

## Sunday, October 1, 2023

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### Tim McGraw Tribute

Date and Time: Sunday, October 1 2:00 pm

Address: 401 Isabella St., Pembroke, ON K8A 5N6

Tim McGraw, the show.

All music tribute performing in the original key nothing changed. All music is in the current running order reflecting his live performances.

## Tuesday, October 3, 2023

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### Beginner Photography

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 3 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

Tuesdays at 6 p.m. in the PMC Activity room.

6 weeks – September 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> and October 3, 17, 24 & November 7<sup>th</sup>.

\$17 +tax per class or \$115.26 tax in for all 6 classes. Those residing outside of the City of Pembroke or Township of Laurentian Valley may be subject to a non-resident fee.

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## Wednesday, October 4, 2023

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### Chair Yoga

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 4 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

White Pine Yoga teaches chair yoga in an inclusive way for all skill and mobility levels to enjoy. All movements will be done while seated in chairs and will be gentle and safe. Beginners are welcome!

Session one: Oct 4th- Nov 8th

Session two: Nov 15th- Dec 20th

Wednesdays at 11 a.m. in the PMC Activity room

Cost is \$25+ tax per session. Those residing outside of the City of Pembroke or Township of Laurentian Valley are subject to a nonresident fee.

## ASL Sign Language Class

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 4 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

We are running a free ASL Sign Language Class here at the Library. Adults and teens who are interested in learning some basics, are welcome to join! Call 613-732-8844 to register or email us at [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca)

## Thursday, October 5, 2023

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### First Nations Public Library Week Special Event with BIAK

Date and Time: Thursday, October 5 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Join us as we celebrate First Nations Public Library Week, here at Pembroke Public Library. BIAK will be here to run this special event and teach us all some legends and stories about autumn, that have been passed down through generations.

### Crazy Beautiful Dresses 10th Anniversary

Date and Time: Thursday, October 5 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 76 Pembroke St. W., Pembroke, ON K8A 5M6

JOIN OVBB x Crazy Beautiful Dresses as they ✨celebrate✨ 10 beautiful, crazy YEARS IN BUSINESS! 🥂  
Ottawa Valley Boss Babes is partnering with Kim Chenard, the boss babe biz owner of Crazy Beautiful Dresses in Downtown Pembroke to celebrate her 10 years in business on Thursday, October 5 2023 from 6:00 - 8:00 pm at her bridal and dress boutique in The City of Pembroke!

Join us for drinks, apps, music and fun surprises, including a model runaway walk in downtown Pembroke as we stop traffic and walk Pembroke Street West in our crazy, beautiful dresses! 🎉👗

This event is free and open to the public, but we have limited capacity, so be sure to register for each person attending!

Grab your tickets now!

### Singo Music Bingo

Date and Time: Thursday, October 5 7:30 pm

Address: 660 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON K8A 3M1

Thirsty Thursdays continue at Fresco's with Singo Music Bingo! Join us for a fun night out! Match song titles and sing along to the music played by our DJ extraordinaire....Chris Cooper (CCDJ Events)!! Spin the wheel of fortune for prizes to be won. \$100 gift card is also up for grabs. Only \$10 per person to play all 3 rounds. Open to all ages, small and large groups. Great way to celebrate a birthday or any occasion!  
To reserve, book your table on our website (mention Singo) or call us at (613) 732-9725.

## Friday, October 6, 2023

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### Sawmill Road

Date and Time: Friday, October 6 8:00 pm

Address: 185 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON K8A 3J6

Kicking off our One Year Anniversary weekend is none other than Pembroke's Sawmill Road! Friday, October 6 the boys take the stage for a epic evening of rock and roll and good vibes all around!

### Jed the Mechanical Bull

Date and Time: Friday, October 6 9:00 pm

Address: 955 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON, K8A 3M3

We've got Jed The Mechanical Bull on Friday October 6th 9pm at Legends!!!! 4 Person Teams Riding Challenge VS. Legends 4 Bartender Team...with a \$100 Prize for the Best Combined Times.

It's Molson Night Too with \$5 for 16OZ of Canadian.

Come on out for a FUN Evening... "Legends Pembroke's Home of FUN"

## Saturday, October 7, 2023

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### Pembroke Fire Department Open House

Date and Time: Saturday, October 7 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 200 International Dr., Pembroke, ON K8A 6W5

At this year's Fire Department Open House, enjoy a tour of the fire hall, see fire hose stations, fire apparatus and equipment displays, demonstrations of electronic extinguishers, and find information.

Plus, meet the firefighters, enjoy a free barbecue, and win great giveaways!

### J&E's One Year Anniversary Event

Date and Time: Saturday, October 7 2:00 pm

Address: 185 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON K8A 3J6

Hey friends! Can you believe it's already been a whole year of Bored n' Saucy? 🤪 To celebrate, we've got something special in store for you!

Join us in marking our one-year anniversary with some fun and games! We've prepared a bunch of mini-games that'll test your skills and creativity. Plus, get ready to hit the stage because we're hosting karaoke night! 🎤 And here's the grand prize that'll make any hockey fan jump for joy: 2 tickets to the Ottawa Senators' home opener NHL game! 🏒

Stay tuned for more details on how to participate and increase your chances of winning this epic experience. We can't wait to celebrate with you all!

Thank you for your continued support over the past year. Here's to many more years of fun, games, and sauciness together!

Mini game circuit 2-10 p.m., karaoke 9 p.m.-2 a.m.

Mini games include: puck slide, long drive, beer pong, billiard games, bean bag toss

Wear a major sports jersey for 2 free entries. buy a Molson product and participate in a mini game and/or sing the bar a song for your ballot and a chance to win.

## Crafternoon at Pembroke Public Library

Date and Time: Saturday, October 7 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

If your kids are into crafts, bring them over for a fun filled Crafternoon! We'll be making felt leaf mason jar candle holders. This program is suitable for kids ages 7-12.

Just call 613-732-8844 to register, or email [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca)

## Sunday, October 8, 2023

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### Thanksgiving Dinner

Date and Time: Sunday, October 8 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 353 MacKay St., Pembroke, ON K8A 1C8

It's time to give thanks, and what a better way to celebrate it with family and friends at The Oak Door Restaurant, located at Grey Gables Inn, on Sunday, October the 8th, 2023

The Chefs are preparing a delicious traditional Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings. Cost: \$38.00 + tax  
2 seatings are available 5 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Reserve your table as we will not be taking walk-ins that day.

### GURTH, Qwan, Mach Zero, Pantomime, and Big Fist

Date and Time: Sunday, October 8 7:00 pm

Address: 955 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON, K8A 3M3

Hometown Thanksgiving rager at Legends. Doors open at 7, \$15. Let's make this turkey cluck.

## Wednesday, October 11, 2023

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### Chair Yoga

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 11 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

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## Thursday, October 12, 2023

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### Name That Tune Music Trivia

Date and Time: Thursday, October 12 7:30 pm

Address: 660 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON K8A 3M1

Join us for Pembroke's ONE AND ONLY Name That Tune Music Trivia with DJ extraordinaire ... Chris Cooper! Teams of 4 to 6 people. \$10 per person to play. Many prizes to be won!

Pre-registration required. Book your table on our website (mention Music Trivia) or call us.

## Friday, October 13, 2023

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### The Canadian Playboyz

Date and Time: Friday, October 13 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Address: 150 Peter St., Pembroke, ON K8A 0G3

The Canadian Playboyz are Canada's premier and most popular entertainment revue. Catch them at Fitzzy's 86 Sports Bar on October 13.

The Playboyz are the only cross country touring crew performing in every province and look forward to having you at one of their events.

The Playboyz always bring a Positive and Fun Attitude. A fast paced show, Energetic, exciting and satisfaction guaranteed!

Times:

Doors - 8 p.m.

Meet & Greet - 9 p.m.

Showtime - 9:30 p.m.

Tickets: Available from venue for purchase

## Saturday, October 14, 2023

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### Fire Prevention Month Special Storytime

Date and Time: Saturday, October 14 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Special guests from Pembroke's Fire Department will be here to run a very special Storytime! If you'd like to meet a fireman and the Department's mascot, Sparky, come for this fun storytime! You'll learn a lot about how to keep yourselves safe, too!

### Downtown Harvest Festival

Date and Time: Saturday, October 14 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Pembroke Farmers' Market, Victoria St.

Join us for the Downtown Harvest Festival.

Select a pumpkin from the Urban Pumpkin Patch, Sponsored by Steven & Julie's No Frills Pembroke. With donations being collected for The Circle of Turtle Lodge Indigenous Hub

Check out vendors and artisans

Enjoy some delicious fall foods and snacks

Play some fall themed games.

Bring the whole family to get some fall photos with a breathtaking backdrop sponsored by Coco & Confetti

This free event will have something for people of all ages.

### Knitting Circle for Cold Hands, Cold Feet Project

Date and Time: Saturday, October 14 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

As we head into the winter months, we are aware that there are many out there who do not have decent winter clothing. So, we'd like to encourage all the knitters in the community to stop in for our Knitting Circle, so that they can start knitting scarves, mittens and socks for our *Cold Hands, Cold Feet* project. If you can't attend this program, we would like to still encourage you to knit at home and drop off your completed projects, here at Pembroke Public Library. The knit items will then be donated to The Grind and Bernadette McCann house.

## Halloween Makerspace

Date and Time: Saturday, October 14 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Halloween is around the corner! Want to make an eyeball catapult and DIY Slime? Come for this free program! It's suitable for kids ages 7-12. All you have to do is call 613-732-8844 or email [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca) to register.

## Spooky Movie Night

Date and Time: Saturday, October 14 5:00 pm

Address: 199 Forest Lea Rd., Pembroke, ON K8A 6W6

The Township of Laurentian Valley and The City of Pembroke are teaming up once again for a 4th Annual Spooky Movie Night at the Skylight Drive-In located at 199 Forest Lea Road in Laurentian Valley. The movie night will take place on Saturday, October 14th, 2023 featuring two spooky movies: Monster House and Haunted Mansion.

Gates open at 5 p.m. with the first movie starting at 6:30 p.m.

It is free to attend the event but you must reserve a ticket (one per carload) to attend the event. All children will receive a treat! The first 400 people will receive a small bag of popcorn.

We are also offering prizes for the best carved pumpkin! Bring your creations to the event for us to judge and let's make the Drive-In a spooky night! Feel free to dress up passengers as well!

## Sunday, October 15, 2023

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### Exclusively Bridal Wedding Show

Date and Time: Sunday, October 15 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 1 International Dr., Pembroke, ON K8A 6W5

The Ottawa Valley's longest running bridal show returns once again.

Crazy Beautiful Dresses, Lisa Agnew - Marriage Officiant and TravelOnly Brian Kendrick are hosting the Exclusively Bridal Show in the Ottawa Valley on October 15th, 2023, at the Pembroke Best Western. This event is free of cost for all, with all guests being admitted to the event.

There will be various door prizes supplied by local vendors and a fabulous fashion show. The "Grand Prizes" include a \$1,000 Honeymoon Travel Voucher to be used through TravelOnly Brian Kendrick, a \$1,000 Bridal Gift Certificate to be used through Crazy Beautiful Dresses, a Full Officiating Package from Lisa Agnew - Marriage Officiant, and a \$500 Photography Package Gift Certificate to be used through Special Treasures.

## Pembroke Lumber Kings Hockey

Date and Time: Sunday, October 15 7:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke St. W., Pembroke, ON, K8A 5N5

Catch Jr. A hockey all season long at the Pembroke Memorial Centre as the Lumber Kings take on opponents from across the CCHL!

For full schedule details, [visit the Lumber Kings website](#).

## Monday, October 16, 2023

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### Bridges to Better Business In-Person Workshop

Date and Time: Monday, October 16 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 9 International Drive, Pembroke, Ontario

Join Enterprise Renfrew County during Small Business Week for this interactive in-person workshop in Pembroke at the County of Renfrew building.

Learn about content calendar creation, Instagram playground, reels, and canva.

Cost is \$28 +HST, which includes lunch from Mackie's Golden Meals.

[Register online](#) today!

### Teen Advisory Group Meeting

Date and Time: Monday, October 16 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Hey teens! Do you want to earn some volunteer hours? Would you like to learn how to run some tasks at the library, as well as help the Library come up with some cool programs targeted for Teens? Then come attend our Teen Advisory Group Meeting, also known as T.A.G.

Just call 613-732-8844 to register or email [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca) to let us know you're attending. We'd love to see you here!

## Tuesday, October 17, 2023

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### Beginner Photography

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 17 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

Tuesdays at 6 p.m. in the PMC Activity room.

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## Wednesday, October 18, 2023

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### Bridges to Better Business Virtual Workshop

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 18 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 9 International Drive, Pembroke, Ontario

Join Enterprise Renfrew County during Small Business Week for this virtual workshop: Storytelling Blueprint | How to share your story.

Facilitated by Kevin Smith.

[Register online](#) today!

### Chair Yoga

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 18 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

White Pine Yoga teaches chair yoga in an inclusive way for all skill and mobility levels to enjoy. All movements will be done while seated in chairs and will be gentle and safe. Beginners are welcome!

Session one: Oct 4th- Nov 8th

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### Ennis Sisters

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 18 7:30 pm

Address: 401 Isabella St., Pembroke, ON K8A 5N6

A quarter century in and the fire of Newfoundland's Ennis Sisters is burning brighter than ever. Since 1997, Maureen, Karen and Teresa have been charming and captivating audiences with their stunning sibling harmonies, endearing humour, powerful storytelling and deep love and respect for one another. Whether these women are performing their own unforgettable original songs or putting their own interpretation into classics and traditional music, the experience is one of sheer delight for all around. Their work has been recognized with a Juno award, several ECMAs and a SOCAN awards. Show Quoted Content A quarter century in and the fire of Newfoundland

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## Thursday, October 19, 2023

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### Pembroke Mayor's Breakfast

Date and Time: Thursday, October 19 8:00 am - 9:30 am

Address: 1 International Dr., Pembroke, ON K8A 6W5

In celebration of Small Business Week, join us at Westwinds restaurant for a delicious buffet breakfast with City of Pembroke Mayor Ron Gervais -- bringing together business and municipal leaders to discuss economic development and how our collaborative efforts can grow our thriving community and local economy.

[Tickets are available now.](#)

### Bridges to Better Business Virtual Workshop

Date and Time: Thursday, October 19 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 9 International Drive, Pembroke, Ontario

Join Enterprise Renfrew County during Small Business Week for this virtual workshop: Guest Smart | How to secure media interviews!

Facilitated by David Cohen.

[Register online](#) today!

### Teen Book Club

Date and Time: Thursday, October 19 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Hey teen bookworms, read something good lately? Want to meet fellow bookworms and discuss the novels you've been reading lately? Come for our Teen Book Club that's led by our Teen Student page. Just give us a heads up if you plan to attend, by emailing us at [programs@pembrokepubliclibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokepubliclibrary.ca) or drop us a DM on our Insta page @pembrokepubliclibrary

### Anvil with special guests Fist

Date and Time: Thursday, October 19 7:30 pm

Address: 401 Isabella St., Pembroke, ON K8A 5N6

Anvil is a Canadian heavy metal band formed in Toronto, Ontario, in 1978. The band currently consists of four members Steve "Lips" Kudlow (vocals, guitar), Robb Reiner (drums, percussion), and Chris Robertson (bass). The band has released nineteen studio albums, and have been cited as having influenced many notable heavy metal groups, including Megadeth, Slayer, Anthrax, and Metallica.

Anvil's antics on and off stage, the setbacks they suffered, and their determination to keep going have been compared to the fictional band Spinal Tap.

In 2008, the band was the subject of the documentary film *Anvil! The Story of Anvil*, directed by the screenwriter and former Anvil roadie Sacha Gervasi. The film garnered critical acclaim from many major publications; *Rolling Stone* called it "the year's most praised rock doc." At the film's premiere, which took place at the 2008 Sundance Film Festival, the band played "Cat Scratch Fever" with Slash and Anthrax's Scott Ian.

The high praise for the movie put Anvil back into the public consciousness, and brought the band opening slots with AC/DC and Saxon, plus appearances at major festivals, including the Download, Hellfest, Bumbershoot and SXSW.

The venerable Canadian hard rock troupe Fist was founded in 1979 by guitarist/vocalist Ron Chenier, and throughout the course of the next few decades was a popular touring act in Canada and abroad.

## Saturday, October 21, 2023

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### Let's Talk Science STEM Workshop

Date and Time: Saturday, October 21 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Join this free Science workshop with Let's Talk Science from Ottawa! Who knows what neat stuff you could be experimenting with. This is suitable for kids ages 7-12. Call 613-732-8844 to register or email [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca)

### Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Date and Time: Saturday, October 21 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: <https://www.pembrokelibrary.ca>

This wonderful program is suitable for families who are looking for something cute to do on a Saturday afternoon. For just \$2, you'll get a small pumpkin that you can decorate and leave behind at the Library, so that our patrons can pick their favourite. Fun prizes to be won! Come and show us your painting and decorating skills. Perhaps you could turn your pumpkin into your favourite book character! This program will take place here at the Children's Dept. Call 613-732-8844 to register and you can pay on the day of. Email [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca) if you can't find a moment to call. Hope to see you all here!

### Author Visit with Cheryl Cashman

Date and Time: Saturday, October 21 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

If you like listening to authors who have written memoirs, come for this special author visit with Cheryl Cashman. Cheryl wrote a book called *My Mother's Heart*. She will be here to discuss her book and read excerpts from it. Cheryl mentions Pembroke and memories of having grown up here.

Amazon Review:

*This book truly touched my heart and was a refresher in all God promises to us, his Children. And it was so precious to see a place where I live now presently, as it was when this author was growing up here. That was a delight!*

Those who'd like to attend can register by calling 613-732-8844 or email [programs@pembrokelibrary.ca](mailto:programs@pembrokelibrary.ca)

## Pembroke Symphony Orchestra Saxophone Extravaganza

Date and Time: Saturday, October 21 7:00 pm

Address: 401 Isabella St., Pembroke, ON K8A 5N6

Be thrilled by the virtuosic saxophone playing of soloist Victor Herbiet as he interprets the Glazunov saxophone concerto and Choral Variations by Vincent D'Indy. Enjoy contemporary Canadian composer Frank Horvat's "A Thing of Beauty" and finish the evening with Schubert's "Unfinished" Symphony. Conductor Thomas Annand

Adults \$25, Students \$15, Children 12 and under free.

## Sunday, October 22, 2023

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### Pembroke Lumber Kings Hockey

Date and Time: Sunday, October 22 7:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke St. W., Pembroke, ON, K8A 5N5

Catch Jr. A hockey all season long at the Pembroke Memorial Centre as the Lumber Kings take on opponents from across the CCHL!

For full schedule details, [visit the Lumber Kings website](#).

## Tuesday, October 24, 2023

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### Beginner Photography

Date and Time: Tuesday, October 24 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

Tuesdays at 6 p.m. in the PMC Activity room.

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## Wednesday, October 25, 2023

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### Chair Yoga

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 25 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke Street West

White Pine Yoga teaches chair yoga in an inclusive way for all skill and mobility levels to enjoy. All movements will be done while seated in chairs and will be gentle and safe. Beginners are welcome!

Session one: Oct 4th- Nov 8th

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### Zombie Barbie

Date and Time: Wednesday, October 25 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

This creative program is for tweens and teens, ages 13 and up. Come and turn a Barbie doll into a Zombie! We'll provide the supplies. You let your creativity, unleash!

## Friday, October 27, 2023

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### Harry Potter Yoga

Date and Time: Friday, October 27 7:00 pm

Address: 72 Pembroke St. W., Pembroke, ON K8A 5M5

Calling all Harry Potter Lovers!

Wear your favourite Harry Potter gear and take the Hogwarts Express to Hogwarts School or Witchcraft and Wizardry.

Join Katrina Kahn, a self professed Harry Potter nerd, for a fun Harry Potter inspired yoga class. Participants will be sorted into their houses, choose a wand (yours to keep) and take a magical yoga flow inspired by the books.

There will be magical treats like Butterbeer Tea, Chocolate Frogs, Pumpkin Juice Hogwarts and Hogwarts inspired decorations.

Just in time for Halloween but without the troll in the bathroom!

## Gord Bamford

Date and Time: Friday, October 27 7:30 pm

Address: 15 Bennett St., Pembroke, ON K8A 3Y6

Come out and join us for a date on the tour route with 26-time CCMA award-winning country star Gord Bamford and the 2023 Canadian Dirt Tour.

This is a fundraising concert in support of the Robbie Dean Family Counselling Centre.

Joining Gord to open the show will be Dallas Alexander, an Alberta born, country inspired Singer, Songwriter and a Canadian military veteran. Dallas was raised on a fishing lake Metis settlement. With a Canadian backwoods upbringing this shines through in his music with the stories he likes to sing about. After becoming familiar with performing in barrooms, Dallas made his Festival debut in 2022. He is musically inspired by some of Country music's greats, such as Waylon Jennings, Johnny Cash and Jamey Johnson

The second leg of the tour will kick off in September and will continue through Eastern Canada into November making stops across Ontario and in the Maritimes.

About Part 2 Tour, Gord shares "Part 1 of the tour has been a blast so far! We've been playing some of the new music for fans. In the set we've included a real cool medley with some of my favourite hits, which fans are really enjoying. The show is high energy and entertaining! See ya out on the road.

7 p.m. VIP Table purchasers (Early Entry)

7:30 p.m. - Doors Public

8-8:30 p.m. - Dallas Alexander

9- 10:30 p.m. - Gord Bamford

Doors open at 7:30 p.m. - All Ages Event!

3 TICKET OPTIONS AVAILABLE:

VIP table for 8

General admission (no assigned seating)

General admission and meet and greet with OPP and GB swag bag

VIP Table includes:

8 guests a premium reserved seating, placed under your company name or group.

Early entry access which allows you the first opportunity to enter the venue.

No lineups waiting in line to check in and be the first to come check out the GB merchandise table. (Early entry is 7 p.m.)

1 bottle of each, red and white wine & snacks on your table

8 special gift bags with Gord Bamford merchandise

As an added bonus, this package will also include Meet and Greet and photo opportunity with your group. guests with Gord Bamford. \*Limited Availability\*

The VIP table purchase option is perfect for companies or those looking to bring a group of people!

For VIP table purchasers, to alleviate long wait times, please note a group photo is taken rather than individual pictures.

Meet & Greets take place after the show performance.

## Halloween Bash

Date and Time: Friday, October 27 9:00 pm

Address: 955 Pembroke St. E., Pembroke, ON, K8A 3M3

Start getting your costumes ready for one helluva Halloween Bash at Legends on Friday October 27 at 9 p.m., Featuring Destruction Manual blasting out your fave party tunes, and BWB & Bangers for Breakfast tearin' up the stage with original Ottawa Valley indie rock! Prizes for scariest & most original costumes - gift certificates and Sens tickets! Plus drink specials and band swag freebies!!!

Come on out and spend your Halloween Friday with us...if you dare... "Legends, Pembroke's Home of Live Music"

## Saturday, October 28, 2023

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### Halloween Costume Storytime

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: 237 Victoria Street

We'd like to invite kids to this special storytime! Get them to wear their Halloween Costumes and listen to some spooky but funny stories, and dance to some Halloween songs!

### Haunted Library

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 237 Victoria Street

Come and be spooked by our Haunted Library! Open to families and anyone who loves Halloween! No registration needed.

### Pumpkin Treats

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: Downtown Pembroke

Trick-or-treat your way through our Downtown Pembroke businesses. Grab some treats and check out all the amazing shops and services available in the heart of the city.

### Rocky Horror Picture Show Screening

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 7:00 pm

Address: 611 TV Tower Rd., Pembroke, ON K8A 6W6



In this exciting show, Streetlight Theatre and RHPS Pembroke brings the cult classic movie, The Rocky Horror Picture Show, from screen to stage in an interactive event that will have you on your feet dancing and shouting lines back at the film.

Sweethearts Brad (Barry Bostwick) and Janet (Susan Sarandon), stuck with a flat tire during a storm, discover the eerie mansion of Dr. Frank-N-Furter (Tim Curry), a transvestite scientist. As their innocence is lost, Brad and Janet meet a houseful of wild characters, including a rockin' biker (Meat Loaf) and a creepy butler (Richard O'Brien). Through elaborate dances and rock songs, Frank-N-Furter unveils his latest creation: a muscular being named "Rocky."

GENERAL SEATING - first come, first serve. 611 TV Tower Road, Pembroke

NOTE ABOUT PROPS: Prop bags can be pre-ordered online ([here](#)) before the show for \$10. Audience participation props cannot be brought into the theater. There are no exceptions to this rule. We encourage buying your bag ahead of time with your ticket as supplies are limited! Beer, wine and concessions will be available for sale at this event.

Doors open at 6 p.m. with a pre-show musical performance by The Long and Short at 6:30 p.m. Movie and shadow cast starts at 7 pm.

19+ Event

Come in costume, participate and enjoy the show! (Costume contest at intermission.)

Featuring RHPS Pembroke, the shadow cast will dress-up and act, sing, and dance along to the movie creating an immersive audience experience.

## Susan Aglukark with special guest Josee Bourgeois

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 7:00 pm

Address: 401 Isabella St., Pembroke, ON K8A 5N6

We are thrilled to welcome Susan Aglukark to our 2nd annual Downie/Wenjack Reconciliation Event with special guest Josee Bourgeois. We will have great selection of vendors and displays.

JUNO AWARD WINNER

"Susan Aglukark is truly one of Canada's most significant cultural treasures. Apart from being a beautiful singer and powerful songwriter, she provides a significant view to the culture of our northern communities. She is an inspiration to humanity." – Deane Cameron

Founder of the Arctic Rose Foundation (2016-Present) Board Member-Governor General's Performing Arts Award (2016-Present) Board Member-The Hnatyshyn Foundation (2016-Present) Arctic Inspiration Prize Selection Committee Chair of Arctic Children and Youth Foundation (2008-2011) Founding Board Member of National Aboriginal Literacy Foundation (2004-2007) Advisor on the Collateral Damage Project

Susan has held command performances for: HRH Queen Elizabeth (twice) Canadian Prime Ministers Jean Chrétien and Brian Mulroney President of France, Jacques Chirac. Nelson Mandela Governor General of Canada Adrienne Clarkson Her Excellency the Countess of Wessex

Awards include: 2022 Humanitarian Juno Award Presented by Music Canada 2016: Awarded the Governor General's Performing Arts Award for Lifetime Artistic Achievement 2012: Awarded Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal 2004: Appointed Officer of the Order of Canada 2004: winner, Juno Award for Aboriginal Recording, Big Feeling 1995: winner, Juno Awards for Best New Solo Artist and Best Music of Aboriginal Canada R



Recording, Arctic Rose Northernner of the Year – 1995 First-ever Aboriginal Achievement Award in Arts & Entertainment Canadian Country Music Association's (CCMA) Vista Rising Star Award Native American Music Award Canadian Aboriginal Music Award Honorary Doctor of Laws, The University of Toronto Honorary Degree in Law from the University of Alberta Honorary Degree in Law from Calgary University Honorary Doctorate of Fine Arts from the Lethbridge University

## BIOGRAPHY

During a career that has spanned more than 25 years, Susan Aglukark's journey as a singer-songwriter has led her to reflect on who she is, where she comes from and the importance of discovery – discovery of history, culture and self.

Susan is the first Inuk artist to win a Juno (3) and a Governor General's Performing Arts Award for lifetime artistic achievement, she is an officer of the Order of Canada, holds several Honourary Doctorate degrees and has held command performances; but Susan also acknowledges the path has not been easy.

"Here I was, living a life I never imagined, but I was struggling to understand who I was. There was no opportunity growing up to learn about who we were, the Inuit, from our own perspective. In essence, we were institutionalized by being told who we were, how we would live and when you are told a story for so long, you learn to believe it," explains Susan.

During the past 25 years of reflection and songwriting, Susan kept coming back to one area of profound knowing, the Inuit are an extraordinary people deeply grounded in a culture forged by their Ancestors, their journey is what shaped them.

"Their life experience is the foundation on which our precepts of determination, adaptability and love for life are built, they began the journey to our present-day Nunavut." (Susan's Walrus Talks comments)

"The conversations around reconciliation have provided an opportunity to begin to re-write our narrative. The Indigenous people in Canada come from highly organized societies built on knowledge, process and organization – without which none of us would have survived."

For Susan, art has played a significant role in her healing journey and in the re-writing of her narrative, she believes it plays an important role for indigenous youth who are dealing with contemporary identity issues today. "Our children and youth are strong and resilient, they still believe very strongly in their culture, in Inuit or Indigenous culture, and they are still fighting every day to find their place."

"They need to be anchored to an identity and so much of those connections are in our ancestors and their stories and we have a duty and a responsibility to engage our children and youth in the process of connecting with and helping them write those stories."

Susan has always been very open about how her own fears and personal trauma that left her disillusioned and disconnected. Born in Arviat, Nunavut, her parents formative years were in traditional Inuit culture, her formative years were not traditional and were somewhat disconnected from her culture.

Despite the success she experienced in the 1990s, by 1998 she was suffering from post-partum depression and found herself in a dark place in need of time to reflect and heal, what followed was the several years of reflection, healing and making deeper commitments to her singing/songwriting career. And so began what Susan calls her "awakening". As she learned more about her culture and the strength and resilience of the Inuit who have been on this land for over 5,000 years, Susan was also engaging her own "inner artist" and falling in love with performing, sharing stories and singing.

"We have an extraordinary culture and an extraordinary past, we must embrace the opportunity to learn about our very own heroes, write those culture bridges and reframe who we are in today's world."

Through her music, Susan continues to share her experiences as an Inuk growing up in Nunavut, as well as the

challenges faced by northern communities and Indigenous youth.

Susan is actively involved in various projects to bring food and support to northern communities and in 2016 the Arctic Rose Foundation gained charitable status with a focus on helping youth in the north through art and other engaging creative projects.

Josee Bourgeois is a registered member of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nations. Although Josee grew up in Toronto and lived the first half of her life as an urban native, she has spent the last 15 years living on 3 different reservations in Nova Scotia, Quebec, and Ontario, raising her 13-year-old son, Little Thunder Bear. Since 2015 Josee has become very well known in the unsundered territory of the Ottawa Valley as a multi-disciplined, self-taught dancer who has spent the last few years exploring new mediums of movement and storytelling through dance and theatre. What began as a journey of creating presence at major Ottawa events, Josee has unexpectedly turned into a part-time career with the ability to create larger scale productions and visions as years pass on. Using her ability to command center stage attention while revealing difficult truths and secrets of the intergenerational traumas that plague her ancestry and existence thus far. Josee, is set on one day continuing her path of unraveling the next layer of stories needing to be told. Josee is extremely proud of the work she has created and produced with the support of prestigious institutions and performing arts organizations, and fellow artist friends in the industry. Highlights of her career so far include, 2023 -Banff Center 2023 Indigenous Dramaturgies exchange, 2021-2022, National Arts Center, visiting dance artist in residence, The Sickness. Ottawa Blues Fest land Acknowledgment opening for The Backstreet Boys, 2019. National Art Center productions, Indigenous theatre, Mura Buai, French theatre, Gabriel Dumont- Wild West Story, English Theatre Big Bang Festival, Nomad- Mushkiki Nibi. It's important to mention that Josee's movement journey began with connecting to Powwow dancing, Fancy shawl, Jingle dress dancing at the age of 23. Over that past decade as she has grown as a self-directed artist, Josee has begun unpacking a new journey as an act of reclamation and decolonization of Indigenous sensuality.

## Brimstone & Belladonna's Monster Masquerade

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 8:00 pm

Address: Pembroke Legion, Pembroke, ON K8A 3J7

Eat, Drink & Be Scary, at Brimstone & Belladonna's Monster Masquerade Costume Party.

## Halloween Party

Date and Time: Saturday, October 28 10:00 pm

Address: 163 Pembroke St. W., Pembroke, ON K8A 5M9

Get ready to SPOOK and GROOVE at Lasso Live this Halloween! 🎉 This year, we're bringing some HIP HOP HEAT with performances by our special guest Renaissance sure to keep you dancing! 🔥 Kicking the night off is none other than the amazing Ginny Ranger and the ReArrangers 🙌 🎧 Join us for a night of THRILLS, CHILLS, and KILLER tunes as we celebrate Halloween like never before. 🐱 !!Prizes for best costume!

## Sunday, October 29, 2023

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## Halloween Vendors Market

Date and Time: Sunday, October 29 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: Pembroke Legion, Pembroke, ON K8A 3J7

On October 29th from 11am – 4pm you can grab your kids and come check out what our amazing vendors have to offer at the Pembroke Legion at 202 Pembroke St E, Pembroke, ON K8A 3J7

With so many vendors offering different things there is sure to be something for everyone. AND...they will be handing out candy! Make sure the little ones come in costume!

Admission is free. This event is Indoors.

## **Pembroke Lumber Kings Hockey**

Date and Time: Sunday, October 29 7:00 pm

Address: 393 Pembroke St. W., Pembroke, ON, K8A 5N5

Catch Jr. A hockey all season long at the Pembroke Memorial Centre as the Lumber Kings take on opponents from across the CCHL!

For full schedule details, [visit the Lumber Kings website.](#)

<https://calendar.pembroke.ca>