

Downtown Collingwood Festival for Canada

Friday, July 1

Candid Canuck

All Day

In front of Collingwood's Town Hall (under the clock tower)

Take a 'selfie' with a Canadian Icon and enter the Collingwood Downtown facebook contest to win great prizes!

Pancake Breakfast

8a.m. to 11a.m.

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Join family and friends in this Canada Day tradition, enjoying delicious pancakes, prepared by our Celebrity Chefs.

Strolling Entertainers

8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Throughout Downtown

Look up as the stilt walkers are back to entertain us throughout downtown. Follow them to all the festivities.

Children's Activity Centre

11 a.m to 3p.m

Sheffer Court (186 Hurontario Street)

Free face painting and a chance to take home a fun balloon creation, from the expert twisters of U-Pick Parties

Citizenship Reaffirmation Ceremony & Gigantic Canada Day Birthday Cake

Noon

Federal Building, 44 Hurontario Street

Everyone is invited to reaffirm his or her Canadian Citizenship, receive a commemorative certificate and have a free piece of birthday cake, courtesy of Loblaw Great Food! This is a great way to celebrate and recognize our great country.

Saturday, July 2

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Collingwood Downtown Farmers' Market

8:30a.m. to 1p.m

Pine Street parking lot at the corner of Pine and Second streets.

Continue the festival weekend at the farmers' market, featuring fresh picked fruits, vegetables, meats, herbs, maple syrup, honey and much more.

Come to the Children's Activity Centre at the market and 'Make your own Car'. All materials and help will be provided for children to make a cardboard car to bring back to the Moonlight Market on September 3rd for the first ever 'Children's Drive In Movie Night'

Performances by the Mystic Drumz
World Music Safari Adventures
Federal Building, 44 Hurontario Street

10 a.m. - "The Legend of Marshmallow Island" features a magical island that rises from the middle of a mystical pond. Larry the Frog and friends go off in search of Marshmallow Island and the legendary dance party that takes place there. Featured instruments include Nigerian Talking Drum, Brazilian Quica, Vibraslap, Flexitone, Chinese Gongs and more.

Noon - "The Button People" takes "Larry the frog" and "Slappy the Dolphin" deep below the enchanted sea to find the fabled Buttonville metropolis. Larry and his friends navigate the under-sea world to find the amazing button people. Featured instruments include Trinidad's Steel Pan, Cuban Bongos, Spanish Castanets, European Xylophones to mention a few.

2 p.m. - 'Safari Dance Adventure' - As the final performance of the day, children will be invited on stage to dance and sing to their favourite popular tunes, performed with live instruments such as the African Djembe, electric Space Drum with laser controls and Chinese gong. The fun includes instrument prize giveaways and animal dance-off contests. Between shows, the Mystic Drumz performer will stroll throughout downtown encouraging everyone to play on a assortment of drums and percussion instruments..... A unique interactive activity for all ages.

Presenting Princess Emilie

10 a.m to 3 p.m

Town Hall

Three performances per day beginning at 10 a.m. plus lots of time to dance and sing like Princess. Come dressed in your best Princess costume and join the fun.. performances will also include lots of free activities and crafts - all with a Princess theme to celebrate Princess Emilie's performance!

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10 a.m. "The Road to JelloTown" Larry the frog must catch up with his evil Uncle MogoTogo and stop him before he reaches JelloTown and eats all the world's Jello. We travel to Africa and find Log Drums, North America for Snare Drums, India for Lizard Skin Tambourines (Kanjira), Tibet for Giant Temple Bells and Chimes, Nunavut for Pow-Wow drumming and more.

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Bring the family to enjoy Collingwood's Canada Day Weekend celebrations! In the heart of historic Downtown Collingwood where you will find unique shops, restaurants, including more than 25 outdoor patios to enjoy a quick coffee, leisurely lunch or a gourmet dinner.