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Downtown E-News

E-News is a bi-weekly newsletter full of great events taking place in downtown Kitchener. E-news will keep you in the loop on where to go and what to do in downtown Kitchener. It comes right to your inbox every 2 weeks!

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Witness

She's landed at the train station, what she discovers first are four guys. Together they search the town and find out what they're really looking for. A musical in 2 Acts.

Thursday June 25 - Sunday June 27, 2009.

8pm

Registry Theatre

Visit www.registrytheatre.com for details and a complete listing of shows.

An Afternoon with Doris Etienne

Join recently published Kitchener author Doris Etienne as she discusses and reads from her first novel, The Jewels of Sofia Tate.

Saturday June 27, 2009.

1:30pm

Kitchener Public Library, Main Branch

Visit www.kpl.org for details.

Shakespeare in the Park

The Players Theatre presents: William Shakespeare's 'The Taming of the Shrew'.

Bring a picnic, lawn chairs and a blanket.
Admission: Pay what you can.

Sunday June 28, 2009.

Shows at 1pm and 6pm
Victoria Park Roos Island, Downtown Kitchener
Call 519-743-0555 for details.

Transient Structure

Oakville artist Vanessa Li uses hog casings, an organic membrane, in her work, entitled 'Transient Structure'. Li draws inspiration from innocence, simplicity in nature and the fragility of life.

Ongoing throughout the month of June

Rotunda Gallery, Kitchener City Hall
Call 519-741-3400 Ext. 3381 for details.

Community

Discount Days for Seniors

On the last Thursday of each month, selected stores in Downtown Kitchener will offer specials and discounts to say 'Thank You' to Seniors for choosing Downtown Kitchener as their shopping destination.

Thursday June 25, 2009.

Downtown Kitchener
Call 519-744-4921 for details.

Canada Day Celebration for Seniors

Seniors in the community are invited to join residents at Victoria Place Retirement Residence, for a Canada Day celebration. Activities include a barbecue lunch, door prizes, old time fiddle band, and FREE Canada flags and pins. Admission: Donation to the David Suzuki Foundation

Wednesday July 1, 2009.

11:30am - 2:30pm
Victoria Place Retirement Residence
Call 519-576-1300 for details.

Family & Kids

KPL Kidders

Back by popular demand! The KPL Kidders are ready to get the summer started with this 45 minute mystery show. Suspense, stories, songs and laughter are the clues to the fun you'll be having at this show!

Children of all ages can pick up their FREE tickets at the library in advance.

Monday June 29, 2009.

2:30pm

Kitchener Public Library, Main Branch

Visit www.kpl.org for details.

Kid's Hop!

Kitchener Market is full of 'wiggles' and 'giggles'! Bring the kids down for FREE children's concerts full of singing, dancing and a whole lot of fun!

Tuesday June 30, 2009.

Sandy MacDonald and Sharon Foran

Tuesday July 7, 2009.

Richard Knechtel (aka Dickie Bird)

11am - 12Noon

Kitchener Market

Visit www.kitchenermarket.ca for details.

Kid's Club

FREE crafts, interactive activities and demonstrations for kids! Join the storytellers from the Kitchener Public Library for wonderful story times and crafts.

Saturday July 4, 2009.

10am - 12Noon

Kitchener Market

Visit www.kitchenermarket.ca for details.

Tooney Tuesdays

Rain or shine, a family event for everyone!

Exciting children's entertainers take the stage. Fun for all ages. Admission is FREE!

Tuesday July 7, 2009.

6:45pm - 8:15pm

Kitchener City Hall

Visit www.kitchener.ca for details.

Live Entertainment

Live Entertainment at the Kitchener Market

Join us for live performances by jazz, country, blues and even flamenco entertainers!

Wednesday June 24, 2009.

Joe Lovell

Thursday June 25 and Thursday July 2, 2009.

Schwebbs

Friday June 26 and Saturday July 4, 2009.

Tim Louis

Saturday June 27, 2009.

Erick Traplin

Wednesday July 1, 2009.

Jesse Webber and Luke Hunter

Friday July 3, 2009.

Sweetfire

11am - 1pm

Kitchener Market

Visit www.kitchenermarket.ca for details.

The Nights Below

William F. Gibbs and Lorrie Matheson bring you a collection of straight-forward, no nonsense music.

Wednesday June 24, 2009.

9pm

The Victoria Park Boathouse

Visit www.boathousevictoriapark.com for a complete listing of shows.

Jack deKeyzer

Join Juno Award winner Jack deKeyzer, for an evening of blues.

Friday June 26, 2009.

9pm

The Victoria Park Boathouse

Visit www.boathousevictoriapark.com for a complete listing of shows.

Peter Judd

Peter's comedic song stylings have made him one of

Kitchener's favourite entertainers. Don't miss his last show for a while, no cover!

Saturday June 27, 2009.

7:30pm

Rum Runner Pub

Call 519-745-4321 for details.

Paul Potts

Hear Paul Potts live at the Centre in the Square, featuring hits from his various albums, including his latest release, *Passione*.

Tuesday June 30, 2009.

7:30pm

Centre in the Square

Visit www.centre-square.com for details, and a complete listing of shows.

Special Events

World Peace Day Rally

Showing support for world peace, demonstrating desire to see armed conflict end, and lasting peace begin. Guests include war veterans who have served our country, MP Stephen Woodworth, Mayor Carl Zehr, and featuring Cliff Edwards, lead singer from the Bells.

Thursday June 25, 2009.

12Noon - 2pm

Kitchener City Hall, Downtown Kitchener

Visit www.worldpeacerally.net for details.

The Healthy Living Show

Learn more about companies who offer products and services that support healthy lifestyle choices, environmentally sound products, and information about healthy living!

Saturday June 27, 2009.

11am - 5pm

Waterloo Regional Children's Museum

Visit www.thechildrensmuseum.ca for details.

Non Violence Festival: A Day in the Park

Bringing the community together under the banner of non violence.

Learn about the many good projects happening in our region by visiting the Community Groups Tables. Local vendors offer unique items, and free concerts feature local bands, entertainers, and speakers. Games, crafts and entertainment available for the kids!

Saturday June 27, 2009.

12Noon - 9pm

Victoria Park, Downtown Kitchener

Visit www.nonviolencefestival.com for details.

Willie Mack CD Release Gala

Don't miss the Willie Mack CD Release Gala, presented by Kix 106.7FM.

Tickets: \$25 and include a copy of Willie's new CD, The Journey.

Tuesday June 30, 2009.

Doors at 7pm

The Gig Theatre

Call 519-342-6796 for details.

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