



ONGOING/RECURRING

Castlegar Sculpturewalk

May 13th–Sept. 30, Castlegar

Sculpturewalk is an annual exhibition of outdoor sculptures from international artists, located on a self-guided walking tour in downtown Castlegar. Brochures available along the route.

info@castlegarsculpturewalk.com

www.sculpturewalkcastlegar.com

Revelstoke Farm & Craft Market

May–Oct., Revelstoke

Every Saturday from 8:30 am–1 pm—fresh local fruits & veg, honey, baking, preserves, crafts, flowers, unique metal and woodworks, food vendors.

revelstoke.market@gmail.com

First Saturday in Kimberley

June–Oct., Kimberley

Art, culture, heritage, music and more

250-427-4919 kimberleyarts@gmail.com

www.kimberleyarts.com/kimberley-first-saturday/

Castlegar Concerts in the Park Summer Series

June 7–Aug. 30, Castlegar

Outdoor Summer Concert Series. Entertainers offer a wide variety of music from country, jazz, blues to rock for your listening and dancing pleasure. Every Wednesday 7–8:30 pm throughout the summer.

250-365-2155 darlene@kalawsky.com

www.castlegar.com

Golden Farmers' Market

Wednesdays, June 14–Sept. 27, Noon–5 pm; Saturdays, July 8–Aug.

26, 10 am–3 pm; see website for additional events, Golden

Come enjoy some Mountain Culture! You will find fresh local produce, honey & baking, woodwork, soaps, pottery, jewellery, knitwear & much more—including live music.

info@goldenfarmersmarket.com

www.goldenfarmersmarket.com

Summer Kicks

June 14–Aug. 16, Golden

Weekly evening concerts in Golden's Spirit Square featuring artists from around the world and close to home—all free.

250-344-6186 info@kickinghorseculture.ca

www.kickinghorseculture.ca

Music in the Park

June 15–Aug. 31, Trail

Every Thursday throughout the summer, bring your lawn chair or blanket and a suggested donation of \$2 to enjoy some live tunes!

250-368-9669 info@trail-arts.com

www.trail-arts.com

NDAC Presents: ArtWalk 2017

June 23–Sept. 11, Nelson

Nelson & District Arts Council presents the 29th annual ArtWalk featuring regional artists at businesses and galleries in Nelson. Opening night celebrations begin at 6 pm on Friday, June 23rd.

250-354-8177 info@ndac.ca

www.ndac.ca

Music in the Park in Nakusp

Every Wed. in July and August 6:30 to 8 pm, Nakusp

Rain or shine the performance goes on. If the weather is bad, we move into the arena.

250-265-3322

Revelstoke Street Festival Nightly Live Music

July–Aug., Revelstoke

Revelstoke's Summer Street Music Festival offers free, live music every night between 6:30 pm and 9:30 pm from late June until the end of August.

info@revelstokeartscouncil.com

www.revelstokeartscouncil.com/events/revelstoke-spirit-festival/

MAY

Kootenay Healthy Lifestyles Expo

May 6, 10 am–6 pm, Trail

Prizes, shopping, demos & speakers. Experience wellness in the Kootenays: nutrition, green initiatives, food sustainability, physical/emotional well-being, holistic medicine & other lifestyle topics. \$5 admission.

250-368-3144 events@trailchamber.bc.ca

www.kootenayhealthylifestylesexpo.com

Revelstoke Street Market

May 6, Revelstoke

Great shopping—amazing food—family-friendly entertainment
executive@revelstokechamber.com



7th Annual Oxygen Art Market

May 26–28, Friday 7–10 pm, Sat. 10 am–6 pm, Sunday 10 am–5 pm, Nelson

This annual studio sale fundraiser attracts hundreds of art lovers to the Oxygen Art Centre. With over 30 artists on display it is the place to pick up some Kootenay art!

250-352-5905 info@oxygenartcentre.org

www.oxygenartcentre.org

Castlegar Garden & Nature Fest

May 27, 10 am–3 pm, Castlegar

Vendors selling a large variety of plants, vegetables, perennials, annuals, shrubs and other garden treasures. Enjoy local food, and information on a variety of topics all relating to nature. Free admission!

250-365-1653 castlegargardenfest@shaw.ca

www.castlegargardenfest.com

JUNE

LobsterFest '8'

June 3, 5–10 pm, Kimberley

Top social event in the Kootenays. Fresh Nova Scotia lobsters, music, silent/live auctions, 50/50s. Online tickets and table selection available at kimberleyrotary.org. Ages 19 and over. Great fun!

250-427-5068 bev@bmccormickinteriors.ca

www.kimberleyrotary.org

Revelstoke Show & Shine

June 3, Revelstoke

Downtown Revelstoke is filled with vintage cars, hot rods and modified cars for the annual Revelstoke Show & Shine event.

revccc@hotmail.com

Facebook: Revelstoke Vintage Car Club

2017 Castlegar Peony Show

June 9, 10, & 11, Castlegar

Enter Peony Show competition, view peonies at FREE show. Sandman Hotel. Luncheon at Selkirk College Cafeteria June 10, tickets \$30 Blain

Marchand speaker: see website for info

250-368-6228 castlegarpeony@gmail.com

www.castlegarpeony.com

JULY

Mountain Mosaic Festival of the Arts Canada Day Celebration

July 1, 12:30–3 pm, Invermere

Arts festival on the shores of Lake Windermere—for the whole family, featuring main stage entertainment, food vendors, interactive art workshops, face painting and build-a-boat and float contest.

250-342-4423 info@columbiavalleyarts.com

www.columbiavalleyarts.com

Bloom Where You Are Planted

July 2, 11 am–3 pm, Kimberley

Visit a selection of beautiful gardens to witness local artists demonstrating

their skill on location. Ticket price \$20 (including refreshments), available at Centre 64.

250-427-4919 kimberleyarts@gmail.com

www.kimberleyarts.com

Elephant Mountain Literary Festival (EMLF)

July 6–9, Nelson

Join us for the 6th annual EMLF celebrating Canadian Literature, featuring readings, panels, our 100-Mile Opening Social, a West Kootenay Authors' Showcase and much more!

www.emlfestival.com

Christina Lake Homecoming Summerfest

July 7–9, Christina Lake

Music, art, market, dancing, beach party, fire spinning, BBQ, volleyball and "Light up the Lake" boat parade! Everyone welcome. Petunia is headlining!

A special year!

christinalakehomecoming@gmail.com

www.christinalakehomecoming.com

Trans BC Mountain Bike Race

July 14 & 15, Revelstoke

6-Day Mountain Bike Enduro Stage Race. July 10–15.

Kootenays – Fernie/Pana/Golden/Revy.

megan@ridingbc.com

www.transbcenduro.com/



JULY Cont.

Starbelly Jam Music Festival

July 21–23, Crawford Bay
Starbelly Jam is a family-fun music festival with great performers, workshops for adults and kids, gourmet food vendors, handmade crafts vendors, zero-waste policy, and a giant parade.
info@starbellyjam.org
www.starbellyjam.org

Kootenay Festival - Let's Celebrate

July 22, 10:30 am–7 pm, Castlegar
A day-long festival in celebration of our Arts, Heritage and Culture through entertainment, artisans and food. Celebrating our cultural diversity in the Kootenays.
250-365-3386 info@kootenayfestival.com
www.kootenayfestival.com

AUGUST

26th Annual Kaslo Jazz Etc. Summer Music Festival

Aug. 4–6, Kaslo
Floating stage, world-class music, vendors, camping & kids entertainment—
this is the marquee summer festival for your whole family!
Tickets and info: kaslojazzfest.com
250-353-7577 info@kaslojazzfest.com
www.kaslojazzfest.com

Glacier Challenge Softball Tournament

Aug. 4–7, Revelstoke
30th Annual Revelstoke Glacier Challenge Slo-Pitch Tournament & Music Festival
maggie@maxiemarketing.ca
www.glacierchallenge.com/

Kimberley Kaleidoscope Arts & Culture Festival

Aug. 6–12, Kimberley
Offering live music, art, spoken word, dance, painting, performances & workshops at affordable price
250-427-4919 kimberleyarts@gmail.com
www.kimberleyarts.com/home-basic/kimberley-kaleidoscope/

Columbia Basin Culture Tour

Aug. 12 & 13, 10 am–5 pm, Columbia Basin
Explore artists' studios, museums, art galleries, and heritage sites through this free, self-guided tour within the Columbia Basin.
250-505-5505 wkracassistant@telus.net
www.cbculturetour.com

Pirate Day on the SS Moyie

Aug. 13, 10 am–3 pm, Kaslo
It's Piratical FUN for the whole family with costumes, scavenger hunts, gold panning, face painting and carcass tossing! Get yer Arrr on this August!
250-353-2525 ssmoyie@klhs.bc.ca
www.facebook.com/SSMoyiePirateDay/

North Face Dirty Feet Trail Running Race

Aug. 13, Revelstoke
This trail run includes 5 km, 10 km and 21 km courses. This is a great start/finish area with access to the nordic ski lodge.
grace@dirtyfeet.com
www.dirtyfeet.ca/trail-running-races/revelstoke/

Invermere MusicFest

Aug. 18 & 19, Invermere
Beachside outdoor Music Festival featuring a variety of bands from across Canada. Two days of live music, sunshine and great refreshments.
250-342-4423 info@columbiavalleyarts.com
www.columbiavalleyarts.com

Trans Selkirks Run

Aug. 28–Sept. 1, Revelstoke
100 miles, 5 days. The Transselkirks Run is a multi-day trail running race that allows athletes to access and traverse remote landscapes, while building camaraderie and overcoming adversity.
amy@5speaks.com
www.transelkirks.com/

SEPTEMBER

Revelstoke 3-day Heli-supported Enduro MTB Race

Sept. 1–3, Revelstoke
The only helicopter-supported mountain bike race in Canada. Experience a mixture of the best alpine, loamy and unique trails in the world, in a true mountain town!
ted@bcenduro.com
www.revelstoke3day.com/

88th Annual Labour Day Golf Tournament

Sept. 3–5, Revelstoke
Annual golf tournament at the Revelstoke Golf Club.
golfshop@revelstokegolfclub.com
www.revelstokegolfclub.com/events/

Revelstoke Street Market

Sept. 9, Revelstoke
Great shopping – amazing food – family-friendly entertainment
executive@revelstokechamber.com



Hills Garlic Festival

Sept. 10, 10 am–5 pm, New Denver

Join us for the 25th annual Hills Garlic Festival featuring great food, live music, children's entertainment and over 160 vendors!

coordinator@hillsgarlicfest.ca

www.hillsgarlicfest.ca

Bike Fest Revelstoke

Sept. 16 & 17, Revelstoke

A celebration of all things biking! Group rides, live music. This year it will be in conjunction with the BC Mountain Bike Tourism Symposium.

mtbfan@telus.net

OCTOBER

Cedar Shaker Cyclocross Race

Oct. 21–22, Revelstoke

Part of the BC Interior Cyclocross series. Oct 21 is free skills day and Oct 22 is race day!

mhwelch9@telus.net

www.cedarshaker.com/

NOVEMBER

Moonlight Madness

Nov. 24, Revelstoke

The annual Moonlight Madness is a Christmas-focused event that sees most downtown merchants offer discounts and special offers in an evening sidewalk sale that takes place around downtown.

executive@revelstokechamber.com

DECEMBER

Miracle on Mackenzie

Dec. 9, Revelstoke

Christmas Festivities with bright lights, horse & sleigh, and of course a visit from St. Nicholas himself & his better half, Mrs. Claus!

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