



We are pleased to present this sampling of arts and cultural events in Surrey this summer.



**Throughout July
ARTS 2009**

This annual juried exhibition, organized by Arts Council of Surrey in collaboration with Surrey Art Gallery, presents works by artists from Surrey and the surrounding region. Works range from traditional paintings to electronic media, and are selected for innovation in their use of mediums, and the relevance of their content to Gallery audiences. Surrey Arts Centre; 13750-88 Ave., Surrey 604-501-5566; www.arts.surrey.ca

**Throughout July
Fraser Valley Quilters' Guild**



In honour of the International Year of Natural Fibres, the Guild presents an exhibition of recent quilts by its members. Quilts will range from natural images to creative explorations of patterns. The exhibit will also include a selection of premie quilts, a special part of the Guild's community work. Surrey Arts Centre; 13750-88 Ave., Surrey 604-501-5566; www.arts.surrey.ca

**July 9
Summer Reading in Surrey**

Writers read from their work. Avid readers share their favourite books. 7:00pm, Whalley Library, 10347 - 135 Street Co-sponsored by Surrey Public Library \$5.00 admission, includes refreshments. No registration required



**July 11
Surrey's "Parade of Public Art"
Formal Public Art Unveiling**

Bear Creek Park Gardens 13750 88 Ave. 10:00am; Lingua Aqua – Artists Melanie Cassidy, Michael Filimowicz, Brady Marks, Philippe Pasquier.

Green Timbers Greenway, 146 Street and 100 Avenue; 11:30am

Continuum: From Seed to Shelter – Artist: Eric Robertson

Holland Park, King George Hwy and 100 Ave.; 1:30pm; Underfoot yet Overhead – Artist: Karen Kazmer.

**July 11 & 12,
July 18 & 19
Arnold
Mikelson
Festival of Arts**

13743-16 Ave 10:00am-6:00pm Three acres of beautiful gardens filled with over 100 of the artists' creations, paintings, jewellery, pottery, stone carvings Info: 604-536-6460 www.mindandmatterart.com



DJ DANCE 7:45-11:30PM

CRAINIAN HALL 13512 108th AVE. SURREY, BY GATEWAY/ FEW BEGINNER DANCE LESSON 8-9PM*EAST COAST & LINDY/

**Sundays: July 12th to August 23
7 FREE Summer Swing Dances**

Free student summer pass to all ages swing dance fun at Jump Joint Swing Unit 110 12332 Patullo Place, Surrey, next to Excalibur Bowling and Scott Rd Sky Train. Any Surrey secondary student can pick up a free summer pass, any Sunday before 7pm at our dance location. No need to bring a partner. Call Marie 604-536-0195. www.jumpjointswing.com



**July 17, 18, 19
Luisa Marshall's Tina –
A Rock 'n' Roll Journey**

Surrey Arts Centre; 13750-88 Ave., Surrey 8:00pm all days, 4:00 pm July 18, 19 Tribute artist Luisa Marshall's musical biography of rock icon Tina Turner burns up the stage! Supported by big screen video imagery, a 5-piece band and a team of dancers, Luisa covers highlights from Tina's life as the Queen of Rock 'n' Roll. From her days with Ike Turner to her Grammy-winning album, *Private Dancer*, to

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her greatest hits collections, this production will entertain Tina fans of all ages. Info: 604-501-5566; www.arts.surrey.ca



**July 18 & 19
Fusion Festival**

Holland Park – King George Hwy and 100 Avenue; see ad, back cover. Surrey's Fusion Festival is the ultimate celebration of Canadian culture, which brings together many distinct cultural heritages represented by ethnic and community groups. Over 60 cultural pavilions will showcase music, food and dance. This event will highlight the diversity of our community with local, regional and international performers. Free!

**July 25
Munda 65 Saal Da**

Bell Performing Arts Centre 6250 - 144th Street; 2:00 pm A celebration of Hindi and Punjabi culture through comedy and excellent music and dance. Come laugh with your neighbours at the light-hearted antics of a man who refuses to grow up. Tickets: 604-507-6355 Info: 778-882-0367



**July 25 & 26
Honeybee Festival**

Honeybee Centre - 7480 176 Street 10:00am-4:00pm See a thrilling live bee beard at this annual Honeybee Festival. Watch an educational beekeeping demo. Stroll along the Artisan's Marketplace featuring 20 local artists and crafters, as well as interactive displays and demos from local organizations.

**July 26
Flavours of Surrey**

Historic Stewart Farm 13723 Crescent Road, 12noon - 4:00pm Local chefs and businesses prepare delicious arrays of dishes with a focus on Surrey-grown ingredients.

**July 31
Ukrainian Perogy Supper**

13512-108 Avenue; 4:30-7:30pm Ukrainian soul food served the last Friday of every month. See August 28

**August 1
Movie Under the Stars – Annie**

Holland Park – King George Hwy and 100 Avenue; dusk; see ad, back cover



**August 2
Jamaican Festival 2009**

Holland Park, King George Hwy & 100 Avenue; 10:00am-7:00pm Experience the beauty and traditions of Jamaica and other Caribbean islands at this festival showcasing reggae music, delicious food and friendly competitive games.

**August 4
Open Mic Music**

Every Tuesday and Thursday at 7pm Fireside Cafe; 13593 King George Hwy Surrey has many talented musicians! Come share your tunes with others or spend an evening listening to people perform live music in a neighbourhood café. Info: 604-765-3794

**August 5
Surrey Farmer's Market**

North Surrey Recreation Centre 102 Ave. & 135 St. 1:00-6:00pm Local farmers and food merchants, crafters and artisans have a wide variety of items for show and sale. Every Wednesday. Info: 604-580-2321



**August 6 and 13
Word Games**

2:00 - 3:00pm, Port Kells Library Come play Guggenheims, Hangman, Boggle and other fun games that involve unique words with fun spelling. Ages 6+ To register: 604-598-7440

**August 8
Blueberry Festival Art Walk,
Crafters, Dancers and Live Music**

Surrey Museum Plaza; 17710 – 56A Ave. 10:00am - 4:30pm Join the fun at the Cloverdale Blueberry Festival where local artists and crafters display their work. A non-stop entertainment stage will keep toes tapping as you sample the blueberry pies for sale. www.cloverdalebia.com



**August 8
Movie Under the Stars – Mama Mia**

Holland Park – King George Hwy and 100 Avenue; dusk; see ad, back cover

**August 10
Young adult writing contest deadline**

If you are 12 to 18 years old, put pen to paper or fingers to keyboard and write a short story, a poem or create a comic. Win big prizes in this Surrey Public Library contest. www.spl.surrey.ca

**August 11
Public Art**

Mosaics and Ceramic Mural by Claudine Pommier, Jane Cameron and David Lloyd Fleetwood Community Centre and Library 15996 - 84 Avenue. Three artists, 200 community members and the Fraser Valley Potters Guild collaborated to make an interesting collection of mosaics and a unique outdoor mural.

**August 12
Summer Reading in Surrey**

Writers read from their work. Avid readers share their favourite books. 7:00pm, Semiahmoo Library, 1815 - 152 Street Co-sponsored by Surrey Public Library \$5.00 admission, includes refreshments. No registration required



**August 15
Movie Under the Stars – Lion King**

Holland Park – King George Hwy and 100 Avenue; dusk; see ad, back cover

**August 16
Artist Studio Open House**

12906 107 Avenue; 11am-4pm Becky McMahon, Brenda Hill and Wendy Mould team up to display an amazing array of exquisite original pieces. Drop in and chat with the artists. 604-585-7840 www.artbywendy.com www.triskeltreecreations.com www.myartclub.com/brenda.hill



**August 17
Public Art**

The Jungle Project by Duncan Weller Surrey Public Library, Guildford branch 15105-105 Avenue. Monday-Friday 9:30am-9pm, Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday 1-5pm. Enjoy the colourful mural surrounding the puppet stage in the library's children's section. This work illustrates the story of the 'Love Ant' with a jungle alive with brightly-coloured animals, birds and insects.

**August 18
Mind and Matter Art Gallery**

Open daily 12noon-6:00pm 13743-16 Avenue A wide variety of sculpture, wood art, pottery, soapstone carvings, blown glass and paintings awaits you on this three acre garden setting. Info: 604-536-6460 www.mindandmatterart.com

**August 22
Movie Under the Stars – Hannah Montana**

Holland Park – King George Hwy and 100 Avenue; dusk; see ad, back cover

**August 23
Art in the Park
Holland Park, Library Grove**

Noon – 3:00pm Cellist Corbin Keep Wild and readings from Surrey writers. Info: 604-531-0364

**August 24
Public Art – Mosaic Green**

10275 135 Street Stroll the colourful pathways that form the Convergence mosaic art project. This celebration of Surrey's cultural diversity was created by numerous community members, guided by artists Connie Glover and Vallalee Hoffman.

**August 27
Art in the Park**

6:00-9:00pm, Crescent Beach West entrance, near Blackie Spit. Hear local musicians perform and view artists at work while you stroll this seaside beach. Info: 604-531-0364

**August 28
Ukrainian Perogy Supper**

13512-108 Avenue; 4:30-7:30pm Sharing a dinner table and breaking bread together is a great way to learn about a culture! Taste traditional food of the Ukraine. Visit with people who are well-acquainted with Ukrainian art, language and music.

**August 30
Artist Studio Tour**

17240 18 Avenue; 1:00-4:30pm Artist Deborah Putman, well-known for her portrait paintings, also enjoys revealing the sacred beauty in nature through her artworks. Inquire about her current workshops and courses. Come by, be inspired by Deborah's new miniature artworks and recent paintings, "Food for Thought, Living in Paradise". Info: 604-541-0487; www.deborahputman.com



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