



# BC's Guide to Arts & Culture



## WEEKLY ARTS DIGEST

July Events



British Columbia festivals and events are as diverse as its geography and residents. Festivals range from Shakespeare’s Bard and experimental dance to studio tours, and exhibitions. For music fans, there are events showcasing all genres: classical, jazz, classic, indie rock, bluegrass, and everything in between.

Check out some of our [Art-BC Recommended Upcoming Festivals & Events](#) by clicking on the link below .

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**TODAY! Jun 20 | 5-8PM**  
**Penticon Summer Artwalk**

9 Gallery Opening  
One Night

**July 1 | Steveston Salmon Festival**

In honour of Canada 151, Richmond Canada Day will be the ultimate birthday bash with a street festival in Steveston Village incorporating the much beloved Steveston Salmon Festival, ship

Free Admissions!

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### July 5 - 7 | Smithers Mid-Summer Music Festival

Each summer, people from all walks of life gather in Smithers BC, to share a universal love of music at the Midsummer Music Festival. Created in 1984, a handful of music lovers envisioned the Midsummer Festival creating a family-positive musical event, now proudly the longest running music festival in Northern BC. We are proud to be welcomed to the Wet'suwet'en's First Nations lands in the heart of the breathtaking Bulkley Valley.

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July 6 | 6-9PM | New West Craft

boarding, free concerts, food trucks and a brilliant fireworks display to light up the night.

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### July 12 - July 21 | Harrison Festival of the Arts

Now into its 5th decade, the Harrison Festival of the Arts has presented the best in Canadian and International performing and visual arts in a setting free of large crowds, long lineups and high ticket prices. The Festival is an event the whole family can enjoy featuring music from all corners of the globe, as well as visual and literary arts, theatre, a large waterfront artisan market, workshops and a special day for children.

[Visit Harrison](#)



Jul 4 - Aug 31 | Dances of the T'seka –

## Market

The New West Craft Summer Night Market returns on Saturday, July 6, 6pm to 9:30pm. Shop over 75 handmade vendors outside on the Boardwalk at New West Quay and inside River Market. Enjoy live music and food + drinks from amazing River Market restaurants and more!

Get Crafty

## T'sasala Cultural Group

During the months of July and August, you have the opportunity to experience the various dances of the T'seka performed by the T'sasala Cultural Group. You will see the next generation of Kwakwaka'wakw sharing our culture to educate the world about our ancient songs, dances, teachings and values. These teachings are still being passed on today to the children of T'sasala.

Dance Away

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