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ANNOUNCEMENT: CULTURE DAYS INFORMATION SESSION



HALTON HILLS, ON – On May 18, the Town of Halton Hills announced a Culture Days Information Session open to the public.

Learn about tools and resources available to Culture Days participants at an information session with Culture Days staff. Aimed at helping participants increase the impact and success of their Culture Days activities, this information session is open to artists, professional and volunteer-run cultural groups, libraries, museums, schools, businesses and anyone else wishing to support or participate in this annual pan-Canadian celebration of arts and culture taking place on **September 29, 30, and October 1, 2017**.

The session will be held on Wednesday, May 31 from 6 – 8 PM in the Studio at the Halton Hills Public Library’s Georgetown Branch, 9 Church St., Georgetown, ON.

Mayor Rick Bonnette encourages everyone with an interest in culture and the arts to attend.

“Celebrating the arts has always been a key part of the fabric of life here in Halton Hills,” he stated. “Cultural events bring us closer together to appreciate the flair of creative individuals who enhance our community with their passion. The reason Culture Days is so popular every year is the high calibre of talent, and the opportunity it presents for our citizens to enjoy a wide variety of art and performances.”

Ontario Culture Days is part of the national Culture Days movement representing the largest-ever public participation campaign undertaken by the Canadian arts and cultural community. **The eighth annual Culture Days weekend will take place on September 29, 30 and October 1, 2017.** The event features free, hands-on, interactive activities that invite the public to participate “behind the scenes” and discover the world of artists, creators, heritage workers, architects, curators and designers at work in their community.

Attendees will have the opportunity to present activities and performances that would engage and excite the community during what is traditionally a popular and enlightening yearly event.

1) Application form: <http://bit.ly/HHCulture>

This is for artists, groups or organizations wanting to put on a Culture Days activity.

The deadline is midnight Monday June 12.

2) Register for the Culture Days Information Session on **Wednesday May 31 from 6 - 8**

PM: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/halton-hills-culture-days-information-session-tickets-34610672453>

About the Town of Halton Hills

The Town of Halton Hills, with a population of approximately 60,000, consists of two urban centres, Georgetown and Acton, the Halton Hills Premier Gateway employment area, three hamlets – Glen Williams, Stewarttown and Norval – and several smaller settlements. Halton Hills has long been recognized for its natural beauty, active agricultural community, high quality of life and proximity to major centres, including Brampton, Mississauga and Toronto. The Town is the 2013 recipient of the National Municipal Environmental Award from the Canadian Association of Municipal Administrators and is ranked as one of the top small communities in Canada by a national magazine.

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