



BACKSTAGE AT THE CAPITOL

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IN THE NEWS

The Capitol Theatre receives grant of \$102,000 from Heritage Canada



The announcement was made during a press conference on January 18. This contribution is to defray part of the costs associated with the 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 artistic seasons. Robert Goguen, Member of Parliament (Moncton-Riverview-Dieppe), made the announcement on behalf of the Honourable James Moore, Minister of Canadian Heritage and Official Languages.

From left to right: Marc Chouinard, the Capitol Theatre's General Manager; Robert Goguen, Member of Parliament for Moncton-Riverview-Dieppe; and Marshall Button, Capitol Theatre's Artist-in-Residence

ECMA TO ANNOUNCE 2012 NOMINEES

The East Coast Music Association will announce its 2012 Award Nominees on **January 27th**, at **Casino NB**. This event will highlight the incredible talent in this region and recognize the hard work and dedication of East Coast artists and industry professionals. Awards will be handed out during East Coast Music Week culminating with the Gala Awards Show hosted by Roch Voisine at Casino NB on April 15th. The announcement will also include live performances by Catherine MacLellan, George Belliveau and Three Sheet.

ECMA Moncton 2012 is looking for volunteers. If you or someone you know is interested in being part of this exciting event, check out the details at ecma.ca/moncton.



CONGRATULATIONS MARC!

The AAAPNB (the association representing professional Acadian artists in New Brunswick) has announced the finalists for the Éloizes 2012 Gala. Marc Chouinard, the Capitol Theatre's General Manager, has been nominated in the "Support to Artistic Productions" category. The gala will take place on May 6, in Bathurst!

The Capitol School of Performing Arts is accepting new applications for the Winter 2012 semester

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 3

More information is available at www.capitol.nb.ca/ or by contacting Tim Borlase or Lynne Surette at 506-383-6200.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

LIGHTS | RESERVED SEATING

Electro-Rock sensation and Juno-award winner LIGHTS will be hitting the Capitol stage. This young Canadian artist has recently launched *Siberia*, a pop opus with a strong dubstep influence, while also wandering into genres of dream pop, minimal, dance and even noise. [SATURDAY, JANUARY 21 – 8 PM](#)



HANSEL UND GRETEL by the Université de Moncton Opera Workshop | RESERVED SEATING

This well-known Grimm Brothers tale, beautifully put to music by Engelbert Humperdinck, remains very popular today.

[SATURDAY, JANUARY 28 – 8 PM / SUNDAY, JANUARY 29 – 2 PM](#)



HUBCITY THEATRE presents THE 3 MUSKETEERS | GENERAL ADMISSION – EMPRESS THEATRE

Hubcity Theatre's fifth anniversary show will be an adaptation based on the timeless swashbuckler by Alexandre Dumas. It is a tale of heroism, treachery, close escapes, and, above all, honour. Colourful costumes, snappy laughs, quirky characters, and fierce swordplay come together for a fun and exciting evening for the entire family! [THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2 at 8 pm; FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3 AT 8 PM; SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4 AT 3 PM and 8 PM.](#)

RON SEXSMITH | RESERVED SEATING

One of Canada's most acclaimed singer-songwriter admired by the likes of Bob Dylan, Elvis Costello, Chris Martin and Lucinda Williams will be gracing the Capitol stage with his presence on [SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4 at 8 PM.](#)



HUBCAP COMEDY FESTIVAL | FEBRUARY 7-11

The 2012 HubCap Comedy Festival will make you die laughing this year with a stellar line-up of comic talent from all over the country. The Capitol will host four events: [Thursday Night for Laughs](#); [Lunchbox of Laughter](#); [La Revue Acadienne](#) & [Nikki Payne](#).



BRUCE COCKBURN | RESERVED SEATING

Canadian legend Bruce Cockburn returns to the Capitol Theatre, after having to cancel his tour last year for health reasons. This singer-songwriter has been a very important part of the Canadian music scene for over 35 years. This humanitarian folk artist is currently touring to promote his 31st album *Small Source of Comfort*, an adventurous collection of songs of romance, protest and spiritual discovery. [THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16 – 8 PM](#)

LE SOUFFLE DE LA VIE AS TOLD BY LEVÊKE | EMPRESS THEATRE

LeVêKe is a storyteller from Balmoral, NB. For more than 10 years, he has performed with innovative new ways of telling his stories. This storyteller has toured in Canada, Switzerland, Belgium, France and the USA. With *Le souffle de la vie*, the artist takes the audience in his imaginary world filled with tales of environment, history and communication. [THURSDAY, FEB 23 – 8 PM](#)



NEW EVENTS ON SALE

12TH ANNUAL DIAMOND DIVAS REVUE | GENERAL ADMISSION SEATING

Join the Maritimes best Female Impersonators & Special Guests for the most highly anticipated, amazing and entertaining extravaganza filled with fun, laughter, surprises and good times with all proceeds going to support Moncton's "Ligne Téléphonique CARA Helpline Inc". - [SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18 – 8 PM](#)

FRACK OFF MUSIC CONCERT | RESERVED SEATING

With Glamour Puss, Theresa Malenfant, Angele Arsenault, Hubert Francis, Monique Poirier, Lovestorm, The Divorcees, the Maliseet Sisters Drum Group & The Elsipogtog Drum and Dance Group. - [WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21 – 7 PM](#)

LAURIE LEBLANC'S 2ND ALBUM LAUNCH | RESERVED SEATING

Boutouche's Laurie LeBlanc will be launching his 2nd album at the Capitol. Formerly of Acadian group Zarico, he gained widespread success as a solo artist with his first album, *La Pitoune*. - [SATURDAY, APRIL 7 – 8 PM](#)

ON SALE SOON

ABBAMANIA AND NIGHT FEVER | RESERVED SEATING – ON SALE FRIDAY, JANUARY 20!

One Night of Abba and Night Fever: An Evening of the Bee Gees will take the stage and bring back many of the biggest hits of the 1970's from two of the groups that helped define that era. [SUNDAY, MARCH 31ST – 8 PM](#)

Tickets for all Capitol Theatre shows are on sale at the Capitol Theatre Box Office (in person or by phone), théâtre l'Escaouette, Frank's Music, Monument Lefebvre, Dieppe Arts and Culture Centre and l'Université de Moncton, or online at www.capitol.nb.ca.