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## Kidsfest

JUNE 8-11, 2023 • AT THE FORKS

THE WINNIPEG INTERNATIONAL  
Children's Festival

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## THURSDAY JUNE 8 / JEUDI 8 juin

	TENT A FESTIVAL PARK	VENUE B FESTIVAL PARK STAGE	VENUE C MTYP	VENUE D MTYP
10:00 am	La Troupe Jeunesse de L'ensemble-folklorique de la Riviere-Rouge			Tricoter
11:00 am		The Street Circus	Won Ma Africa - Kalabante	
12:00 pm	Jacques (Jake) Chenier			Countries Shaped Like Stars
1:00 pm		The Street Circus	Brave Space	
1:45 pm	Fred Penner			
2:00 pm				Tricoter

Pour profiter pleinement de la "Journée franco-fun Day", suivez la cédule proposée.  
To take full advantage of "Journée franco-fun Day", please follow the "suggested" schedule.

## FRIDAY JUNE 9

	TENT A FESTIVAL PARK	VENUE B FESTIVAL PARK STAGE	VENUE C MTYP	VENUE D MTYP
10:00 am	Zoloto Ukrainian Folk Dance Ensemble			Countries Shaped Like Stars
11:00 am		Lisa Odjig - World Champion Hoop Dancer	Won Ma Africa - Kalabante	
12:00 pm	The Street Circus Show			Tricoter
1:00 pm		Fay & Fluffys' Drag Queen Story Time	Brave Space	
2:00 pm	Jake Chenier			Tricoter

Interactive Workshops: The Teakle Family Circus, Drumming and Stories with Barb Nepinak,  
The Manitoba Conservatory of Music and Arts, and Swinging Trapeze with Rachel & Bex

## SATURDAY JUNE 10

	TENT A FESTIVAL PARK	VENUE B FESTIVAL PARK STAGE	VENUE C MTYP	VENUE D MTYP
11:00 am	Tamil Folk Dancers			Tricoter
12:00 pm		Fay & Fluffys' Drag Queen Story Time	Won Ma Africa - Kalabante	
1:00 pm	Fred Penner			Tricoter
2:00 pm		Lisa Odjig - World Champion Hoop Dancer		
2:30 pm				Countries Shaped Like Stars
3:00 pm	Jake Chenier			
3:30 pm			Brave Space	
4:00 pm		Fay & Fluffys' Drag Queen Story Time		

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## SUNDAY JUNE 11

	TENT A FESTIVAL PARK	VENUE B FESTIVAL PARK STAGE	VENUE C MTYP	VENUE D MTYP
11:00 am	Magdarat Phillipines Inc.			Tricoter
12:00 pm			Brave Space	
1:00 pm		Fay & Fluffys' Drag Queen Story Time		Countries Shaped Like Stars
2:00 pm	Fred Penner		Won Ma Africa - Kalabante	
3:00 pm		Lisa Odjig - World Champion Hoop Dancer		Tricoter
4:00 pm	The Street Circus Show			

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## PERFORMERS



### WON MA AFRICA PQ (FRENCH/ENGLISH)

The famed African circus troupe Kalabante will be making their Winnipeg premiere at this year's Kidsfest. A dazzling array of circus, music and dance – prepare to be amazed!



### COUNTRIES SHAPED LIKE STARS ON (FRENCH/ENGLISH)

Charming and hilarious theatre for all ages, Countries Shaped Like Stars is part storytelling, part concert - this is a tale of love heard best through a tin can telephone.



### BRAVE SPACE USA

"Brave Space" is the building of a blanket fort, sneaking under a hoopskirt, an impulsive congregation in the tiniest of tents. Starting as a puddle of fabric on the floor, it grows to encompass a world of wondrous circus featuring an all women cast.



### TRICOTER BC (FRENCH/ENGLISH)

Designed for the very young and families, Foolish Operations' Tricoter re-creates the spirit of a knitting circle. The dance winds and unwinds through and around the public who are arranged in the round.



### FAY AND FLUFFY'S DRAG QUEEN STORY TIME ON

From the hit television series "The Fabulous Show", Fay and Fluffy will spread their message of inclusivity, kindness, literacy and being proud of who we are from their colourful, Cabaret-themed set.



### THE STREET CIRCUS SHOW MB

Local heroes Kimberly and Daniel Craig have travelled the world bringing their action packed circus shows to audiences of all ages – not to be missed!



### LISA ODJIG ON

Lisa is a World Champion Hoop Dancer – a Lisa Odjig performance is dazzling and transformative!



### FRED PENNER MB

Fred is quite simply the most popular family entertainer in Canada. "Fred-Heads" of all ages come together for some unforgettable sing-along fun!



### JACQUES (JAKE) CHENIER, MB

We are proud to welcome back one of Canada's most highly acclaimed songwriters for families and young audiences. A Jake Chenier performance will get you dancing and singing along!



### LA TROUPE JEUNESSE DE L'ENSEMBLE FOLKLORIQUE DE LA RIVIERE-ROUGE/ ZOLOTO UKRAINIAN FOLK DANCE ENSEMBLE/ TAMIL FOLK DANCERS/ MAGDARAT PHILLIPINES INC., MB

We've teamed up with the Folk Arts Council (producers of Folklorama) to present four of the finest multicultural dance groups in Winnipeg, showcasing the great diversity of talent in the city!

## 2023 KIDSFEST SAFETY PROTOCOLS

The Winnipeg International Children's Festival (aka Kidsfest) is committed to the health and wellness of our guests, staff and performers. Safety guidelines and protocols that reflect the current needs of the community will be established and shared prior to the event.

Our policies and best practices are continually evolving to meet the changing environment and to remain in compliance with the current public health recommendations. To stay up to date please check our website often.



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