

Canada's Year of Asia Pacific Calendar - Summer 1997

Upcoming cultural events:

Jan - Dec	Winnipeg	Creation of sculpture Organizer: Winnipeg Chinese Cultural & Community Centre, (204) 943-2627
May - Nov	St. Andrews, Fredericton, Saint John	Photo Exhibit- Rainforests of Pacific Rim Organizer: James Wilson, (506) 382-7019
May to Sept	Montreal	Video document for Canadian and Filipino youth Organizer: Montreal Coalition of Filipino Students, (514) 341-0977
May 15-Dec 31	Sudbury	Festival to Commemorate India's 50th Anniversary Organizer: India-Canada Association of Sudbury, (705) 675-1511 ext. 2257
June 1997		
June	Banff	Exhibition of TV Commercials Organizer: Harbourfront Centre, (416) 952-3246, fax: 952-1943
June	Hull	Inauguration of the Dragon Canopy Organizer: Canadian Museum of Civilization, (819) 776-7000
Jun - Aug	Toronto, Hamilton, Windsor, & Ottawa	"A Perfect Exchange of Cultures" Art Activities and Festivities Organizer: Bahay Filipino Community Development, (416) 534-3550
Jun - Sept	Hull	Toy Exhibition from the Philippine Development Assistance Program Organizer: Canadian Museum of Civilization, (819) 776-7000
Jun - Dec	Vancouver, Nanaimo, Victoria, Prince George, Courtney	"Cultures in Transition" Organizer: IDERA (Southeast Asian Film Festival), (604) 732-1496
Jun 97 - Mar 98	Winnipeg/St.Norbert	Celebration of India's 50th Anniversary Organizer: St. Norbert Arts and Cultural Centre, (204) 474-9516
Jun 1-Nov 30	Vancouver	Performance and recording by Shakuhachi Master Takeo Yamashiro Organizer: Diane Kadota Arts Management, (604) 683-8240
Jun 8-Jul 15	Banff	Aboriginal Dance Project: "Shaman's Journey" Organizer: Aboriginal Arts Program at the Banff Centre, (403) 762-6288
June 8	Devon, Alberta	Kurimoto Japanese Garden Spring Festival Organizer: University of Alberta, (403) 987-3054, fax: 987-4141
Jun 13-Jun 15	Charlottetown	3 Day Festival of Cultural Events Organizer: PEI Multicultural Council, (902) 368-8393
Jun 20-29	Vancouver	Asia Pacific Improv Series Organizer: Coastal Jazz and Blues Society, (604) 682-0704
Jun 21-22	Burlington	India Fest - Royal Botanical Garden Organizer: India Canada Society, (905) 388-5791
Jun 23-29	St. John's	"500 Sharing the Voices" choral festival, (709) 729-4535
Jun 28-Jul 1	Belle Cote	Cape Breton International Dance Festival to bring in popular Korean group Organizer: Le Festival International de Danse du Cap-Breton, (902) 235-2261
July 1997		
July	Toronto	Asian Fishing Baskets Exhibition Organizer: Harbourfront Centre, (416) 952-3246, fax: 952-1943
Jul - Oct.	Vancouver	An Enduring Spirit Organizer: Harbourfront Centre, (416) 952-3246, fax: (416) 952-1943
Jul 1	Ottawa	Inuit/Aboriginal Art Exhibition - Australian Visual Art Organizer: Harbourfront Centre, (416) 952-3246, fax: (416) 952-1943
Jul 1-Sept 30	Winnipeg	Fubuki Daiko Concert and Workshop Organizer: Fubuki Daiko, (204) 943-2980
Jul 4-Jul 6	London	Sunfest International Music and Dance Festival Organizer: Sunfest - Cross Cultural Arts Committee, (519) 672-1522
Jul 13	Hull	"Sounds of the Orient" Musical Performance Organizer: Canadian Museum of Civilization, (819) 776-7000
Jul 15-16	St. John's	Photographic Arts and Crafts Exhibition and Cultural Show Organizer: Friends of India Association, (709) 754-3903
Jul 15-31	Vancouver	"Chinese Calligraphy: An Introduction" Organizer: David Gooderham and Yuk-Man Lai, (604) 224-3382
Jul 21-31	Toronto, Montreal	Chinese Dance Spectacular Organizer: Lorita Leung Dance Association, (604) 261-5918
August 1997		
August	Montreal	Fashioning Textiles Organizer: Harbourfront Centre, (416) 952-3246, fax: 952-1943
August	Toronto	Music and dance concert Organizer: Hong Lac Music and Dance Ensemble, (416) 603-6060
Aug 1-Oct. 15	Saskatoon & rural communities	Collaborative dance/theatre performance Organizer: Carla-Marie Powers, (306) 652-6415
Aug 1-Dec 31	Banff	Deep Web for Canada's Year of Asia Pacific Organizer: The Banff Centre for the Arts, (403) 762-6696
Aug 3-7	Fredericton	Lion Dance and Parade Organizer: Chinese Students' Association of NBU, (506) 453-4651
Aug 3-10	Saanichton, Greater Victoria, Sidney	North American Indigenous Games, (250) 361-1997
Aug 8-9	Toronto	Celebrating South Asia- Royal Ontario Museum Organizer: South Asian Advisory Committee, (416) 585-5565
Aug 11-17	Montreal	Indian Film Festival Organizer: Bahrat Bahvan Foundation, (514) 397-6997
Aug 15-17	Toronto	Celebration of the 50th Anniversary of India's independence Organizer: Indo-Canadian Advisory Group, (416) 622-2600
Aug 21-24	Charlevoix	Mary Finisterer - Residency and Concert / Australian Composer Organizer: Nouvel Ensemble Moderne, (514) 343-5962
Aug 22-Sept 2	Montreal	Montreal World Film Festival - Japanese Element Organizer: Montreal World Film Festival, (514) 848-3883
Aug 29-30	Regina	Regina Dragon Boat Festival Organizer: Regina Dragon Boat Festival, (306) 780-9259

Upcoming business events with a focus on Asia Pacific:

June 1997		
Jun 3-6	Winnipeg	Canada-Taiwan Business Association 11th Joint Meeting Organizer: The Canadian Chamber of Commerce, (613) 238-4000
Jun 5-6	Montreal	"International Development Opportunities for Lawyers" Conference (focus on Asia Pacific) Organizer: The Canadian Bar Association, (613) 237-2925 / 1-800-267-8860 / www.cba.org/abc
Jun 9-11	Toronto	APEC Environment Ministerial Meeting: "Ensuring Sustainable Growth" Organizer: Environment Canada, Fax: (819) 953-7025
Jun 9-13	Montreal	Japan Week in Montreal. Business and Cultural Activities Organizer: Asia Pacific Foundation, Suzanne de Foy, (514) 499-2166
June 10	Montreal	Workshop on Japan and Business Lunch Organizer: Chantal Chagnon, (514) 848-6100, fax 848-9992
Jun 11-12	Montreal	Business Seminar: "How to Negotiate in Asia" Organizer: Sylvie Brisebois, Centre International, (514) 848-6100
Jun 16-20	Toronto (19-20), Vancouver (16-17), Calgary (18)	Joint Canada-India Business Council Meeting Organizer: Canada-India Business Council (416) 868-6415
Jun 17-19	Winnipeg	Canada Export Housing '97 Conference & Exposition Organizer: Canada Export Housing '97, (204) 228-3193
Jun 19	Ottawa	Doing Business in Japan Organizer: Canada-Japan Trade Council, (613) 233-4047
Jun 21	Toronto	Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce Annual Gala and Awards Night Organizer: Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce, fax: (416) 941-8445
Jun 23-24	Victoria	APEC Transport Ministerial Meeting: Better Systems, Better Business Organizer: Transport Canada, fax: (613) 991-6422
Jun 25-26	Richmond	Gateway '97 Forum Organizer: Greater Vancouver Gateway Council, (604) 682-5330
July 1997		
Jul 7-10	Winnipeg	"India at 50" Trade Show and Conference: "Bridging Business Opportunities between Canada, India, and the US" Organizer: Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce, (204) 944-8484 / Global Connections, (204) 949-1144
August 1997		
Aug 6-10	Abbotsford	Airshow Canada... Aerospace North America Organizer: Airshow Canada, (604) 857-1630
Aug 20-31	St. John's	APEC Senior Officials Meeting (SOM III) Organizer: Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, APEC Division, fax: (613) 944-2732
Aug 25-28	Vancouver	4th World Chinese Entrepreneurs Convention Organizer: Chinese Entrepreneurs Society of Canada, (604) 681-6802
Aug 26-27	Edmonton	APEC Energy Ministerial Meeting: Promoting Sustainable Growth Organizer: Natural Resources Canada, fax: (613) 995-5576
September 1997		
September	Banff/Calgary	Canada-Korea Forum Organizer: Joint Centre for Asia Pacific Studies, (416) 736-5784 / 978-6945
Sept 2-4	Saskatoon	APEC Symposium on Food, Energy, Environment, Economic Development and Population (FEEEP) Organizer: Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, APEC Division, fax: (613) 944-2732
Sept 7-10	Vancouver	Softworld '97 - Global Partnerships with Hong Kong & India Organizer: Softworld '97, 1-800-667-5535 / (604) 683-3818 (www.softworld.com)
Sept 13-16	Ottawa	1997 Meeting of the Women Leaders' Network for APEC Economies: "The Economic Impact of Women in APEC" Organizer: Canadian International Development Agency fax: (819) 994-0253
Sept 17-18	Ottawa	APEC SME Business Forum and Exposition "Where SMEs Go to Access APEC Markets" Organizer: Industry Canada, fax: (613) 954-5492
Sept 17-21	Toronto	Asia Show '97: "Partners for Prosperity" Organizer: North American Expositions Inc., (416) 499-9532 (www.asiashow.com)

Upcoming youth and academic events

Jun 4-7	Saint-Jean	1997 Conference of the Canadian Asian Studies Association Organizer: CASA Secretariat, (514) 343-7716
August	Canada-wide	Global Vision: Junior Team Canada to Southeast Asia Organizer: Amy Giroux, (819) 827-2838
Aug 4-9	Vancouver	Pacific Area Senior Officers' Logistics Seminar Organizer: Department of National Defence, fax: (613) 995-2305
Aug 7-10	Geneva Park	Couchiching Institute of Public Affairs Summer Conference: "Canada & the Asia Pacific Promise: Hope, Hype, & Reality" Organizer: Couchiching Institute of Public Affairs, (416) 494-1440
Sept 28-Oct 5	Winnipeg	Asia Pacific Youth Conference "Asia Connects" * Organizer: The Students Commission (www.tsmag.ca) / The Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada (www.apfnet.org) / Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade

*N.B. Note the new dates for "Asia Connects" originally scheduled for early May, and postponed due to floods

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