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Mississauga continues to expand our reputation as a festival, music and

entertainment city. The Southside Shuffle Blues and Jazz Festival - one of our gems - continues to attract the best entertainers and the biggest crowds to Port Credit.

Thank you to the truly dedicated organizers, volunteers and sponsors without whom the show could not go on. This iconic event puts Port Credit and Mississauga on the map.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Parrish Mayor, City of Mississauga



Dear Friends.

As the Ward Councillor, it gives me great pleasure to extend my best wishes and sincere congratulations to the organizers, sponsors, volunteers and participants of this year's 27th Annual Port Credit Southside Shuffle Blues and Jazz Festival. The Southside Shuffle is one of North America's premier festivals and hosts the best of the



best blues bands and individual artists.

The Southside Shuffle team is relentless in ensuring that it continues with its outstanding tradition of entertaining us all. The Southside Shuffle performers and organizers are working even harder to make this year's event better than ever.

Once again, my sincere appreciation to everyone involved in making this year's Southside Shuffle another outstanding success and I am confident everyone will enjoy this spectacular music festival! See you there...

> Stephen Dasko, Councillor Ward 1

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Established in 2012 by the late Councillor Jim Tovey, The Walk recognizes and honours Inductees for their contributions as musicians, builders and creators who have contributed to our City's vibrant music industry legacy. Last year's tremendously successful MUSIC WALK OF FAME Induction Ceremony at Memorial Park was a well-attended and celebrity-rich event at which our new Inductees, internationally renowned classical violinist, Adrian Anantawan and Platinum Blonde guitarist and songwriter, Sergio Galli joined the ranks with those already on the Walk. These include the great Oscar Peterson, Ronnie Hawkins, Tommy Hunter, Denny Doherty of the Mamas and Papas. Jeff Healey, Phil X of Bon Jovi, Liberty Silver, Alessia Cara, and many more. The Mississauga Music Walk of Fame is located in Memorial Park in Port Credit Ontario.



recently launched our "Enhanced Walk Experience" developed with input from Sheridan College and our technology consultant partners Cognexion, The "Enhanced Walk Experience" allows visitors to simply capture the QR code of the star they are interested in on their smart phone or i-pad and view an animated bio with music and photos of their career and the impact they have had on the music industry and the City of

Mississauga. The "Enhanced Walk Experience" provides a unique learning experience and virtually brings our stars to life!! The Mississauga Music Walk of Fame has become a unique and one-of-a-kind tourism destination, a musical heritage, historical and educational attraction, drawing visitors to The Walk and encouraging them to stay and discover Port Credit, the City of Mississauga, and surrounding areas.







2025 INDUCTION CEREMONY

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7th • 11:00am





Join us as we recognize and induct two new members to the Mississauga Music Walk of Fame.

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Free Stages 5:30pm Paid Mainstage: 5:30pm

Saturday Sept 6th

Free Stages: 12:00 noon Paid Mainstage: 3:30 pm

Sunday September 7th

Free Stages & Walk of

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SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 6th

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SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7th

Free Stages & Walk of Fame Ceremony: 10:00am Paid Mainstage: 12:30pm



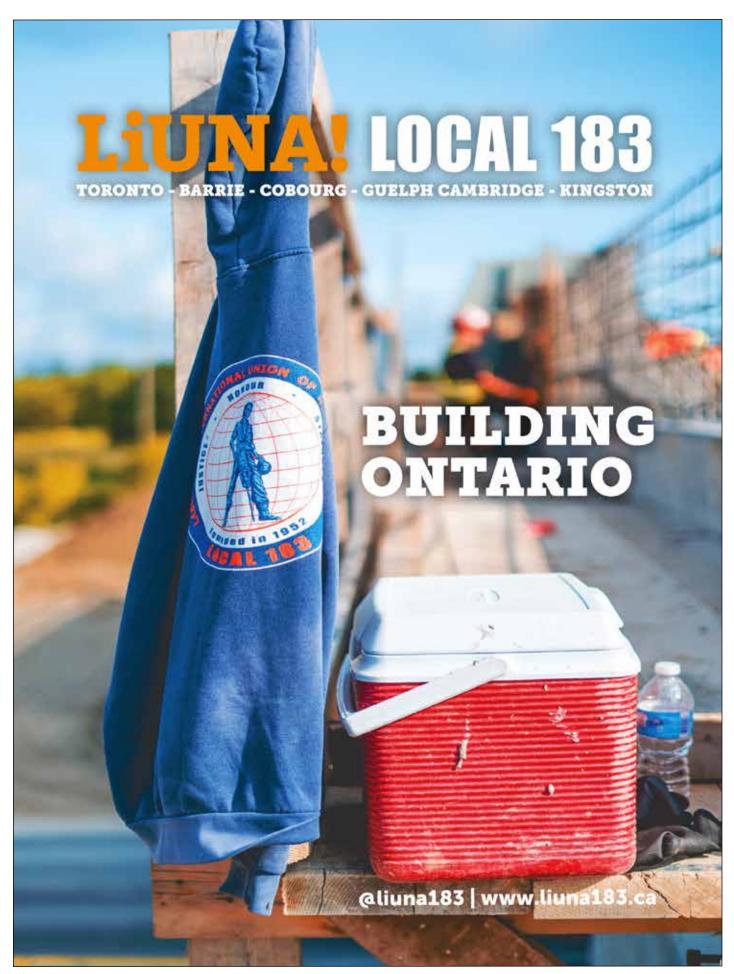












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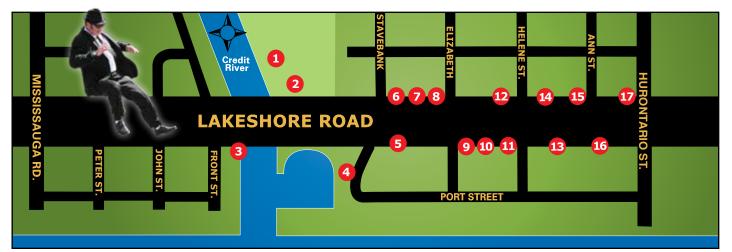
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MAINSTAGE SCHEDULE

Friday > Saturday > Sunday

Weekend Pass: \$80 - Save \$20!

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Tickets available online at southsideshuffle.ca





Friday September 5th

10:15pm - 11:45 THE SHEEPDOGS

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8:30pm - 9:45 STEVE STRONGMAN

7:00pm - 8:00 IRA WALKER



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Saturday September 6th

10:00pm - 11:30 BIG SUGAR 8:00pm - 9:30 TOM WILSON

6:00pm - 7:30 IN SPITE OF OURSELVES

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WORLD STAGE

Friday September 5th

9:45pm to 10:45 JAY DOUGLAS AND THE ALLSTARS

8:15pm to 9:15 **SWAMPERELLA** 6:45pm to 7:45 **CLUB DJANGO**



8:30 to 9:30

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12:30 to 2:00 MISSISSAUGA YOUTH BAND CHALLENGE

Sunday September 7th

4:30 to 6:00 **BOOMERANG** 3:00 to 4:00 **ASD BAND**

1:30 to 2:30 J.E. LOPEZ - TBS TALENT SEARCH FINALIST

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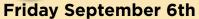


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Saturday September 7th

9:00 to 9:30 **JESSE GREENE** 7:30 to 8:00 JESSE GREENE

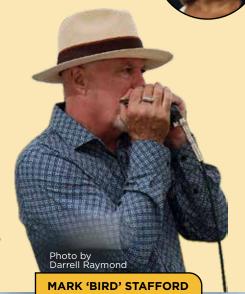
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Sunday September 8th

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Breaking away from the well-trodden path of major cities and bustling music hubs, The Sheepdogs are gearing up for a Canadian tour that will bring their electrifying live show to the heart of communities often overlooked by touring musicians.

As a testament to their commitment to music lovers who've grown accustomed to traveling long distances to catch a live concert, the band's tour spotlights many towns and places that rarely grace the tour schedules of renowned artists. With dates in Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia and 6 shows in rural Quebec, the tour reaffirms The Sheepdogs' dedication to their fanbase, promising unforgettable nights of rock 'n' roll magic.

"We're a band from Saskatoon, so we are no strangers to having to travel to bigger cities to see concerts. Because ofthis, it's always been a mission for this band to not just play the big cities, but smaller cities and towns across this nation as well. From our experience, this is where some of the biggest music fans live. You shouldn't be denied live music in your hometown, just because you don't live in a major city."

In anticipation of the upcoming Canadian run, The Sheepdogs have released a captivating concert film capturing two unforgettable sold-out nights at the Shore

Friday September 5th 10:15pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

Club in the picturesque small town of Hubbards, Nova Scotia - population 401. Directed by Mat Dunlap, the 35-minute doc offers a glimpse behind the curtain with behind-the-scenes highlights, interviews, and stunningly captured concert footage starring the charismatic lineup of Ewan Currie, Shamus Currie, Ryan Gullen, Sam Corbett, and Ricky Paquette.

The Sheepdogs' latest studio release Outta Sight, has garnered international acclaim and was nominated for Rock Album of the Year at the 2023 JUNO Awards. The band has notably maintained a single in the Top 20 for an impressive 62 consecutive.: "Keep On Loving You", and "Rock and Roll (Ain't No Simple Thing)" from the band's 2021 EP No Simple Thing, and "Find The Truth" from their latest effort Outta Sight. 2023. They have played over 145 shows internationally in the past year, including numerous trips around North America, the UK, Europe and Australia.

The quintessential quintet are currently on tour in Europe where they enjoyed an incredibly successful tour in 2022, bringing people together in a celebration of rock & roll and good times with their signature 'guitarmonies' and killer live shows. The tour sees the band hitting up 15 countries before heading back to Canada for a well-deserved break.



STEVE STRONGMAN

www.stevestrongman.com

Canadian Guitar Ace, JUNO winner, and Multiple Maple Blues Award Winner Steve Strongman has just coproduced, co-written, and guested on the Fabulous Thunderbird's 50th Anniversary 2024 release "Struck Down, on Stony Plain records. The record has just been nominated for two Grammy Awards!

The nominations are:

- Best Traditional Blues Album for Struck Down, which Strongman co-wrote and co-produced with Thunderbirds' frontman Kim Wilson.
- Best American Roots Performance for "Nothing In Rambling," featuring Strongman alongside Bonnie Raitt, Keb' Mo', Taj Mahal, and Mick Fleetwood.

This record debuted at #1 in both the United States and Canada, and features Strongman with guests Bonnie Raitt, Billy Gibbons, Keb Mo, Taj Mahal, Mick Fleetwood, Elvin Bishop and Terrence Simien. Strongman will be on tour supporting the Thunderbirds in 2024/2025.

Strongman, also a Memphis International Challenge award winner for best solo/duo guitarist, is one of the most talented Blues based artists in the world today. Beyond his undeniable strengths as a songwriter, guitarist and front man is his ability to engage his audience and deliver incredible performances at every live show. With his inimitable guitar playing and soulful vocals, Strongman delivers incredible performances with power and passion. Steve Strongman has a way of stirring a crowd that evokes the emotion, maturity and authenticity of classic blues themes.

Steve has shared the stage with International blues royalty including B.B. King, Buddy Guy, Johnny Winter, The Fabulous Thunderbirds, Joe Cocker, Robert Cray, Jeff Healey, James Cotton, Roy Clark, and Jimmie Vaughan to name a few.

Friday September 5th 8:30pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

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Ira has written and performed with a star studded list of Music Icons, including Steve Miller, Joe Satriani, Eddie Money, Carlos Santana, Brian May, & Tommy Castro. As the singer/bass player, Ira recorded with the Trichromes featuring Neal Schon (Journey), Bill Kreutzmann (Grateful Dead), and legendary lyricist Robert Hunter. He co-wrote the pop hit "I Wanna Go Back" for Eddie Money.

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Friday September 5th 7:00pm

Memorial Park Mainstage



BIG SUGAR

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The legendary Big Sugar celebrate their groundbreaking "500 Pounds" deluxe vinyl world wide release from Third Man Records with "An Evening With" 2-set theatrical presentation that spans their storied career from Hugo Boss suit days to their more recent Roots Rock Reggae vibes.

Gordie Johnson's power trio breathe life into their early blues and jazz-tinged songbook that has influenced generations of guitarists. "The theatre setting gives us the opportunity to explore a much wider range of styles while still presenting a Big Sugar rock & roll show!" Mr. Johnson has returned to the stage with new bassist and fellow Austinite Anders Drerup and 22-year-old phenom drummer Root Valach. "Our music has always been about roots and culture and this is a perfect piece of that evolution."

Saturday September 6th 10:00pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

They have become a seamless unit of deep musicality and soaring vocals providing fans with some of the best Big Sugar shows yet. Since the 90's Big Sugar have been a staple on the airwaves and highways with a unique combination of Jamaican rhythms, blues tonality and heavy rock aggression. Songs like "Diggin' A Hole", "If I Had My Way", "Turn the Lights On" and "Roads Ahead" with their Roots Rock Reggae style featuring Gordie Johnson's signature guitar playing have built a loyal following, earning Big Sugar a Road Gold Award as they continue to sell out concerts across North America.



TOM WILSON

www.tomwilsononline.com

Tom Wilson tehohåhake (two roads) is a Canadian musician, songwriter, famed storyteller and visual artist. Wilson's memoir, Beautiful Scars, published by Penguin/Random House has become a national bestseller.

In his memoir, Wilson reveals the impact of discovering his indigenous heritage. Musically, Wilson is best known for his work with Blackie & The Rodeo Kings and Lee Harvey Osmond, the latter receiving a 2020 Juno Award for the album Mohawk.

In 1989, Wilson became the founder of the popular rock band Junkhouse. The band quickly grew in popularity and in 1993 signed a recording contract with Sony Music Canada. Lead by Wilson, Junkhouse skyrocketed in the 90's, producing three albums, Strays, Birthday Boy and Fuzz, before disbanding. The style and success of Junkhouse has been an inspiration to many young Hamilton artists. Wilson recorded his first solo album Planet Love (2001) for Sony Music.

Saturday September 6th 8:00pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

It was also during this time that Wilson starting dedicating more of his time and energy to his second passion, painting.

His art show "Beautiful Scars: Mohawk Warriors, Hunters and Chiefs" premiered at the Art Gallery of Burlington and his work "The Mystic Highway" was commissioned by the Canadian Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences for a 30' x 30' reproduction legacy piece adorning John Street in Hamilton. The painting pays homage to the rich history of Hamilton musicians and performers from past.

In 1999, as a result of their shared love and admiration for one of Canada's great musical treasures, the late Willie P. Bennett, Wilson along with Stephen Fearing and Colin Linden formed what would become the acclaimed roots supergroup Blackie and the Rodeo Kings.



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BLAIR PACKHAM

Blair is one of Canada's finest songwriters & writes songs of joy, triumph, heartbreak & loss. Leader of the JUNO nominated band The Jitters and had the pleasure of seeing John Prine, up close at 13 at Massey Hall. He has released 3 solo albums along with his previous band's albums and has had numerous songs appear on TV & films.

JOHNNY MAX

Johnny Max is one of those entertaining entertainers & has been the leader of The 2 x JUNO nominated Johnny Max Band, for over 30 years. He and the band have toured across Canada & Europe for years. Johnny has penned 7 albums and had a radio show for over 15 years, as well. A long time fan of John Prine, this is Johnny's project and hopes that everyone will remember how great a songwriter John Prine was.

Saturday September 6th 6:00pm

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KIRSTEN JONES

JUNO & CCMA nominated, award winning Alt/Country/ Roots/Americana songwriter with 2 albums on her resume, along the many hundreds of shows that she has performed across Canada Kirsten is an engaging live performer, bringing both introspection & humour to her shows. A newcomer to embracing John Prine's songs, she will bring the house down

BILL CRAIG

Bill is originally from Ireland and playing in Canada for over 40 years. An accomplished performer & songwriter, he was a member of Edward Bear and the Rovers, as well as his own long career as part of The Foggy Duo. A longtime proponent of John Prine, Bill has released a number of albums and has toured extensively through The Canada, The US & Europe. His baritone will shake the halls with his versions of John



PAPPY JOHNS BAND FEATURING JOSHUA ARDEN MILLER

DON POWLESS - BASS GUITAR, is a Mohawk originally from the Six Nations Reserve, but currently resides in Fort Erie, Ontario. In addition to The Pappy Johns Band, Powless has played in blues bands that include Bar Road Band, The Roadhouse Band, and Painted Pony.

OREN DOXTATOR - DRUMS, is originally from the Oneida Settlement (near London, Ontario), but he grew up in Buffalo, New York. Currently a resident of Fort Erie, Ontario, Powless and his brother-in-law Oren have formed a solid rhythm section for over 30 years.

JOHN LEE - PIANO/VOCALS, is originally from St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada, but currently resides in Kitchener Ontario, has toured and written songs with Matt Minglewood, Mel Brown & The Homewreckers and Beverly Mahood.

JOSH ARDEN MILLER - GUITAR/VOCALS, is also a Mohawk from Six Nations. Miller plays guitar and vocals. He toured across Canada with Murray Porter while still a teenager. In addition to be a member of The Pappy Johns Band, he also fronted his own bands, The Soul Kings and Three Wheel Drive.

The Pappy Johns Band won the award for Best Group/Duo at the 2002 Canadian Aboriginal Music Awards. Band members won three additional awards: for Best Male Artist (Faron Johns); Best Song & Songwriter for Blame It On Monday (Faron Johns); and Best Producer/Engineer (Alec Fraser & Band). In November 2004 the band won Best Blues Album at the 2004 Canadian Aboriginal Music Awards for Full Circle,[2] and they were 2005 Juno Awards nominees for Aboriginal Recording of the Year for Full Circle,[3]

In November 2009 The Pappy Johns Band won again for Best Blues Album @ The Canadian Aboriginal Music Awards for "Havin' A Good Time Now"[4]

Saturday September 6th 4:30pm

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THE HOGTOWN ALLSTARS EXTRA LARGE

www.thehogtownallstars.com

Built with some of the most experienced players in the global blues music industry, Hogtown Allstars Extra Large features five Downchild Blues Band alumni: Chuck Jackson, Pat Carey, Gary Kendall, Jim Casson and Tyler Yarema, plus Maple Blues Band alumni Teddy Leonard and Howard Moore.

This special Extra-Large edition Features The Hogtown Horns Featuring Pat Carey, Howard Moore and Alison Young and powerhouse backup singers Cheryl Lescom and Quisha Wint, who will also take some leads.

Individually and with these bands, the members of Hogtown Allstars Extra Large have won more than 20 Maple Blues Awards, 5 Juno Awards and numerous international blues and jazz music awards. They are inductees into both the Canadian Songwriters Hall of Fame and the Blues Museum Hall of Fame, in addition to receiving a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Maple Blues Awards. Downchild Blues Band is one of the

Sunday September 7th 6:15pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

planet's foremost, most celebrated and longest-running blues outfits.

Add to these members of legendary bands Fathead, Powder Blues, The Cameo Blues Band, David Vest & The Willing Victims, The Swingin' Blackjacks, Braithwaite & Whiteley, Johnny Rawls, The Robin Banks Blues Band, The Mighty Duck Blues Band and Lance Anderson's The Last Waltz and you have a blues supergroup that cannot be underestimated.

Originally conceived in 2013, Hogtown Allstars began as an showcase of Canadian based musicians dedicated to the blues as an art form that defines their careers. After surpassing the first challenge of coordinating everyone's schedule to hit the studio, Hog Wild was recorded over 2021 and features eight new original songs composed by the members and two covers.



DAVID GOGO

www.davidgogo.com

David Gogo has six JUNO Award nominations, has been named Guitarist Of The Year three times at the Maple Blues Awards, was named Musician Of The Year at the West Coast Music Awards, won Blues Recording Of The Year at the Western Canadian Music Awards, and received the Great Canadian Blues Award for his lifetime contribution to the blues in Canada as voted by the listeners of CBC's Saturday Night Blues. He has performed on stage with the likes of BB King, Johnny Winter, Albert Collins, Bo Diddley, and Otis Rush. He has been chosen to open shows for ZZ Top, George Thorogood, The Tragically Hip, Little Feat, Jimmie Vaughan, Robert Cray, Robin Trower and Wishbone Ash. His songs are featured in films and television and have been covered by a variety of artists, most notably **Buddy Guy.**

David Gogo on his new album YEAH!: I have recorded many albums, worked with many talented people, and had a lot of fun, but this album is my favourite to date.

I decided to leave my comfort zone and head to Ontario to work and stay at The Ganaraska Recording Co., surrounded by powdery snow and vintage guitars. In fact, I only used my guitar on one track, the rest belonged to the studio. I asked producer Steve Marriner to assemble a group of musicians for the project and he chose well. It's difficult to soar like an eagle when you are messing around with turkeys and I always surround myself with the best talent possible. This group, comprised of Steve Marriner, Jimmy Bowskill and Gary Craig, was a pleasure to create with — topnotch performers and super cool to hang with.

I feel that the new songs are very strong and there was such a great vibe in the studio. Though it was a relaxed and supportive environment, we worked at a quick rate and utilized plenty of first or second takes to keep the live energy happening!

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DAVID ROTUNDO

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David Rotundo is a multiple award-winning blues harmonica player, singer/songwriter and an unforgettable showman who electrifies audiences with his unique musical talents.

Sunday September 7th 2:45pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

Often the talk of any festival where he performs, David Rotundo has toured worldwide and has worked with many other notable performers as Jeff Healey, Lee Oskar, Enrico Crivellaro, Igor Prado, and Ronnie Hawkins just to name a few.

In 2020, Bluespotting Radio named "So Much Trouble" one of "Top 25 albums of the year" and it was the number one selling album in Canada for nine consecutive weeks. Among his many accolades, David Rotundo has been honored with the Maple Blues New Artist of the Year and Harmonica Player of the Year Awards, and the CBC/Galaxie Rising Stars award.



MISS EMILY UNPLUGGED

www.themissemilv.com

In February of 2020, only days after Miss Emily celebrated the Maple Blues triple crown of Female Vocalist, New Artist and Sapphire Blues Video of the year, the world shut down.

You could still hear the roar of the crowd as the door slammed shut on performances, recording and almost everything else in the music industry. For the first time in two decades, Miss Emily had an empty calendar. Of the many cancelled shows, perhaps the most disappointing loss was a return to the venue that had become a second home; The Isabel Bader Centre for the Performing Arts in her adopted hometown of Kingston. After six sellout, foundation-rattling shows, fans, band, and team members alike had been looking forward to extending the streak. In a moment of reminiscence and sadness, it occurred to Emily that she had professional recordings from each show at the Isabel. That's nearly ten albums worth of songs.

After a quick call, Team Emily got to work reviewing every song from each of the six shows. It was a monumental task but with time frozen in the wake of COVID, trimming 150 songs down to 15 tracks went from nearly impossible to a recorded reality by fall of 2020. "LIVE at the Isabel" was released on October 30, 2020 to rave reviews but due to the never-ending pandemic she couldn't promote it with a tour. So instead, Team Emily submitted it for JUNO consideration. When we shared our submission with music industry insiders, the responses were not what we expected. "You submitted a live album - that's crazy."

"Live albums don't get nominated. It's a waste of time." Crazy? Not really. Waste of time? Definitely not.

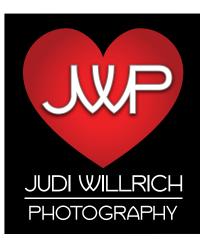
Sunday September 7th 1:00pm

Memorial Park Mainstage

On March 1st, 2022 Miss Emily, "LIVE at the Isabel" was nominated for the JUNO Blues Album of the Year.

That sequence of events - from the Maple Blues Awards of 2020 to the 2022 JUNO Nominations - encapsulates all you need to know about Miss Emily. She specializes in overcoming insurmountable challenges and scaling metaphorical mountains. Her work ethic was forged in the foundries of Southern Ontario's bars and nightclubs. Her resilience is a product of 20 years in an industry that can be, at best, "unfriendly" towards women. She has an innovative spirit and creative force born out of necessity, and her incomparable vocals are surpassed only by her electrifying, roof-rattling performances.





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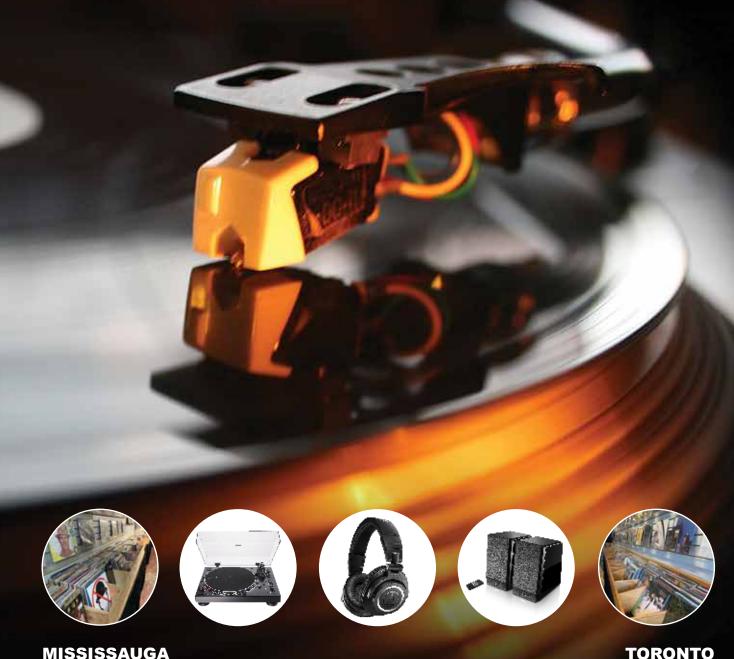


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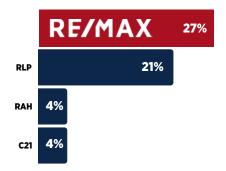
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