

Project Grants

2018 – 2019 Arts Events

Dates subject to change. Please check websites of individual listings to find and confirm specific dates.

CRD | Arts Development Service The Capital Regional District supports, promotes and celebrates the arts.

Fifty Fifty Arts Collective | Mar. 15 – Dec. 15



Multi-disciplinary programming of gallery exhibitions, new music, artist talks and workshops with emerging and established artists. www.thefiftyfifty.net

All Ages Together in Song | Apr. 1 – 31



Victoria Good News Choir Society invites people of all ages to come and sing in a non-auditioned community choir. www.facebook.com/TheVictoriaGoodNewsChoir

Victorious Voices Festival | Apr. 9 – 11



Victoria Poetry Project Society presents a high energy spoken word festival for youth featuring poets, workshops, showcases and a school poetry slam. www.facebook.com/vicslam

Swan Song & Other Farces | Apr. 1 – Dec. 15



An evening off hysterical one act plays by the 19th Century Russian playwright Anton Chekhov – one of the greatest comic writers of any century. www.bluebridgetheatre.ca

Duelling Pianos | Apr. 15



The Sidney Classical Orchestra present a double whammy of pianos and orchestra – super exciting and highly entertaining music! www.sidneyclassicalorchestra.ca

Suddenly 26th Season | Apr. 1 – Dec. 15



Development, creation, presentation, and preservation of the dance arts through collaboration and diverse media to the widest possible audience. www.suddenlydance.ca

Love Songs & Madrigals | Apr. 22



Brahms' Liebeslieder Waltzes are the focus of this spring concert which will also include songs from the Renaissance to the 21st Century. www.viachoralis.ca

Pretty Good Not Bad 2018 | May 17 – 20



The Pretty Good Not Bad Society hosts a festival for new music; sound, video and visual art; modern and experimental dance; and multimedia. www.prettygoodnotbad.ca

Schubertiade | May 26



CapriCCio Vocal Ensemble presents an evening of music by Franz Schubert, featuring two of his most powerful works – with orchestra and guest. www.capriccio.ca

The Salvage Men | June 1



Vox Humana Chamber Choir Society is proud to present the Canadian premiere of 'The Salvage Men' a deeply emotional five-movement work for a cappella choir. www.voxhumanachoir.ca

Ska & Reggae Festival | June 20 – 24



Victoria BC SKA Society welcomes the world to the 19th Annual Victoria Ska & Reggae Festival with the finest grooves and rhythms from around the globe. www.victoriaskafest.ca

the soft spaces | June 29



The soft spaces is one artist's search for a special part of himself he locked away a very long time ago. Melding his artistic lineage, queer-ness, and aesthetic taste. www.impulsetheatre.ca

Wonderment | May 20 – Sept. 30



Garden City Electronic Music Society is providing free live ambient music as part of summer outdoor programming in CRD Parks.

www.gcems.ca

Summer Celebrations | July 1 – Aug. 30



Island String Players Society (Raven Baroque) free public concerts featuring 12 performers in baroque costumes and wigs playing outdoors in all CRD municipalities. www.ravenbaroque.org

Stefan Jackiw Trio | July 1



Eine Kleine Summer Music presents three renowned visionary artists of the next generation who combine talents in JCT (pronounced 'junction') an eclectic new piano trio. www.eksm.ca

Exploring Place Part 1 | July 11 – Aug. 31



The Ministry of Casual Living presents Friday night films with works by local artists accompanied by live music at a bike-up, drive-up theatre in Esquimalt Industrial Park. www.ministryofcasualliving.ca

Summer Music Festival | July 15 – Aug. 13



Six stellar concerts planned for a twenty-third season of midsummer chamber music concerts encouraging interest in and appreciation of classical music. www.vsmf.org

Victoria Flamenco Festival | July 27 – 29



Flamenco de la Isla Society presents an annual event featuring local and regional dancers, singers and guitarists bringing flamenco fun for the whole family. www.flamencodelaisla.org

Aeriosa | Aug. 10 – 11



Aerial dancing in the trees at Saxe Point Park with the ocean and the mountains as backdrops with a welcome from the Lekwungen Dancers. www.townshiparts.org

Annual Victoria India Mela | Aug. 24 – 26



Three days of non-stop diverse arts and cultural performances in Centennial Square with arts, crafts and community activities.

www.iccavictoria.com

Annual Integrate Arts Festival | Aug. 24 – 26



A three day celebration and art crawl with 20 arts organizations, galleries and performance venues featuring local, emerging artists.

www.integratearts.ca

Salish Sea Lantern Festival | Aug. 25



Paper lanterns in the shapes of creatures of the Salish Sea are installed along the Sidney waterfront in a free, family-friendly event.

www.cacsp.com

Bowker Creek Mural | Aug. – Oct.



A colourful, Bowker Creek-themed mural on the Oak Bay Public Works Yard wall. Project lead, Luke Ramsey, will incorporate layers of community collaborative art. www.oakbayartists.com

Kitt & Jane | Aug. 28 – Sept. 2



SNAFU dance presents Kitt & Jane, an Interactive Survival Guide to the Near-Post-Apocalyptic Future with choreographed dances and live music.

www.snafudance.com

Exploring Place Part 2 | Sept. 1 – 30



BOXCARS Artist Collective presents visual art interpreting the long history of light industrial, residential and green spaces in Esquimalt.

www.ministryofcasualliving.ca

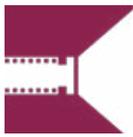
The Crossroads, A Prison Cabaret | Sept. – Nov.



An original musical satire with an ensemble of professional theatre artists and 40 volunteers from the community of incarcerated male residents at William Head Federal Penitentiary.

www.whonstage.weebly.com

Latin American & Spanish Film | Sept. 17 – 23



Promoting Latin American and Spanish Cinema in Victoria through the organization of an annual Film Week at Cinecenta.
www.hispfilmvic.ca

Victoria Festival of Authors | Sept. 26 – 30



Celebrate words and engage with ideas. Listen to inspiring readings, check out the diverse voices on discussion panels, or attend workshops.
www.victoriafestivalofauthors.ca

Exploring Place Part 3 | Oct. 1 – 31



Painting exhibitions in the Devonshire gallery and Odeon window space with public events coordinated by visiting artist Sylvia Ringer.
www.ministryofcasualiving.ca

I Walked the Line | Oct. 22 – Nov. 10



A play about principles, strikes, women and solidarity exploring various and unexpected musical styles and stories.
www.facebook.com/OtherGuysTheatreCompany

Big Beethoven | Nov. 5



The Sidney Classical Orchestra presents delightful and rarely played works in a warm and uplifting experience.
www.sidneyclassicalorchestra.ca

Music in a Time of War | Oct. 25 – Mar. 3, 2019



Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the end of WW1, the Quartet will perform works from the First and Second World Wars.
www.emilycarrstringquartet.com

New Canadian Fiddle | Oct. 2018 – Aug. 2019



An eclectic concert of traditional folk and fiddle music from all parts of Canada arranged by Ivonne Hernandez.
www.coastlinefiddle.com

Magnificat & Adam's Lament | Nov. 2



A concert featuring rare works by J.S. Bach, Arva Part and Knut Nystedt performed by the Society, five soloists, the Vox Humana Chamber and a 29 person orchestra.
www.victoriachoralsociety.ca

The Mikado | Nov. 2 – 11



The best-known Gilbert and Sullivan operetta using a framing prologue that contextualizes the Japanese references in an historically accurate manner.
www.gilbertandsullivanvictoria.ca

Concert with Accordion Soloists | Nov. 11



The Orchestra will perform with professional accordion soloists performing a unique repertoire composed for orchestra and accordion.
www.civicorchestraofvictoria.org

Bloom | Nov. 1 – 30



Embrace Arts foundation presents a mixed ability performance piece.
www.embracearts.org

MAKESHIFT | Nov. 16 – 18



arc.hive arts society presents: MAKESHIFT: Textiles in Contemporary Art Festival as part of collaborative practices in contemporary art.
www.arc-hive.weebly.com

Winter Carols Around the World | Dec. 8



An anniversary celebration with music from around the globe enhanced by seven instrumentalists, two vocalists and the youth choir 'Sing Victoria'
www.vivavoices.ca

Pender Island Film Festival | Jan. 1 – Apr. 30, 2019



Pender Island's annual short film festival will expand to include Mayne, Galiano and Saturna island residents in screenings and workshops with professional film makers.
www.ptarmiganarts.com

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Joy, Passion, Metamorphosis Collaboration | Jan. 9 – 15, 2019



Concerts with youth workshops of Handel's orchestral and vocal works with renowned British harpsichordist Steven Devine. www.victoria-baroque.com

The Evolution of Music | Feb. 10 – 20, 2019



A musical journey through the middle ages – hosted by local musician, scholar and raconteur, Robert Holliston. www.ancientmusicvictoria.com

Internal Rhythms | Mar. 14 – 16, 2019



A dance premiere about 'Walking to the beat of your own drum' and what that means through movement. www.brokenrhythmsvictoria.com

Sidney & Peninsula Literary Festival

Apr. 12 – 14, 2019



This literary festival will attract 14 authors to read from and talk about their work in a variety of events, interviews, panel discussions and workshops. www.sidneyliteraryfestival.ca

Bach St. Matthew Passion | Apr. 20, 2019



A concert of Johann Sebastian Bach's St. Matthew Passion – a sacred oratorio for solo voices, double choir and double orchestra. www.vpchoir.ca

Suddenly Dance photo of artist: Jungtha Lim by Miles Lowry; Flamenco de la Isla photo by Alison Child; Salish Sea Lantern Festival photo by Nuttycake, Oak Bay image by Luke Ramsey courtesy City of Victoria, Integrate Arts Society Featured: artist Libby Oliver, Broken Rhythms photo by Aaron Lutsch, Emily Carr String Quartet & Civic Orchestra Photos by Jan Mark Photography, Other Guys Theatre photo by Peter Pokorny.

Project Grants

Project grants provide support for emerging or established arts organizations to produce or present one time, recurring, unique or developmental projects. Project grants are not available to organizations who receive operating assistance from the CRD.

The applicant must:

1. Be a non-profit society registered in BC and based in a participating Arts Service municipality or electoral area, as indicated by a physical mailing address;
2. Have programming in the arts as their primary mandate and purpose; and
3. Have been active in the region for six months.

Eligible expenses include but are not limited to:

- Support for artistic growth;
- Development of an art project;
- Production of an arts event, and;
- Dissemination of an artistic creation.

Grant amounts are determined by evidence of demonstrated need in the application, by the needs of other applications received at the same deadline, and by limits to available resources. Guidelines: www.crd.bc.ca/service/arts-funding

ELIGIBILITY Organizations must be registered not-for-profit societies located in a jurisdiction that participates in the Arts Development Service to be eligible.

Participating jurisdictions represented by the CRD Arts Commission are:

- Saanich
- Esquimalt
- Metchosin
- Victoria
- View Royal
- Sidney
- Oak Bay
- Highlands
- S. Gulf Islands

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