



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

No matter what the season, we love to celebrate and hold events in Vernon. There's always something happening here. The calendar is updated on a regular basis so pick a season, pick an event, and enjoy!

For more events, visit the [Vernon Morning Star's Community Calendar](#) or the [City of Vernon's Event Calendar](#).

Thursday, June 23, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, June 23 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Private Tours @ Mackie Lake House

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Tickets are \$13 per person – \$5 for young children.

Refreshing beverages are available for purchase after your tour as you enjoy the grounds at Mackie Lake House.

Kalamalka Garden (K'nmałka? Sənqâitən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

Date and Time: Thursday, June 23 02:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captik^w (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

\$5.00 – Children under 16 years old

All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

Get your tickets [here!](#)

Queer History Chat @ The Okanagan Regional Library- Vernon Branch

Date and Time: Thursday, June 23 06:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

A positive space for LGBTQ2S+ teens and their allies to discuss the history of LGBTQ2S+ rights. The library will have books on the subject displayed for you to explore. If there's a historic time or person you are passionate about you can share that information with the group. This is not a formal presentation, just an opportunity to share the learning experience.

Movies in the Museum - The Road Forward @ The Vernon Museum & Archives

Date and Time: Thursday, June 23 07:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

The Road Forward, a musical documentary by Marie Clements, connects a pivotal moment in Canada's civil rights history—the beginnings of Indian Nationalism in the 1930s—with the powerful momentum of First Nations activism today.

Clements paints an electrifying picture of how a tiny movement, the Native Brotherhood and Native Sisterhood, became a powerful voice for social, political and legal advocacy, eventually effecting profound change at the national level. *The Road Forward's* stunningly shot musical sequences, performed by an ensemble of some of Canada's finest vocalists and musicians, seamlessly connect past and present with soaring vocals, blues, rock, and traditional beats.

The Road Forward is a rousing tribute to the fighters for First Nations rights, a soul-resounding historical experience, and a visceral call to action.

Register [here!](#)

Vernon Proms Contrasto Armonico @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Thursday, June 23 07:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Contrasto Armonico is a leading orchestra/ensemble which focuses on early music, especially music composed in the Italian style.

The aim of Contrasto Armonico is to go back to the roots of the HIP "Historically Inspired Performance", doing front-line research and advancing the boundaries of early music performance practice. An idea of HIP as a constant "work in progress", considering it as a philosophy instead of a consolidated tradition.

The orchestra is constituted of professional musicians from all over the world who share the same ideals and feelings for the Early Music performance practice, using copies of original instruments, historical pitches and transpositions, keeping as a goal the intention to get as close as possible to the style and aesthetic of the work performed.

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Historic Downtown Mural Tours @ Greater Vernon Museum & Archives

Date and Time: Friday, June 24 09:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
- Tours are best for those aged 12+ with an intermediate level of activity anticipated (tours are ~5km and run from 1.5 – 2 hours).
- Comfortable shoes, layers of clothing, sunglasses and/or sun hat, raingear if necessary, water bottle, and camera are recommended.
- Tours go rain or shine and are non-refundable.
- For groups larger than 20, private bookings or community groups, please contact us for details.
- Tours start at the Museum & Archives of Vernon - 3009 - 32 Avenue

Get your tickets [here!](#)

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Polson Artisan Night Market @ Polson Park

Date and Time: Friday, June 24 04:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Travel the World Theme Dinner - 1913 Restaurant @ Vernon Golf & Country Club

Date and Time: Friday, June 24 05:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Come check out 1913 Restaurant at the Vernon Golf and Country Club for Travel the World Theme Dinners.

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, June 24 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
- July 22- Marv Machura
- July 29- Poppa Dawg
- Aug 5- Steve Smith
- Aug 12- Makayla Gough

Saturday, June 25, 2022

Community Celebration of Summer @ Silver Star Mountain Resort

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 07:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Celebrate the arrival of summer at Silver Star with a FREE community celebration on June 25. The full day of programming features sports events, cultural highlights, and a live performance by the Okanagan's own daysormay.

SCHEDULE:

- 7am - Slay the Dragon Trail Running Race
- 10am - SilverStar Bike Park Opens
- 10am-3pm - Polson Park Artisan Market
- 1:30-3pm - Cultural highlights
- 3pm - Live concert by daysormay

Slay the Dragon Trail Running Races @ SilverStar Mountain Resort

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 08:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Welcome to Slay the Dragon with 3 distances to choose from: 13km, 25km, 50km Trail Running Race located at beautiful Silver Star Mountain Resort, located a short drive up the mountain from the gorgeous lakes of Vernon, BC.

In this trail running event we will take you through technical and cruisey single track, crazy fun climbs with long thigh shredding descents. This course is designed for all levels of trail runners, by trail runners, so you can expect priority to be placed on a challenging, crazy fun,

well flagged, fantastically aided course with the mightiest of volunteers!

Register [here!](#)

Black Paw Open @ The Rise Golf Course

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36 hole individual stroke play.

Includes golf, cart, tee gift, cocktail party, dinner @ Match Eatery and prizes.

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Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 09:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

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Connecting with Plants Kids Workshop @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Mikaela Cannon is a wilderness guide with a passion for plants and sharing her knowledge! In this workshop on Saturday, June 25th she will teach kids how to identify local plants and explain their importance. Kids will have time to observe the various plants along our grasslands trail and draw a plant of their choice. The group will then discuss; how plants are different from one another, what kind of habitat they live in, and what types of animals or insects were interacting with the plants. This workshop is suitable for kids ages 5-11 years old.

Children must be accompanied by an adult throughout the entire workshop.

Please ensure everyone in your group is dressed for the weather and wearing closed toe shoes. Meet at the Allan Brooks Nature Centre playground around 9:50am.

Click [here](#) for tickets!

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Guided Trail Tour @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

***Please note, ABNC programming will be cancelled should the temperatures exceed 35C, for the safety of all patrons and staff.

Visit their [website](#) to register!

Summer Drop-in Presentations: Basically Bees @ Planet Bee

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

"*Basically Bees*" - 20-30 minutes - **\$5.00** / person (3 and up) - Great for all ages!

Topics covered includes species of bees, the lifecycle of the honey bee, and pollination.

Included with all drop-in presentations:

- Guided viewing of our indoor observatory hives. Now that we have a new understanding of the inner workings of a colony, let's see if we can spot the queen, guard bees, and if we're lucky, a live bee dance!
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Nature Talk @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

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Meet them in their grassland theatre for a short nature talk! Their ABNC interpreters will use some of our natural materials and props to teach you more about our local plants and animals and give you an up close look. A new theme every week! There is no need to pre-register, simply check-in at the Interpretive Centre upon arrival and find a seat on one of our benches, or bring your own lawn chair. Nature Talks are free, but a donation is appreciated.

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Learn all about Bees!

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Includes all topics above plus pollen, royal jelly, propolis, and mead. Time permitting, we are happy to expand into any other areas of interest related to bees.

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Interior Savings Unplug and Play @ Heritage Park

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Interior Savings Unplug and Play has been reimagined for 2022!

Join Unplug and Play Vernon at the pop-up neighbourhood park day #2 and discover what's in an Unplug and Play Box.

Expect to see ice cream, give-aways, entertainment, fun activities, and more!

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Vernon Proms Ancora and friends: Celtic music @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Saturday, June 25 03:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Come and join Ancora and Friends for a trip to the Emerald Isle. This delightful folk concert will be conducted by Terry Logan, accompanied on piano by Jenn Britton and on flute, penny whistle and bodhran by Lynn Hadfield.

By donation.

[More info](#)

Sunday, June 26, 2022

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Yoga + Mimosas @ Predator Ridge Resort

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Grace & Flow is back at [Predator Ridge Resort](#) to bring you *Yoga + Mimosa's!* One ticket includes a 60 min yoga flow on the outdoor Lavender Platform set amongst gorgeous lavender fields.

After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Must bring your own yoga mat, no spare mats available to borrow. Directions to the platform will be emailed out to you along with a waiver once purchase is confirmed.

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CATWALK @ Lake Country Art Gallery

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In partnership with the Okanagan Humane Society, the Lake Country Art Gallery presents CATWALK, a fundraiser and adoption day, helping cats and kittens find forever homes.

CATWALK will feature wearable art for cats, a 'hissing' photo booth, cat treats, and cats and kittens available for adoption.

Come by the gallery on Sunday, June 26th, between 11am and 3pm, and get some feline love.

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Vernon Proms Okanagan Recorder Orchestra @ The Peace Lutheran Church

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Join The Okanagan Recorder Orchestra - a group of enthusiastic recorder players - for a concert of delightful music of various genres, ranging from Renaissance to contemporary.

By donation.

[More info](#)

Vernon Proms Partners in Crime @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Sunday, June 26 07:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Music works for violin, viola, and harpsichord by two of the greatest Baroque composers and good friends: *J.S.Bach* and *G.F.Telemann*. And a bit of comedy.

Cvetozar Vutev, violin/viola, Curtis Howell, harpsichord.

Tickets \$25/\$20 (children 12 y.o. and younger are free)

[More info/Tickets](#)

The Glorious Sons @ Vernon & District Performing Arts Centre

Date and Time: Sunday, June 26 07:50 p.m. - 9:50 p.m.

Following the release of their brand-new tracks 'Daylight' and 'Young King' two-time JUNO Award-winning rock band The Glorious Sons have announced The Unfinished Business Tour and will play at the Vernon and District Performing Arts Centre on June 26th.

\$56.00 Per Person

\$211.50 VIP Seating

Platinum Seating Row D and E

PROOF OF FULL VACCINATION WILL BE REQUIRED (2 dose)

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Vernon Proms Fish on Five @ The Polson Park Band Shell

Date and Time: Monday, June 27 06:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Enjoy Monday evening at the Polson Park with this brass ensemble! All five musicians reside in the Okanagan and are regular players in the Okanagan Symphony Orchestra. High entertainment value is guaranteed! Bring your family and friends. And, don't forget a lawn chair or a blanket.

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[More info](#)

Tuesday, June 28, 2022

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Tour Details

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Wednesday, June 29, 2022

Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 29 09:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket

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Showtime:

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A tale of three teapots, a rattlesnake hunting Reverend, and a gift from the King of Naples! Discover these and a multitude of other fascinating stories at this historic grand home.

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Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 29 06:00 p.m.

Wind down on with us from 6-8pm with a deep stretch on the outdoor yoga platform at [Predator Ridge](#) while watching the sunset . One ticket includes a guided moderate 18-minute hike up to the platform, a 60 minute yoga flow while you take in the spectacular view of Okanagan Lake and move and flow with your breath.

After Savasana enjoy a glass of local Okanagan wine as you watch the sunset over the hills from the Namaste Platform.

This class is a perfect end to a long day of riding, hiking or golfing. We meet at 6pm: directions to the meeting spot will be emailed to you once purchase is confirmed. Please wear hiking shoes, bring water, and your own mat. All levels welcome.

Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 29 06:00 p.m.

A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Vernon Proms Sean Bray's Peach Band @ National Altitude Training Centre Auditorium

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 29 07:30 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.

"A real honest hybrid of instrumental Americana roots with a jazzimprov sensibility. Memorable, accessible melodies with beautiful harmonycomplete with twists and turns in the road."

Tickets \$25/\$20 (children 12 y.o. and younger are free)

[More info/Tickets](#)

Thursday, June 30, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, June 30 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Music at Mackie Summer Concert Series @ Mackie Lake House

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We're dedicating the first performance to all Father's and hope they had a wonderful Father's Day.

We're pleased to once again offer six (6) music events for the 2022 summer concert series. We will offer package sales and/or individual sales to each music event. Tickets go on sale in early April!

(Thursday) June 30th - We welcome back [Amy Bishop](#). The crowd went crazy for this artist last year and we love the fact that she's joining us for our series. We will have [Shabbang Food Truck](#) on site for this performance so please bring your appetite!

(Friday) July 8th - TBD

(Friday) July 22nd - [Josh + Bex](#)

This sensational folk duo will be bringing their original material and we are sure they will be a crowd pleaser. Once again, please save room and buy dinner at [Gord Oh's Food Truck](#) which will be on site for the performance.

(Friday) August 12th - [Under the Rocks Band](#)

We're going to have a lot of fun with this band and we're hoping that all the bluegrass lovers out there will join us for their first-time performance at Mackie Lake House. We just know you won't be able to stay in your seat! [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be providing some delicious Mexican food for your dinner purchase.

(Friday) August 26th - [Emily Rault Duo](#)

This young singer comes to us from Vancouver. She'll be offering a bit of Motown, a bit of Jazz, and will just be returning from a European tour, in time to perform for us at Mackie Lake House.

(Friday) Sept. 9th - We end our season with the Lent Brothers and Neil Fraser. Most of you will be familiar with their smooth blues sound and jazz repertoire. It'll be a great way to wind up our season. Make sure you don't miss it. [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be the food truck on site for this event.

Ticket sales begin April 2022 on [ticketseller.ca](#). You do not want to miss your chance to see all these great artists!

Anime Night @ The Towne Theatre Featuring Princess Mononoke

Date and Time: Thursday, June 30 07:15 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Join the Vernon Towne Theatre on Thursday June 30th for Anime Night!

From Academy Award®-winning director Hayao Miyazaki, comes the 25th anniversary of the epic masterpiece that has dazzled audiences worldwide with its breathtaking imagination, exhilarating battles, and deep humanity.

Inflicted with a deadly curse, the young warrior Ashitaka heads west in search of a cure. There, he stumbles into a bitter conflict between Lady Eboshi, the proud people of Iron Town, and the enigmatic Princess Mononoke, a young girl raised by wolves, who will stop at nothing to prevent the humans from destroying her home and the forest spirits and animal gods who live there. Featuring the voice talents of Gillian Anderson, Billy Crudup, Claire Danes, Jada Pinkett Smith, and Billy Bob Thornton.

Friday, July 1, 2022

Canada Day @ Davison Orchards

Date and Time: Friday, July 1 09:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

We are bringing back the giant cake to celebrate Canada Day this year!

Come celebrate Canada day with free cake! Cake cutting begins at 10am (while supplies last). Staff and customers are encouraged to wear Red and White in celebration of Canada's 155th birthday. Take a farm tour and learn some interesting trivia about Canada - you might even win a prize!

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Included with all drop-in presentations:

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Date and Time: Friday, July 1 04:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, July 1 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
- July 22- Marv Machura
- July 29- Poppa Dawg
- Aug 5- Steve Smith
- Aug 12- Makayla Gough

Saturday, July 2, 2022

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Dog Days of Summer Art Show & Sale @ The Vernon Community Art Centre

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We often hear about the "dog days" of summer but what does the expression actually mean and what does it have to do with dogs? Some suggest it's about the hot sultry days of summer, while others suggest it's when dogs go mad from the heat. Historically, 'dog days' were associated with the star system Sirius (known as the "Dog Star") because it rises simultaneously with the sun during the hottest days. Here at the Arts Centre, the Dog Days of Summer is a celebration of our loyal companions and a chance for local artists and makers to create pieces that spoil the hounds and inspire the humans.

Artists and makers have been invited to create everything from fine art to functional artisan goods using any medium they wish (clay, metal, glass, paint, fibre/textiles, leather, wood, photos etc). You can hope to see tons of dog dishes, cozy beds, clothes, keychains, paw prints, paintings, portraits, accessories, and sculptures.

Visit the art show and sale from July 2-25th, Mon-Thurs 9-9, Fri-Sat 9-5, and Sunday 12-4pm.

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Guided Trail Tour @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, July 2 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

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Vernon Proms Alexandra Babbel Vocal Studio Concert @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Saturday, July 2 03:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Pupils of Alexandra Babbel with bright futures in singing will perform classical favourites. Accompanied by Graham Vink and offering repertoire from *Purcell to Barber* these young artists will delight you with their love for the classical arts and their fresh approach.

By donation.

[More info](#)

Vernon Proms Crossfire Big Band @ The Polson Park Band Shell

Date and Time: Saturday, July 2 06:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Enjoy Saturday evening at the Polson Park with Kelowna's top 16 piece **Big Band**, playing and sharing our live music for the pure joy of it.

The Crossfire Big Band is a 16 member group consisting of:

- 5 Saxes
- 4 Trombones
- 4 Trumpets
- Keyboards
- Bass and Drums

The band plays a wide range of music including hits of the big band era, ballroom dance standards, contemporary big band jazz charts, cover tunes such as favourites from Michael Buble, Sinatra, Tom Jones and many more.

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[More info](#)

The Sweet Caroline Tour - A tribute to Neil Diamond @ Vernon & District Performing Arts Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, July 2 08:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Neil Diamond - the consummate American singer-songwriter whose deep, resounding voice and timeless tunes have made him one of the world's most loved and lauded artists, earning him numerous Top Ten hits, Grammy awards and induction into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame.

Now comes The Sweet Caroline Tour: A Tribute to Neil Diamond, putting all those well-loved classics back on stage and in the spotlight, showcased by a world-class international band and produced especially for the theatre.

Take a step back into the glory days of music and musicianship with this beautiful tribute concert, featuring Sweet Caroline, Cherry Cherry, Red Red Wine, Crunchy Granola Suite, Shilo, Cracklin' Rosie, You Don't Bring Me Flowers, Holly Holy, Desiree, Forever In Blue Jeans, Song Sung Blue, Brother Love's Travelling Salvation Show, I Am... I Said, Girl You'll Be a Woman Soon and more.

\$54.00 Groups 6+ (Per Person)

\$37.25 Child 13 & Under

*includes all fees and tax

Get your tickets [here!](#)

Sunday, July 3, 2022

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Showtime:

Click "[Buy Tickets](#)" to see available times.

Funtastic Slo Pitch Tournament

Date and Time: Sunday, July 3 09:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Funtastic is a mixed slo-pitch tournament, **6 men – 4 women** on the field at all times. In Vernon we run 2 different co-ed tournaments at the same time: a guaranteed 4 Game tournament and a guaranteed 5 Game tournament. Within each tournament we try to group teams based on their ability. Because of the nature of Funtastic, costumes are encouraged and rewarded. There are about 60 costume teams each year. Prizes will be given to best-costumed teams as well as most sportsmanlike teams. We of course still give prizes to the teams that win their division.

This is an adult tournament. All slo-pitch tournament participants must be at least 16 years of age. All beer garden attendees must be at least 19 years of age.

Funtastic is a fun co-ed tournament. We have set divisions based on playing levels from 1 to 8 with #1 being seasoned "A" ball players to #8 being you play once a year. We also have the Subway Costume Division and special prizing for teams that dress up in costumes.

Yoga + Mimosas @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Sunday, July 3 10:00 a.m.

Grace & Flow is back at [Predator Ridge Resort](#) to bring you *Yoga + Mimosa's!* One ticket includes a 60 min yoga flow on the outdoor Lavender Platform set amongst gorgeous lavender fields.

After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Must bring your own yoga mat, no spare mats available to borrow. Directions to the platform will be emailed out to you along with a waiver once purchase is confirmed.

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Vernon Proms Voix du Coeur @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Sunday, July 3 02:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Opera arias and art songs by the local trio who were entertaining senior's residences during COVID-19. With Jay Laflamme, soprano, Peter Johnner, tenor, Denis Letourneau, violin/tenor, and Sylvain Vallee, guest piano.

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Live Model Drawing @ Local Losers

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Live model drawing is a drop in bring your own supplies event! Each class we have different models that pose in a variety of poses for you to draw. This event is facilitated by Rylan Broadbent! This event is 18+ due to nudity, as well we maintain a safe and respectful environment in these sessions. If this is broken you will be asked to leave.

Cost: \$12

Purchase Tickets [HERE!](#)

Vernon Proms Alan Rinehart & Duo Promessa @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Sunday, July 3 07:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Evening of guitar and vocal music with Alan Rinehart, Classical Guitars guitar, and *Duo Promessa* - Kevin Robinson, Classical Guitar and Siobhan Raupach, Soprano

Tickets: \$25/\$20 (Children 12 y.o. and younger are free)

[More info/Tickets](#)

Monday, July 4, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Monday, July 4 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Date and Time: Monday, July 4 06:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Monday evening at Polson Park: The Slide Rule Trombone Quartet will be performing an entertaining and eclectic program of light classical and pop favourites from Bach, Mozart, The Beatles, A.C. Jobim, Duke Ellington, Scott Joplin and many others.

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[More info](#)

Tuesday, July 5, 2022

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmałka? Sənqâltən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

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The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikʷ (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan

people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Sylx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

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All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

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Live Music @ Range Lounge & Grill (Predator Ridge Resort)

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During the summer, join us every Tuesday from 5 -7pm for our series of live music performances by local Okanagan artists.

Join us in Range & Lounge Grill to enjoy dinner during the event (dinner reservations are recommended).

Historic Downtown Mural Tours @ Greater Vernon Museum & Archives

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 5 06:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
- Tours are best for those aged 12+ with an intermediate level of activity anticipated (tours are ~5km and run from 1.5 – 2 hours).
- Comfortable shoes, layers of clothing, sunglasses and/or sun hat, raingear if necessary, water bottle, and camera are recommended.
- Tours go rain or shine and are non-refundable.
- For groups larger than 20, private bookings or community groups, please contact us for details.
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Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 6 06:00 p.m.

A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 6 06:00 p.m.

Wind down on with us from 6-8pm with a deep stretch on the outdoor yoga platform at [Predator Ridge](#) while watching the sunset . One ticket includes a guided moderate 18-minute hike up to the platform, a 60 minute yoga flow while you take in the spectacular view of Okanagan Lake and move and flow with your breath.

After Savasana enjoy a glass of local Okanagan wine as you watch the sunset over the hills from the Namaste Platform.

This class is a perfect end to a long day of riding, hiking or golfing. We meet at 6pm: directions to the meeting spot will be emailed to you once purchase is confirmed. Please wear hiking shoes, bring water, and your own mat. All levels welcome.

Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Vernon Proms Accordion Around the World @ The National Altitude Training Centre Auditorium

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 6 07:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

An accordion wizard Kosta Bozhinov presents an eclectic program of Celtic, Balkan, folk, and jazz music. His own arrangements are mixed with exciting improvisation and original compositions.

Tickets \$25/\$20, children 12 y.o. and younger are free

[More info/Tickets](#)

Petunia and the Vipers @ Local Losers Studio & Gallery

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 6 08:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Local Losers is excited to announce that they will be welcoming Canadian legends Petunia and the Vipers to the Underground!

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If you're planning on coming they would recommend pre buying your tickets as they think the show will sell out fast!

Thursday, July 7, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, July 7 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese,

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A tale of three teapots, a rattlesnake hunting Reverend, and a gift from the King of Naples! Discover these and a multitude of other fascinating stories at this historic grand home.

Pre-booked tours are available starting May 1, 2022. Tours can be booked from 10am-4pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays ONLY. We are currently unable to facilitate weekend tours due to spring and summer events.

Please call 250-545-1019 to reserve.

Tickets are \$13 per person – \$5 for young children.

Refreshing beverages are available for purchase after your tour as you enjoy the grounds at Mackie Lake House.

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmaika? Sənqâitən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

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The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikw̓t (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

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Join us at the 2900 Plaza every Thursday this summer to enjoy some awesome (free) music from 6pm-7:30pm!

July 7- Feet First

July 14- The Garcia Band

July 21- Forty Foot Fred

July 28- The Rockin Horse Band

August 4- The Shawn Lightfoot Band

August 11- The Keys

August 18- The Young'uns

August 25- Chipko Jones

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The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
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Polson Artisan Night Market @ Polson Park

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From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Music at Mackie Summer Concert Series @ Mackie Lake House

Date and Time: Friday, July 8 05:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Music at Mackie Summer Concert Series

We're dedicating the first performance to all Father's and hope they had a wonderful Father's Day.

We're pleased to once again offer six (6) music events for the 2022 summer concert series. We will offer package sales and/or individual sales to each music event. Tickets go on sale in early April!

(Thursday) June 30th - We welcome back [Amy Bishop](#). The crowd went crazy for this artist last year and we love the fact that she's joining us for our series. We will have [Shabbang Food Truck](#) on site for this performance so please bring your appetite!

(Friday) July 8th - TBD

(Friday) July 22nd - [Josh + Bex](#)

This sensational folk duo will be bringing their original material and we are sure they will be a crowd pleaser. Once again, please save room and buy dinner at [Gord Oh's Food Truck](#) which will be on site for the performance.

(Friday) August 12th - [Under the Rocks Band](#)

We're going to have a lot of fun with this band and we're hoping that all the bluegrass lovers out there will join us for their first-time performance at Mackie Lake House. We just know you won't be able to stay in your seat! [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be providing some delicious Mexican food for your dinner purchase.

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(Friday) Sept. 9th - We end our season with the Lent Brothers and Neil Fraser. Most of you will be familiar with their smooth blues sound and jazz repertoire. It'll be a great way to wind up our season. Make sure you don't miss it. [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be the food truck on site for this event.

Ticket sales begin April 2022 on [ticketseller.ca](#). You do not want to miss your chance to see all these great artists!

Friday Night Market @ The Vernon Community Arts Centre

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Help the Vernon Community Arts Centre celebrate diversity in the arts! Come down to the Joining Hands Friday Night Market where you'll find an array of local art. Proceeds support local artists with diverse and differing abilities. The Joining Hands Program will be hosting these markets on the 2nd Friday of each month, as part of their Art for All initiative.

Mark your calendars and head down to the Vernon Community Arts Centre!

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, July 8 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
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Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

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Vernon Proms All-Bach @ The Peace Lutheran Church

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The one and only J.S.Bach in our annual beloved production. Chamber ensemble and singers. Concertmaster Susan Schaffer. Terry Pitt-Brooke, chorus master.

Featured concert. Tickets \$40/\$35, children 12 y.o. and younger are free.

All-Bach concert program:

BWV 156 Ich steh mit einem Fuß im Grabe

BWV 32 Liebster Jesu, mein Verlangen

BWV 227 Jesu, meine Freude

Aria for alto and continuo Jesu, der aus grosser Liebe from BWV 165

Adagio and Siciliano from Sonata No.1 in G minor BWV 1001 for solo violin

[More info/Tickets](#)

The OK, DOPE Stand-up Comedy Tour @ Marten Brewing Co.

Date and Time: Saturday, July 9 08:00 p.m.

OK, DOPE is proud to present one of Canada's most seasoned comedians, Simon King, live at Marten Brewing Co. Featuring Matt Baker and Nash Park.

Simon King

Simon King completely changes a room when he takes the stage. Aggressive, truly insightful and possessing a unique explosive delivery all his own, he bombards and challenges the audience with intelligent and flat out hilarious material at break neck speed. Along with his ability to seamlessly insert characters, impressions and improvisation makes him unlike anything else in the stand up comedy world. Being the kind of comic that comes along maybe once in a generation gets you noticed. It wasn't long before he was being invited to play some of the world's most prestigious comedy competitions and festival. From his appearances at: the San Francisco International Comedy Competition, the Seattle International Comedy Competition, The Winnipeg Comedy Festival, The Edmonton Comedy Festival, The Moncton Comedy Festival, The Vancouver International Comedy Festival, Just For Laughs North West, The NW Comedy Fest, The Kuala Lumpur Comedy Fest, Virgin Music Festival and The Just For Laughs Festival to his breakout performances at the prestigious HBO U.S. Comedy Arts Festival in Aspen and the HBO, TBS Comedy Festival in Las Vegas: he's made a huge impact wherever he's been. A workhorse and veteran performer with more than twenty years of professional stand up under his belt, Simon effortlessly plays everything from theatres to comedy clubs to dive bars. With numerous national television and radio appearances including Comedy Network, CBC, CTV, TBS, Comedy Central and TBS among many more his resume speaks for itself. Simon has released numerous albums that are regularly featured on Sirius and terrestrial radio and also multiple hour long specials including his latest "As Good As Or Better Than" directed by Rory Scovel.

Matt Baker

Your guide to laughter, Matt Baker is an adventurous guy with a goofy outlook on the world he lives in. His unique brand of comedy is light, silly and witty! Matt hails from the suburbs of Ontario and has travelled across Canada telling stories and jokes in small towns and big cities alike. Winner of the Just for Laughs Northwest Outsider's competition, Matt is a regular at Yuk Yuks and has performed at numerous festivals on the west coast! Matt Baker is a comedic act you won't want to miss!

Nash Park

Nash Park is an up-and-coming stand-up comedian born in the small town in northern BC. After high school Nash moved to Victoria BC and spent years chasing creative projects until he discovered his love for stand-up comedy. After just one taste, he was completely hooked. Since then Nash has been regularly performing his high-energy, hard-hitting stand-up to crowds all around Victoria and Vancouver Island. Nash is also behind OK, DOPE, a comedy collective that creates and produces live shows, podcasts, and comedic content. OK,DOPE's flagship production is The Late Night Show with Nash Park, a live monthly show that combines stand-up, improv, and sketch all within the structure of a classic late night talk show. Off stage you can hear him as one half of the OK, DOPE Podcast

Click [HERE](#) to purchase tickets!

Sunday, July 10, 2022

Vernon's Sun Valley Cruise-in

Date and Time: Sunday, July 10 08:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

The Sun Valley Cruise-In is all about cool rides, this popular classic car show weekend is open to all show vehicles including Customs, Antiques, Hot Rods, Street Rods, and Rat Rods, Old trucks, and Muscle Cars, Motorcycles, Imports, old and modern.

Weekend Overview:

Friday, July 8th

- **Movie Night, The Old Towne Theatre.** Enjoy the classic cruising and old time rock and roll soundtrack of 'American Graffiti' on the big screen. Dress up like it was 1962, view the movie, and enjoy us as we cruise downtown into the evening.

Saturday, July 9th

- **Scenic Back-country Cruise,** The cruise starts at Watkin Motors and finishes up at the downtown show, mid afternoon.
- **Downtown Car Show,** 30th Avenue, Vernon. Join us for the traditional FREE downtown car show on 30th Avenue. All show vehicles should arrive and set up between 3:30 and 4:30 PM. For public safety, all vehicles must remain parked from 4:30 until the end of the show at 8:00 PM. Sorry, absolutely no exceptions to this regulation.

Sunday, July 10th

The Grand Show, in Polson Park

-8-10 am parking of show vehicles,

- Lion's Club pancake breakfast. One voucher for each vehicle; limited vouchers so register early.

- 10 am - 3 pm Event. Awards 2:30 pm

- Live Music by the 'rockabilly' band 'Dixie Fried Hep Katz'

- Pin-up Pageant on the main stage at noon.

- Swap Meet around the edge grassy oval edge. Swap Meet entrants please refer to the swap meet rules.

- Food vendors

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Showtime:

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Yoga + Mimosas @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Sunday, July 10 10:00 a.m.

Grace & Flow is back at [Predator Ridge Resort](#) to bring you *Yoga + Mimosa's!* One ticket includes a 60 min yoga flow on the outdoor Lavender Platform set amongst gorgeous lavender fields.

After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Must bring your own yoga mat, no spare mats available to borrow. Directions to the platform will be emailed out to you along with a waiver once purchase is confirmed.

Sun Valley Cruise-In Car Show @ Polson Park

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For over 20 years cool rides have gathered in from western Canada and the US northwest, for a fun filled weekend of automotive activities and displays.

- Event T-shirts and Button Front Shirts will be offered for sale
- Live Music
- Pin-up Pageant
- Awards

Vernon Ribfest @ Vernon Curling Club

Date and Time: Sunday, July 10 11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

The Vernon Ribfest offers family fun with something for everyone; a community-sized BBQ, Live Classic Rock and Country Bands, Adult Beverage Service, Table Reservations, Media BBQ Contest, Kids Zone with unique attractions and Shuttle Bus service (by donation to the Schubert Centre Society).

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Vernon Proms From Monteverdi to Mozart @ The Peace Lutheran Church

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A musical journey from the time of Monteverdi to Mozart. Enjoy beautiful solos, duets, quartets, and much more! Be transported by Tracy Fehr's soaring soprano, Seraphim Vocal Ensemble's delicate harmonies (Tracy Fehr, Heather Allen, Olivia Walsh and Colin Cross), Olivia Walsh's warm cello, and Dennis Nordlund on harpsichord.

Tickets \$25/\$20, children 12 y.o. and younger are free.

[More info/Tickets](#)

Vernon Proms Accordion&Fiddle: World Music @ The Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Sunday, July 10 07:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

A kaleidoscope of the world music with a fiddle champion **Michael Burnyeat** and an accordion wizard **Kosta Bozhinov** (Vancouver). Enjoy Bulgarian, Hungarian, French, Canadian, Eastern European music, tango, etc.

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[More info/Tickets](#)

Monday, July 11, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Monday, July 11 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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A mix of popular tunes for woodwind quintet. *#EasyListening*

By donation

[More info](#)

Vernon Proms Celtic Folk Music @ Polson Park

Date and Time: Monday, July 11 07:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Fiery and luscious Celtic music with a fiddle champion **Michael Burnyeat** and an accordion wizard **Kosta Bozhinov** (Vancouver). *#world music*

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Black Horse @ Caravan Farm Theatre

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A SPECTACULAR NEW MUSICAL BY LINZ KENYON

Blackhorse is a horse powered love story by Okinawan cowboy poet and raconteur Linz Kenyon, and marks a return to a spectacular incorporation of the horse as stage machine – a concept pioneered by Estelle Shook and Linz Kenyon in earlier works like *Cowboy King* and *IOU Land*.

Audiences can expect the same gritty, hilarious rural poetry and bust-out-of-the-gates indie rock score that is Linz's hallmark, as well as spectacular staging featuring six horses and a team of local horsewomen, led by heavy horse pulling champ Joyce Marchant.

Blackhorse is the contemporary tale of a BC couple struggling to raise a family, own a home and cope with one parent away at work in the Alberta oilpatch.

[Tickets](#) go on sale April 25, 2022.

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Private Tours @ Mackie Lake House

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 12 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

A tale of three teapots, a rattlesnake hunting Reverend, and a gift from the King of Naples! Discover these and a multitude of other fascinating stories at this historic grand home.

Pre-booked tours are available starting May 1, 2022. Tours can be booked from 10am-4pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays ONLY. We are currently unable to facilitate weekend tours due to spring and summer events.

Please call 250-545-1019 to reserve.

Tickets are \$13 per person – \$5 for young children.

Refreshing beverages are available for purchase after your tour as you enjoy the grounds at Mackie Lake House.

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmałka? Sənqâltən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

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The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikʷ (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

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All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

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Live Music @ Range Lounge & Grill (Predator Ridge Resort)

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 12 05:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

During the summer, join us every Tuesday from 5 -7pm for our series of live music performances by local Okanagan artists.

Join us in Range & Lounge Grill to enjoy dinner during the event (dinner reservations are recommended).

Historic Downtown Mural Tours @ Greater Vernon Museum & Archives

Date and Time: Tuesday, July 12 06:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
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Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

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Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

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The 5th annual Okanagan Celebrity Classic brought to you by Bellamy Homes is once again back at Predator Ridge for July 13 & 14, 2022 and will bring together a star-studded group to play 18 holes of golf on the world-class course, all while raising funds for the community.

Through the support of our sponsors, golfers and celebrities, since it began this event has raised over \$1,100,000 for local charities. The event President and Founder, Patrick Sullivan, has a mission to support families from across the interior of British Columbia. He is therefore thrilled to announce that the 2022 Okanagan Celebrity Classic has partnered with Mamas for Mamas as the beneficiary of the funds raised this year. Mamas for Mamas is a national charitable organization that supports mothers and caregivers in crisis for kids by providing ongoing support to individuals and families facing various poverty-related struggles. Their mission is to change the landscape of poverty through innovative approaches to financial barriers faced by struggling families.

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 13 06:00 p.m.

Wind down on with us from 6-8pm with a deep stretch on the outdoor yoga platform at [Predator Ridge](#) while watching the sunset . One ticket includes a guided moderate 18-minute hike up to the platform, a 60 minute yoga flow while you take in the spectacular view of Okanagan Lake and move and flow with your breath.

After Savasana enjoy a glass of local Okanagan wine as you watch the sunset over the hills from the Namaste Platform.

This class is a perfect end to a long day of riding, hiking or golfing. We meet at 6pm: directions to the meeting spot will be emailed to you once purchase is confirmed. Please wear hiking shoes, bring water, and your own mat. All levels welcome.

Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 13 06:00 p.m.

A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Thursday, July 14, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, July 14 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikw (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

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July 7- Feet First

July 14- The Garcia Band

July 21- Forty Foot Fred

July 28- The Rockin Horse Band

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Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
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From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, July 15 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
- July 22- Marv Machura
- July 29- Poppa Dawg
- Aug 5- Steve Smith
- Aug 12- Makayla Gough

Vernon Proms Flute Impressions @ Peace Lutheran Church

Date and Time: Friday, July 15 07:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Awash yourself in the pure sound of the flute in this concert that included works for two flutes and piano. From the bird sounds of Vivaldi's "Il Cardellino" to the beauty of Debussy's "Petite Suite" to the modern lyricism of Piazzolla's "Oblivion" and Ian Clarke's "Maya", Flute Impressions takes you on a journey of beauty melodies throughout the centuries.

Tickets \$25/\$20, children 12y.o. and younger are free.

[More info](#)

Saturday, July 16, 2022

Soup2Nutz Duathlon @ SilverStar Mountain Resort & Sovereign Lake

Date and Time: Saturday, July 16 08:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Soup 2 Nutz is a super fun 16 km Mountain Bike and 10 km Trail Running event that can be done solo or as a team! This event consists of some of the best trails Silver Star Mountain Provincial Park has to offer, rolling over rugged double track, fun flowy single track, tough climbs and some sweet descents. This exhilarating course will test your skills and fitness as you explore the terrain of Silver Star Mountain Provincial Park.

Register [here!](#)

Summer Market Festival @ Swan Lake Market & Garden

Date and Time: Saturday, July 16 08:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Join Swan Lake Market & Garden in celebrating the summer season!

This is a time we can all come together as a community and have a little fun and enjoy some casual entertainment and food in the Market Gardens.

There will be live music, food trucks, local artisans and vendors as well as activities for the kids and surprise giveaways!

Admission is free!

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Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

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Meet them in their grassland theatre for a short nature talk! Their ABNC interpreters will use some of our natural materials and props to teach you more about our local plants and animals and give you an up close look. A new theme every week! There is no need to pre-register, simply check-in at the Interpretive Centre upon arrival and find a seat on one of our benches, or bring your own lawn chair. Nature Talks are free, but a donation is appreciated.

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A fabulous evening of jazz with Jennifer Scott, a Vancouver-based jazz vocalist and pianist, and her husband, bassist Rene Worst.

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Collectively they have travelled throughout North America, the former Soviet Union & Europe working with artists as divergent as Jerry Douglas, Chet Baker, Moira Smiley, Clark Terry, Jon Batiste, David Bowie and many more!

As a duo, they have recorded two critically acclaimed CDs, Duets & the recently released Pairings.

Both are in demand as studio musicians, live performers and clinicians.

Tickets \$25/\$20, children 12y.o. and younger are free.

Sunday, July 17, 2022

Dirty Feet Trail Races - Trail Run #3 @ Kalamalka Provincial Park

Date and Time: Sunday, July 17 08:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

JULY 17TH – VERNON, BC – 5KM, 10KM, 21KM

DIRTY FEET TRAIL RUN #3

Trail Running Race in Kalamalka Prov. Park. Finish your run at the beach for a refreshing swim afterwards! Beautiful trails and beautiful views!

Sign up early this race will be capped at 300 people. Thanks in advance for signing up early.

DISTANCES

5km, 10km and 21km courses available! This run offers a 5km, 10km and 21km. Pick the distance that suits you and come out for an awesome day on the trails. There are great draw prizes to win so make sure to stick around to see what's new from our sponsors!!

TRAILS:

The trails in Kalamalka Provincial Park are a mix of rocks and dirt and can be very dusty. These trails are surrounded by great scenery with the lake and the rocky hills, there should be some great views along the way. There will be sections of the race on double track trails to allow for passing and spreading out of the group however there will be a good portion of single track as well. The course is well marked with Dirty Feet flags and arrows.

RACE SHIRTS AND MERCHANDISE

New Dirty Feet T-shirt available at the race. Shirts are on sale for \$25. Hoodies and Hats will be available to purchase at the event. Cash and credit card are accepted. Check out the new shirts at the race!

RACE PACKAGE PICK-UP

Friday July 15th from 3-5pm and Saturday July 16th from 11-1pm in Vernon at [The Starting Block](#) in Vernon. – 3100 29 Ave,

For out of towners that cannot make these times you can pick them up on race day at the race location from 8am-8:45am.

RACER CHECK IN

Begins July 17th at 8:00am at Start/Finish

RACE START TIMES

21 km at 9:00am

10 km at 9:30am

5 km at 9:45am

ENTRY FEES *

5 km early entry fee is \$40 includes GST.

10 km early entry fee is \$50 includes GST.

21 km race early entry fee is \$65 includes GST.

*Entry Fees will increase by \$5 on January 1st, 2022 – and increase by \$5 – 1 week (July 10th) before the race.

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If you would like to volunteer please email INFO@DIRTYFEET.CA regarding volunteering for this event.

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Grace & Flow is back at [Predator Ridge Resort](#) to bring you *Yoga + Mimosa's!* One ticket includes a 60 min yoga flow on the outdoor Lavender Platform set amongst gorgeous lavender fields.

After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

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[More info/Tickets](#)

Monday, July 18, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Monday, July 18 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Enjoy a vibrant evening of art and celebration as we look towards the bright future for the VPAG and art in Greater Vernon. Funds raised during the live and silent auctions provide important support to the Gallery throughout the year.

By donating to this year's Midsummer's Eve of the Arts, you will be investing into the future of British Columbia's arts and culture. The deadline for artists' donations is **June 21st, 2022 at 5:00 PM**. There are no application fees.

If you or anyone you know would like to be a part of this year's MEA by donating artwork, you can drop off the artwork and donation form at the gallery no later than June 21, 2022 by 5:00 PM.

More details to come.

Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

Date and Time: Wednesday, July 20 06:00 p.m.

A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

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This class is a perfect end to a long day of riding, hiking or golfing. We meet at 6pm: directions to the meeting spot will be emailed to you once purchase is confirmed. Please wear hiking shoes, bring water, and your own mat. All levels welcome.

Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Thursday, July 21, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, July 21 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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(Thursday) June 30th - We welcome back [Amy Bishop](#). The crowd went crazy for this artist last year and we love the fact that she's joining us for our series. We will have [Shabbang Food Truck](#) on site for this performance so please bring your appetite!

(Friday) July 8th - TBD

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(Friday) August 12th - [Under the Rocks Band](#)

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Ticket sales begin April 2022 on [ticketseller.ca](#). You do not want to miss your chance to see all these great artists!

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, July 22 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
- July 22- Marv Machura
- July 29- Poppa Dawg
- Aug 5- Steve Smith
- Aug 12- Makayla Gough

Saturday, July 23, 2022

Liv Bombshell Enduro - Women's Mountain Bike Race @ SilverStar Mountain Resort

Date and Time: Saturday, July 23 08:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Let's do it again! Our first race in 2019 was a huge success thanks to all the amazing ladies and volunteers that came out. We are very excited to have the second Bombshell race in the works for 2022. Obviously, 2022 will look a little different. Safety for everyone is our main priority and we are working hard to come up with creative ideas to make this a fun, rewarding and safe event for all.

Racing provides an opportunity to push your limits, embrace your inner competitive spirit, and to meet rad like-minded people. The most important thing with this race is to have FUN whether you are a first timer looking to take on a new challenge or you are a seasoned vet that is going pin-it-to-win-it. Either way the best part is hanging out with other bike-loving women.

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Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

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Rain or Shine! Bring a friend!

Mark your calendars and get ready to dance and sing along — **Saturday July 23rd** on their day long festival of music.

The series showcases talent from all over the Okanagan and Canada with concerts taking place in the beautiful setting of the Caetani gardens.

2022 Line Up

1pm – GATES OPEN

1:30 – 2:15 Bran Sanders

2:30 – 3:15 Blue and Kelly Hopkins

3:30 – 4:15 Songwriter's Showcase (acts TBA)

4:30 – 5:30 Cod Gone Wild

5:30 – 6:30 Break – Food trucks will be available on site

6:30 to 7:45 Songs of the Southern Belles

8:00 – 9:30 Shred Kelly

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FULL DAY TICKET 1pm – 9:30pm: \$85.00

Day Pass Only 1pm – 5pm: \$40.00

Evening Pass Only 6pm – 9:30pm: \$50.00

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Bring your blankets, folding chairs, and even a picnic and enjoy a relaxing afternoon of music presented by the Caetani Cultural Centre.

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After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

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The Martin's Aqualung 50th Anniversary show has been touring across Europe, and USA throughout 2022. Catch special guest and former Jethro Tull member Clive Bunker on select dates and all of Martin's Canadian tour.

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Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

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A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

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Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

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Polson Artisan Night Market @ Polson Park

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From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, July 29 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
- July 22- Marv Machura
- July 29- Poppa Dawg
- Aug 5- Steve Smith
- Aug 12- Makayla Gough

Saturday, July 30, 2022

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Weekend Schedule:

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Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

Date and Time: Saturday, July 30 09:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

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Guided Trail Tour @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, July 30 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

***Please note, ABNC programming will be cancelled should the temperatures exceed 35C, for the safety of all patrons and staff.

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Meet them in their grassland theatre for a short nature talk! Their ABNC interpreters will use some of our natural materials and props to teach you more about our local plants and animals and give you an up close look. A new theme every week! There is no need to pre-register, simply check-in at the Interpretive Centre upon arrival and find a seat on one of our benches, or bring your own lawn chair. Nature Talks are free, but a donation is appreciated.

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After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

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We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Private Tours @ Mackie Lake House

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A tale of three teapots, a rattlesnake hunting Reverend, and a gift from the King of Naples! Discover these and a multitude of other fascinating stories at this historic grand home.

Pre-booked tours are available starting May 1, 2022. Tours can be booked from 10am-4pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays ONLY. We are currently unable to facilitate weekend tours due to spring and summer events.

Please call 250-545-1019 to reserve.

Tickets are \$13 per person – \$5 for young children.

Refreshing beverages are available for purchase after your tour as you enjoy the grounds at Mackie Lake House.

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmaika? Sənqâltən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 2 02:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikʷ (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

\$5.00 – Children under 16 years old

All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

Get your tickets [here!](#)

Live Music @ Range Lounge & Grill (Predator Ridge Resort)

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 2 05:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

During the summer, join us every Tuesday from 5 -7pm for our series of live music performances by local Okanagan artists.

Join us in Range & Lounge Grill to enjoy dinner during the event (dinner reservations are recommended).

Historic Downtown Mural Tours @ Greater Vernon Museum & Archives

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 2 06:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
- Tours are best for those aged 12+ with an intermediate level of activity anticipated (tours are ~5km and run from 1.5 – 2 hours).
- Comfortable shoes, layers of clothing, sunglasses and/or sun hat, raingear if necessary, water bottle, and camera are recommended.
- Tours go rain or shine and are non-refundable.
- For groups larger than 20, private bookings or community groups, please contact us for details.
- Tours start at the Museum & Archives of Vernon - 3009 32nd Avenue

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Wednesday, August 3, 2022

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A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 3 06:00 p.m.

Wind down on with us from 6-8pm with a deep stretch on the outdoor yoga platform at [Predator Ridge](#) while watching the sunset . One ticket includes a guided moderate 18-minute hike up to the platform, a 60 minute yoga flow while you take in the spectacular view of Okanagan Lake and move and flow with your breath.

After Savasana enjoy a glass of local Okanagan wine as you watch the sunset over the hills from the Namaste Platform.

This class is a perfect end to a long day of riding, hiking or golfing. We meet at 6pm: directions to the meeting spot will be emailed to you once purchase is confirmed. Please wear hiking shoes, bring water, and your own mat. All levels welcome.

Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Thursday, August 4, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, August 4 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmaika? Sənqâitən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

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The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikwł (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

\$5.00 – Children under 16 years old

All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

Get your tickets [here!](#)

Downtown Sounds @ 2900 Plaza

Date and Time: Thursday, August 4 06:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Join us at the 2900 Plaza every Thursday this summer to enjoy some awesome (free) music from 6pm-7:30pm!

July 7- Feet First

July 14- The Garcia Band

July 21- Forty Foot Fred

July 28- The Rockin Horse Band

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Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
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Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, August 5 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
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After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Must bring your own yoga mat, no spare mats available to borrow. Directions to the platform will be emailed out to you along with a waiver once purchase is confirmed.

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Monday, August 8, 2022

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We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Live Music @ Range Lounge & Grill (Predator Ridge Resort)

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 9 05:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

During the summer, join us every Tuesday from 5 -7pm for our series of live music performances by local Okanagan artists.

Join us in Range & Lounge Grill to enjoy dinner during the event (dinner reservations are recommended).

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Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

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Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

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Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 10 06:00 p.m.

A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 10 06:00 p.m.

Wind down on with us from 6-8pm with a deep stretch on the outdoor yoga platform at [Predator Ridge](#) while watching the sunset . One ticket includes a guided moderate 18-minute hike up to the platform, a 60 minute yoga flow while you take in the spectacular view of Okanagan Lake and move and flow with your breath.

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Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class!

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July 7- Feet First

July 14- The Garcia Band

July 21- Forty Foot Fred

July 28- The Rockin Horse Band

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August 11- The Keys

August 18- The Young'uns

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Polson Artisan Night Market @ Polson Park

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From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Friday Night Market @ The Vernon Community Arts Centre

Date and Time: Friday, August 12 05:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Help the Vernon Community Arts Centre celebrate diversity in the arts! Come down to the Joining Hands Friday Night Market where you'll find an array of local art. Proceeds support local artists with diverse and differing abilities. The Joining Hands Program will be hosting these markets on the 2nd Friday of each month, as part of their Art for All initiative.

Mark your calendars and head down to the Vernon Community Arts Centre!

Music at Mackie Summer Concert Series @ Mackie Lake House

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We're dedicating the first performance to all Father's and hope they had a wonderful Father's Day.

We're pleased to once again offer six (6) music events for the 2022 summer concert series. We will offer package sales and/or individual sales to each music event. Tickets go on sale in early April!

(Thursday) June 30th - We welcome back [Amy Bishop](#). The crowd went crazy for this artist last year and we love the fact that she's joining us for our series. We will have [Shabbang Food Truck](#) on site for this performance so please bring your appetite!

(Friday) July 8th - TBD

(Friday) July 22nd - [Josh + Bex](#)

This sensational folk duo will be bringing their original material and we are sure they will be a crowd pleaser. Once again, please save room and buy dinner at [Gord Oh's Food Truck](#) which will be on site for the performance.

(Friday) August 12th - [Under the Rocks Band](#)

We're going to have a lot of fun with this band and we're hoping that all the bluegrass lovers out there will join us for their first-time performance at Mackie Lake House. We just know you won't be able to stay in your seat! [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be providing some delicious Mexican food for your dinner purchase.

(Friday) August 26th - [Emily Rault Duo](#)

This young singer comes to us from Vancouver. She'll be offering a bit of Motown, a bit of Jazz, and will just be returning from a European tour, in time to perform for us at Mackie Lake House.

(Friday) Sept. 9th - We end our season with the Lent Brothers and Neil Fraser. Most of you will be familiar with their smooth blues

sound and jazz repertoire. It'll be a great way to wind up our season. Make sure you don't miss it. [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be the food truck on site for this event.

Ticket sales begin April 2022 on [ticketseller.ca](#). You do not want to miss your chance to see all these great artists!

Live Music @ Marten Brewing Bar & Grill

Date and Time: Friday, August 12 07:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Join Marten Brewing Bar & Grill every Friday night this summer for live music!

Upcoming attractions:

- June 10- The Jaz Tex
- June 17- Tracey Lyn
- June 24-James Hay
- July 1- Three Scotch In
- July 8- Conroy Ross
- July 15- Mozi Bones
- July 22- Marv Machura
- July 29- Poppa Dawg
- Aug 5- Steve Smith
- Aug 12- Makayla Gough

Behind the Scene Tour of O'Keefe Ranch

Date and Time: Friday, August 12 08:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

The Behind the Scene Tour begins in the main administrative building. Snacks and drinks will be provided when you arrive. Enjoy an overview of the O'Keefe Ranch setup and feel free to ask questions. Next we will tour through some of the staff and volunteer areas which are not historic, but are crucial, to the operation of the Ranch. By this time, the sun will have set and we will explore some of the behind the scenes of the historic buildings.

Although the tour has a planned path, questions and suggestions are welcomed and we are happy to veer off course. If you have visited the Ranch during the day and you've always wondered what's behind a specific door - we will go look!

Tickets are \$35 per person and includes snacks and drinks during the introduction. Introduction starts at 8PM and tour will last until approximately 10PM.

Saturday, August 13, 2022

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Showtime:

Click "[Buy Tickets](#)" to see available times.

Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

Date and Time: Saturday, August 13 09:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

To book your tickets click [here](#)!

Guided Trail Tour @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, August 13 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

***Please note, ABNC programming will be cancelled should the temperatures exceed 35C, for the safety of all patrons and staff.

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Nature Talk @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

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Meet them in their grassland theatre for a short nature talk! Their ABNC interpreters will use some of our natural materials and props to teach you more about our local plants and animals and give you an up close look. A new theme every week! There is no need to pre-register, simply check-in at the Interpretive Centre upon arrival and find a seat on one of our benches, or bring your own lawn chair. Nature Talks are free, but a donation is appreciated.

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Yoga + Mimosas @ Predator Ridge Resort

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Grace & Flow is back at [Predator Ridge Resort](#) to bring you *Yoga + Mimosa's!* One ticket includes a 60 min yoga flow on the outdoor Lavender Platform set amongst gorgeous lavender fields.

After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Must bring your own yoga mat, no spare mats available to borrow. Directions to the platform will be emailed out to you along with a waiver once purchase is confirmed.

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Monday, August 15, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

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Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Private Tours @ Mackie Lake House

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A tale of three teapots, a rattlesnake hunting Reverend, and a gift from the King of Naples! Discover these and a multitude of other fascinating stories at this historic grand home.

Pre-booked tours are available starting May 1, 2022. Tours can be booked from 10am-4pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays ONLY. We are currently unable to facilitate weekend tours due to spring and summer events.

Please call 250-545-1019 to reserve.

Tickets are \$13 per person – \$5 for young children.

Refreshing beverages are available for purchase after your tour as you enjoy the grounds at Mackie Lake House.

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmałka? Sənqâltən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

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The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikʷł (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

\$5.00 – Children under 16 years old

All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

Get your tickets [here!](#)

Live Music @ Range Lounge & Grill (Predator Ridge Resort)

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 16 05:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

During the summer, join us every Tuesday from 5 -7pm for our series of live music performances by local Okanagan artists.

Join us in Range & Lounge Grill to enjoy dinner during the event (dinner reservations are recommended).

Historic Downtown Mural Tours @ Greater Vernon Museum & Archives

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 16 06:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
- Tours are best for those aged 12+ with an intermediate level of activity anticipated (tours are ~5km and run from 1.5 – 2 hours).
- Comfortable shoes, layers of clothing, sunglasses and/or sun hat, raingear if necessary, water bottle, and camera are

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Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

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A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

Check their [website](#) or [Facebook](#) for more details!

Sunset Stretch & Sip @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 17 06:00 p.m.

Wind down on with us from 6-8pm with a deep stretch on the outdoor yoga platform at [Predator Ridge](#) while watching the sunset . One ticket includes a guided moderate 18-minute hike up to the platform, a 60 minute yoga flow while you take in the spectacular view of Okanagan Lake and move and flow with your breath.

After Savasana enjoy a glass of local Okanagan wine as you watch the sunset over the hills from the Namaste Platform.

This class is a perfect end to a long day of riding, hiking or golfing. We meet at 6pm: directions to the meeting spot will be emailed to you once purchase is confirmed. Please wear hiking shoes, bring water, and your own mat. All levels welcome.

Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Thursday, August 18, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, August 18 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmaika? Sənqâitən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

Date and Time: Thursday, August 18 02:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captikʷł (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the

beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

\$5.00 – Children under 16 years old

All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

Get your tickets [here!](#)

Downtown Sounds @ 2900 Plaza

Date and Time: Thursday, August 18 06:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Join us at the 2900 Plaza every Thursday this summer to enjoy some awesome (free) music from 6pm-7:30pm!

July 7- Feet First

July 14- The Garcia Band

July 21- Forty Foot Fred

July 28- The Rockin Horse Band

August 4- The Shawn Lightfoot Band

August 11- The Keys

August 18- The Young'uns

August 25- Chipko Jones

Check the [Downtown Vernon Associations Facebook](#) for more details!

Queer Family Game Night @ The Boarding House Cafe

Date and Time: Thursday, August 18 07:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Come join the Family Resource Centre for a Queer Family Game Night! Starting on June 16th, families, adults, and allies of all ages are invited for a fun night of games at The Boarding House Cafe!

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The Historic Mural Tour takes you on a walking trip back into the past through Downtown Vernon. Discover all the places and ways our past meets our present.

Join our tour guides as they explore the lives and times of the individuals whose faces grace our city walls. Share in some of the stories of the people that helped create the vibrant, multicultural city that Vernon is today.

Tour FAQs

- Tours must be pre-booked. Tours will not run if there are no bookings.
- Tours are best for those aged 12+ with an intermediate level of activity anticipated (tours are ~5km and run from 1.5 – 2 hours).
- Comfortable shoes, layers of clothing, sunglasses and/or sun hat, raingear if necessary, water bottle, and camera are recommended.
- Tours go rain or shine and are non-refundable.
- For groups larger than 20, private bookings or community groups, please contact us for details.
- Tours start at the Museum & Archives of Vernon - 3009 - 32 Avenue

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From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

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Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

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After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

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Live Music @ Range Lounge & Grill (Predator Ridge Resort)

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Join us in Range & Lounge Grill to enjoy dinner during the event (dinner reservations are recommended).

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Goat Yoga @ O'Keefe Ranch

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Yoga with Goats is back! Join Samantha Richardson for a season of yoga with four legged friends.

Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

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A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

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Purchase your own individual box of charcuterie from [Crudité & Co.](#) and we will bring it to the platform for you to enjoy after class! Order must be placed with plenty of notice, minimum 48 hours.

Please book early as spaces are limited

All classes are outdoors so please prepare for the weather. Vaccination passports not required.

Thursday, August 25, 2022

Vernon Farmer's Market @ Kal Tire Place Parking Lot

Date and Time: Thursday, August 25 08:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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July 7- Feet First

July 14- The Garcia Band

July 21- Forty Foot Fred

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From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

Music at Mackie Summer Concert Series @ Mackie Lake House

Date and Time: Friday, August 26 05:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

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We're dedicating the first performance to all Father's and hope they had a wonderful Father's Day.

We're pleased to once again offer six (6) music events for the 2022 summer concert series. We will offer package sales and/or individual sales to each music event. Tickets go on sale in early April!

(Thursday) June 30th - We welcome back [Amy Bishop](#). The crowd went crazy for this artist last year and we love the fact that she's joining us for our series. We will have [Shabbang Food Truck](#) on site for this performance so please bring your appetite!

(Friday) July 8th - TBD

(Friday) July 22nd - [Josh + Bex](#)

This sensational folk duo will be bringing their original material and we are sure they will be a crowd pleaser. Once again, please save room and buy dinner at [Gord Oh's Food Truck](#) which will be on site for the performance.

(Friday) August 12th - [Under the Rocks Band](#)

We're going to have a lot of fun with this band and we're hoping that all the bluegrass lovers out there will join us for their first-time performance at Mackie Lake House. We just know you won't be able to stay in your seat! [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be providing some delicious Mexican food for your dinner purchase.

(Friday) August 26th - [Emily Rault Duo](#)

This young singer comes to us from Vancouver. She'll be offering a bit of Motown, a bit of Jazz, and will just be returning from a European tour, in time to perform for us at Mackie Lake House.

(Friday) Sept. 9th - We end our season with the Lent Brothers and Neil Fraser. Most of you will be familiar with their smooth blues sound and jazz repertoire. It'll be a great way to wind up our season. Make sure you don't miss it. [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be the food truck on site for this event.

Ticket sales begin April 2022 on [ticketseller.ca](#). You do not want to miss your chance to see all these great artists!

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Ticket includes a one-hour yoga session prior to the Ranch opening. Yoga is located outdoors in the company of the Ranch's goats. Each goat has its own personality to woo you over, whether they are looking for some extra scratches, trying to make you laugh or just want to take a nap under your downward dog, you never know what they will do!

Afterwards, enjoy the Ranches grounds, take a tour of the mansion, visit the general store, and explore the buildings. Each ticket includes a complimentary general store candy bag. If you book on a Saturday, you can also enjoy the many role play artists including live music and song, demonstrations, school sessions and much, much more. Allow yourself about 2 hours to see the grounds and another hour if you stay for lunch.

To book your tickets click [here](#)!

VJH Foundation Charity Classic Golf Tournament @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Saturday, August 27 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

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Registration and more details are expected in early April. Be sure to sign your team up early so you don't miss out!

Guided Trail Tour @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

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Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

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Sunday, August 28, 2022

Vernon Jubilee Hospital Foundation Charity Classic

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After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

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Join us every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm from April to October for the Vernon Farmers' Market!

We are proud to be one of the Okanagan's oldest farmers' markets! Our market showcases a diverse number of delicious foods and one-of-a-kind products, which are all grown, made or baked by our local vendors. Discover fresh produce, fruit, eggs, meat, cheese, baked goods, plants, flowers, hand crafted products & so much more at the Vernon Farmers' Market!

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Kalamalka Garden (K'nmałka? Sənqâitən) Indigenous Garden Tours @ Okanagan College

Date and Time: Tuesday, August 30 02:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The tour of Kalamalka Garden will allow visitors to learn a brief history of Syilx (pronounced: see-eel), who are the Indigenous people of the Okanagan - and the Captik^w (pronounced: chap-teek-cool) which are the stories, laws and cultural values of the Syilx Okanagan people, which have been passed down from generation to generation by oral tradition. Through these ancient stories, the Syilx have preserved their worldwide view and relationship with nature. Here at the Kalamalka Garden, guests will get to experience first hand the beauty and importance of both the Indigenous plant life and the traditional Indigenous knowledge that has existed for thousands of years, and still exists today.

Guests will have the opportunity to learn to identify traditional plants, understand how these plants are used for medicinal and food purposes, and see demonstrations of how to harvest and use the plants.

The tour presenter will provide short workshop on an Indigenous garden product and how it is grown, harvested and made into a gift. The workshop will explore the elements of traditional foods and medicines, history of the Okanagan area, Indigenous gardening techniques, and samples of foods from the garden.

Tour Details

DURATION: Tours are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting at 2:00pm Tours are 1 hour – 1.5 hour.

RATES:

\$30.00 – Adults

\$5.00 – Children under 16 years old

All proceeds from the Garden Tours are used for operations.

Get your tickets [here!](#)

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Wednesday, August 31, 2022

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Showtime:

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Private Tours @ Mackie Lake House

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 31 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

A tale of three teapots, a rattlesnake hunting Reverend, and a gift from the King of Naples! Discover these and a multitude of other fascinating stories at this historic grand home.

Pre-booked tours are available starting May 1, 2022. Tours can be booked from 10am-4pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays ONLY. We are currently unable to facilitate weekend tours due to spring and summer events.

Please call 250-545-1019 to reserve.

Tickets are \$13 per person – \$5 for young children.

Refreshing beverages are available for purchase after your tour as you enjoy the grounds at Mackie Lake House.

Summer Drop-in Presentations: Basically Bees @ Planet Bee

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 31 11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

"*Basically Bees*" - 20-30 minutes - **\$5.00** / person (3 and up) - Great for all ages!

Topics covered includes species of bees, the lifecycle of the honey bee, and pollination.

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What's Included

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Wahine Wednesday (SUP'n Social Paddle Night) @ Kalavida Surf Shop

Date and Time: Wednesday, August 31 06:00 p.m.

A weekly womens SUP'n social paddle night! Wahine Wednesdays are all about the girls getting together on the water – *The Ladies of the Lake!* Launching from Kal Beach, each week will include something a little different – it could be a soothing sunset paddle, a cruise alongside the Okanagan Rail Trail, story telling, or maybe even a yoga move or two.

How to Register?

No need to pre-register, just drop in and register between 5pm-5:45pm each Wednesday.

What's Included?

Beverages, snacks and good vibes are supplied after the paddle. Each week will feature a new sponsor

How Much?

\$5.00 with your own board and gear

\$20.00 – Includes board rental (includes pfd and paddle)

Who should join in?

This is a group paddle for those who have some experience paddle boarding. If you are new to SUP, we encourage you to rent a couple of times before joining a Wahine Paddle Night.

Wahine Warm-Up

5:30-5:50pm – Get warmed up before the official start of the paddle.

6pm: Group departs from Kal Beach

Where to Park?

We have limited space in our parking lot. If you have your own board, drop it at Kal Beach on the West side of the beach and park at Kal Beach Parking Lot or along WestKal Road. We have staff at the beach from 5:30pm onward so your board should be safe there.

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Polson Artisan Night Market @ Polson Park

Date and Time: Friday, September 2 04:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

From May 20 to September 2, 2022, the Polson Artisan Night Market will be operating in Polson Park, Vernon BC.

Join us Friday nights at this fun event featuring 50 vendors from the surrounding area.

Come check out a mix of skilled local producers, makers and growers each week.

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Guided Trail Tour @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

Date and Time: Saturday, September 3 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Join us on a short walk through our rare and delicate grassland ecosystem! Learn about grassland plants and animals, their special traits that allow them to live in this hot, dry habitat and how they interact. Touch, smell, and feel as we explore the wilderness all around us! This tour starts at the trailhead and follows an easy gravel path loop around the centre.

Fee: \$5.00 per person (*youth under 16 + ABNC members are FREE!*). *Registration is required.*

***Please note, ABNC programming will be cancelled should the temperatures exceed 35C, for the safety of all patrons and staff.

Visit their [website](#) to register!

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Nature Talk @ Allan Brooks Nature Centre

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Meet them in their grassland theatre for a short nature talk! Their ABNC interpreters will use some of our natural materials and props to teach you more about our local plants and animals and give you an up close look. A new theme every week! There is no need to pre-register, simply check-in at the Interpretive Centre upon arrival and find a seat on one of our benches, or bring your own lawn chair. Nature Talks are free, but a donation is appreciated.

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Yoga + Mimosas @ Predator Ridge Resort

Date and Time: Sunday, September 4 10:00 a.m.

Grace & Flow is back at [Predator Ridge Resort](#) to bring you *Yoga + Mimosa's!* One ticket includes a 60 min yoga flow on the outdoor Lavender Platform set amongst gorgeous lavender fields.

After Savasana enjoy a juicy mimosa while taking in the view of one of the Okanagan's many treasures.

Class begins at 10 am. Access the Lavender Platform by vehicle in the Predator Ridge Commonage Neighbourhood. All levels welcome.

Please book early as spaces are limited

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Must bring your own yoga mat, no spare mats available to borrow. Directions to the platform will be emailed out to you along with a waiver once purchase is confirmed.

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Music at Mackie Summer Concert Series @ Mackie Lake House

Date and Time: Friday, September 9 05:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

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We're dedicating the first performance to all Father's and hope they had a wonderful Father's Day.

We're pleased to once again offer six (6) music events for the 2022 summer concert series. We will offer package sales and/or individual sales to each music event. Tickets go on sale in early April!

(Thursday) June 30th - We welcome back [Amy Bishop](#). The crowd went crazy for this artist last year and we love the fact that she's joining us for our series. We will have [Shabbang Food Truck](#) on site for this performance so please bring your appetite!

(Friday) July 8th - TBD

(Friday) July 22nd - [Josh + Bex](#)

This sensational folk duo will be bringing their original material and we are sure they will be a crowd pleaser. Once again, please save room and buy dinner at [Gord Oh's Food Truck](#) which will be on site for the performance.

(Friday) August 12th - [Under the Rocks Band](#)

We're going to have a lot of fun with this band and we're hoping that all the bluegrass lovers out there will join us for their first-time performance at Mackie Lake House. We just know you won't be able to stay in your seat! [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be providing some delicious Mexican food for your dinner purchase.

(Friday) August 26th - [Emily Rault Duo](#)

This young singer comes to us from Vancouver. She'll be offering a bit of Motown, a bit of Jazz, and will just be returning from a European tour, in time to perform for us at Mackie Lake House.

(Friday) Sept. 9th - We end our season with the Lent Brothers and Neil Fraser. Most of you will be familiar with their smooth blues sound and jazz repertoire. It'll be a great way to wind up our season. Make sure you don't miss it. [Mi Taqueria Mexican Cantina](#) will be the food truck on site for this event.

Ticket sales begin April 2022 on [ticketseller.ca](#). You do not want to miss your chance to see all these great artists!

Saturday, September 10, 2022

Summer Drop-in Presentations: Basically Bees @ Planet Bee

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Yoga + Mimosas @ Predator Ridge Resort

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Monday, September 12, 2022

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Wednesday, September 14, 2022

Mountain Bike Tourism Symposium @ SilverStar Mountain

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 14 09:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

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Here's what's happening...

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Queer Family Game Night @ The Boarding House Cafe

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Come join the Family Resource Centre for a Queer Family Game Night! Starting on June 16th, families, adults, and allies of all ages are invited for a fun night of games at The Boarding House Cafe!

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Mountain Bike Tourism Symposium @ SilverStar Mountain

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Date and Time: Friday, September 16 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

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Featuring popular local psychics and healers, offering readings and sessions. **NEW:** Check out specialty merchandise in the [Essence Spiritual Bookstore and Teahouse](#). Books, crystals, oils, natural products, unique and imported gifts and Classes. Admission is \$2.00 at the door. (and is a donation to the Centre).

Come and Go all day. Enter your name into our Doorprize draw.

Location: Okanagan Centre for Spiritual Living - 2913 29th Ave. Vernon, BC

Time: Noon 12pm – 6pm

DATES: Fridays in 2022

Fri. Feb. 18
Fri. March 18
Fri. April 15
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY May 20/21
Fri. June 17
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Sept 16/17
Fri Oct 14
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Nov 18/19

The Comic Strippers

Date and Time: Friday, September 16 07:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

A Show For All Genders.. 19+ Only!

The award winning improv comedians are back with a new show, more moves and even quicker wits.

WARNING! No extreme nudity, just extreme hilarity.

A fictitious male stripper troupe (played by a cast of some of Canada's best improvisational comedians) performs a sexylarious improv comedy show. They try to be sexy... it just comes out funny. Constantly grooving and gyrating in between scenes they banter with the crowd and perform their hilarious twist on improv sketches. They sing, they "dance", and they are ready to make you laugh. Semi undressed and completely unscripted, The Comic Strippers take off their shirts and take on your suggestions to create a whole new genre of comedy.

\$45 Adult - No Minors 19+

\$40 Groups of 6 or more - Adult - No Minors 19+
Group discount automatically applied at checkout

[Buy Tickets Now!](#) or call [250-549-SHOW \(7469\)](tel:250-549-SHOW)

Saturday, September 17, 2022

Freaky Creeky 50 Races @ Kalamalka Lake Provincial Park

Date and Time: Saturday, September 17 08:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Freaky Creeky has four distances (11km, 27km, 50km & 100km) that will take you through Okanagan grassland dotted with ponderosa pine and groves of Douglas-fir, amazing lake views, and km after km of single track trail, some gnarly climbs, rolling terrain and a cross between technical and cruisey descents.

We are here to offer runners a challenging & scenic race course that leaves you feeling exhausted but overjoyed upon completion. Come and enjoy the beautiful Kalamalka Lake Provincial Park, located virtually at the back door of the City of Vernon.

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Tuesday, September 20, 2022

BC Bike Race @ Kalamalka Provincial Park

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 20 08:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

September 20th, 2022

Vernon

43KM - 1761M Elevation

The folks at North Okanagan Cycling Society have good reason to brag about the internationally renowned Kalamalka Lake Park trails! These modern mountain bike trails are built for modern bikes and BCBR Vernon Stage will show racers every view worth seeing as they tackle the 43km ride climbing and descending 1761m of elevation.

The King Eddie plateau gives riders a feeling of being lost in the Okanagan high country, while the fast descents off the mountain into the rattle snake riddled grassland of Cosens Bay will make you feel like you never want to be found.

New trail cut into clay, rocky loam and forested cliffs provide the setting for riders climbing, traversing and descending. Legs will definitely feel the pain on the way up, but the flow built descents will bring back the smiles. A finish through XC trails in the grasslands will force all riders stay focused to finish the day.

*Proposed course subject to change & pending final approvals

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