

## Sunday, September 1, 2024

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### What's Up in the Sky in September?

Date and Time: Sunday, September 1 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Johnson Geo Centre, 175 Signal Hill Rd, St. John's

Join us for this presentation as we look to the skies and learn about the celestial bodies visible at different points of the season. This event is available on the first and last Sundays of each month, from 1:00-2:00pm and 3:00-4:00pm. All sessions will include a 30 minute planetarium film and 20 minutes of live show led by Garry Dymond, a member of our Interpretation team. Garry is an amateur astronomer with 50 years of experience and is a member of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada (RASC).

Garry will present the night sky, focusing on what we can see during the month right here on the Northeast Avalon. This guided virtual tour of the night sky will teach you to spot and identify a number of constellations, stars, planets, and more.

The session will take place indoors, in our portable StarLab. Please note you will be sitting on cushions on the floor.

Show is for ages 5 and up.

Admission is \$5.00(+tax). Please note this fee does not include our exhibits.

## Wednesday, September 4, 2024

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### Trail Explorers: Quidi Vidi Trail

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 4 10:30 am

Address: Quidi Vidi Trail

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Join us every Wednesday until September 25, 2024.

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, September 4, 2024, 10:30 a.m.

**Trail:** Quidi Vidi Trail

**Meeting Location:** Dominion Parking lot by the soccer field

**More Info.:** [Trail Explorers - City of St Johns](#)

### Séamus Creagh Festival - Free Public Lecture

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 4 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: The Rooms 9 Bonaventure Ave St. John's

Seamus Creagh Festival is a five day festival (Sept 4-8) of traditional Newfoundland and Irish music and song.

We start the week with a lecture at The Rooms, followed by three concerts around the Avalon featuring Newfoundland and Irish performers, as well a day of workshops, and evening music sessions.

Marie-Annick Desplanques will present 'A Legacy of notes from Seamus Creagh' at The Rooms lecture hall on Sept 4, 7PM.

Admission for this event is free but seating must be reserved in advance. A link will be made available at NLTradFest.com and on The Rooms website

More info at NLTradFest.com

## Friday, September 6, 2024

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### Music @ Harbourside Park - Maria Cherwick & Jockey Special

Date and Time: Friday, September 6 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Harbourside Park

Join us for a free concert with Maria Cherwick at Harbourside Park!

Music @ is a series of free concerts that take place annually from July to September. Several musical styles are featured including folk, rock, pop, traditional and country. Each concert opens with a talented youth performer from our partner, the Newfoundland and Labrador Folk Arts Society. This show will feature Colton Mugford!

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### Booze and Botany

Date and Time: Friday, September 6 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: Memorial University Botanical Garden, 306 Mount Scio Rd

Have you ever thought about what goes into making your favourite libation? That wine is made from grapes is obvious, right? Of course, it can also be made from various berries. Gin needs juniper berries. Vodka comes from fermented grains or potatoes. And you can't have cider without fruit, or beer without hops. Or can you?

Join us at one or more of these fantastic Friday evening events and find out! Enjoy a fun tasting with a botanical bent, then join horticulturist Todd Boland for a stroll in the Garden.

Ticket price of \$50 +HST includes two drinks, appetizers, presentation, and tour.

June 21: Cocktails

July 26: Beer

August 16: Wine

September 6: Cider

**For more information:** <https://munbg.online.red61.ca/event>

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In September we will celebrate the harvest with a focus on ciders. Join us for a special tasting followed by a stroll through the early fall blooms.

Ticket price includes two drinks, appetizers, presentation, and tour. \$50

Presented in partnership with the Postmasters Garden Cafe.

## Saturday, September 7, 2024

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### St. John's Farmers' Market

Date and Time: Saturday, September 7 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 245 Freshwater Road, St. John's, NL, A1B1B3

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month, and also rents the venue for community events the rest of the week.

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## FOG Fall Plant Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, September 7 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Memorial University Botanical Garden, 306 Mount Scio Rd.

The Friends of the Memorial University Botanical Garden (FOG) are offering a fantastic selection of proven perennials, heaths, heathers, rhododendrons, and shrubs in their Fall Sale. Experienced gardeners will be on hand to answer questions and help identify plants suitable for your garden.

This rain or shine outdoor event is held in the area directly opposite the main gates of Memorial University Botanical Garden, Mount Scio Road. Look for volunteer greeters wearing orange safety vests, as well as directional and parking signs. This will be a cashless sale. Visa, MasterCard, and debit cards with tap enabled will be the only forms of payment accepted.

Quantities are limited for some plant varieties so come early for best selection!

There will be some cardboard trays available for your purchases, but you are encouraged to bring your own trays or bags if you have them.

## Blocks on the Rock

Date and Time: Saturday, September 7 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Johnson Geo Centre

Amazing Builds | Door Prizes | Contests | & MORE!

The Newfoundland LEGO® Users Group, NewfoundLUG, will be at the Johnson Geo Centre September 7 & 8. Come see spectacular LEGO® creations, designs, and mosaics built by local LEGO® fanatics.

There will be castles, cities, Star Wars, and more on display, including exclusive new and vintage LEGO® sets.

This is an all-ages event for kids and adults alike.

See you at the show!

Regular admission rates apply.

## Séamus Creagh Festival Music Workshops

Date and Time: Saturday, September 7 11:00 am - 2:30 pm

Address: Wesley united Church, 101 Patrick Street, St. John's

Seamus Creagh Festival offers an afternoon of traditional music instrument classes at Wesley United Church 11A M-2:30PM

\$50, Lunch incl.

Depending on level of interests, the following classes may be offered:

Fiddle - Irish Flute - Button Accordion - Harp - Traditional singing - Guitar Accompaniment - Nfld Set Dancin  
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Pre-registration required.

Info at NLTradFest.com

## Backyard Composting Talk

Date and Time: Saturday, September 7 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Memorial University of Newfoundland Botanical Garden, 306 Mount Scio Rd.

The City of St. John's, in partnership with Memorial University Botanical Garden, are offering free backyard composting information sessions to residents of St. John's. Upon completion of the training, City of St. John's residents can request to purchase a composting bin at a reduced cost.

Pre-registration is not required. Staff will collect your information when you arrive - just drop in!

## Séamus Creagh Festival St. John's Concert

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Address: 101 Patrick Street, St. John's NL

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We start the week with a lecture at The Rooms, followed by three concerts around the Avalon, featuring Newfoundland and Irish performers. There is also a day of music workshops, and evening music sessions.

Our St. John's Concert will be held at Wesley United.

Doors open 7:30 PM

Tickets are \$25, and are available online at [NLTradFest.com](https://www.brownpapertickets.com/browse.html), <https://www.brownpapertickets.com/browse.html> and at O'Brien's Music on Water Street

## Sunday, September 8, 2024

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Bird watching sessions start at 8:00am sharp, 9:00am in October. Please meet in the parking lot across from the main entrance.

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## Wednesday, September 11, 2024

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### Trail Explorers: Paul Reynolds to Guzzwell Drive

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 11 5:30 pm

Address: Paul Reynolds to Guzzwell Drive

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**Date/Time:** Wednesday, September 11, 2024, 5:30 p.m.

**Trail:** Paul Reynolds to Guzzwell Drive

**Meeting Location:** Paul Reynolds Community Centre main entrance

**More Info.:** [Trail Explorers - City of St Johns](#)

## Thursday, September 12, 2024

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### Ocean People Inspire

Date and Time: Thursday, September 12 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: The Lantern, 35 Barnes Road, St. John's

Join us for **Ocean People Inspire**, a public event celebrating diverse connections, visions and experiences related to the ocean and coasts.

**Date:** September 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 to 9:00pm

**Location:** The Lantern, 35 Barnes Road, St. John's

**Details:** <https://moving2conservation.net/ocean-people-inspire/>

### About the event

Ocean People Inspire is a celebration of the many ways oceans, people, and their inspirations come together. The event will feature diverse perspectives and artistic expressions about the ocean and coasts as well as the people whose lives and work are intertwined with them, and who give special meanings to these places.

Come enjoy the evening of arts and words about Ocean and People, and try some light bites of seafood and local favourites.

The event is free of charge. No reservation is required. Donation to Food Bank is accepted at the door.

### What to expect?

- Hear stories including readings from 'Ocean People Inspire' e-book.
- Contribute to 'Collective Art Making' by St. John's artist Kelly Jane Bruton.
- Experience the 'Colours of Conservation', produced by youth across the province.
- Listen to researchers and youth leaders talking about their experience.
- Share what inspires you about the ocean.

Ocean People Inspire event contributes to the 2024 Year of the Arts, named by the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador to celebrate the province's rich arts and cultural sector.

The event is hosted by the *Ocean Frontier Institute Module I (OFI-I)* in collaboration with *Moving Together for Marine Conservation (MTC)*.

## Friday, September 13, 2024

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### Music @ Harbourside Park - Mick Davis & Thin Love

Date and Time: Friday, September 13 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Harbourside Park

Join us for a free concert with Mick Davis & Thin Love at Harbourside Park!

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## Z'otz\* Collective

Date and Time: Friday, September 13 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 72 Harbour Drive

Opening reception Z'otz\* Collective, Sept. 13

Using collaborative drawings, sculptures and an in-situ ephemeral wall drawing created over five days on a gallery wall, Z'otz\* Collective explores the idea of the *niche*.

“The original meaning of the French word ‘*niche*’ is ‘to make a nest’. We are intrigued by the niche as a space to incubate, collect, investigate, and share stories. The Roman Catholic *niche*, made of a wood or tin box, housed religious objects and served as small shrines to connect believers to their spirituality. Prehispanic civilizations used niches as architectural elements in their temples.

We will make contemporary niches from white painted cardboard boxes of various sizes and shapes, and staple them to the wall. They will house found objects, small sculptures and natural elements we find on site such as bark, pinecones, and branches. The niches will be strategically placed within mural. In some cases, the marks drawn on the wall will continue over the sides of the niches, to integrate them with the central images.

The edges of each niche serve as boundaries to divide one story from another. At the same time, they work together within the larger installation to become a broader story. They form a community that interconnects, but also leave space for the viewer to invent his or her stories within. In this way, the viewer is part of the collaborative process.”

## Place-Setting: an Exhibition by Evelyn Roitner

Date and Time: Friday, September 13 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 72 Harbour Drive

Opening reception for Place-Setting: an Exhibition by Evelyn Roitner, Sept. 13

“Place-Setting” welcomes you to the table no matter the distance. Through illustrated functional ceramics arranged in a table setting, we see a story of friends gathering and how themes of human connection and distance are reflected in everyday tableware.

## Saturday, September 14, 2024

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### St. John's Farmers' Market

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## Bug Walk with Nature NL

Date and Time: Saturday, September 14 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Memorial University Botanical Garden, 306 Mount Scio Rd

Join Nature NL for a family-friendly bug walk at the Memorial University Botanical Garden on September 14, from 10:00am - 12:00pm.

Explore the Botanical Garden with insect and spider experts Sean McCann and Catherine Scott. Learn about bugs and where to find them, the relationships they have with plants and other animals, and more. Children of all ages are welcome. This event is free of charge.

This event was generously supported by Memorial University's Office of Public Engagement in collaboration with Dr. Catherine Scott, The Rooms, and the Botanical Garden.

## Sunday, September 15, 2024

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### Terry Fox RUN St. John's

Date and Time: Sunday, September 15 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Address: Quidi Vidi Lake

The Terry Fox RUN supports Cancer Research ( <http://www.tfri.ca> ). People can register for the RUN at <http://>

[www.terryfox.org](http://www.terryfox.org) and can fundraise prior to coming to the RUN or can pass in donations or make a personal donation at the RUN. Registration for the RUN begins at 10:00 AM and the RUN begins at 11:00 AM. Most people will walk/RUN one lap of Quidi Vidi Lake individually or with a TEAM of friends / family / coworkers.

## SJFM Book Fair Market

Date and Time: Sunday, September 15 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 245 Freshwater Road

The SJFM Book Fair Market returns for 2024 season!

Sundays 10am - 3pm:

- April 14th Spring Market.

- September 15th Fall Market.

Get ready for an event that is all things books, stationery, and literature. Support local authors, publishers, book sellers, and makers at the St. John's Farmers' Market!

Of course we will also have food, because you need a snack with a good book!

Includes local publishers, authors, poets, libraries, printers, bookstores, used book thrifters, bookbinders, letterpress operators, stationary makers, zines, pen woodturners, paper crafters, card makers, and artists/businesses whose products focus on literature.

All-ages, accessible, gender inclusive washrooms.

Free to attend - no admission fee or tickets required!

Find more information on our [website](#), and social media: [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#).

## Open House 2024

Date and Time: Sunday, September 15 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: Various municipal buildings

Join us on Sunday, September 15, 2024, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., for our annual Municipal Open House. Visit some of the City's municipal buildings and get the inside scoop on how your city operates. Participating sites include:

Robin Hood Bay Recycling Facility

City Hall

Central Fire Station

Animal Care and Adoption Centre

City Archives

Visitor Information Centre.

This is a free family friendly event.

## Tuesday, September 17, 2024

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### Public Talk - Devilfish on the Doorstep: The Island of Newfoundland's Remarkable History with the Giant Squid

Date and Time: Tuesday, September 17 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Johnson Geo Centre

The world did not truly believe in giant squid until the 1870s, a charmed decade that brought record numbers of the mysterious creatures to the waters and beaches around the island of Newfoundland. Photographs that appeared in international newspapers and physical specimens sent to Ivy League laboratories accomplished what eyewitness accounts had been attempting for centuries: to prove beyond doubt that giant squid are real.

Thrilling tales and images of the Newfoundland "devilfish" spread around the globe and helped to shape the animal's public image as a delightfully terrifying enigma suspended at the boundary of fable and fact.

In an illustrated talk, Jenny Higgins will take us through that history. She will also touch upon the sea monsters associated with the giant squid, including the kraken, sea serpent, and a giant lobster named Polypus.

Jenny Higgins is the author of *Devilfish: When Giant Squid Ruled the Northern Sea*. Her book will be available for purchase at this event, and she will be available for book signing.

Admission by donation.

## Wednesday, September 18, 2024

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### Trail Explorers: Southlands Loop

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 18 12:30 pm

Address: Southlands Loop

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**Date/Time:** Wednesday, September 18, 2024, 12:30 p.m.

**Trail:** Southlands Loop

**Meeting Location:** Southlands Community Centre

**More Info.:** [Trail Explorers - City of St Johns](#)

## Friday, September 20, 2024

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### **CANCELLED: Music @ Harbourside Park - Rachel Cousins**

Date and Time: Friday, September 20 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: Harbourside Park

### **CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER**

Join us for a free concert with Rachel Cousins at Harbourside Park!

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### **Look Up! The UK Red Arrows are flying over St. John's Harbour**

Date and Time: Friday, September 20 6:00 pm

Address: St. John's Harbour

Catch the Royal Air Force's legendary aerobatic display team, the Red Arrows, as they soar across Canada for their Maple Hawk 2024 tour! Last stop: St. John's - look up to see the Red Arrows, in formation, perform a series of spectacular passes over the St. John's Harbour on Friday, September 20 at 6:00 PM. Gather friends and family and don't miss this world-class display—keep your eyes on the skies!

## Saturday, September 21, 2024

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### **St. John's Farmers' Market**

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## Engineering Family Day

Date and Time: Saturday, September 21 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Johnson Geo Centre

Blocks and Builds is our theme in September, as we celebrate Engineering.

This Family Day we will be joined by members of Memorial's Faculty of Engineering and the student group Ro boGals. We'll have demos and interactive stations, our engineering-themed scavenger hunt, and some surprises.

Regular admission applies

## Sunday, September 22, 2024

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### Sunday Morning Bird Walks

Date and Time: Sunday, September 22 8:00 am - 10:00 am

Address: Memorial University Botanical Garden, 306 Mount Scio Rd

Take a guided walk on the Botanical Garden's nature trails with a Friend of the Garden volunteer and learn about Newfoundland birds. Binoculars are recommended, appropriate footwear is essential. No pre-registration necessary. This is a free event.

Bird watching sessions start at 8:00am sharp, 9:00am in October. Please meet in the parking lot across from the main entrance.

These walks are intended for individuals and small family groups. Larger groups should contact the Garden to make special arrangements.

### Community Well-Being Fair + A Time for Health

Date and Time: Sunday, September 22 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: St. John's Convention Centre

CSCNL is excited to partner with the Cardiovascular & Stroke Provincial Program and Well Being NL to host the Community Well-Being Fair + A Time for Health to celebrate Culture, Community & Connection and launch Well Being Week here in Newfoundland & Labrador!

From 12 PM to 5 PM at the St. John's Convention Centre, drop in anytime to explore no-cost or low-cost programs and services that exist in your community promoting well-being for all ages! Come have a chat with over 70 booths – you're guaranteed to learn about a new program or service for you or someone in your community circle. This event is completely FREE, family friendly and open to the general public.

A Time for Health  
Celebrating Culture, Community & Connection

Join us for a celebration of Newfoundland and Labrador culture with music, food and community on Sunday, September 22nd at the St. John's Convention Centre 1-2:30pm.  
Tap your toes & clap your hands to music provided by local band, Fergus O'Byrne & Son. With contributions from Dr. Sean Connors, Chief of the Cardiac Care program, Dr. Parfrey, Deputy Minister of Health Transformation and Cassie Chisholm, Vice President Transformation.  
Emceed by NL Health Services.

The event is offered free of charge, but registration is required.  
Please note that space is limited.  
Register HERE to save your spot <https://cscnl.ca/time-for-health-reg/>

OR if technology is a barrier, call (709) 753-9860 at the Community Sector Council NL and ask for Elaine to register via phone Monday to Friday 9-12pm.

\*\*\*Join in virtually from anywhere in Newfoundland & Labrador to watch 'A Time for Health' 1-2:30pm NST via the CSC NL Facebook page livestream here: <https://www.facebook.com/cscnl>

Join us September 22nd at the St. John's Convention Centre at this free, accessible, and family-friendly event to launch Well Being Week here in Newfoundland & Labrador. It's an exciting opportunity not to be missed!

For more information please visit <https://cscnl.ca/events/well-being/>

## Dog Days at the Garden

Date and Time: Sunday, September 22 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Memorial University Botanical Garden

It's Dog Days time! We love welcoming our canine friends to the Garden, but it only happens once a month. Come on in for an afternoon exploring our trails with your pups.

Dog Days will happen the fourth Sunday afternoon each month through October.  
All dogs must remain on leash and under their owner's control at all times. Water bowls, treats, and extra waste bags will be available.

Dogs get in for free (well, our staff might very well ask for a little love from them). Their people pay regular admission.

# Monday, September 23, 2024

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## Upper Island Cove Fossil Tour

Date and Time: Monday, September 23 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: Upper Island Cove - General location near fossil site will be emailed out

Memorial University's Johnson Geo Centre is excited to invite you to explore the Upper Island Cove fossil surface! Research has been ongoing at this site for the last 20 years. The fossil tour will be led by our interpreter, Dr. Rod Taylor, known fondly as @FossilRod. With his vast knowledge of Ediacaran fossils in our province, and his engaging approach to sharing that knowledge, we know you'll have an experience you won't soon forget! Please note: registration is required to attend this event.

Tour Date: Tuesday, September 23, 2024

Meet Location: General location near fossil site will be emailed out

Departure time: 11:00am

=Duration 2 hours

Tour Cost: \$45+tax

Please dress for the weather. The fossil surface is a rock surface at the edge of the ocean. It is uneven and can be slippery. Please wear appropriate footwear (hiking boots, sneakers, etc.) Unfortunately, this natural area is not accessible for those with mobility impairments.

# Wednesday, September 25, 2024

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## Trail Explorers: Kenny's Pond - Kent's Pond Figure 8

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 25 2:00 pm

Address: Kenny's Pond

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**Date/Time:** Wednesday, August 25, 2024, 2:30 p.m.

**Trail:** Kenny's Pond - Kent's Pond Figure 8

**Meeting Location:** Paul Reynolds Community Centre main entrance

**More Info.:** [Trail Explorers - City of St Johns](#)

## Paint Night with Code with Canada Learning Code

Date and Time: Wednesday, September 25 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Johnson Geo Centre, 175 Signal Hill Rd

Come create beautiful art while learning about computer science! Learn fundamentals of computer programming, and use JavaScript and simple math to create beautiful generative art while being instructed and mentored by local industry experts!

Beginner-friendly - no experience or paint necessary!

Light snack provided.

\$20 +HST

Canada Learning Code and the Johnson Geo Centre support inclusive education. If the cost of attending this event is a barrier, we have set aside a number of tickets for no charge. Please contact [gcprograms@mun.ca](mailto:gcprograms@mun.ca) if the price of the event is a barrier to your attendance.

This event is part of our series The Science of the Arts. 2024 was named the year of the Arts in NL and to celebrate, the Johnson Geo Centre has put together an exciting event series, The Science of the Arts, that will explore the relationship between Arts and Sciences. Are these two worlds as different as they appear? Join us to form your own opinions on this interesting intersection!

## Friday, September 27, 2024

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### NSO Masterworks 1: Into the Deep

Date and Time: Friday, September 27 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: Arts and Culture Centre, 95 Allandale Road, St. John's

Dive into the depths of musical brilliance with the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra's Masterworks 1: Into the Deep. Join us on Friday, September 27, 2024, at 8pm at the [Arts & Culture Centre](#) for an unforgettable evening under the baton of the dynamic conductor [Simon Rivard](#).

The night will feature the extraordinary talents of guest artist [Isabella d'Éloïze Perron](#) on the violin, who will captivate you with her performance of Prokofiev's *Violin Concerto No. 1 in D Major*. This piece, known for its lyrical beauty and virtuosic demands, promises to be a highlight of the evening.

Our journey begins with "Oceans" by contemporary, Icelandic composer Maria H.M. Sigfusdottir, a mesmerizing work that captures the mystery and majesty of the sea. The program concludes with Sibelius's *Symphony No. 1*, a powerful and evocative masterpiece that will leave you breathless.

Don't miss this opportunity to experience the enchantment of the ocean and the splendor of orchestral music. Secure your tickets now for a night of musical exploration and discovery.

Tickets are available at the ACC Box Office (729-3900), online at [www.artsandculturecentre.com](http://www.artsandculturecentre.com) and at the door.

Masterworks 1: Into the Deep is presented by the [City of St. John's](#).

## Saturday, September 28, 2024

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## 2024 Disc Golf NL Provincial Championships

Date and Time: Saturday, September 28 8:30 am - 6:45 pm

Address: 108 McNiven Place, St. John's

The 3rd Annual Disc Golf NL Provincial Championships will be held at the McNiven Disc Golf Park in St. John's on September 28-29, 2024. We are proud to be sponsored by [Innova Discs](#) for this year's event!

Click here to register: [https://www.discgolfscene.com/.../2024\\_Disc\\_Golf\\_NL...](https://www.discgolfscene.com/.../2024_Disc_Golf_NL...)

All divisions will play three rounds (two on Saturday and one on Sunday), except junior divisions, which will play two rounds (one Saturday morning and one Sunday morning).

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Players must either be a member of the Professional Disc Golf Association (PDGA) or pay a \$10 temporary membership fee as part of the registration process. Juniors do not need to pay the \$10 fee. PDGA sanctioning provides insurance for the event and tournament management infrastructure.

Disc Golf NL would like to thank the City of St. John's for hosting and Avalon Disc Golfers for helping with this event. Thanks again to Innova for the sponsorship!

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to one of the tournament directors or post in the comments section.

## St. John's Farmers' Market

Date and Time: Saturday, September 28 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 245 Freshwater Road, St. John's, NL, A1B1B3

Support local producers this Saturday at the St. John's Farmers' Market!

The vendor list, community table, and entertainment/activities are updated regularly on the interactive vendor map on our website: <https://sjfm.ca/market-map>

Find vendor availability, product offerings, and contact information, on the searchable vendor directory on our website: <https://sjfm.ca/vendor-directory/>

The St. John's Farmers' Market Co-operative operates the St. John's Farmers' Market from the St. John's Community Market Building at 245 Freshwater Road.

The St. John's Community Market building is a fully accessible space centrally located, on bus routes, with gender-neutral washrooms, water refill stations, and ATMs. Find more information about the facility and parking on our website: <https://sjfm.ca/visit/>

The St. John's Farmers' Market takes place on Saturdays every week year round, with a few multi-day Farmers' Market events during the year, like Birthday Weekend and Festive Market.

In addition to the Saturday Farmers' Market, the SJFM Co-operative hosts specialty markets a few times per month, and also rents the venue for community events the rest of the week.

Follow us on social media for regular updates: [Facebook](#) | [Instagram](#)

## Sunday, September 29, 2024

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### What's Up in the Sky in October?

Date and Time: Sunday, September 29 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: Johnson Geo Centre

Join us for this presentation as we look to the skies and learn about celestial bodies visible at different points of the season. This event is available on the first and last Sundays of each month, from 1:00pm-2:00pm and 3:00pm-4:00pm. All sessions will include a 30 minute planetarium film and 20 minutes of live show led by Garry Dymond, a member of our Interpretation team. Garry is an amateur astronomer with 50 years of experience and is a member of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada (RASC). Garry will present the night sky, focusing on what we can see during the month right here on the Northeast Avalon. This guided virtual tour of the night sky will teach you to spot and identify a number of constellations, stars, planets, and more.

The session will take place indoors, in our portable StarLab. Please note you will be sitting on cushions on the floor.

Show is for ages 5 and up.

Admission is \$5.00(+tax). Please note this fee does not include our exhibits.

<https://calendar.stjohns.ca>