

**Assiniboine Park Conservancy to Host
Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration on Saturday, June 22**

For immediate release: Winnipeg, June 18, 2023 – The Assiniboine Park Conservancy is inviting Park visitors to attend the annual Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration at the Park on Saturday, June 22.

“Our Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration is a wonderful and welcoming event that offers something for everyone,” said Joy K. Balmana, Manager of Community & Special Events, Assiniboine Park Conservancy. “It is a joyful presentation of Indigenous traditions, talent, and artistry that has become an annual tradition for many Park visitors.”

Entertainment and family-friendly activities will take place from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Lyric Theatre and the outdoor Gardens at The Leaf.

- Entertainment at the Lyric Theatre featuring Jade Turner, Indian City, Burnstick, Desiree Dorion, Chuck Copenace, and The Kaptain.
- Food trucks, bouncy castles, and other activities for kids at the Lyric Field.
- Entertainment at the Performance Garden at The Leaf featuring Mitchell Makoons, Sadie Cyr, JC Campbell, Brandi Vezina, Ivan Flett Memorial Dancers, and Kwiat.
- Happy Solstice Market featuring Indigenous and Métis creators at the Gardens at The Leaf.
- Fire teachings with Cree Crowchild at the Fire Node in the Indigenous Peoples Garden at The Leaf.

Please visit the Indigenous Peoples Day events page on the Assiniboine Park [website](#) for a detailed schedule.

The Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration is part of Assiniboine Park's Summer Entertainment Series presented by Casinos of Winnipeg, which has been made possible with support from our sponsors, donors, and the Government of Canada. The full schedule can be found on the [Park website](#).

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Media are encouraged to submit event day interview requests in advance.

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