

TRUE NORTH Canadian Summer

June Events

Now until Jun 25. **Craftfest 2017.** Zibi Development Site. craft-fest.ca

Now until July 23. **Canada Scene.** 1,000+ artists in music, theatre, dance, film and more celebrate Canada's 150th. nac-cna.ca

Now until Dec 31. **Ottawa Fit 150.** Try 150 special fitness events. ottawa.ca

Jun 20-22. **Gatineau's Intercultural Festival.** Celebrating Aboriginal Day, International Refugee Day and St Jean Baptiste Day. gatineau2017.ca

Jun 20-25. **Summer Solstice Indigenous Festival.** Top Aboriginal talent. Vincent Massey Park. ottawasummersolstice.ca

Jun 21. **OHS Garden Party.** Ottawa's top chefs and mixologists. Horticulture Building. \$100+. ottawahumane.ca

Jun 21. **Aboriginal Day Live.** Performances by Inuit, Métis and First Nations artists. Major's Hill Park. aadnc-aandc.ga.ca

Jun 21-23. **The Tenors.** \$25+. nac-cna.ca

Jul 21-23. **Canadian Stone Carving Festival.** Blocks of stone become works of art. canadianstonecarvingfestival.com

Jun 22. **Tim McGraw and Faith Hill.** \$86+. canadiantirecentre.com

Jun 22. **La fête nationale du Québec.** Rue Laval. fetenationale.quebec

Jun 22. **Oh Canada! Celebrate Red and White.** 150 Canadian wines and cheeses. Lansdowne. \$80. savvycompany.ca

Jun 22. **Global Tastes International Food Night.** Discover the flavours of Ukraine.
\$25. cafmuseum.techno-science.ca

Jun 22-25. **L'Outaouais en Fête.** Live music, rides, outdoor activities and fireworks. festivaloutaouaisenfete.com

Jun 22-25. **Ottawa Dragon Boat Festival.** Mooney's Bay Park. dragonboat.net

Jun 22-25. **Montebello Rockfest.** Iggy Pop, Wu-Tang Clan and Alexisonfire. \$125+. montebellorockfest.com

Jun 22-Jul 2. **Jazz Festival.** Kenny Rogers, Feist and Serena Ryder. Confederation Park. ottawajazzfestival.com

Jun 23. **Red Hot Chili Peppers.** \$69+. canadiantirecentre.com

Jun 23. **REDBLACKS Home Opener.** TD Place. \$29+. ottawaredblacks.com

Jun 23-24. **St. Jean Ottawa.** Live music and outdoor entertainment. Major's Hill Park and Clarence St. stjeanottawa.ca

Jun 23-25. **Maxville Fair.** Rides, petting zoo and live entertainment. maxvillefair.ca

Jun 23-25. **Canadian Sunset Ceremonies.** RCMP Musical Ride Stables (Rockcliffe). Starting at 7pm. rcmp-grc.gc.ca

Jun 23-Jul 8. **150 Years of Canada's Scariest Ghost Stories.** Canada's favourite ghost stories from coast-to-coast. hauntedwalk.com

Jun 24. **CHEO Teddy Bears Picnic.** Rides, pancake breakfast and B.A.S.H. Tent. Rideau Hall. cheofoundation.com

Jun 24. **Mad Trapper Racing.** 50km, 21km, 10km, 5km and 3km trail races. Denholm (QC). madtrapperracing.com

Jun 24. **Bif Naked.** Mavericks. \$30. tickets.spiff.space

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Jun 24. **Push for Your Tush.** 10km and 5km run or walk for colon cancer. Landsdowne Park. coloncancercanada.ca

Jun 24. **613 Flea.** Antiques, vintage clothing and food vendors. Aberdeen Pavilion. **613flea**.ca

Jun 24-25. **Escapade.** NEW location: Lansdowne. \$140+. escapademf.com

Jun 24, Jul 22, Aug 26. **Capital Pop Up Cinema.** Outdoor movies. sparkslive.com

Jun 25. **Bytowne Oyster Festival.** Kent St. \$20. whalesboneoysterfest.ca

Jun 25. **Merrickville Motorcycle Show.** mvmcshow.com

Jun 25. **Goat Yoga** (Kemptville). Yoga with the goats. \$35. bigskyranch.ca

Jun 25. **Lap the Gats for Parkinson's.** 21km bike loop around Gatineau Park. lapthegats.org

Jun 25, Aug 6. **Secret Eats Tours.** Culinary adventures through Rideau-Goulbourn and Cumberland. Bilingual. ottawa2017.ca

Jun 25-Aug 26. **Changing of the Guard.** Daily at 10am. army-armee.forces.gc.ca

Jun 29. **Bob Dylan.** \$59.50+. canadiantirecentre.com

Jun 29. **The Governor General's Performing Arts Awards Gala.** Honouring Michael J. Fox, Martin Short, Michael Bublé and others. nac-cna.ca

Jun 29. **Art Battle.** Live competitive painting. artscourt.ca

Jun 30. **Ottawa Boat Rave.** Departing at 1pm from 799 Jacques Cartier (Gatineau). \$35. stagepulse.com

CELEBRATE our Mation

Jun 30. The Per-Party

Major Hill's Park. Buskers, trivia, swing dancing and Chantal Kreviazuk performs.

Museum of History. Inflatable games, live animals and a silent DJ show.

Museum of Nature. Nature Nocturne 150 Throwback Special.

Jacques Cartier Park. Grand Opening of MoasïCanada 150, the biggest horticultural event in Canada. Open until Oct 15.

Jul 1. Happy Birthday Canada

Parliament Hill. Inspection of the Guard, 21-gun salute, air show, a visit from Prince of Wales (Charles) and Duchess of Cornwall (Camilla), pop-up concerts and performances by Alessia Cara, Serena Ryder, Gordon Lightfoot, Dean Brody and more.

Major Hill's Park. Buskers, trivia games, VIA Rail mini-train, Great Canadian Chicken BBQ and live music.

Canadian Museum of History. Indoor and outdoor activities and the official opening of the new Canadian History Hall.

NAC Grand Re-Opening. BBQ, family activities, ribbon cutting and two NAC Orchestra performances. nac-cna.ca/canada150

Downtown Rideau. Canada Day Living Flag at Ogilvy Square (Rideau at Nicholas) starting at 1pm. downtownrideau.com

Aberdeen Pavilion. The Mayor of Ottawa hosts a breakfast for seniors starting at 10am. ottawa.ca

Dominion Day on the Farm. Canadian games, food and local bands. Canada Agriculture and Food Museum. dominionday.ca

Ottawa Brewery Market. Hintonburg Park. brewerymarket.com

International Regatta. Mooney's Bay. rideaucanoeclub.ca.

Canada D'eh Fest Orléans (Petrie Island). Kidzone, beachside BBQ and beer, live music and fireworks at 10pm. orleanscanadaday.ca

Canada Day Road Race (Kanata). 10km, 5km and 1km run or walk. Walter Baker Park. runottawa.ca

Carp Farmers Market. Celebrate Canada's 150th and the market's 27th Birthday with cake and children's activities. carpfarmersmarket.ca

Don't miss the Frewerk's starting at 11pm

A 20 min 17 sec (for 2017) display of pyromusical fireworks launched from 5 locations creating a 360 degree experience. For best viewing, visit Confederation Boulevard, Major's Hill Park or the Museum of History.



Jul 2. The Post-Party

Interprovincial Picnic on the Bridge.

The Alexandra Bridge walkway is being transformed into a green space. Live entertainment and food samples available. ottawa2017.ca

WE Day Canada on Parliament Hill.

Performances by: Alanis Morissette, Hedley, The Barenaked Ladies, Kardinal Offishall and many more.

Speakers include: Margaret Trudeau, Penny Oleksiak, Joannie Rochette, Chris Hadfield and others. Parliament Hill. we.ca

All Weekend Long

Jun 29-Jul 2. **Clarke Fields Park** (Barrhaven). Midway rides, car show, live music and fireworks at 10pm on Canada Day. canadadaybarrhaven.ca

Jun 29-Jul 4. **Ottawa's Urban Camping.** Pitch a tent or park your RV at one of 10 designated areas across the city. ottawa.ca

Jun 30-Jul 1. **Walter Baker Park** (Kanata). Midway rides, fairytale princesses, bouncy castles, a performance by Finger 11 and fireworks at 10pm on Canada Day. canadadayinkanata.com

Jun 30-Jul 2. **Canada Day Cup.** AAA Boys and Girls Hockey Tournament. Bell Sensplex. sensplex.ca

For more information, visit: canada.ca <u>OR</u> ottawatourism.ca

THE REST OF July

Jul 1-3. Whitewater Nation River Fest. Canoe and kayak courses, film fest and live music. OWL Rafting. owl-mkc.ca

Jul 1-9. **Ontario Family Fishing.** Fish license free across Ontario. ontariofamilyfishing.com

July 2. House of PainT Festival of Urban Arts. A mix of DJs, street dance, rapping and graffiti art. nac-cna.ca

Jul 2-16. **Canada Dance Festival.** Contemporary dance works in unique spaces and non-traditional venues. nac-cna.ca

Jul 3-9. **Canadian Track and Field Championships.** Terry Fox Athletic Facility. athletics.ca

Jul 3-Aug 19. **Torchlight Shakespeare.** A Midsummer Night's Dream. Mondays at Strathcona Park. fools.ca

Jul 4-17. Music and Beyond. Classical music. musicandbeyond.ca

Jul 6-8. **Festival D'Humour de Gatineau.** Place de la Cité. \$65. humourgatineau.com

Jul 6-16. **Bluesfest.** Toby Keith, 50 Cent, P!nk, Tom Petty, Sam Roberts Band and more. \$75+. ottawabluesfest.ca

Jul 7-9. Almonte Celtfest. Gemmill Park. almonteceltfest.com

Jul 7-9. **Sand Wonders Festival.** Sand sculptures and water activities. Parc du Lac Beauchamp. merveillesdesable.com

Jul 7-16. Tremblant International Blues Festival. tremblant.ca

Jul 8. City Chase. Urban adventure race. goodlifefitnesscitychase.ca

Jul 8. Natalie MacMaster. \$45+. nac-cna.ca

Jul 8-9. Osgoode Medieval Festival. osgoodemedievalfestival.com

Jul 9. **Hintonburg Centennial.** 5km and 1km run or walk. Wellington Street West. hintonburg5k.ca

Jul 9, Aug 7. Full Moon Yoga. Lansdowne Park. ottawayoga.com

Jul 11-Sept 16. Sound and Light Show. Parliament Hill. canada.pch.gc.ca

Jul 14-16. National Capital Regatta. Britannia Yacht Club. byc.ca

Jul 15. **Colour Run.** 5km paint race. Rideau Carleton Raceway. ca.thecolorrun.com

Jul 15. HOPE Beach Volleyball . Mooney's Bay. hopehelps.com

Jul 15. Wine and Words Tour. Wine, food and literature. ottawa2017.ca

Jul 15. Can-Am / American Association All Star Baseball Game. Raymond Chabot Grant Thornton Park. ottawachampions.com

Jul 15. **GranFondo Ottawa.** 235km, 180km, 150km and 65km bike routes. Richcraft Recreation Complex. granfondoottawa.org

Jul 15-16. **MS Bike Tour.** Bike from Ottawa to Cornwall in support of MS. mssociety.ca



Don't Miss: Jul 7-22. Sky Lounge

A culinary experience 150 feet in the air. Ottawa City Hall. ottawa2017.ca

July 16. **Ice Cream Festival.** Canada Agriculture and Food Museum. cafmuseum.techno-science.ca

Jul 19-23. **Lebanese Festival.** St Elias Cathedral. ottawalebanesefestival.com

Jul 20-22. **Fortissimo.** Military and musical show. Parliament Hill. army-armee.forces.gc.ca

Jul 20-23. **Kemptville Live Music Festival.** Dwight Yoakam, Burton Cummings and Gordon Lightfoot \$35+. kemptvillelivemusicfestival.com

Jul 20-Aug 20. **Theatre Under the Stars.** Odyssey Theatre. odysseytheatre.ca

Jul 21-23. **Capital Ukrainian Festival.** Green Valley Cres. capitalukrainianfestival.com

Jul 21-23. **Canadian Stone Carving Festival.**Sparks Street. canadianstonecarvingfestival.com

Jul 21-30. **Agwata.** Gatineau's history expressed through water projections. \$6. agwata.ca

Jul 22. **5K Foam Fest Canada.** 5km course with 22 obstacles. Ski Edelweiss. the5kfoamfest.com

Jul 22-Aug 4. **Chamberfest.** Showcasing classical music. chamberfest.com

Jul 25-30. Motown The Musical. \$44+. nac-cna.ca

Jul 27-30. **La Machine.** Large scale machines take over the City. ottawa2017.ca

July 28-30. **Night Market Chinatown.** Food vendors from across Ontario. ottawaasianfest.com

Jul 28-Aug 6. **Festival Country Gatineau.** Casino du Lac Leamy. countrygatineau.com

Jul 29. **Cruising for CHEO Show and Shine.** Rideau Carleton Entertainment Centre. \$10. ottawacarscene.com

July 29. **National Capital Run.** 10km and 5km run or walk. Mooney's Bay Park. somersault.ca



August Events

- Aug 3-7. **Capital Ribfest.** Ribbers, craft beer and live music. City Hall. capitalribfest.ca
- Aug 3-7. Busker Festival. Sparks Street. ottawabuskerfestival.com
- Aug 3-27. **Cirque du Soleil: VOLTA** (Gatineau). Under the Big Top on the Zibi Site. \$39. cirquedusoleil.com
- Aug 4-5. **Glengarry Highland Games** (Maxville). Over 60 pipe bands and 200 highland dancers. glengarryhighlandgames.com
- Aug 4-6. **Ottawa Salsa Convention.** Salsa dancing performances and workshops. Aberdeen Pavilion. ottawasalsaconvention.ca
- Aug 4-13. **Rogers Cup** (Montreal). Men's tennis tournament. Finals Aug 13 at 1pm. Uniprix Stadium. couperogers.com
- Aug 5-6. **Canadian Whitewater Canoe-Kayak Championships.** The Pumphouse. canoekayak.ca
- Aug 5-19. **Sound of Light.** All Canadian edition with competitors from Ontario, Manitoba, Québec and Alberta. Tune in to Majic 100 for audio. Museum of History. feux.qc.ca
- Aug 6. **WWE Live.** \$20+. canadiantirecentre.com
- Aug 7. Colonel By Day. Free admission. bytownmuseum.com
- Aug 9-13. **Asinabka Film and Media Arts Festival.** Examining Indigenous issues and topics. asinabkafestival.org
- Aug 10-13. **Navan Fair.** Demolition derby, midway rides, parade and performances by the Road Hammers and Kyra Isabella. navanfair.com
- Aug 11-13. Festival of India. City Hall. festivalofindiaottawa.org
- Aug 11-20. **South Asian Fest.** Boat cruise, Bollywood dancing, art exhibition and kids zone. southasianfest.net
- Aug 12. **JAMDAY.** Celebrating Canada's 150th and Jamaica's 55th anniversary. Mooney's Bay Park. \$20. jamaicanottawaassn.org
- Aug 12. **Night Race Ottawa.** 10km and 5km run with DJ, drums and a selfie station. Canadian Aviation and Space Museum. nightrace.ca
- Aug 12. **Winchester Dairyfest.** Dairy dash, sidewalk sale, outdoor movie and fair. winchesterdairyfest.com
- Aug 12. **West End Food Truck Rally.** Christ Church Bells Corners. facebook.com/WestEndFoodTruckRally
- Aug 12-13. Carp Garlic Festival. carpfarmersmarket.ca
- Aug 16-20. **Festival de la Curd.** Wine and cheese tasting, farmer's market and live performances. St. Albert. festivaldelacurd.ca
- Aug 17-20. **Havelock Country Jamboree.** Featuring Lee Brice, Justin Moore, Jana Kramer and Meghan Patrick. havelockjamboree.com
- Aug 17-20. **Vankleek Hill Fair.** Midway rides, live music and parade. vankleekhillfair.ca



- Aug 17-20. **South Mountain Fair.** Featuring Tanya Tucker. southmountainfair.ca
- Aug 18-20. **Arboretum Festival.** Music, swimming pond dance parties, bonfire and farm-to-table meals. Rideau Pines Farm, arboretumfestival.com
- Aug 18-20. **Calabogie Blues and Ribfest.** Calabogie Peaks Resort. calabogieblues.com
- Aug 18-27. **Capital Fair.** Midway rides, dog show, petting zoo magic shows and more. Rideau Carleton Entertainment Centre. capitalfair.ca
- Aug 19. **Art in Strathcona Park.** Over 130 exhibits, a bbg and silent auction. micaontario.com
- Aug 20-27. **World Vintage Rugby Carnival.** Twin Elm Rugby Park. vslrugby.com
- Aug 21. Guns and Roses. \$100+. tdplace.ca
- Aug 21-27. **Capital Pride Festival.** Parade takes place on Aug 27 starting at Bank and Gladstone. ottawacapitalpride.ca
- Aug 21-27. **Canadian Pacific Women's Open.**Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club. cpwomensopen.com
- Aug 24-27. **Wanderlust Tremblant.** Yoga, meditation, food and music. wanderlust.com/festivals
- Aug 25-27. **Ottawa Palestine Festival.** Marion Dewar Plaza. palestinianfestival.ca
- Aug 25-27. **Chesterville Fair.** Rides, horse shows, tractor pull and live music. chestervillefair.com
- Aug 26. **Midnight Race.** 5km night race with 17 obstacles. Mont Cascades. midnightrace.ca
- Aug 26. **Lumiere Festival.** Celebration of light. New Edinburgh Park. lumiereottawa.ca
- Aug 26. **Badass Dash.** 7km obstacle course. Wesley Clover Parks. badassdash.com
- Aug 27. **Canada's Table.** 10 chefs serve 1,000 guests at an open air table along Wellington Street. ottawa2017.ca
- Aug 31-Sept 4. **Gatineau Hot Air Balloon Festival.** Baie Park. montgolfieresgatineau.com



End of Summer

Sept 3. **Latin American Festival.** Parade starts at 2pm on Wellington St. latinamericanfestival-latino.org

Sept 6-10. **FireFit Championships.** Firefighting competition. Canadian Aviation and Space Museum. firefit.com

Sept 7-10. **Russell Fair.** Craft Beer Fest, demolition derby, tractor pulls and live entertainment. russellfair.com

Sept 8-10. **Ta Da Festival** (Wakefield). Performing and visual arts festival. tadafestival.ca

Sept 9. **PorchFest Hintonburg Edition.** Over 50 local musicians play across the neighbourhood. ottawaporchfest.ca

Sept 9. Arcade Fire. \$26+. canadiantirecentre.com

Sept 9. **Wiggle Waggle Walkathon.** 10km and 5km run or walk in support of the Ottawa Humane Society. Lansdowne Park. ottawahumane.ca

Sept 10. **The Canada Beer Run.** 13km run with 6 brewery stops OR 8km run with 5 brewery stops. canadabeerrun.ca

Sept 13. I Love the 90s The Party Continues Tour. TLC, Sugar Ray, All-4-One and C+C Music Factory. \$49.95+. tdplace.ca

Sept 14-17. **CityFolk.** Jack Johnson, Nathaniel Rateliff, Scott Helman and more. Lansdowne Park. cityfolkfestival.com

Sept 14-17. **Richmond Fair.** Petting zoo, pony rides, aerial show, food demonstrations and midway rides. richmondfair.ca

Sept 15. A Taste of History: Food and Wine Pairing. Have dinner in the former residence of two Canadian Prime Ministers. Laurier House National Historic Site. pc.gc.ca

Sept 16. **Tastes of Wellington West.** Experience the area's best music and food. wellingtonwest.ca

Sept 16. **Polo in the Park**. Polo matches, dog shows and horseback riding. Wesley Clover Parks. polointheparkottawa.com

Sept 16. **EPIC Walk for Cancer Care.** 28km walk in support of the Ottawa Regional Cancer Foundation. ottawacancer.ca

Sept 16. NAC Gala. Performance by k.d. lang. \$125+. nac-cna.ca

Sept 17. **Army Run.** Half-marathon, 10km and 5km run benefiting Soldier On and the Military Families Fund. armyrun.ca

Sept 17. Terry Fox Run. Walk, run or rollerblade. terryfox.org

Sept 18. **Drop Zone Ottawa.** Dress like a super hero and rappel down a building to raise funds for youth with disabilities. easterseals.org



True North Strong & Brewed

Can you BREW-lieve it? The first documented brewers in Canada where Louis Hébert and his wife, who brewed beer for their own personal consumption in 1617. The first commercial brewery was introduced in 1668 by Jean Talon.

Raise a glass this summer to **Local Brewers**

Broadhead Brewing Co | 81 Auriga Drive

Beyond the Pale | 5 Hamilton Avenue

Waller St. Brewing | 14 Waller Street

Broken Stick Brewing Co | 5450 Canotek Road

Kichesippi | 866 Campbell Drive

Bicycle Craft Brewery | 850 Industrial Rd

Tooth and Nail Brewing Co | 3 Irving Avenue

Covered Bridge Brewing | 119 Iber Road

Dog and Pony Brewlab | 315 Somerset Street

Dominion City | 5510 Canotek Road

Nita Beer Co | 190 Colonnade Road

Cassel Brewery | 715 Principale (Casselman)

Highlander Brew Co | 309B Highway 124

Whitewater Brewing Co | 22 Fletcher Road

Whiprsnapr Brewing Co | 14 Bexley Place

Coming Soon:

Straydog Brewing (Orleans). straydogbrewing.ca

Flora Hall (Centretown). florahallbrewing.ca

Book a Tour: Brew Donkey Tours. Saturdays and Sundays all year round. \$69+. brewdonky.ca

Cool Tip: Have a room temperature drink? Fill a bowl with water and ice and add 2 tbsp. of salt. Leave your drink sitting in the bowl for 2 mins and it will drop in temperature by 19 degrees. foodnetwork.com



Explore Canada's

TRUE NORTH HIDDEN GEMS

The Enchanted Forest

(Malakwa, BC). Home to over 350 folk art figurines hidden among 800 year old cedars, and BC's tallest tree house. enchantedforestbc.com



Peyto Lake

(Banff, AB). This ice blue lake gets its colour from the large amounts of glacier rock flour that flows into it during summer. banffandbeyond.com



Athabasca Sand Dunes

(Laronge, SK). Canada's largest active sand surface with dunes as high as 30m. The only way to get here is by float plane. tourismsaskatchewan.com



Mount Asgard

(Baffin Island, NT). Twin peaked mountains with flat tops that were featured in the James Bond film *The Spy Who Loved Me*, nunavuttourism.com



Gros Morne National Park

(Gros Morne, NL). Geologists believe that it took Mother Nature 458,000,000 years to mold this World Heritage Site. pc.gc.ca



Bay of Fundy

(Between NS and NB). As one of the 7 Wonders of the World, this bay features some of the highest tides in the world. bayoffundy.com



Bridal Veil Falls

(Manitoulin Island, ON). Located on the world's largest freshwater island, victors can picnic atop the waterfall. manitoulintourism.com



Bruce Peninsula National Park

(Tobermory, ON). A unique biosphere reserve with turquoise water that falls between Lake Huron and Georgian Bay. pc.gc.ca



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