

Room 5 (Sunday Apr. 23 cont'd – FREE)

- 11:00 am Clara Charron - Social Media Workshop
12:00 pm Jillian Kerr
1:00 pm Albert Dumont and Deborah Kigjugalik Webster – spoken word
2:00 pm Larissa Desrosiers – performance
3:00 pm Jamie Anderson – performance
4:00 pm Jam Session with Paul Spafford



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- Chris White, performer, choir leader, and all around folk music organizer and fan
- Heather Evenchick – Heather is a hard-working volunteer with the *Spirit of Rasputin's*.
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Festival Program



April 20-23 2017
Southminster United Church
15 Aylmer Avenue, Ottawa

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Thursday, April 20th (evening) - Franco Night

Sanctuary



Tickets: \$20, Weekend Pass: \$45

MC: Anne-Marie Brugger
7:30 pm Opening remarks and announcements
7:45 pm Opener: Geneviève RB & Alain Barbeau
8:10 pm Headliner: Une soirée avec les filles: Cindy Doire, Anique Granger and Mélanie Brulée

Friday, April 21st (evening)

Sanctuary



Tickets: \$25, Weekend Pass: \$45

MC- Tonya Price
7:30 pm Opening remarks and announcements
7:45 pm Opener: One World Choir
8:10 pm Headliner: Durham County Poets
9:20 pm Headliner: Shout Sister! Ottawa Choir with Jody Benjamin

Saturday, April 22nd -Daytime is FREE!



Fellowship Hall

12:00 pm Emma Lamontagne – performance
1:00 pm Vince Halfhide – performance
2:00 pm Not Available (performance in Sanctuary).
3:00 pm Shirt Tearing Boys – performance
4:00 pm Not Available (Soundcheck upstairs in Sanctuary)

Sanctuary

2:00 pm Headliner song circle; the Early Years with Ken Whiteley, Malak, and Kevin Harvey. Moderated by Mike Regenstreif.

Room 7 (Parlour)

10:00-Noon Terry Penner Weekend Choir – Practice with Rowena Pearl
12:00 pm Local Colour – performance with Debbie, Lili, Juanita and Patricia.
1:00 pm Audrey Saparno
2:00 pm Francine Leclair – performance
3:00 pm Jamie Anderson – Ukulele jam
4:00 pm Gil's Grassroots Hootenanny Contest

Room 5

11:00 am Toddler and Babies participatory performance – Kristine St Pierre
12:00 pm Build your own Cigar-box Gutar with Mike Leeworthy.
1:00 pm KidZone with Selina Bishop
2:00 pm Acacia Lyra as Susan Sweeney Hermon & Janine Dudding–harp duo
3:00 pm Paugan Dames – performance with Chris MacLean, Alise Marlane and Tina Therrien
4:00 pm Jill Zmud

Saturday, April 22nd (Evening) - Sanctuary

Tickets: \$20, Weekend Pass: \$45



MC - Anne-Marie Brugger
7:30 pm Opening remarks and announcements
7:40 pm Address: Albert Dumont
7:50 pm Malak
8:20 pm Headliner Ken Whiteley and the Beulah Band

Sunday, April 23rd -Daytime is FREE!



Fellowship Hall

11:00 am Not available
12:00 pm Festival of India
1:00 pm "Songs for Families" A sing-along concert featuring Chris White, The Sparrows, Anna Ludlow and surprise guests
2:00 pm Julie Corrigan – performance
3:00 pm Twenty-five Years of Great Canadian Song-Along
4:00 pm Not Available

Room 7 (Parlour)

10:00 - Noon Terry Penner Weekend Choir Practice
12:00 pm Workshop: How to Build Your Own Band with Garry Greenland and Pat Moore
1:00 pm Canadian Journey 2017 with James Blondeau – multi-media presentation
2:00 pm–4:00pm Open Stage with Sjef Frenken
4:00 pm Terry Penner Weekend Choir with Rowena Pearl SHOWTIME

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