. S.W. [singleonion.com](http://singleonion.com)

Featuring various local, national and international poets reading their work. The third Thursday of the month.

### T.A.L.E.S.

The Alberta League Encouraging Storytelling. 403-283-9489, [talesalberta.org](http://talesalberta.org)

Sept. 13: **Tales on the Way: Stories of Migration** In keeping with the theme of movement, this kick-off event will take place during a stroll through Prince's Island Park.

Nov. 4: **Canada 150 Concert: Tales from the Living Tree** At Calgary Inter-Mennonite Church, 1308 Edmonton Tr. N.E.

Saturday, Oct. 14: **Storytelling Workshop: From Folktales to Personal Stories** At Hillhurst United Church, 1227 Kensington Close N.W.

**TALES CALGARY TELLAROUNDAT** Loft 112, 112 535 8th Ave. S.E. Second Wednesday of the month.

Oct. 11: **Death & Decay**; Nov. 8: **Canadian Storytelling Night**; Dec. 13: **Hanukkah: Season of Light**; Jan. 10: **All About Me**; Feb. 14: **For the Love of a Story**; March 14: **Eclipse**; April 11: **Dreams and Nightmares**; May 9: **The Devil You Know**.

**TALES CALGARY STORY CAFES** At Shelf Life Books, 1302 4th St. S.W.

Sept. 27: **Stories of Migration**; Oct. 25: **Masks, Mirrors and Mystery**; Jan. 31: **Back Alley Tales**; Feb. 28: **Wisdom of the Donkey**; April 25: **Song of the Sea**.

### WORDFEST

2nd floor, Memorial Park Library, 1221 2 St. S.W., 403-237-9068, [wordfest.com](http://wordfest.com)

### SINGLE EVENTS

At Memorial Park unless otherwise noted.

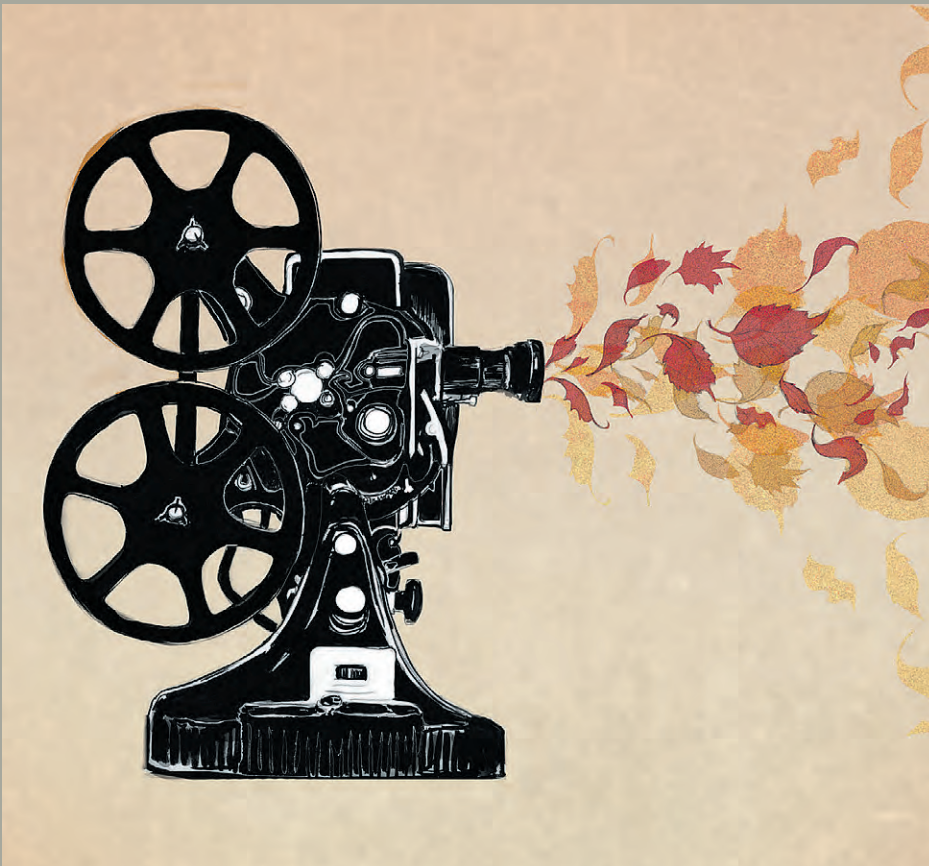
Sept. 14: **Clem and Olivier Martini: The Unravelling** The follow-up to *Bitter Medicine* continues the exploration of one family's journey through mental illness, dementia and the health care system.

Sept. 20: **Doug Saunders: Maximum Canada** The *Globe and Mail* columnist argues that we need 100 million Canadians if we're to outgrow our colonial past and build a safer, greener, more prosperous future. At John Dutton Theatre, Central Library.

Sept. 20: **Kate Hilton: Just Like Family** The author presents her latest novel, which is witty exploration of the true meaning of family.

Sept. 26: **Gail Bowen: The Winners' Circle** The mystery novelist presents the latest Joanne Kilbourn mystery.

Sept. 29: **Scaachi Koul: One Day We Will All Be Dead and None of This Will Matter** The senior writer at BuzzFeed Canada's book is a collection of hilarious and biting essays. At John Dutton Theatre, Central Library.



## ROLLING IN FROM ALL OVER

The fall season of film has an international flavour. First and foremost is the **Calgary International Film Festival** (Sept. 20 to Oct. 1), which justifies its middle initial with films from Senegal (Alain Gomis's complex character study *Félicité*), China (the animated crime comedy *Hao Ji Le [Have A Nice Day]*) and Russia (*Nelyubov [Loveless]*). Of course, Canada remains well represented in the country's 150th year, with a new film from Denis Coté, *Ta Peau si lisse [A Skin So Soft]*, and *Suck It Up*, directed by Jordan Canning, which screens at the festival's closing gala.

The University of Calgary's Latin American Research Centre, the Consulate General of Brazil in Vancouver and the Brazilian Community Association of Alberta draw from the southern hemisphere for the Bra-

zil **Film Series** throughout the fall (Sept. 28, Oct. 19, Oct. 26 and Nov. 30). **Quickdraw Animation** continues tapping the pipeline of films from across the Pacific with screenings of Japan's Studio Ghibli's *Kiki's Delivery Service* (Sept. 16) and *Castle in the Sky* (Oct. 21) at the Globe Cinema, while the **Calgary European Film Festival** (Nov. 5-12) draws its schedule from across the Atlantic. The **Calgary Cinematheque** also plans on spotlighting contemporary world cinema, but is keeping its flags hidden for now (Nov. 30 to March 22: films TBA).

Grounding the schedule with concerns closer to home is the **Marda Loop Justice Film Festival**, which screens *The Grizzly Truth*, an examination of British Columbia's—recently cancelled—grizzly bear hunt, on Sept. 12. —J.R.

### 2017 FESTIVAL

Oct. 9-15: Eighty writers from Canada and the rest of the world serve up life-changing ideas in more than 60 public events at theatres around Calgary, as well as Wordfest's new home at Memorial Park Library.

#### SELECTED HIGHLIGHTS

Oct. 9: **Alligator Pie All-Ages Launch Event** Outdoor and indoor activities for the whole family, including origami, face painting, breakdancing, sweet and savoury alligator pies from Sidewalk Citizen Bakery, and a giant balloon alligator created by Michael Grills.

Oct. 10: **House Of Anansi 50th Anniversary Celebration** Join House of Anansi co-founder Dennis Lee and four of its authors—Nick Craine, Cary Fagan, Steven Heighton and Nick Mount—as they celebrate the Canadian publishing house. With readings, reminiscences and, of course, cake.

Oct. 11: **Adult Fairy Tales** Montreal author Heather O'Neill, Juno award-winning recording artist Ron Sexsmith, and Toronto author Peter Unwin share dazzling, whimsical stories.

Oct. 11: **The Way We Wear** Claire Cameron, Susan Juby, Taylor Lambert, Heather O'Neill and Bill Richardson share why they wear what they wear and why certain items are more significant than others.

Oct. 13: **Between The Pages: An Evening With The Scotiabank Giller Prize Finalists** Marina Endicott hosts an evening with the five authors nominated for the prestigious prize. (The short list will be announced Oct. 2.) This year's showcase—a Calgary first—will serve as a tribute to founder Jack Rabinovitch, who passed away in August after a lifetime of supporting the literary arts in Canada.

Oct. 13: **An Evening with Michael Finkel** Finkel has written for *National Geographic*, *GQ*, *Rolling Stone*, *Esquire*, *Vanity Fair*, *The Atlantic*, and *The New York Times Magazine*. His book, *The Stranger in the Woods*, is the remarkable true story of a man who lived alone in the woods for 27 years.

Oct. 14: **An Evening with Tom Perrotta and Ruth Ware** This is a rare chance to spend an evening with two international publishing heavyweights. Perrotta presents from his raunchily funny new novel, *Mrs. Fletcher*. Ware reads from *The Lying Game*, her latest psychological crime thriller.

Oct. 15: **Sunday Afternoon Showcase: Timely & Tasty International Writers** A global sampling of new work from the international writing community. French

writer Camille Bordas presents her first book written in English, *How to Behave in a Crowd*. From Germany, Jenny Erpenbeck's novel *Go, Went, Gone* is a scathing indictment of Western policy toward the European refugee crisis. New Zealand's prolific Witi Ihimaera (*The Whale Rider*) discusses his latest projects. Rounding out the panel is award-winning Italian writer and editor Nicola Lagioia presenting *Ferocity*, his English-language debut.

## lecture series

### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC LIVE PRESENTS

At Jack Singer Concert Hall, Arts Commons. 403-294-9494, [epcorcentre.org](http://epcorcentre.org)

Nov. 5-6: **Pink Boots and a Machete** Primatologist Mireya Mayor has visited some of the Earth's most remote corners armed with little more than a notebook, backpack and colourful hiking boots.

Jan. 21-22: **View from Above** Astronaut Terry Virts discusses his experience as the commander of the International Space Station and why photos don't do justice to the colours of a sunrise as seen from space.

March 4-5: **A Wild Life** Photographer Bertie Gregory captures the essence of what it means to coexist peacefully with the magnificent creatures of the natural world.

April 22-23: **Standing at the Water's Edge** Cristina Mittermeier is a marine biologist and photographer who will share stories of four indigenous communities, including the Kayapo of the Amazon, the Inuit of Greenland, and the First Nations of British Columbia, that live on the razor's edge between the industrialized world and the wild.

## FILM

### BANFF MOUNTAIN FILM AND BOOK FESTIVAL

Most events at The Banff Centre, 107 Tunnel Mountain Dr., Banff. 1-800-413-8368, [banffcentre.ca/banff-mountain-film-and-book-festival](http://banffcentre.ca/banff-mountain-film-and-book-festival)

Oct. 28 to Nov. 5: International competition for the best of outdoor filmmaking and mountain literature. Festival is bursting with stories of profound journeys, unexpected adventures and ground breaking expeditions told by renowned authors, photographers, adventurers and filmmakers from around the globe.

## BRAZIL FILM SERIES

Presented by the University of Calgary's Latin American Research Centre, the Consulate General of Brazil in Vancouver and the Brazilian Community Association of Alberta. Screenings at Social Sciences Rm. 203, U of C unless otherwise noted. [ucalgary.ca](http://ucalgary.ca)

Sept. 28: **Que horas ela volta? (The Second Mother)** When the estranged daughter of a live-in housekeeper arrives, unspoken class barriers are thrown into stark relief. Portuguese with English subtitles.

Oct. 19: **Special Screening: La Jaula de oro** Three teenagers from the slums of Guatemala travel to the United States in search of a better life. In Spanish and Tzotzil with English subtitles. At John Dutton Theatre, Central Library.

Oct. 26: **O som ao redor (Neighbouring Sounds)** Life in a middle-class neighbourhood in Recife takes an unexpected turn after the arrival of an independent private security firm. Portuguese with English subtitles.

Nov. 30: **Aquarius** A widow is the last holdout in the Aquarius, an apartment building that has been acquired by a company that has other plans for it. Portuguese with English subtitles.

## CALGARY CINEMATHEQUE

Screenings at the Globe Cinema, 617 8th Ave. S.W., The Plaza Theatre, 1133 Kensington Rd. N.W., and John Dutton Theatre, Central Library. [calgarycinema.org](http://calgarycinema.org)

Film screenings starting Oct. 12, centring on separate curated themes:

**FOCUS: LANDSCAPES** Films that feature landscape as a kinetic and tactile character.

Oct. 12: **Red Desert**

Oct. 19: **Walkabout**

Oct. 26: **Badlands**

Nov. 2: **I Am Cuba**

**MASTERS: WONG KAR-WAI** Wong Kar-wai is a genuine auteur whose signature style features eye-popping visuals, memorable music and memorable characters.

Oct. 22 and Nov. 9: **In the Mood for Love**

Nov. 23: **2046**

Dec. 7: **Ashes of Time**

Dec. 14: **The Grandmaster**

**SPOTLIGHT: WEXLER & WILLIS** The work of the American cinematographers is featured.

Jan. 11: **Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf**

Jan. 18: **In the Heat of the Night**

Feb. 1: **Medium Cool**

Feb. 15: **Klute**

March 1: **Parallax View**

March 8: **All the President's Men**

**CONTEMPORARY WORLD CINEMA**

Nov. 30 to March 22: Films TBD.

## CALGARY EUROPEAN FILM FESTIVAL

Screenings at the Cineplex Odeon Eau Claire Market, 200 Barclay Parade S.W. [calgaryeuropeanfilmfestival.ca](http://calgaryeuropeanfilmfestival.ca)

Nov. 5-12: Featuring movies from 18 European countries.

## CALGARY INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

Screenings at a variety of different venues. 403-283-1490. See full list of films and a complete schedule at [calgaryfilm.com](http://calgaryfilm.com)

Sept. 20 to Oct. 1: Local and international mainstream and indie films.

## GALAS

Sept. 21: **La La Land in Concert**

The Academy Award-winning musical presented with the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra.

Sept. 30: **Closing Gala: Suck It Up** A light-hearted look at the debauched bonds of friendship by director Jordan Canning.

## HEADLINERS SERIES

**Human Flow** Ai Weiwei's beautifully shot documentary juxtaposes with the tragedy of its subjects: the mass refugee migrations of the Middle East.

## ALBERTA SCENE SERIES

**Everfall; Ice Blue; Living Proof; Made in Vietnam; Up Close & Interactive with Wynonna Earp; Tin Star** episode release.

## CANADIAN CINEMA SERIES

**A Swingers Weekend** Escaping to a beautiful lakefront property stocked with plenty of wine, Lisa and Dan are ready to have some fun with the hippest and hottest young couple they know. But when a third couple drops in unexpectedly, things go south.

**Entanglement** After failing to commit suicide, Ben decides somewhere along the line that his life went awry and he needs to find out why. Then he meets Hanna. She's interesting, she's eccentric, she's beautiful—and as it turns out, she was also adopted by

his parents and was supposed to be his sister, until he was born and she was shipped off.

**Gregoire** Shot in Fort McMurray before the 2016 wildfires, the first feature-length picture from Alberta filmmaker Cody Bown is a dark coming-of-age film that highlights the grey areas of morality that exist in all of us.

## DOCUMENTARY SERIES

**69 Minutes of 86 Days; A Skin So Soft; Birth of a Family; Brimstone & Glory; Our People Will Be Healed; Pacmen; Rat Film; Rebels on Pointe; Shut Up and Say Something; Strad Style; The Last Animals; The Worker's Cup; Unrest; Wall.**

and Intergalactic; Lovers in a Different Time; Pros and Consequences; Real Life, Realized; Rock Bottom Blues; Small Victories.

## WORLD CINEMA SERIES

A Fantastic Woman; Borg/McEnroe; Félicité; Lipstick Under My Burkha; Nobody's Watching; The Divine Order.

## CALGARY SOCIETY OF INDEPENDENT FILMMAKERS

403-205-4747, [csif.org](http://csif.org)

Sept. 21, Oct. 19 and Nov 23: **Secret Cinema** A curator selects a film from the CSIF library. For copyright reasons, the titles cannot be disclosed beforehand. At CSIF Screening Room, 100, 1725 10th Ave. S.W.

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## UNDERGROUND FILM FESTIVAL

Screenings at the Globe Cinema, 617 8th Ave. S.W. [calgaryundergroundfilm.org](http://calgaryundergroundfilm.org)

Sept. 3: **Rocky Horror Picture Show** Presented in partnership with Fairy Tales Film Festival and Hole in the Wall Studios. Featuring a live pre-show hosted by Phil with performances from Fake Mustache. Costumes and full audience participation encouraged (prop kits available for purchase).

Nov. 16-19: **CUFF. Docs** Calgary's documentary film festival featuring full-length features and shorts, varying in subject, style and genres within the art form.

## DOC SOUP CALGARY

[hotdocs.ca](http://hotdocs.ca)

**Documentary film series** presented by the Calgary International Film Festival and Hot Docs. Six screenings on the first Wednesday of each month from November until April.

## FAIRY TALES QUEER FILM FESTIVAL

403-244-1956, [fairytalesfilmfest.com](http://fairytalesfilmfest.com)

Sept. 3: **The Rocky Horror Picture Show** Presented in partnership with the Calgary Underground Film Festival and Hole in the Wall Studios. Featuring a live pre-show hosted by Phil with performances from Fake Mustache. Costumes and full audience participation encouraged (prop kits available for purchase).

May 2018: **Film Festival** The largest queer film festival in Alberta featuring the best queer films from around the world. Venue TBA.

## THE FIFTH REEL PRESENTS

At the Globe Cinema, 617 8th Ave. S.W. [fifthreel.ca](http://fifthreel.ca)

Monthly movie-themed parties featuring film screenings, live music and more.

## MARDA LOOP JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL

Screenings at multiple locations throughout Calgary. [justicefilmfestival.ca](http://justicefilmfestival.ca)

**justREEL:** Bi-monthly feature-length documentary series running from September to May.

Sept. 12: **The Grizzly Truth** Director Tom Reissmann turns his lens on B.C.'s grizzly bear hunt, talking to hunters, outfitters, government officials, eco-tourism operators and naturalists. It remains an interesting work even after the province recently cancelled the hunt.

Nov. 14-19: **11th Annual Film Festival** Annual documentary film festival screening films that promote understanding of justice issues and advocates for the wellbeing of local and global neighbours.

## MOVIES THAT MATTER

Screenings at The Gallery Room, Taylor Family Digital Library, University of Calgary. [moviesthatmatter.org](http://moviesthatmatter.org)

Held monthly during the academic year. Documentary film screenings followed by a discussion featuring the director of the film itself and/or someone from the community known for their expertise or insightful views on the film subject.

## QUICKDRAW ANIMATION SOCIETY

403-261-5767, [quickdrawanimation.ca](http://quickdrawanimation.ca)

Nov. 2017: **GIRAF 13** Giant Incandescent Resonating Animation Festival, featuring Canadian and international independent, underground and experimental animation. [giraffest.ca](http://giraffest.ca).

## STUDIO GHIBLI SHOWCASE SERIES

Sept. 16: **Kiki's Delivery Service**; Oct. 21: **Castle in the Sky**. At Globe Cinema, 617 8th Ave. S.W.

Michelangelo Antonioni's *Red Desert* pulls off a curious trick. The 1964 film is a study of modern alienation that embraces the industrial landscape. Even as Antonioni's characters engage, they are further isolated, making *Red Desert* a great choice to kick off Calgary Cinematheque's fall series highlighting the role of landscape in film. **Oct. 12, Plaza Theatre, [calgarycinema.org](http://calgarycinema.org).**

## LATE SHOW SERIES

**Bitch; Buckout Road; Fake Blood; Lowlife; The Misandrists; Tragedy Girls.**

## MUSIC ON SCREEN SERIES

**Mighty Ground; No Roads In; Score: A Film Music Documentary; Some Other Guys; Turn it Around: The Story of East Bay Punk; When God Sleeps.**

## NEW AMERICAN CINEMA SERIES

Small Town Crime; The Light of the Moon.

## SHORTS SERIES

Family First; Frame by Frame; In the Name of All Canadians; Interspecies