Sunday, June 1, 2025

Southern Georgian Bay Farmers Markets

Date and Time: Sunday, June 1 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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Tuesday, June 3, 2025

Unlikely Genealogical Sources with Bonnie Reynolds

Date and Time: Tuesday, June 3 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 320 King St.

Local historian Bonnie Reynolds will share her insights, tips, and advice for genealogists looking to go beyond the numbers and census records to uncover valuable genealogical information from a variety of sources.

Visit us at midlandlibrary.com or call (705) 526-4216 to register.

Wednesday, June 4, 2025

Youth Coffeehouse & Open Mic

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 4 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 320 King St.

Wednesday, June 4, 5:30-7pm

Ages 12-25

Join MPL and host Sydney Riley for a night of creativity, caffeine, and community! Whether you're a poet, singer, musician, or just love a cozy s pace to chill, grab a cup of coffee, enjoy amazing performances, and celebrate the talent in our community.

Open to all young artists!

Register to perform at the door, or online at midlandlibrary.com.

Thursday, June 5, 2025

Thursday Murder Club for Older Adults

Date and Time: Thursday, June 5 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 320 King St.

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Friday, June 6, 2025

Strange Magic - ELO Experience

Date and Time: Friday, June 6 7:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 333 King Street

Rescheduled

Previously sold tickets are valid for this show.

Tickets: Floor \$60 + fees and taxes; Balcony \$65 + fees & taxes

Saturday, June 7, 2025

Kids Fishing Derby

Date and Time: Saturday, June 7 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 165 King St, Midland Ontario L4R 3L8

The Kids Fishing Derby is always free of charge for all local children up to and including the age of 16 years.

Registration takes place in the morning at 9:00am at the Town of Midland booth beside the Harbour Office at 1 65 King Street. Each angler receives free bait, a hot dog, juice box, and all participants receive a prize!

For the 2024 Kids Fishing Derby, we had six bikes donated by our generous sponsors. The event is for fun, catching a fish is a bonus! All local children who register and participate will be entered into the draw to win the do nated bikes and a helmet. Participants must be in attendance to win.

This event is always well attended and is very much enjoyed by all local children.

Full event details on our website.

Historic Blacksmith Workshop

Date and Time: Saturday, June 7 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 93 Jury Dr, Penetanguishene

Description:

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Women of the 70s

Date and Time: Saturday, June 7 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Address: 333 King Street

A Musical Tribute to LINDA RONSTADT, CAROL KING and KAREN CARPENTER, in the WOMAN OF THE 70's SHOW starring Wendy Laurier.

This show recreates the music and the memories of incredible superstar female singers of the 1970s.

You will be transported back to the melodic and memorable songs of WHEN WILL I BE LOVED, BLUE B AYOU, IT'S SO EASY, YOU'RE NO GOOD, CLOSE TO YOU, WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN, I FEEL THE EARTH MOVE, IT'S TOO LATE and more!

Wendy is an International and Gold Medal Vocalist who captures appreciative audiences with her sultry, clear an d powerful voice. She possesses the passionate and powerful voice of Linda Ronstadt, the rich, velvety, playful and innocent stylings of Karen Carpenter, and the heart in the music of Carole King.

Note: All ticket sales are final. The Midland Cultural Centre has a no refund policy.

Tickets: Floor \$35 + fees & taxes; Balcony \$40 + fees & taxes

Sunday, June 8, 2025

Southern Georgian Bay Farmers Markets

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Wednesday, June 11, 2025

Community Pride: A Celebration of Poetry, Paint, and People

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 11 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

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This inclusive event invites participants to come together and immerse themselves in the vibrant world of poetry and art. Attendees will have the o popular to listen to powerful poetry readings, reflect on the themes of the evening, and create their own artwork in response to the poetry. We'll have light refreshments. Drop-in. No registration required to attend.

Interested in sharing your voice as a reader at the event? Whether you're a seasoned poet or new to sharing your work, all are welcome to partici pate. Visit midlandlibrary.com for our open call for poets of all backgrounds and experiences to contribute to an evening of celebration, communit y, and artistic expression.

Saturday, June 14, 2025

Ontario's Best Butter Tart Festival presented by Chapman's

Date and Time: Saturday, June 14 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: 333 King Street, Midland, ON

On June 14, 2025 from 9am-5pm our downtown core and our waterfront parks will host 200+ vendors and fo od trucks for Ontario's Best Butter Tart Festival presented by Chapman's, voted by Festivals and Events Ontario as one of the Top 100 Festivals and Events in the province!

Our vendors sell everything from butter tarts to unique, hand-made items. And the variety of butter tarts you'll find at our festival include plain, raisin, pecan, walnut, skor, maple, bacon, coconut, chocolate covered, PB&J, s'mores, gluten-free, vegan, nut-free, cheesecake, pumpkin... and so many more.

At our inaugural butter tart festival in June 2013, the festival sold out of the 10,000 butter tarts available for sa le by 11 a.m. The number of butter tarts available for sale increases each year. In 2024 we were up to 300,000 butter tarts sold by our vendors. Attendance has also increased to approximately 60,000+ visitors for this incre dible one day event.

The Egg Farmers of Ontario Butter Tart Contest awards the prize for BEST Butter Tart in Ontario. The contest is open to both professional and amateur/home bakers. The contest features both Traditional and Wild Style cat egories. Our judges include celebrities, chefs, food and travel bloggers, local dignitaries all with one thing in common – a love of butter tarts!

The Entertainment Stage features family-friendly musical performances all day. And kids love the Kids Zone in Harbourside Park. Visitors enjoy the convenient and free shuttle service on The Great Canadian Meat Shuttle fr om two Midland locations. We also offer free bike valet service, and free transit.

And while you are here, we hope you visit our downtown merchants and their unique shops. Some offer butter tart festival sales, deals and sweet treats. Mark your calendar to join us for the sweetest day of the year, June 14, 2025!

Visit our website for full event details: www.buttertartfestival.ca

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Sunday, June 15, 2025

Southern Georgian Bay Farmers Markets

Date and Time: Sunday, June 15 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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Sedges - What they reveal about the landscape and WHY We care

Date and Time: Sunday, June 15 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Address: 16160 Highway 12 East

Anyone who has done a biological study of the land will know that sedges (grass-like plants) can reveal secrets of the soil. Although they visually blend in with other plants, sedges are beautiful in form and function. And wh en it comes to 'reading the landscape' sedges can provide you with a amazing insights.

Join naturalist/writer David Hawke for a presentation and guided hike at the Wye Marsh Wildlife Centre. Using the Wye Marsh herbarium as a base, David has designed a unique way to easily identify the sedges of Simcoe C ounty.

Where: Wye Marsh Wildlife Centre, 16160 Hwy 12 E, Midland

When: Sunday, June 15th, 2025, from 1:30 – 3:30pm

How much: \$35 + HST per person

Ages: 16+

Registration Required: Using Eventbrite

About Wye Marsh:

Friends of Wye Marsh is a not-for-profit charitable organization taking care of 3,000 acres of provincially signi ficant wetlands and federal forests in the Heart of Georgian Bay. This National Wildlife Area and recognized Im portant Bird Area (IBA) provides habitat for a number of significant species including provincially Threatened Least Bitterns, Species of Special Concern Black Terns, and the famous Trumpeter Swans

Wye Marsh is the perfect place to Escape - Explore - Experience the area's natural history as the site includes 25 km of all-season trails, a Birds of Prey field, and Visitors Centre!

For more information on the Wye Marsh, and its environmental education programs and stewardship initiatives, please call 705-526-7809 or visit: www.wyemarsh.com

Refunds:

- o With LESS than 3 business days notice 50% refund
- o With MORE than 3 business days notice Ticket refunded minus the Eventbrite fee

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Friday, June 20, 2025

Flag Raising - Indigenous Peoples Day

Date and Time: Friday, June 20 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Address: Town of Midland, 575 Dominion Avenue, Midland, ON

Indigenous Peoples Day is Satursday, June 21, 2025

When: Flag Raising will be on Friday, June 20, 2025, at 10:30 am

Where: Town of Midland Office, on the front steps on Dominion Ave.

Community members are invited to join the Mayor and members of Council to raise the flag for Indigenous Pe oples Day.

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Sunday, June 22, 2025

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Jersey Nights

Date and Time: Sunday, June 22 3:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 333 King Street

Blackrose Entertainment presents Jersey Nights! The sound and the hits of the Legendary Frankie Valli and FO UR SEASONS including 'Sherry", "Let's Hang On", "Walk like a Man", "Working my way back to You" and ma ny many more.

Welcome to the exciting and dynamic world of the History of Rock and Soul a powerful ensemble that has dazz led audiences and guests with their unique entertaining delivery This high energy group packs dance floors as th ey entertain with total fun and audience participation creating memories for a lifetime. As one of Canada's most popular bands, The history of Rock and Soul captures the essence of every event with dynamic showmanship, hip choreography, high energy, great musicianship, costume changes and superb vocal harmony.

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Sunday, June 29, 2025

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