

Community Calendar - To submit news of a community event, send it by email to info@qctonline.com. To see what's happening in the community in upcoming weeks, go to the QCT website at www.qctonline.com. Please send your event information well ahead of time (at least two weeks before, if possible) to help avoid scheduling conflicts.



Thursday, June 7, at 10 a.m. – Caregivers' Café: Free Art Therapy Session that will help you explore your feelings while enjoying the life-affirming pleasures of creating art. To register, contact Jan Anderson at the Wellness Centre (418-684-5333, ext. 1539).

Friday, June 8, at 10 a.m. – Park Playdates for parents and preschool-age children will be held in local parks every Friday morning from June to September (weather permitting), organized by the Jeffery Hale Wellness Centre. To learn more please visit wejh.ca/park-play-dates-starts-up-again/.

Saturday, June 9, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. – Jeffery Hale-Saint Brigid's Friends' Foundation Family Mini-Golf Classic at Mini-Putt Vanier, 1170 Boulevard Wilfrid-Hamel, Québec. \$10 per player. Pre-register with Michèle Provencher at 418-684-5333, ext. 1624, or mprovencher@jhparkers.net (registration also possible at the event). Raffle tickets for Jeffery Hale – Saint Brigid's Friends' Foundation also available \$10 and there are a limited number available, so be sure to buy yours on June 9.

Sunday, June 10, at 8 p.m. – Tempêtes & Passions present Evita, Diva du Tango at the Cathedral of the Holy Trinity, 31 rue des Jardins, Vieux-Québec. Tickets \$30, students \$20, youth under 12 \$5. Reservations via lepointdevente.com or by phone at 581-307-0750. For more details, visit tempetesetpassions.com.

Sundays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, June 10 to 30 & July 19 to Aug. 5, at 8 p.m. – The Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand presents its 26th summer season of free concerts on the Plains of Abraham, with a program featuring a variety of musical styles and renowned artists during 22 stellar musical evenings. Visit ccbn-nbc.gc.ca/en/activities/kiosque-edwin-belanger and see article below for details.

Saturday, June 16 at 10 a.m. – Hello/Bonjour Bilingual Potluck Lunch/Repas Communautaire at the Bois de Coulonge (1215 Grande Allée Ouest)! Enjoy nature, good food, and good company while practising your second language! *Profitez de la nature, de la bonne bouffe et de la bonne compagnie en pratiquant votre langue seconde!* For more information or to register, please contact Alexandra at 418-683-2366 ext. 224 or alexandra.hartley@veq.ca.

Saturday, June 16, registration at 12:30 p.m – Walk for ALS (amyotrophic lateral sclerosis) also known as Lou Gehrig's disease after the great New York Yankees baseball player who died from the disease in 1939. The fundraising walk begins with registration at the Parc Victoria Social Club, 170 Rue Cardinal Maurice Roy next to the Stade Canac. The 1.7 km walk begins at 2 p.m. To learn more, to register or to make a donation, visit als-quebec.ca/get-involved/participez/walk-for-als/.

Sunday, June 17, at 7:40 a.m. – 10th annual Québec City Staircase Challenge: In addition to the Oasis 19K (some 3,000 steps and 40 staircases) and 13K race courses, two new races, the 8K and 2K kids' race, will allow runners and walkers of all levels to enjoy a great staircase race. For details and to register visit jecoursqc.com/en/defi-escaliers/schedule/.

Monday, June 18 at 7:30 p.m. – Irish Heritage Quebec meet in McMahon Hall of St. Patrick's Church, 1145 Avenue De Salaberry. John O'Connor will give a presentation on the Quebec Ship Laborers' Benevolent Society and its role in allowing the Irish community to consolidate its presence in Quebec City. Refreshments will be served and parking stubs for Îlot St. Patrick will be validated. Members and friends are invited to attend. For more information, phone Irish Heritage Quebec at 418-704-3404.

Wondering where to find English language movies (known as *version originale anglaise* or v.o.a.-s.t.f. = English with French subtitles) in Quebec City? Visit the Facebook page **Films VOA movies in Québec, Cinéma Le Clap (clap.qc.ca)** or **Cinéma Cartier (cinemacartier.com)**.

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Concerts to begin soon at the Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand

PRESS RELEASE

The Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand proudly presents the first concert of its 26th summer season on the Plains of Abraham on June 10. A standout program of 22 shows will be presented from Thursdays to Sundays. It's a one-of-a-kind setting in the heart of nature where you will discover and enjoy well-known artists and tomorrow's headliners. Whether you come out for blues, folk, pop, or world music, these concerts will sure inject a little extra sunshine into your summer.

Concerts will continue on Sunday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings until June 30 and, after the Festival d'Été de Québec, from July 19 to Aug. 5 at 8 p.m. Refer to the Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand website for the detailed program.

From jazz to blues, world music and music from Quebec, rock, pop, country or rap, discover impassioned artists eager to share their world with you. This year, the

Bandstand by Invitation will present two concerts bringing together a selection of artists from the 2018 programming. Enjoy the first show (June 10) with Renée Wilkin, Catherine Durand and Fredy V. The second Bandstand by Invitation (July 26) will present innovative and lively performances by Jérôme Couture, Annie Blanchard and Dramatik.

Tribute concerts have always attracted fans to the Bandstand. This edition proposes three: Scorpions by IN TRANCE, Pink Floyd by Pulse Fiction and Le jazz de mon pays by Jean-François Lambert, presenting a jazzed-up version of the Quebec group Harmonium.

For the seventh year, audiences are invited to share their favourite show of the season. They will be able to vote online by completing the theplainsofabraham.ca form. The winner of the 2018 Favourite Show will be announced on Monday, Aug. 6, the day after the closing concert. Angel Forrest, last

year's winner, will be performing on Friday, July 20, to the delight of one and all.

Owing to environmental concerns, the National Battlefields Commission invites Bandstand enthusiasts to consult the program online. The program will also be on display at the Park (At the Joan of Arc Garden and near the Pavilion). The Bandstand's Facebook page is filled with information and posts on the artists and their fans. An info-show phone line is open at all times: 418-648-4050.

Snack on the Plains by fastoche! will offer meals and snacks at the Pavilion (\$). The public is invited to use active transportation to get to the Bandstand or, for \$9, park nearby. A parking attendant will be greeting visitors at the green tent from 5 p.m. every show day. To enter, take Wolfe-Montcalm Avenue opposite the Musée National des beaux-arts du Québec and head for the Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand.


Over the years, more than 600,000 people have applauded close to 3,000 artists



Photo by Cassandra Kerwin from QCT archives

Concerts, with bands like Bowie Revisited who played at Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand during the summer of 2017, will begin on June 10.

SERVICE GUIDE



Centre Wellness

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418-684-5333

The community Wellness Centre in the Jeffery Hale Pavilion promotes the well-being of English-speakers living in the Quebec City region

from here and abroad at the Edwin-Bélanger Bandstand. Inaugurated in 1993, the bandstand was named after Captain Edwin Bélanger (1910-2005), violinist, viola player, conductor, arranger, composer and teacher, who enjoyed a long-standing, rewarding career and who greatly contributed to Quebec City's musical scene. Born in Montmagny, Edwin Bélanger

presided over the destinies of major orchestras such as the Cercle Philharmonique de Québec (that he founded in 1935 and directed for seven years), the Orchestre Symphonique de Québec (1942-51) and La Musique du Royal 22e Régiment (1937-61) that acquired an enviable international reputation under his direction.

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