

**VENUE 1**  
**WISE HALL**  
Northern Lights  
Sweden

- 8:00** Ranarim
- 9:00** Harv
- 10:00** Groupa



GROUPA

**VENUE 2**  
**VANCOUVER EAST CULTURAL CENTRE**  
Global Village

- 8:00** Cordes en Folie
- 8:40** Hawaiian Slack Key Guitar Masters
- 9:20** Amir Koushkani/Ruhafza
- 10:00** Fillipo Gambetta
- 10:40** Realones

**VENUE 3**  
**ASTORINO'S**  
Piquante!  
Québec

- 8:00** Vesse du Loup
- 8:45** Tess
- 9:30** Montcorbier
- 10:15** Skalène
- 11:00** Entourloupe



**VENUE 4**  
**ZESTY RESTAURANT**  
ONfolk  
Ontario

- 8:00** Jenny Whiteley
- 8:45** ElizaBeth Hill
- 9:30** John Millard & Happy Day
- 10:15** Kevin Breit's Folkalarm
- 11:00** The Mighty Popo

**VENUE 5**  
**TONY'S DELI**  
Live at Tony's  
Two round robins  
of singer-songwriters

- 8:00** James Keelaghan (HOST)  
Aengus Finnan  
Erin Benjamin
- 9:30** Roy Forbes (HOST)  
Terry MacNamara  
Annie Gallup

**VENUE 6**  
**BRITANNIA AUDITORIUM**  
World Music Day

- 8:00** Orchid Ensemble
- 8:30** Karelian Folk Music Ensemble
- 9:00** Matapat
- 9:30** John Reischman & John Miller
- 10:20** Masabo Culture Company



FUBUKI DAIKO

**VENUE 7**  
**PORTUGUESE CLUB OF VANCOUVER**  
Thunder From Down Under  
Australia

- 8:00** Kerrienne Cox
- 8:25** The Waifs
- 8:50** Shane Howard
- 9:15** Tulipan
- 9:40** Surprise Australian Act
- 10:05** Kerrienne Cox
- 10:30** The Waifs
- 10:55** Shane Howard
- 11:20** Tulipan

**VENUE 8**  
**SANTO'S TAPAS**  
The Blues

- 8:00** Michael Jerome Browne
- 9:00** Ray Bonneville
- 10:00** Tim Williams
- 11:00** Guy Davis

**VENUE 9**  
**FET'S PASTA BAR & GRILL**  
Flatland Music  
Saskatchewan

- 8:00** Susan Bond
- 8:45** Paddy Tutty
- 9:30** Jennifer Gibson
- 10:15** Bob Evans
- 11:00** Eileen Laverty

**VENUE 10**  
**LATIN QUARTER**  
Swing'n'Latin

- 8:00** Irene Fererra
- 9:00** Juan José Carranza
- 10:00** Susie Arioli  
Swing Band

**VENUE 11**  
**CAFÉ DU SOLEIL**  
In the Tradition

- 8:00** Zeelia
- 8:40** Robin Huw Bowen
- 9:20** Tom Lewis
- 10:00** Chris Newman & Máire Ní Chathasaigh
- 10:40** April Verch

**VENUE 12**  
**WAAZUBEE CAFÉ**  
Grrlz with Guitars, Cellos etc.

- 8:00** Andrea Koziol
- 9:00** Jen Paches
- 10:00** Jorane



**VENUE 13**  
**LOMBARDO'S / IL MERCATO**  
 FOLQuébec Encore

- 8:00 Heather McLeod
- 8:45 Les Crapeudes
- 9:30 Rob Lutes
- 10:15 Alan Gerber
- 11:00 Polly-Esther

**VENUE 14**  
**BOUZYOS TAVERNA**  
 Local Music From Out There

- 8:00 Salvador Ferreras & Southern Cross
- 9:30 Asza

**VENUE 15**  
**VASCO DE GAMA**  
 Articulate Anarcoustic

- 8:00 Trixie's Undersea Adventure/Anselmo
- 8:30 Tippy Agogo
- 9:00 Kris Demeanor
- 9:30 Geoff Berner
- 10:00 Ford Pier
- 10:30 Carraig de Forest
- 11:00 Joe Keithley

**VENUE 16**  
**CAFÉ DEUX SOLEIL**  
 Manitoba...It's A Dry Cold

- 8:00 Cara Luft  
Nicky Mehta  
Art Turner  
Rick Unruh
- 9:00 Fubuki Daiko
- 9:25 Christine Fellows  
Sam Beardman  
Marcel Soulodre
- 10:10 The Wyrd Sisters
- 10:40 Mark Reeves  
Steve Schellenberg  
Strange Angels
- 11:30 Scrij MacDuhk

**VENUE 17**  
**THE GRANDVIEW LEGION HALL**  
 From Copenhagen to Bavaria  
 A Danish-German Joint  
 Venture Night

- TIMES TBA**
- Haugaard & Høirup
  - ULC / Vinding, Rosendal
  - Fraunhofer Saitenmusik
  - Nassler & Schneider
  - Norland Wind

**VENUE 18**  
**THE SILVERTONE TAVERN**  
 Pickin' & Singin'  
 Bluegrass

- 8:00 Zubot & Dawson
- 8:40 Cathy Fink & Marcie Marner
- 9:20 Darcy Deaville
- 10:00 Be Good Tanyas
- 10:40 Jenny Lester Band

**VENUE 19**  
**CROATIAN CULTURAL CENTRE**  
 Celtic Meltdown

- 8:00 Mad Pudding
- 8:50 Bachue
- 9:40 Danu
- 10:30 The Paperboys

**VENUE 20**  
**CROATIAN CULTURAL CENTRE**  
 The Yukon Pavilion

- 8:00 Anne-Louise Genest
- 8:30 Manfred Janssen & guests
- 9:00 Joe Bishop & Kendall Sullivan
- 9:30 Kim Barlow & guests
- 10:00 Bodra Aliyah Band & guests
- 10:30 Undertakin' Daddies
- 11:00 Pointer Brothers & guests
- 11:30 Fishead Stew

**VENUE 21**  
**CROATIAN CULTURAL CENTRE**  
 Topical Paradise

- 8:00 Joe Keithley
- 8:45 Kim & Reggie Harris
- 9:30 Fraser Union
- 10:15 Casey Neill & Band

**VENUE 22**  
**CROATIAN CULTURAL CENTRE**  
 Alberta.cow

- 8:00 Sheela Na Gigh
- 8:30 Los Morenos
- 9:00 Maria Dunn and The McDades
- 9:45 Songwriters in the Round  
Kris Demeanor  
Chantal Vitalis  
Anne Loree
- 10:30 Tom Phillips and the Men of Constant Sorrow
- 11:00 Corb Lund
- 11:30 Clanterra

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 Night  
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[www.vancouver.cbc.ca](http://www.vancouver.cbc.ca)



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## Tickets

Available through Ticketmaster outlets

**World Ceilidh**  
\$25 + GST / Service charges

**A Really BIG Night on The Drive**  
\$16 + Service charges

**[ticketmaster.ca](http://ticketmaster.ca)**

280-4444 [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca)

**Highlife Records & Music**  
1317 Commercial Drive  
251-6964

**Virgin Megastore**  
788 Burrard, Lower Level  
Specialty Department  
669-2289

**Vancouver Folk Music Festival**  
207 W. Hastings at Cambie, #1114  
602-9126  
M-F 11am -4pm

**Black Swan Records**  
3209 W Broadway  
734-2828

## How A Really BIG Night on The Drive works

Buy your ticket in advance and exchange it for an all-access wristband OR purchase your wristband at any participating venue on February 15 after 7:15 pm (cash only).

The wristband gives you access to all participating BIG Night venues on Commercial Drive, on a "space-available" basis. This means if one location is full, you can wait until seating becomes available – or just walk, or ride the free shuttle bus to another venue to hear great music somewhere else. There's plenty of choice!

A Really BIG Night on The Drive organizers reserve the right to limit seating in venues to comply with safety requirements, and to ensure everyone has an enjoyable experience. Please consult the capacity codes on this programme's venue pages to assist you in planning your evening.

Tickets or wristband purchases for the **World Ceilidh** and **A Really BIG Night on The Drive** are non-refundable. They do not include admission or access to the 13th Annual International Folk Alliance Conference. See page 4 for conference information.

## Transportation information

### For the general public

#### Take public transit to Commercial Drive!

**On SkyTrain**, get off at Broadway Station and go north or south to your first venue on foot or by #20 bus.

**By bus** Take #20 Bus, locate bus stop on map (page 11 on the pullout) nearest your first venue.

After you have your wristband it will get you on the **Drive Shuttle Buses**, which will run up and down The Drive every 8-10 minutes, with frequent stops. (See map on page 11 for designated shuttle stops.)

If you must bring your car please respect "resident only" parking zones – and DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE. **It will be a really BUSY night on The Drive so take extra care when crossing streets.**

### For Folk Alliance conference attendees

Your delegate pass is your ticket to a Really BIG Night on The Drive. Buses begin departing the Hyatt for The Drive at 5 pm. These early buses will drop you at one of our designated stops – all close to world-class eateries. Plan to go early for dinner. Venues serving dinner are marked with this symbol (☺).

Prior to 8 pm the buses will drop people off at the designated stops along The Drive. (See map on page 11 for shuttle stops.) After 8 pm, buses leaving the Hyatt will drop you at the WISE Hall (venue #1), where you can pick up the Drive Shuttle. The Drive Shuttle runs up and down Commercial Drive every 8-10 minutes.

If you have questions, ask the volunteer neighbourhood guide on any shuttle. There will be a limited number of shuttles going between the Hyatt and the Drive between 9 & 11 pm. Northbound shuttles will be returning to the Hyatt starting at 11:30 pm.

The last bus leaves the Croatian Cultural Centre (Venues 19-22) at 12:30 am. Taxi companies: Yellow Cab 681-1111, Vancouver Taxi 871-1111, Black Top 731-1111

**Tippy Agogo** BC

He interprets world styles in a unique Esperanto using bits of recycled garbage and basic instruments for support.  
www.tippyagogo.com **VENUE 15**  
**8:30 PM**

**Bodra Aliyah Band** YUKON

After leaving Vancouver's music scene, she adopted the Yukon as her new home and like all great artists fit right in. Now she only visits the Coast.  
**VENUE 20** **10:00 PM**

**Susie Arioli Swing Band**

QUÉBEC  
This velvet-voiced, snare-playing singer and her superb band make pre-WWII jazz, blues and country swing all their own.  
**VENUE 10** **10:00 PM**

**Asza** BC

Creating a sound that's unique, eclectic, stunningly imaginative and highly entertaining, these four virtuosos set the bar for "world music." www.asza.com  
**VENUE 14** **9:30 PM**

**Sam Baardman** MANITOBA

One of Winnipeg's most respected singer-songwriters, Sam's music is a feast for both the ear and the heart.  
**VENUE 16** **9:25 PM**

**Bachue** SCOTLAND

Their music has been called "the essence of Celtic cool", a splendid fusion where Scottish trad blurs beautifully with jazz.  
**VENUE 19** **8:50 PM**

**Kim Barlow** YUKON

With her new CD in final mix, Kim brings a searing lyric vitality to augment her first highly acclaimed album "Humminah." www.caribourecords.com  
**VENUE 20** **9:30 PM**

**Be Good Tanyas** BC

In no time at all these three have leaped up with their sweet and subtle sound to become one of Canada's most celebrated new acts. www.begoodtanyas.com  
**VENUE 18** **10:00 PM**

**Erin Benjamin** ONTARIO

Ranging from amusing to ardent, her engaging stage-show, dynamic voice and strong songwriting are winning fans aplenty. www.erinbenjamin.com  
**VENUE 5** **8:00 PM**

**Geoff Berner** BC

A one man army of wit, insight and articulation armed with an accordion and an enviable international reputation. www.geoffberner.com  
**VENUE 15** **9:30 PM**

**Jean-François Berthiaume**

QUÉBEC  
A dynamic young traditional dance caller/stepdancer makes a guest appearance with Québec group Entourloupe for some fancy footwork.  
**VENUE 3** **11:00 PM**

**Joe Bishop & Kendall Sullivan** YUKON

This strong acoustic duo has recently released a CD, "Back to You", and is quickly gaining fame down here in the south. www.caribourecords.com  
**VENUE 20** **9:00 PM**

**Susan Bond** SASKATCHEWAN

This internationally published poet from Saskatoon writes it all: folk and classical music, songs, poems and haiku.  
**VENUE 9** **8:00 PM**

**Ray Bonneville** QUÉBEC

With guitar, harmonica, footboard and well-weathered vocals, Ray makes his gumbo of American roots styles fresh, spontaneous and alive.  
**VENUE 8** **9:00 PM**

**Robin Huw Bowen** WALES

This charming crusader uses his musical and storytelling talents to entertain and to promote his lovely and rare instrument: the Welsh triple harp.  
**VENUE 11** **8:40 PM**

**Kevin Briet's Folkalarm**

ONTARIO  
He's a virtuoso guitar-bending wizard who demolishes the boundaries of blues, folk, jazz and all tradition.  
**VENUE 4** **10:15 PM**

**Michael Jerome Browne**

QUÉBEC  
A one-man-band of Appalachian, Cajun, country blues, western swing on guitar, banjo, fiddle and harmonica; his music is honest, accomplished and beautiful.  
**VENUE 8** **8:00 PM**

**Juan José Carranza** QUÉBEC

Dazzling gypsy-flamenco guitar, a captivating voice and stunning compositions from a young Costa Rican virtuoso. www.oliversudden.com  
**VENUE 10** **9:00 PM**

**Clanterra** ALBERTA

They explore the European ancestry in our musical mosaic by playing Scottish, Irish, French and Canadian tunes in a lively original style. **VENUE 22** **11:30 PM**

**Cordes en Folie** BC

Moving beyond their French, Spanish-Arabic sources, they play imaginatively with time, sounds and tradition to create a high-energy hybrid. **VENUE 2** **8 PM**

**Kerriane Cox** AUSTRALIA

One of Australia's premier indigenous artists, Kerriane mixes country, rock and blues in her music. Her lyrics emerge from her own life experience of love, family and her strong connection to the land.  
**VENUE 7** **8:00 & 10:05 PM**

**Les Crapaudes** QUÉBEC

Danielle Martineau and Lisan Hubert explore French North America via traditional songs, using artful harmonies and engaging instrumentation.  
**VENUE 13** **8:45 PM**

**Danu** IRELAND

How hot is this band really? They got the 1999 Irish Music Award for Best Traditional Act and won Best Traditional Live Act in 2000.  
**VENUE 19** **9:40 PM**



KERRIANE COX

**Guy Davis** USA

A bluesman to his very soul, he's dedicated to reviving the traditions of acoustic blues and bringing them to as many ears as possible. www.redhousetrecords.com  
**VENUE 8** **11:00 PM**

**Carraig de Forest** USA

Intriguing? How about a ukulele playing singer who was a big hit at a first gig opening for the Ramones and often tours with the Violent Femmes.  
**VENUE 15** **10:30 PM**

**Darcy Deaville** USA

When this electrifying fiddler, singer, songwriter and multi-instrumentalist hits the stage sparks fly! www.redwingmusic.com  
**VENUE 18** **9:20 PM**

**Kris Demeanor** ALBERTA

Irreverent urban folk music, street savvy as hip hop, rooted as Guthrie, melodic and funny, spoken and sung.  
**VENUE 15** **9:00** **VENUE 22** **9:45 PM**

**Maria Dunn** ALBERTA

Scottish-born and Canadian-raised, she's a captivating singer whose songs bring to life characters and stories of her own days and years gone by.  
**VENUE 22** **9:00 PM**

**Entourloupe** QUÉBEC

Intense, pure, and HOT – traditional songs and music by some of Québec’s finest players: Éric Favreau, Paul Marchand, Claude Méthé and Stéphane Landry. **VENUE 3 11:00 PM**

**Bob Evans** SASKATCHEWAN

He’s a finger-style guitarist who combines a warm vocal style and tilted sense of humor with a rich mix of traditional and roots-based folk music. **VENUE 9 10:15 PM**

**Irene Farrera** USA

Venezuelan born and Oregon based, she plays traditional and modern Latin American music with potent lyrics and infectious rhythms. [www.farrera.com](http://www.farrera.com) **VENUE 10 8:00 PM**

**Christine Fellows**

MANITOBA

This Winnipeg singer-songwriter charms audiences and critics alike with rare versatility and inventiveness that make for surprises at every turn. **VENUE 16 9:25 PM**

**Salvador Ferreras & the Southern Cross Quintet** BC

Five veteran Vancouver virtuosos on guitar, mandolin, pipa, bass and percussion making “new world” music on the Latin edge. **VENUE 14 8:00 PM**

**Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer** USA

With superb harmony singing and consummate musicianship, they have been making sweet music together since 1984. [www.cathymarcy.com](http://www.cathymarcy.com) **VENUE 18 8:40 PM**

**Aengus Finnan** ONTARIO

With humble songs and piercing stories he beckons us to “remember what was forgotten, restore what was lost, and redeem what might have been.” **VENUE 5 8:00 PM**



**Fishead Stew** YUKON

This hot Celtic duo (with special guests) is guaranteed to have the place rockin’ from start to finish. Bring your dancing shoes! **VENUE 20 11:30 PM**

**Roy Forbes** BC

He sings original songs that range from tender to rugged with one of the best-known voices in Canadian music. [www.festival.bc.ca/royf/rof\\_crit.html](http://www.festival.bc.ca/royf/rof_crit.html) **VENUE 5 9:30 PM**

**Fraser Union** BC

For 20 years they’ve been singing songs of content not contentment, documenting working class history in song. **VENUE 21 9:30 PM**



JORANE

**Fraunhofer Saitenmusik**

GERMANY

This Bavarian quartet erases boundaries between folk and classical, while rooted in the traditional music of the Alps. [www.fraunhofersaitenmusik.de](http://www.fraunhofersaitenmusik.de) **VENUE 17 TIME TBA**

**Fubuki Daiko** MANITOBA

Fubuki Daiko’s performances catapult Japanese drumming into the 21st century with their riveting exhibition of strength, stamina, and precision. **VENUE 16 9:00 PM**

**Annie Gallup** USA

Her writing is unabashedly imaginative and richly sensual, crackling with intelligence and spry wordplay and pulsing with insistent rhythm. **VENUE 5 9:30 PM**

**Filippo Gambetta** ITALY

Bold innovation and centuries of tradition combine in the superb playing of this young Italian melodeon master [www.felmay.it/home.html](http://www.felmay.it/home.html) **VENUE 2 10:00 PM**



**Anne Louise Genest**

YUKON

Witty and clever, sensitive and deep, always superb on music and lyrics, she’s a developing talent you don’t want to miss. **VENUE 20 8:00 PM**

**Alan Gerber** QUÉBEC

Be it blues or gospel, Chicago-born “Boogie Man” Alan Gerber woos audiences with his smooth yet rough-and-tumble style, artistry and humour. **VENUE 13 10:15 PM**

**Jennifer Gibson**

SASKATCHEWAN

This talented songwriter shares her life experiences through her thoughtful, introspective and (sometimes) downright rockin’ tunes. **VENUE 9 9:30 PM**

**Groupa** SWEDEN

In the vanguard of the Nordic folk music scene, Groupa remains deeply rooted in the tradition while embracing modern instrumentation and improvisation. **VENUE 1 10:00 PM**

**Hawaiian Slack Key Guitar Masters** USA

Hawaiian Islanders didn’t invent the guitar but they certainly reinvented it, creating new tunings to reflect the sounds of their own music and a style that bewitches the listener. Led Kaapana or Lima Wela (Hot Hand) has an infectious joy for performing. George & Keoki Kahumoku are a father and son whose music shows great respect for the land. Owana Salazar is a star player and a real princess! **VENUE 2 8:40 PM**

**Kim & Reggie Harris** USA

With intricate harmonies and a vibrant style, their voices rise and join in the cause of human and civil rights [www.appleseedrec.com](http://www.appleseedrec.com) **VENUE 21 8:45 PM**

**Harv** SWEDEN

Two of Sweden’s most exciting young traditional fiddlers, Magnus Stinnerbom and Daniel Sandén-Warg, bring new energy and attitude to the fiddle duet tradition. **VENUE 1 9:00 PM**

**Haugaard & Høirup**

DENMARK

They play traditional and original Danish music on violin and guitar with whimsy, poetry, and a touch of the diabolical. **VENUE 17 TIME TBA**

**ElizaBeth Hill** ONTARIO

Six Nations based and Nashville groomed, her dry wit and picture painting songwriting are woven with her Mohawk heritage via both folk and country traditions. **VENUE 4 8:45 PM**

**Shane Howard** AUSTRALIA

He writes haunting music with a deep understanding of the poetic tradition and lyrics with a strong sense of the rebel cultural tradition. **VENUE 7 8:50 & 10:55 PM**

**Manfred Janssen** YUKON

A Caribou Records/Festival artist who’s gravel-voiced songs and great guitar stylings will leave you wanting more. **VENUE 20 8:30 PM**

**Jorane** QUÉBEC

Original, universal, spontaneous, energized – a crystalline voice, a magic cello and a language all her own make Jorane’s music beyond categorization. **VENUE 12 10:00 PM**

MATAPAT



**Joe Keithley** BC

The front man for Canada's pillars of punk DOA recently released his first solo CD 'Beat Trash'.

www.suddendeath.com

VENUE 21 8:00 PM

VENUE 15 11:00 PM

**James Keelaghan** ALBERTA

His songs tell great stories about common folk doing extraordinary things, with tunes that make you want to sing along.

www.keelaghan.com

VENUE 5 8:00 PM

**Karelian Folk Music Ensemble** RUSSIA

Their traditional music includes delicate tunes played on Finnish harps, robust dance music with accordions and Russian and Finnish songs.

VENUE 6 8:30 PM

**Andrea Koziol** ONTARIO

With her agile, sensual voice and fine songs, she proudly continues "the great Canadian tradition of the chick singer-songwriter."

www.andreakoziol.com

VENUE 12 8:00 PM

**Amir Koushkani with the Ruhafza Ensemble**

IRAN / BALUCHISTAN

One of the planet's youngest virtuosos of the Persian tar, and the only band professionally presenting the music of Baluchistan. A rare chance to hear these traditions.

VENUE 2 9:20 PM

**Eileen Laverty**

SASKATCHEWAN

Born in Belfast, this award-winning songwriter retains a strong attachment to her Celtic roots. www.eileenlaverty.com

VENUE 9 11:00 PM

**Jenny Lester Band** BC

She's a rising star in the bluegrass world with fresh and vital songs that breathe new life into that high lonesome sound.

www.jennylester.com

VENUE 18 10:40 PM

**Tim Lewis** BC

This folksinger and 25-year veteran of Her Majesty's Royal Navy has a wealth of songs and stories of the sea, new and old.

www.folk.emich.edu/~tomlewis/

VENUE 11 9:20 PM

**Anne Loree** ALBERTA

A Juno-nominated songwriter, Anne bridges the personal and the universal in her songs through keen insight, economy of expression and sublime irony.

VENUE 22 9:45 PM

**Corb Lund Band** ALBERTA

Known for his work with rock group The Smalls, Corb is now gaining fame with country blues and barn dance swing from the cattle ranches of Southern Alberta.

www.corblundband.com

VENUE 22 11:00 PM

**Rob Lutes** QUÉBEC

His haunting, carefully-crafted songs, and a moving, energetic performance style have quickly earned him a reputation as one of Montréal's finest singer-songwriters.

VENUE 13 9:30 PM

**Cara Luft** MANITOBA

She combines thoughtful lyrics and complex and charged musical arrangements to produce her own unique sound.

VENUE 16 8:00 PM

**Mad Pudding** BC

This local dance party posse throws a highly original and eclectic musical mixture into their Celtic-funk stew.

www.madpudding.com

VENUE 19 8:00 PM

**Masabo Culture Company** BC

They share the beauty and energy of traditional West African life through joyous music, dancing and storytelling.

www.masabo.com

VENUE 6 10:20 PM

**Matapat** QUÉBEC

Polished, heartfelt and spirited, this disarming trio dances and sings their Québécois traditions with humour and contagious energy.

VENUE 6 9:00 PM

**The McDades** ALBERTA

This multi-talented family of players creates a Celtic world beat sound incorporating Middle Eastern, African, and even Japanese styles into the mix.

VENUE 22 9:00 PM

**Heather McLeod** QUÉBEC

This Montréal-based singer-songwriter offers up a smoothie of uncommon flavours: jazzy, unpretentious sweetness that frequently looks at life through Latin-tinted glasses.

VENUE 13 8:00 PM

**Terry MacNamara** USA

With one of the best senses of lyric rhythm around, word about this songwriter is spreading far beyond his Chicago base.

VENUE 5 9:30 PM

**Nicky Mehta** MANITOBA

She's been touring the country while quietly building up her cache of songs. A debut solo album is due out this spring.

VENUE 16 8:00 PM

**The Mighty Popo** ONTARIO

This Burundi-born, Ottawa-based guitarist plays a highly-danceable blend of soukous, reggae and blues, backed by a hot band that's very cool.

VENUE 4 11:00 PM

**John Millard & Happy Day**

ONTARIO

This Polka Dogs founder returns with new songs that combine bluegrass, cabaret and jazz with literate, insightful lyrics.

VENUE 4 9:30 PM

**Montcorbier** QUÉBEC

They put a new, exciting and original twist on traditional French music with bouzouki, flute, bagpipes, piano, hurdy-gurdy, violin and mandolin.

VENUE 3 9:30 PM

**Los Morenos** ALBERTA

A hot Calgary trio gaining fame with their flamenco and rumba-based music mixed with pop, jazz and Arabic sounds.

VENUE 22 8:30 PM



MASABO CULTURE COMPANY

**Casey Neill Trio** USA

This Portland band makes rollicking, high-energy music that's inspired and informed by Irish and American traditions. www.speakeasy.org/~jllks/casey/

VENUE 21 10:15

**Nassler & Schneider**

GERMANY  
Jörg Nassler and Silvio Schneider are two of the most innovative players on the German acoustic guitar scene.  
www.nassler-schneider.com  
VENUE 17 TIME TBA

**Chris Newman & Máire Ni Chathasaigh**

UK / IRELAND  
Stunning technique and sizzling tunes are standard fare from this harp/guitar duo.  
www.onqueueartists.com/mairechris.html  
VENUE 11 10:00 PM

**Norland Wind**

GERMANY  
The harp is the lyrical heart of this Celtic acoustic music that merges the traditional with the modern.  
www.norlandwind.de  
VENUE 17 TIME TBA

**Orchid Ensemble**

BC  
They blend diverse musical traditions with delightful Chinese instruments – the erhu and the zheng – to create a heady and rich new sound.  
VENUE 6 8:00 PM

**Jen Paches**

BC  
A masterful pianist/performance artist and composer who performs as her own ensemble on piano, drums, wind/reed instruments, squeaking rats and voice.  
VENUE 12 9:00 PM

**The Paperboys**

BC  
Tom Landa and his band tear up the stage with their tight fusion of Celtic, bluegrass, Latin and roots pop.  
www.paperboys.com  
VENUE 19 10:30 PM

**Tom Phillips and the Men of Constant Sorrow**

ALBERTA  
These boys play honest-to-god honky tonk music infused with elements of swing, jazz and Bragg Creek bluegrass.  
VENUE 22 10:30 PM

**Ford Pier**

BC  
Veteran co-anchor from a host of Canadian bands, Pier's personal works have been compared to Frank Zappa, Jello Biafra, and the Shirelles.  
www.fordpier.com  
VENUE 15 10:00 PM

**The Pointer Brothers**

YUKON  
These guys have a serious rep and anyone who has ever enjoyed the Dawson Music Festival will have partied hearty with this group – it's mandatory!  
VENUE 20 11:00 PM

**Polly-Esther**

QUÉBEC  
A captivating, evocative, Franco-Saskatoon grown concoction fusing folk, rock, jazz and blues into an unforgettable sound.  
VENUE 13 11:00 PM

**Ranarim**

SWEDEN  
Using sparkling vocal duets and fresh arrangements of ancient ballads, Ranarim weave the old with the new to create a colorful musical tapestry.  
VENUE 1 8:00 PM

**Real Ones**

NORWAY  
This very young, highly skilled, charming, passionate and irreverently intense quintet make ballistic acoustic music from the edge of Norway.  
www.reelones.com  
VENUE 2 10:40 PM

**John Reischman and John Miller**

BC  
Two of North America's finest acoustic musicians effortlessly weave a seductive and irresistible sound.  
www.festival.bc.ca/corvus/johnr  
VENUE 6 9:30 PM

**Mark Reeves**

MANITOBA  
His music stays in the mind and his lyrics on the lips of those who hear him, capturing the musical souls of audiences across North America.  
VENUE 16 10:40 PM



ORCHID ENSEMBLE

**Steve Schellenberg**

MANITOBA  
He's a dynamic performer with songs full of warmth and humour, backed up by his solid finger-style guitar.  
VENUE 16 10:40 PM

**Scrüj MacDuhk**

MANITOBA  
"Scrüj MacDuhk are like your own personal folk festival" – James Keelaghan. "One of the best bands I have ever seen" – Steve Earle.  
www.scruj.com  
VENUE 16 11:30 PM

**Sheela Na Gigh**

ALBERTA  
Their traditional and original songs combine timeless stories of passion and mystery with saucy humour and irreverent fun.  
VENUE 22 8:00 PM

**Skalène**

QUÉBEC  
A profoundly intense and original fusion of Cuban grooves, Middle Eastern folk melodies, African rhythms and the flavours of the Indian subcontinent.  
VENUE 3 10:15 PM

**Marcel Souldre**

MANITOBA  
This winner of the Prairie Music Award for Outstanding Francophone Album in 2000 is a dynamic performer who has released albums in both French and English.  
VENUE 16 9:25 PM

**Strange Angels**

MANITOBA  
From their spoof rock daze with the Welfare Starlets to their new extra-celestial adventure, Strange Angels are imaginative, entertaining and barely tall enough to drive.  
VENUE 16 10:40 PM

**Tess**

QUÉBEC  
A remarkable voice, great presence and an unusual repertoire of Québécois, Celtic and Acadian songs, superbly arranged and performed: Tess and her band shine!  
VENUE 3 8:45 PM

**Trixie's Undersea Adventure with Anselmo**

AUSTRALIA / NETHERLANDS  
Both artists possess a skill for lyrics difficult to surpass; music that is hypnotic and often overpowering in its subtlety and grace.  
VENUE 15 8:00 PM

**Tulipan**

AUSTRALIA  
This Brisbane-based female four-piece act create a unique sound, fusing traditional folk and world music with jazz/modern vocals.  
VENUE 7 9:15 & 11:20 PM

**Art Turner**

MANITOBA  
Art Turner's unique brand of soulful and percussive finger-style guitar is music your soul might sing on a late night train trip.  
VENUE 16 8:00 PM

**Paddy Tutty**

SASKATCHEWAN  
This skillful interpreter of traditional Anglo-Celtic folk music presents songs from several centuries with warmth and humour.  
VENUE 9 8:45 PM

**ULC with Peter Rosendal & Mads Vinding**

DENMARK  
The folk trio of Uhrbrand/Lydom/Cahill are joined by two fine jazz musicians in a rare and exciting meld of musical genres.  
VENUE 17 TIME TBA

**The Undertakin' Daddies**

YUKON  
Bob Hamilton, Kevin Barr, George McConkey and honorary Yukoner Nathan Tinkham are guaranteed to get your toes tapping from the very first bar.  
VENUE 20 10:30 PM

CHANTAL VITALIS



**Rick Unruh** MANITOBA  
He weaves a unique style of acoustic pop rock and soulful folk that speak straight to the heart of listeners.  
VENUE 16 8:00 PM

**La Vesse du Loup** QUÉBEC  
Trad-Franco-folk that bites back! A diabolical mix of acoustic, electric and sarcastic stringed instrumentation, song and tapping feet from this wily pack.  
VENUE 3 8:00 PM

**April Verch** SASKATCHEWAN  
This young, sophisticated fiddler and step-dancer is earning a lot of attention and respect with her amazing talent.  
www.aprilverch.com  
VENUE 11 10:40 PM

**Chantal Vitalis** ALBERTA  
She's done a stint in an Indonesian wedding band, played in Same Difference and maud. Solo, she mixes sophisticated poetics with unpretentious vocals.  
VENUE 22 9:45 PM

**The Waifs** AUSTRALIA  
Armed with acoustic guitars, honeyed harmonies and a knack for story-telling, they are one of Australia's best independent bands.  
www.thewaifs.com.au  
VENUE 7 8:25 & 10:30 PM

**Jenny Whiteley** ONTARIO  
She's got a stellar band, a killer album, smoldering charisma, powerful songs. And she plays the bass. What more do you want?  
VENUE 4 8:00 PM

**Tim Williams** ALBERTA  
One of Canada's finest acoustic bluesmen, famed for his skill on slide and Hawaiian guitars, mandolin and 6-string banjo.  
www.go.to.twilliamsblues.com  
VENUE 8 10:00 PM

**Wyrd Sisters** MANITOBA  
Warm, witty and truly entertaining, The Wyrd Sisters deliver their emotionally evocative lyrics with sultry humour.  
www.escape.ca/~wyrds  
VENUE 16 10:10 PM

**Zeelia** BC  
This is Slavic soul music with roots in the Ukraine, joyous women's singing which bridges generations and geography.  
VENUE 11 8:00 PM

**Zubot & Dawson** BC  
They call it STRANG music: warping, weaving and reassembling traditional and non-trad influences into a brand new thang.  
www.zubotanddawson.com  
VENUE 18 8:00 PM

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Al was an integral part of Vancouver's folk music scene for a number of years, and a tireless activist for social justice here and across the continent. He was set to play an important role in the plans for the Carnegie Centre event, traveling up from his current home in Texas, before his untimely death took him away. We remember and honour Al. The Carnegie performances are for him.

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