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GUIDEBOOK 2016

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION

**AUG 19 TO SEPT 5 | 2016**

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@ this year's **CNE!**



## CNE Hours of Operation

### GATES ARE OPEN:

- Daily: 10 AM to 10 PM  
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Rides and grounds stay open until midnight.
- Labour Day Monday  
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Gates close at 5 PM; Buildings close at 7 PM; rides & grounds open till 9 PM; Casino closes at 8 PM.

- Kids' World (daily):  
10 AM to 8 PM  
.....  
Kiddie Midway stays open until 11 PM & 9 PM on Labour Day Monday.
- CNE Bars  
.....  
Open daily 11 AM until midnight. Casino Patio opens at noon (Aug 19 - Sept 5). All bars close early on Labour Day Monday.

25 young inventors compete in 5 categories over 3 days for a Grand Prize of \$25,000!

Check out the latest innovations in consumer products!

#cneinnovation



# New This Year!



## CNE on the Waterfront



THREE DAYS ONLY!

## CNE Innovation GARAGE

Fri Aug 19 to Sun Aug 21  
10 am to 10 pm  
Energare Centre, Hall F

Presented by

A mini Tech Conference within the fun of the fair! This all new Innovation Hub will feature a **Pitch Competition** where emerging young inventors will compete to win \$25,000 in grand prize money! Visit [TheEx.com](http://TheEx.com) for details. Plus an **Innovation Playground** featuring the latest in consumer products & more!

## CNE on the Waterfront

Thanks to the investment made in the western channel for the **Toronto 2015 Pan Am & Para Pan Am Games**, the CNE makes its long awaited return to the waterfront this summer! **All waterfront activities take place on both east and west sides of the Bailey Bridge.**

### The Great Canadian Water Ski Caper

Daily: Aug 19 to Sept 1 (1:30 & 4:30 pm) & Sept 2 to 5 (4:30 pm)

Featuring the most high flippin', tumble turning, trick riding, elbow dipping' ski-mologists around!

### Canadian Wake Surf Nationals

Fri Aug 19 to Sun Aug 21 (9 am to 6 pm)

Canada's best water-skiers surf the wake as they compete for top honours.

### Nautique WWA Wakeboard World Championships presented by Rockstar Energy

Thurs Aug 25 to Sun Aug 28 (9 am to 6 pm)

200 athletes! 25 countries! Powerful Nautique boats! They all converge in Toronto for the ultimate global wakeboarding showdown! Watch them compete to become the 2016 World Champion & Nautique Wake Series Overall Champion.

Check out the CNE's Food Truck Frenzy & Craft Beer Fest this same weekend!



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### Star Trek: "50 Artists. 50 Years."†

Daily

Enercare Centre, Salon 105

A global art exhibit celebrating the 50th anniversary of this iconic franchise, featuring works by 50 artists from 10 countries all inspired by *Star Trek!*

Check out the [Star Trek Bar](#), [Pop Up Shop](#), and [Trek Trivia Nights!](#)

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### Himalaya

Daily

CNE Midway

Chills & thrills await you in this exciting new addition to the CNE Midway.



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### Augmenting Reality Exhibit

Daily

Enercare Centre, Heritage Court Gallery

Where technology and the physical world intersect!

Try, touch and experience altered realities in this multi-sensory exhibit.



Himalaya



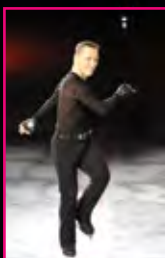
Augmenting Reality Exhibit

Photo Credit: © Steve Mann

— ALL SHOWS & EVENTS FREE WITH ADMISSION!\* —



Joannie  
Rochette



Elvis Stojko  
Aug 23 to 25 ONLY



Aerial Acrobatics &  
Ice Skating Show

**Back By  
Popular  
Demand!**



International Sand  
Sculpting Competition



Mardi Gras Parade



Topiary Exhibit

Photo of Acrobatics is from the 2015 ONE



**Rock & Roll Over!:  
The President's Choice  
SuperDogs Show**

**Aerial Acrobatics & Ice Skating Show**

Daily @ 2 & 5 pm

Ricoh Coliseum



Starring Olympic Medalist **Joannie Rochette** (except Aug 23 to 25)  
Featuring Elvis Stojko Aug 23, 24 & 25 ONLY!

**International Sand Sculpting Competition**

Competition Dates:

Fri Aug 19 to Wed Aug 24

On display throughout the fair.

Competitors from **Canada, Lithuania, South Korea & Spain** will transform tons of sand into magnificent sculptures as they vie for top honours!



**Mardi Gras Parade**

Departs from Princes' Gates Daily @ 6 pm



**Topiary Exhibit**

Daily

Energare Centre, Garden Show, Heritage Court



**Rock & Roll Over!:  
The President's Choice  
SuperDogs Show**

Daily

Mon to Thurs: 12:30, 3:30 & 6:30 pm

Fri to Sun + Mon Sept 5: 12 pm (noon), 2:30, 4:30 & 6:30 pm

Energare Centre, Hall D



**XPogo Stunt Team**

Daily

Mon to Thurs: 1:30, 4:30 & 7 pm

Fri to Sun + Mon Sept 5: 1:30, 3:30, 5:30 & 7 pm

Outside on Princes' Blvd  
(immediately south of the Energare Centre's Hall C)

**RUSH: Parkour  
Competitive Demonstrations**

Daily

Mon to Thurs: 1:30, 4:30 & 7:30 pm

Fri to Sun + Mon Sept 5: 1:30, 3:30, 5:30 & 7:30 pm

Outside, west of the Food Building

Vote for your favourite!



**XPogo Stunt Team**



**RUSH: Parkour Competitive Demonstrations**

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# Bandshell Concerts

**ALL CONCERTS & EVENTS FREE WITH ADMISSION!\***

**ALL CONCERTS @ 7:30 PM**

## Randy Bachman

with The Harpoonist & The Axe Murderer

Fri Aug 19

boom 8-973



Randy Bachman

## Jefferson Starship

with Jane's Party

Sat Aug 20 • Time of concert TBC

Q107



Jefferson Starship



Aloha Elvis

## Headstones

with Poor Young Things

Sun Aug 21

94.3 The Rock  
Downtown 97.2

## Aloha Elvis

Mon Aug 22

Zoomer Radio  
92.3 | 88.2

## Ricky Nelson Remembered

with The Heartbroken

Tues Aug 23

Zoomer Radio  
92.3 | 88.2

## Luciano

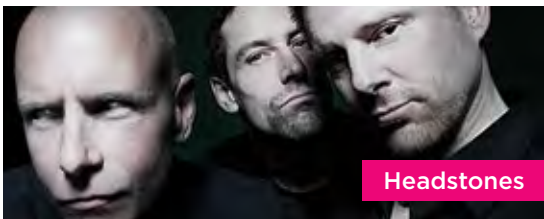
with Jay Douglas

Wed Aug 24

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Luciano



Headstones



Ricky Nelson Remembered





Alan Frew



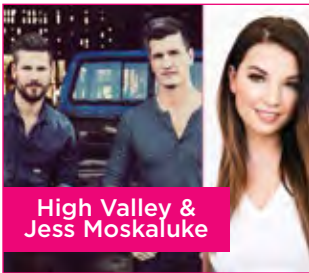
The Legendary Downchild Blues Band



George Canyon



Dean Brody



High Valley & Jess Moskaluke



Scott Helman & Tyler Shaw



**ALL CONCERTS @ 7:30 PM**

**Alan Frew**

with The Spoons

Thurs Aug 25

boom 97.3

**George Canyon**

with Jordan McIntosh

Fri Aug 26

KX Country 94.7 FM 95.9 FM

**Dean Brody**

with Jessica Mitchell

Sat Aug 27

KX Country 94.7 FM 95.9 FM

**High Valley & Jess Moskaluke**

Sun Aug 28

KX Country 94.7 FM 95.9 FM

**The Legendary Downchild Blues Band**

with Steve Hill

Mon Aug 29

Q107

**Scott Helman & Tyler Shaw**

with Dan Televski

Tues Aug 30

99.8 RADIO Coca-Cola

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# Bandshell Concerts

## ALL CONCERTS & EVENTS FREE WITH ADMISSION!\*

ALL CONCERTS @ 7:30 PM

### A Great Big World

with Repartee

Wed Aug 31



### Ria Mae & Coleman Hell

with Jonathan Roy

Thurs Sept 1



### 54•40

with Junkhouse

Fri Sept 2



### The Trews

with The Lazys

Sat Sept 3



### Walk Off The Earth

with The Beaches

Sun Sept 4



A Great Big World



Ria Mae & Coleman Hell



Walk Off The Earth



54•40



The Trews



Midway Stage



Wine Garden

## Music 'Round the Grounds



Northern Comfort Saloon

### Northern Comfort Saloon

Daily  
South of BMO Field at Ontario Drive



### Midway Stage

Daily Performances  
Outside on Princes' Blvd. across from the midway



### Wine Garden

Daily Performances  
Energare Centre, Heritage Court



### More Relaxing at the CNE

- Beach Bar proudly brewing Muskoka beer
- Casino Patio
- Craft Taps proudly serving Beau's All Natural Brew

### AKA Crescendo & MEGARock

Fri Aug 19 to Mon Aug 29 transat

### KONTERSCHWUNG: The Cool Swiss Acrobats

Sat Aug 27 to Sat Sept 3

### Ninos de Cuba

Tues Aug 30 to Mon Sept 5

For a complete list of international performers & show times visit [TheEx.com](http://TheEx.com)

## International Performances

International Stage, Energare Centre, Hall B



Ninos de Cuba



KONTERSCHWUNG



AKA Crescendo & MEGARock



# Fun with Food!

## Celebrity Chefs & Cooking Demonstrations

2 & 5 pm

Energare Centre, Hall A, At Home Pavilion



metronews.ca



**Yvonne Tremblay on Preserving**  
Daily at 7 pm



**Chef Claudio Aprile**  
Fri Aug 19



**Chef Michael Smith**  
Sat Aug 20



**Chef Lynn Crawford**  
Sun Aug 21



**Chef Anna Olson**  
Fri Aug 26



**Chef Mark McEwan**  
Sat Aug 27



**Chef Ned Bell**  
Sun Aug 28



**Chef Jason Parsons**  
Fri Sept 2



**Chef D - Darryl Fletcher**  
Sat Sept 3



**Chef Maggie McKeown**  
Sun Sept 4

# Learn from More Masters!

2 & 5 pm

Energicare Centre, Hall A, Celebrity Chef Stage



**Julie Albert & Lisa Gnat**  
Mon Aug 22

**Chef Matt Basile**  
Thurs Aug 25

**Chef Rodney Bowers**  
Wed Aug 31

**A Vine Romance**  
Tues Aug 23

**Chef Sang Kim**  
Mon Aug 29

**Joel MacCharles & Dana Harrison**  
Thurs Sept 1

**Chef Scott Baechler**  
Wed Aug 24

**Chef Afrim Pristine**  
Tues Aug 30



Craft Beer Fest

## More Food Fun!

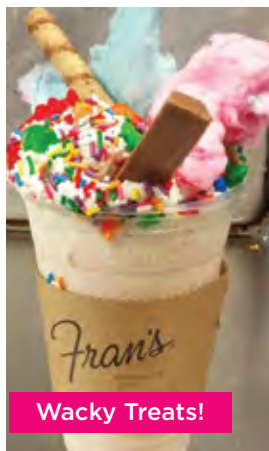
### RibFest

Daily  
11 am to 10 pm  
Bandshell Park



### Wacky Treats!

What will this year's runaway hit be?  
**You be the judge!**



Wacky Treats!



RibFest

### Visit the Toronto Star Food Building!

Don't miss Pizza Nova Food Products Day, Wed Aug 24 at 11 am!  
Win prizes and food coupons!



### Food Truck Frenzy & Craft Beer Fest

Fri Aug 26 to Sun Aug 28  
11 am to 10 pm  
Princes' Blvd. in front of Allstream Centre & Energicare Centre

Food Truck Frenzy returns to serve up succulent treats paired with thirst quenching offerings from the CNE Craft Beer Fest.



Food Building



Food Truck Frenzy



## CNE Classic Thrills!

### CNE Midway Magic!

More than 60 CNE classic favourites including Polar Express! All rides included in the CNE Ride All Day pass.



### CNE Casino

Daily

July 31 to Sept 5

12 pm (noon) to 6 am

Better Living Centre, East Side

License No. 7971



**PLAY IN OUR \$160,000  
POKER TOURNAMENT!**

### Shop till You Drop!

The CNE offers a wide variety of shopping experiences & products. Great deals are yours to be had!

Check your parcels at our **Parcel Check: Enercare Centre, Hall A (Salon 103)**.



**Shopping**



— ALL EVENTS **FREE** WITH ADMISSION!\* —



**Air Show**

## Canadian International Air Show

Sat Sept 3 to Mon Sept 5

12 pm (noon) to 3 pm

CNE Waterfront

680 NEWS

The 67th annual Air Show soars over Lake Ontario for another awe-inspiring show featuring:

- U.S. Navy F/A 18F Legacy Hornet
- Breitling Jet Team
- Canadian Forces Snowbirds

## The Farm

Daily

Better Living Centre, West Side

Check out the latest trends in urban agriculture, plus:

- **Kids AGVenture:**  
kids can be a farmer for a day,
- meet farmyard animals,
- enjoy agri-shows & butter sculptures.

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pizza pizza



**The Farm**



— ALL EVENTS **FREE** WITH ADMISSION!\* —

# Special Events



## Opening Ceremonies

### Opening Ceremonies

**Fri Aug 19 at 10 am**

**Princes' Gates**

Join us and the **CHUM FM First Family**

as we officially open the 2016 CNE!

CBC Radio's **Jill Dempsey** returns as MC for the event!



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HARBOUR CASTLE  
TORONTO

**104.5**  
**CHUM FM**

Today's Best Music

### Warriors' Day Parade

**Sat Aug 20**

**10:30 am** departure from the Princes' Gates

and proceeds down Princes' Blvd. to the Stanley Barracks

95th edition of the Parade marking the 95th Anniversary of the

Toronto Garrison. *Veterans & one companion*

*ride free on GO Transit this day.*



## Warriors' Day Parade

### International Festival of Authors Writing Science Fiction

**Thurs Aug 25**

**6 to 7 pm**

Enercare Centre, Heritage Court, Wine Garden

Join authors Robert Sawyer & Sylvain Neuvel

as they discuss the intrigues of writing science fiction.



### Cat Show

**Sat Aug 27 and Sun Aug 28**

**10 am to 5 pm**

Enercare Centre, Café Soleil

The CNE is thrilled to welcome the **Argos & the CFL** back to Exhibition Place! Visit [www.argonauts.ca](http://www.argonauts.ca) for further info.



## Cat Show



Robert Sawyer



Sylvain Neuvel



# Especially for Kids!

Ages 8 and under



Professor Wick



## Kids' World

Daily, 10 am to 8 pm  
West end of CNE Grounds



## Splash'N Boots

Daily, 12:30 & 5 pm  
Kids' World Stage

## The Incredible Magic of Professor Wick

Daily, 2 & 6:30 pm  
Kids' World Stage

## Barney

Fri Aug 19 to Sat Aug 27, 11 am  
Kids' World Stage

## Bob the Builder

Fri Aug 19 to Sat Aug 27, 3:30 pm  
Kids' World Stage

## Thomas & Friends

Sun Aug 28 to Mon Sept 5, 11 am  
Kids' World Stage

## Mike the Knight

Sun Aug 28 to Mon Sept 5, 3:30 pm  
Kids' World Stage

## Reptilia

Multiple shows daily &  
on display 10 am to 8 pm daily  
Kids' World Park

## Paleo World

Unleash your junior paleontologist  
Daily, 10 am to 8 pm  
KidStreet Interactive Zone



Learn about all the Activities for Kids in the...

## CNE Family Fun Guide

This colourful and handy Guide highlights all of the CNE entertainment designed for children eight (8) and under. Available online at [TheEx.com](http://TheEx.com) as well as during your visit on site at the **CNE Information Booths**.

Ride Coupons required; Included in Ride All Day (RAD) pass.

FREE WITH ADMISSION EVERY DAY!\*

# CNE Tickets



## ..... ADVANCE TICKET DISCOUNT ..... SAVE UP TO 33% ON CNE TICKETS UNTIL AUG 18

<b>\$40</b>	<b>RIDE ALL DAY PASS</b> SAVE \$20 <sup>1</sup>	ADMISSION AND RIDES	<b>\$14</b>	<b>ADMISSION PASS</b> SAVE \$4 <sup>1</sup>	ADMISSION ONLY
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This limited time special offer is **available at all GO Transit Stations, in Gift Card racks in participating grocery stores\*\*\*** throughout the Greater Toronto Area as well as at **TheEx.com**.



Please see regular CNE Ticket Prices in the block below. During the CNE, the RAD pass is \$42 + Admission.

### GENERAL ADMISSION (ALL PRICES INCLUDE HST)

General Admission: 14 to 64 years	<b>\$18</b>	Children: 5 to 13 yrs under 4 yrs	<b>\$15 Free</b>
65 years & better:	<b>\$15</b>	CNE Family Pass: 2 adults & 2 children or 1 adult & 3 children	<b>\$56</b>

## ..... SPECIAL OFFERS! ..... .....

### **\$8 @ The Gate** **Opening Day Discount\***

Friday August 19 ONLY  
Enjoy a day at the fair for more than half off the price of the regular CNE Adult admission! Take advantage of the Opening Day discount on midway rides: 8 rides for \$20!!

### **Kids' Toonie Mondays\***

Mondays\*\*, August 22 & 29  
Children (13 & under) get into the CNE for \$2 when accompanied by a paying adult.  
On these two Mondays, a special offer of 30 Coupons for \$22 is also available on the Kiddie Midway!

### **\$6 After 5 pm\***

Monday\*\*, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday ONLY  
Attend the CNE after 5 pm for only \$6 Monday to Thursday.  
Pop by after work, or make a return visit at night!

### **\$6 In The 6 Youth Day\*** **Before 3 pm for youth 17 yrs & younger**

Tuesday, August 30 ONLY  
Special discount on midway rides: 8 rides for \$20!!  
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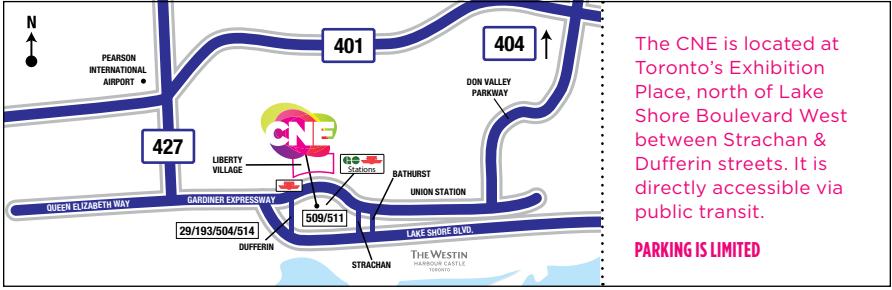
**PIZZA NOVA**

To learn more about the CNE and our special discounts and offers, visit **TheEx.com** or call our CNE Info Line: **416.263.3330**

\*Offer only available onsite at CNE gates. \*\*Does not include Labour Day Monday. \*\*\*While supplies last. †Savings calculated based on General Admission.

PLEASE NOTE: Ontario Place is CLOSED until 2017. **FREE ADMISSION:** Persons holding tickets to BMO Field games or concerts at the Molson Canadian Amphitheatre get into the CNE for FREE on that particular game or concert day. **Persons with disabilities and one attendant get into the 2016 CNE for free.**

# Tips for Getting to the CNE



## Take Public Transit!



Enjoy the comfort and ease of taking GO to Exhibition Station. [gotransit.com/cne](http://gotransit.com/cne)  
(Veterans & one companion ride for free on Warriors' Day, Sat Aug 20.)

**Lakeshore** Lakeshore train service runs every 30 minutes for most of the day.

**Barrie** weekend train service connects to Lakeshore West trains at Union Station.

**Niagara** weekend train service includes arrivals & departures at the Niagara & St. Catharines VIA Stations.

**Labour Day Weekend** Special Train Service to and from Exhibition Station on the Milton, Kitchener & Stouffville lines.



**TTC Buses & Streetcars** offer direct service to the CNE, dropping passengers off at the Dufferin Gate Loop (at the west end of the CNE grounds) and at the Exhibition Loop (via the east end of the CNE grounds). Visit [www.ttc.ca](http://www.ttc.ca) for further info.

### Best Bets:

**193 Exhibition Rocket:** from Dundas West Subway Station, take the 193 Exhibition Rocket (air-conditioned Express Bus) directly to the Dufferin Gate Loop.

**509 Streetcar:** from Union Station.

**504 (514) King Streetcar:** 504(514) King Streetcar: runs to the Dufferin Loop. 504 runs to King & Dufferin.

**511 Bathurst Streetcar:** from Bathurst Subway Station, take the 511 Bathurst Streetcar south to the Exhibition Loop.

**29 Dufferin Bus:** from Dufferin Subway Station, take the Dufferin Bus south to the Dufferin Gate Loop (you need a transfer to get on the Dufferin Bus from the subway).

Please note there are scheduled **SUBWAY CLOSURES** on two weekends during the CNE:

**Aug 27 & 28:** Line 1 will be closed from Bloor to Lawrence stations (route will be served by TTC shuttle buses)

**Sept 3, 4 & 5:** Line 2 will be closed from Pape to St. George stations (route will be served by TTC shuttle buses)  
Visit: [ttc.ca](http://ttc.ca) for "Best Route" information

You can also get off at the Main TTC subway stop and take the **GO Train from Danforth Station** @ Danforth & Main St. directly to the Exhibition Stop (with a brief pause at Union Station).

## Ride Your Bike!

Additional bike parking spots are available onsite at the CNE this year!

## Arriving by Vehicle.

There is a limited amount of parking available in and around the CNE grounds. See [TheEx.com/parking](http://TheEx.com/parking) for details.

**Please Note:** Paid parking on residential front yards and boulevards in South Parkdale is no longer permitted.

**Coming from the east?** Park downtown and take the GO Train from Union Station to the Exhibition stop.

**On weekends you can park for free at a number of TTC subway stations!** Park & then take the subway to the Bathurst or Dundas West Stations & hop on the Streetcar or Express Bus which takes you directly to the CNE. ([www.ttc.ca](http://www.ttc.ca))

# THE CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION THANKS ITS 2016 PARTNERS

## MIDWAY PARTNER



## MAJOR PARTNERS



## PRESENTING PARTNERS



## PROGRAM PARTNERS



## CONTRIBUTING PARTNERS



TIME TRAVEL with the CNE!  
Explore: [cneheritage.com](http://cneheritage.com)

Learn about our vibrant and colourful 137 year past!

A photographic and psychographic snapshot of Canadian history.

Chronicles the CNE's longstanding relationship with its historic grounds.

As new visitors attend, new memories are made!

YOU play an important role in our ever-evolving narrative.

Please note: This website chronicles the CNE's first 100 years and a bit....but our history continues to evolve, and this website will continue to be expanded and embellished over time as more decades & images are added! Keep checking back!

Artwork for the CNE's 1920 poster was created by Group of Seven Artist, Franklin Carmichael.

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