



Grassroots · Community · Culture



A Family Weekend of Music, Juried Art, Wellness,
Sustainable Living and Harvest Food

Labour Day Weekend Sept 4 – Sept 6, 2009

A Message from Shelter Valley

“My very first trip there left me thinking Shelter Valley felt like home...and there are so many amazing memories I take away each year.”

It's true that one visit to Shelter Valley Folk Festival can fill a heart with memories that last forever. We often hear months, even years after a Festival weekend, that a special moment has stayed with people long after and takes up a warm place in their heart. We know that you will leave us with a few warm memories of your own.

The story of a group that took an idea from a kitchen table to a magical site nestled in the Shelter Valley hills has become a bit of a local and even national legend. That passion and persistence is still with us. Our volunteers continue each year to bring the mission of *Grassroots Community Culture* to life. After six years of growing recognition as one of the finest experiences one can have at a folk festival, we haven't changed much. We continue to meet at kitchen tables to share, plan, and consider with great care, all the elements needed to make this a special weekend for everyone.

We thank the Henkel family for their year round generosity, our volunteers for their tremendous efforts, our contributors, granting agencies and our dedicated ticket-buying public who have made this Festival possible.

The group of organizers who put on this festival are a mixture of folks who have been here from year one and a whole collection of people who have come to love what SVFF stands for. We all have our own special memories and come together with shared values to make SVFF 2009 another standout experience for all involved.

As an arts organization SVFF works year round to celebrate music, juried art, wellness, sustainable living and harvest food in the heart of Northumberland County. We provide community concerts, an Artists in the Schools program, mentorships with known artists and our annual Songwriters Showcase. We feel strongly that our “consensus based, people focused” approach results in artists, volunteers, donors, media and the public alike discovering that the simple life of Grassroots Community Culture is actually right at our collective feet and fingertips, ready to share and enjoy.

We're thrilled you have joined us. We hope the joy and spirit of Shelter Valley finds its way into more and more of what we all do each day.

Thanks to all for helping us to build something special today and for the future.



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Chair, Board of Directors



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Mission

The Shelter Valley Folk Festival organization celebrates music, juried art, wellness, sustainable living and harvest food in Northumberland County through our annual Labour Day weekend family festival, our Artists in the Schools program, and our community concert series.

Values

The Shelter Valley Folk Festival . . .

- Honours and respects the commitment and contributions of its volunteers
- Commits to accountable and prudent use of all resources
- Promotes individuality and inclusivity while encouraging a sense of community
- Enriches the cultural life of Northumberland County
- Offers respectful treatment of artists, staff, volunteers and audience
- Selects participants on the basis of being genuine, creative and unique
- Celebrates the work of national and regional performing artists
- Showcases local artists, artisans, wellness practitioners and food vendors
- Promotes conservation by educating participants on alternative living modes
- Encourages donors, patrons, partners and volunteers with the above shared values

Objectives

The objectives of the Shelter Valley Folk Festival as a federal charity are:

1. To produce a performing arts festival for the purpose of educating and advancing the public's understanding and appreciation of performing arts and to educate artists through participation in the festival and related workshops.
2. To educate and increase the public's understanding and appreciation of the arts by providing performances of an artistic nature in public places, senior citizens homes, churches, community centres and educational institutions and by providing seminars on topics relating to such performances.
3. To provide instructional seminars on topics related to the performing and visual arts.

A Folkie's Guide to the Shelter Valley Folk Festival

Audience Seating

The front-of-stage seating area is for blankets and low-back chairs (less than 2 feet). Please keep high-back chairs toward the back. Dance! but at the audience perimeter so you don't spoil the view for others. Move out of earshot for conversations with long-lost friends, and please mute cell phones and pagers. There is no smoking in the concert seating areas. "Pinch and Pocket" butts – containers available at the Info Booth.

Information Booth/Lost and Found/Lost Parents

The Information booth is located next to the main entrance. If you have an emergency, please come to the Information booth. We do not have a public telephone on site. This is also our Lost and Found. We encourage you to register your children at the Info Booth. Registration provides children and parents/guardians matching wristbands. If a child and adult are separated, the child will be taken to the Lost Parents tent, and the child's wristband number will be announced from each stage. This booth is also where you can pick up your Festival program, purchase raffle tickets, drop off community info for display, and leave your Festival survey for us.

First Aid

Staffed by St. John Ambulance volunteers, our First Aid tent is located next to the Info Booth.

Festival Market

This year we offer our own water containers at the market. If you like what you hear this weekend, support our performers by taking their music home with you. CDs, Festival T-shirts, hats and hoodies are available at the tent just inside the main entrance. Raffle tickets are available here as well.

Banking

For tickets we accept credit cards, and personal cheques (with ID) at the Ticket Booth and the Festival Market. The nearest ATM is at the Grafton Convenience store on Hwy 2, three kilometres, West from the site.

Shelter Valley Folk Festival Raffle

We thank our performers and artists for their generous donations. Tickets can be purchased at the Info Booth and Festival Market. Draw date: September 7th. Please support the Festival by purchasing tickets. Tickets are five dollars each or three for ten dollars.

The Living Archive

The Living Archive is the Festival's evolving, collective 'memory bank.' We invite you to share stories, pictures and video of your Festival experience for the enjoyment of the community. Your contributions will enrich our brochures, posters, photo albums, slide shows, web galleries and video presentations. This helps us grow our audience, encourage more volunteers, attract new donors and share our success and community with the world.

Please drop by the Living Archive tent to tell your story, share your digital photos, browse through the artifacts of our young but vibrant history, and learn about the growth and future of the Shelter Valley Folk Festival.

Water

We are proud that we are no longer offering bottled water sales and we're reducing our waste and saving the earth's energy. Our Eco Team will be happy to fill your drinking container at the water tank, near the food vendors.

Recycling and Composting Stations

Help us minimize the waste created at the Festival. Please pick up after yourself and visit our Recycling and Composting stations. Ask the volunteer attendant to help you sort. Please recycle this program.

Message Board

There is a message board at the Ticket sales booth, where you can write and leave messages for friends.

Portapotties

Please be kind to the next in line. Close the lid and gently shut the doors. Stop by the Info Booth if you find a portapottie in need of tidying.

Power

On behalf of Shelter Valley Folk Festival, Bullfrog Power will green our electricity use by injecting what we use back onto the Ontario power grid.

For Campers – Please follow these guidelines

- Only people with camping wristbands are allowed in the campsites after 11 pm.
- Be respectful of your fellow campers – no radios or excess noise.
- No music after 11 pm in Quiet Camping.
- Campfires are restricted to the common fire pits.
- Take your washing-up back to your campsite and dispose of grey water away from camping areas.
- Help keep waste to a minimum and use our Recycling and Composting Stations.
- After hours assistance – security is located at the Main Gate and Camping check-in.

Curious about Volunteering at Shelter Valley? Wondering how we go from field to festival? Meet the Volunteer Coordinator at the Info Booth (Sunday at 2pm) for a brief Q & A.

The Shelter Valley Folk Festival is not responsible for any injury, loss, or damage, however caused. Dogs are not allowed on the festival site, including camping areas. Guide dogs permitted. No sound or video recording permitted. Ticket holders acknowledge the right of the Festival organization to use any photo, footage, or recording of their likeness/voices, without written release or compensation, in and for future Festival materials. A note about the evening: darkness falls quickly in late summer. Please bring a flashlight and have a plan to meet with your children before dark.

The Ernesto Clause: The Festival is a "rain or shine" event. The Shelter Valley Folk Festival has the right to cancel the event due to natural disaster or unsafe weather conditions. In such instances, best efforts will be made to relocate or reschedule. Line-up subject to change without notice. Sorry, no refunds.

Performers



Angus Leahy & Guests – www.leahymusic.com

The youngest of Canada's infamous fiddling Leahy family, Angus, joined by his sister Erin and extended family members, bring a refreshingly relaxed and adventurous style to traditional music.



Bob Wiseman – www.bobwiseman.ca

An innovative and avant guard artist and activist, Bob bravely explores art with the deepest creative and political intent, and has been involved in countless seminal creative Canadian endeavours.



Chris McKhool – www.fiddlefire.com

Acclaimed as an environmentally conscious children's performer, Chris infuses his work with world music sounds, genre-bending ability on countless instruments, and boundless energy.



Court LaJoie – www.perfumeorgan.com

Hailing from Sarnia, Court writes with an intoxicatingly fresh sincerity, a beautiful musical sensibility, and surprisingly unique lyrics.



David Myles – www.davidmyles.com

Elegant simplicity and east coast wit mark David's rich songs and performances, blending gospel, pop and folk influences with sage songs that tell it like it is.



Emma-Lee – www.emma-lee.com

Melancholy is made sweet, and the glow of past eras come drifting back in the voice and music of songstress Emma Lee, a remarkable new performer charming her way into hearts and homes.



Evalyn Parry – www.evalynparry.com

Ironic and irreverent social commentary is Evalyn's hallmark, combined with quirk and quick humor to deliver personal and political creations that coax and coach change through her work as actor and musician.

Performers



Garnet Rogers – www.garnetrogers.com

A luminary artist, Garnet is renowned as much for his unbridled songwriting grit and passionate performances, as for his potent observations, legendary road-dog stamina and stockpile of guitars.



Great Lake Swimmers – www.greatlakeswimmers.com

Led by Tony Dekker and musical partner Erik Arnesen, Great Lake Swimmers bring a poignant new voice to Canada, tracking loss and sympathy through intimate lyrics and unique musical landscapes.



Justin Rutledge – www.justinrutledge.com

Accolades are distractions from the heart of the matter when considering Justin's work as a patient and precise writer who has discovered a musical gap and gently moved right in to inhabit it, fully.



Madison Violet – www.madisonviolet.com

Brenley MacEachern and Lisa MacIsaac collaborate to meld pop sensibilities with roots atmosphere and in doing so create dynamic music and incredible harmonies that invite listeners to draw near.



Martyn Joseph – www.martynjoseph.com

With blue-collar clarity, potent lyrics, and Welsh wonder, Martyn brings a distinct perspective on life, love, and community to Shelter Valley, under decidedly less snowy conditions than his last visit.



Mose Scarlett – www.borealisrecords.com

With a style as comforting as a conversation with old friends, a voice as rich and warm as a woodstove in winter, and a repertoire as eclectic as a farmers' market in fall, Mose is the ultimate troubadour.



Po' Girl – www.pogirl.net

Beguiling, soulful, and invigorating, Po' Girl present a gypsy's purse full of styles, sounds, songs and stories, each unique to the moment, and each as chalk full of intensity and intent as the next.

Performers



Steve Slade – www.steveslade.com

Songwriting is a quiet art, and Steve is a master songsmith who calls the Yukon home. From there he crafts honest and subtle gems with haunting melodies and stunning turns of phrases.



Tanya Davis – www.tanyadavis.ca

The spoken word is a precious gift, handled with grace and reverence in the musings of this PEI poet. Tanya has a humble and honest approach that is as disarming as it is engaging.



The Reggae Cowboys – www.reggaecowboys.com

Country & Western music plays a surprisingly deep role in Caribbean culture, influencing The Reggae Cowboys to pay tribute to the unsung history of black cowboys in North America with infectious rhythms.



Tim Hus – www.timhus.ca

Tim is a storytelling song-slinger from Alberta who captures characters and events brilliantly, and trots them out in roadhouse style with trademark humour and gravity.



Wendell Ferguson – www.wendellferguson.com

Guaranteed to soil some trousers with his sidesplitting songs, Wendell is a stellar guitar player, a classic sideman, a dynamic host, and an all around swell guy . . . and those are just his bad days.

Featured Local Songwriters



County Boys



Jim Martin



Trish Robb

Family & Children's Village

This area celebrates the value and importance of a child's creativity.

SATURDAY		SUNDAY	
10:30	Dragon Sculpture Opens 10:30–1:00pm. All ages		
	Ongoing activities begin		
11:00	Kiddie Boogie with Treasa - Ages 3–5 yrs.	11:00	Ongoing activities begin
12:00	Stilts 101–Ages 8 and up	12:00	Tai Chi for all ages
	Dramarama with Treasa and		
	Rock Painting – All ages		
1:00	Yoga for Kids – All Ages	1:00	Children's Concert
	We Love Plants with Tracy – Ages 4+		
2:00	Soapstone with Max - All Ages		
	Theatre Improv Workshop with Lisa – Ages 8–12		
3:00	Cutlery Mobiles		
	Open Stage with Lisa	3:00	Finale Concert on the Main Stage
4:00	Chris McKhool Children's Concert	Ongoing Activities: Face Painting, Canvases and Collage, On stage costumes, Stilt walking, banner painting.	
5:00	Children's Parade with Dragon!		
7:00- 7:45	Kids Campfire!		

Festival Parent Policy for the Family and Children's Village

The Family and Children's Village strives to be a safe and stimulating environment for all. Workshops and performances are designed to be experienced by children alongside their parents. Children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.



Please Do Not Leave Your Child Unattended

New this summer: Our very own campfire! Meet us around the Public Camping camp fire pit at 7pm for fun and zany sing along songs filled with action. Just like being at camp.

Wellness and Sustainable Living Villages

As an expression of our commitment to grassroots, community and culture, our wellness and sustainable living tents offer opportunities for Festival visitors to experience new and innovative approaches to health and sustainability. Here you will find a wide array of information and experiential opportunities to explore what it means to live mindfully. Knowledgeable and friendly volunteers are available to assist you and answer questions.

The Wellness Treatment Tent provides an ongoing schedule of practitioners offering a wonderful variety of hands on mini treatments. Sign up at the Wellness Resource Capital Tent for a 20-minute relaxing and rejuvenating treatment or inquire about presentations being offered each day.

The Sustainable Living Demonstration Tent offers a series of interactive displays for you to look at, and a volunteer host who can answer any of your questions. Check the chalk board postings in the Sustainable Living Village for the list of upcoming demonstrations. Demonstrations focus on a broad array of issues ranging from upcycling of old items to the birds and the bees (bee keeping and bird songs!).

Sustainable Living Demonstrations

SATURDAY

11:00 am

Rehabilitating your sitting spot. Learn to re-cain that old chair you've found

12:00 – 2:00 pm

Green Choices. A little bit every day makes a big difference.

2:00 pm

Get dirty. Learn about vermiculture composting in a hands on and IN the bin project.

3:00 pm

What's that bird? Identifying bird songs.

4:00 pm

Hug a tree and survive. Lost proofing your family, simple survival skills for all ages.

SUNDAY

11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Upcycle! Learn how to take something old and make it into something new. Rag rugs, re-knits, building a reusable bag, make a drop spindle, converting old clothing, the possibilities are endless.

1:00 pm

Up in Smoke. Alternative stove onstructions.

2:00 pm

Bee Keeping Basics.



Wellness and Sustainable Living Presentations Under the Big Top Tent

SATURDAY

11:00 am Morning Yoga *with Jenni Burke*

What better way to start the day than fully stretched? A relaxing way to wake up, perfect for all ages and abilities.

12:00 pm Sustainable Communities

with Tina Therrien, Brian Goulding, Ambrose Raftis, and "Go Green Together" (A Northumberland County non-profit group) – discuss several choices and processes involved in building greener places to live.

1:00 pm Expressive Arts Therapy

with Melody Blondel and Rae Vyn

Come create, explore, reflect and play - sometimes art making is the best medicine. We'll get our hands dirty in lumps of clay and practice a bit of self-nurturing. Sign up for participation, all are welcome to come and listen in.

2:00 pm Where Has Nature Gone?

With Ben Walters, Alison Elliot & Brian Stengele.

A panel discussion looking at our losses, of both: physical nature, and our knowledge of how to exist in it and with it, and how we can make a difference.

3:00 pm Self-Shiatsu *with Gregory Axelson*

A favorite from last year, back to help you facilitate your well-being. Learn specialized stretching and relaxation techniques, open pressure points and alleviate common complaints like headache or backache, to better manage daily stress and achieve optimal health.

4:00 pm Music to the North

with Carol Teal

Why stay somewhere when there's nothing to do? Encouraging culture and the arts through sustainable practices in Northern Canadian Communities.



SUNDAY

11:00 am Tai Chi at the windmill

Often defined as a Chinese system of slow meditative physical exercise designed for relaxation and balance and health, Tai Chi may be just what you need to center yourself before another beautiful festival day. Beginners welcome!

12:00 pm Lift the Smoke

with Jim Wallace and Keith Walker

Sharing their experiences of visiting Guatemala, Jim and Keith discuss how steps to creating healthier and sustainable communities in developing nations takes creative solutions and willing hands.

1:00 pm So much more to Yoga

with Siobhan Mcauley

Siobhan talks about the evolution of yoga in the west, distinctions in styles of practice, benefits and obstacles to the practice, and a whole lot more!

2:00 pm Growing Trends

with Elaina Asselin, Gregory Hill and Holly Werner

A conversation with three people who grow, sell and cook with local organic produce. Each shares their experiences.

2009 SVFF MAINSTAGE SCHEDULE * Lineup and schedule subject to change *

FRIDAY		SATURDAY		SUNDAY
Emcee:	<i>Treasa Levasseur</i>	Emcee:	<i>Wendell Ferguson</i>	
6:00 - 6:30pm	Chris McKhool	6:00 - 6:30pm	Emma-Lee	10:15 - 11am Rise Up Singing
6:35 - 7:05	Evalyn Parry	6:35 - 7:05	Steve Slade	
7:10-7:40	Tim Hus	7:10 - 7:40	Court Lajoie	2:00 - 2:30 Local Songwriters
7:45 - 8:15	Tanya Davis	7:45 - 8:15	Mose Scarlett	
8:20 - 8:50	Bob Wiseman	8:20 - 8:50	David Myles	2:35 - 3:05 Angus Leahy & Friends
8:55 - 9:25	Po'Girl	8:55 - 9:25	Madison Violet	3:10 - 3:50 Garnet Rogers
9:30 - 10:05	Martyn Joseph	9:30 - 10:05	Justin Rutledge	3:50 - 4pm Finale
10:10 - 11:00	Great Lake Swimmers	10:15 - 11:00	Reggae Cowboys	

Saturday Daytime Workshop Stages			
Saturday	Lavender Stage	Pine Stage	Village Stage
11am	Wordsmithing	Back 40	Heart on my Sleeve
	Court Lajoie, Tanya Davis	The County Boys, Tim Hus (mentor)	Evalyn Parry, Bob Wiseman
12noon	Simply Put	Hearts Unfurled	How Sweet It Is
	Steve Slade, David Myles	Trish Robb, Tanya Davis (mentor)	Po' Girl, Emma-Lee
1pm	Life in a Northern Town	Rural Roots	Since Last We Met
	Tim Hus, Martyn Joseph	Jim Martin, Steve Slade (mentor)	Mose Scarlett, Garnet Rogers

2pm	Symposium - The Politics of Art Bob Wiseman, Tanya Davis, Awna Teixeira, and Garnet Rogers <i>in conversation.</i>	Symposium - Love and Loss Martyn Joseph, Allison Russell, David Myles, and Emma-Lee <i>in conversation.</i>	Symposium - The Origin of Ideas Court Lajoie, Justin Rutledge, Mose Scarlett & Brenley MacEachern <i>in conversation.</i>
3pm	The way I see it David Myles, Madison Violet	Chasing a muse Bob Wiseman, Court Lajoie	Blue Collar Ballads Steve Slade, Martyn Jospheh
4pm	The Road Less Traveled Justin Rutledge, Mose Scarlett, Evalyn Parry	Deep Well, Sweet Water Garnet Rogers, Madison Violet	Tall Tales Wendell Ferguson, Tim Hus, Angus Leahy

Sunday Daytime Workshop Stages			
	Lavender Stage	Pine Stage	Village Stage
11am	In Concert Wendell Ferguson	Fiddling Around Angus Leahy, Lisa MacIsaac, Chris McKhool	Once Upon a Time Emma-Lee, David Myles
12noon	Roadhouse Lullabies Tim Hus, Garnet Rogers	Instrumental Jam <i>A gathering of band mates, side players, & keepers of the back beat.</i>	For Old Times' Sake Mose Scarlett, Chris McKhool, Wendell Ferguson
1pm	The Things That Matter Most Court Lajoie, Martyn Joseph	Co-Writers Coop Po' Girl, Madison Violet	In Concert Tanya Davis

The Artists' Village

The Artists' Village flows down the hill and opens up before you into a world of texture and colour. Original works of art share a space with their creators, giving opportunity for discussion and demonstration, while workshops invite you to touch and take part in the creative process.

Naomi Assenheim

Opal Wing Creations Jewelry - Georgetown www.opalwingcreations.com

Naomi's work is intended to intrigue the mind, speak to the heart, adorn the body and nourish the soul. Crystals, fossils and rare gemstones are wrapped and sculpted with silver and gold to transform these earthly wonders into whimsical pieces of jewelry.

Monika Becker

Jewelry - Toronto www.lifeforms-art.com

Monika makes liberal use of natural motifs and the seemingly random patterns of growth in the structure and imagery of her jewelry and sculptural vessels, using precious and semi-precious metals and stones, as well as organic materials.

Ron Belanger

Instruments - Orillia www.ronbelangerguitars.com

Ron builds custom steel string guitars, Irish bouzoukis, and Hawaiian steel and resonator guitars. Ron has a knack for coming up with the perfect instrument for each player: affordable, beautiful looks, amazing playability, balanced tone and a unique voice.

Ian Buntin

Photography - Cobourg www.flickr.com/photos/ian-pryde-buntin

Inspired by natural light and organic shape, Ian Buntin calls attention to often forgotten aspects of our everyday. Ian's use of detail and composition invites the viewer to bring their own experience to his images.

Ausma Clappison - Gentle Glade Studio

Fibre Art - Norwood www.gentlegladealpacas.com

Ausma is a fibre/textile artist who creates "ecoscapes" using raw natural fibres. Drawing on the ancient art of felt making, experimenting with various colours and textures, she creates a visual transformation from raw fleece to an eco-friendly felted fabric.

Richard Cox

Irish Wooden Flutes www.richardcox.ca

Richard has lived and worked in London, Ontario for twenty years, and is a founder of the London Irish Folk Club. He combines his lifelong love affair with wood and passion for music in the creation of his beautiful wooden flutes.

Veronica Derry

Fibre Art - Cobourg www.ronnid@eagle.ca

Whimsical vignettes, soft sculpture and cushions are quilt-like both in technique and in the stories they share. Veronica's creations emerge from emotions and ideas inspired by vintage collections and the imperfect elements of her surroundings.

The Artists' Village

Sharon Foster - Glass Crush

Jewelry - Brampton www.glasscrush.com

Sharon Foster has a crush on glass - the feel, the texture, the colours, the way light dances through it, the drama. Sharon's fused and lampworked glass pendants and beads are created from raw glass over heat, and no two pieces are alike.

Maia Heissler - Down To Earth Creations

Dioramas - Frankford www.forestfriends.ca

When Maia's career in education ended in motherhood, a door opened to the realm of creative expression. Maia has developed an elfin civilization brought to you in the form of dioramas, with a sideline of cards, lifestones, and a legend.

Lucien Gagnon - Reclamation

Sculpture - Puslinch lucien.gagnonsreclamation@yahoo.ca

Lucien designs and creates garden sculptures from reclaimed woods, metals, and nature's fallen and found. Some of his creations may be used as habitats for birds, bats, butterflies, and toads. Others are sacred sculptures that can create a spiritual sanctuary.

Judith Kreps Hawkins

Mixed Media - Port Hope www.judithkrepshawkins.com

Judith collects all sorts of debris, cast-offs, unlikely materials, junk. She recycles these by putting them together in imaginative ways, often playfully, sometimes seriously, to create inspirational art that causes the viewer to pause and reflect.

Gail LaCasse

Pastels - Elliot Lake www.artasiseeit.ca

Gail is a self-taught artist working in pen & ink and pastels. Northern Ontario has provided her with a wealth of subject matter, but her prairie roots creep into her landscapes. Gail's artistic journey continues.



The Artists' Village

Emily Leonard - Under the Willow Henna

Henna - Owen Sound emilyleonard@mac.com

Emily designs and creates hand-painted, non-permanent henna tattoos using natural home-mixed henna paste. Emily believes henna tattooing is a beautiful way of expressing herself and will be offering custom designed henna tattoos at her booth.

Cori Lee Marvin

Painting - Port Hope www.marvindale.ca

Port Hope artist Cori Lee Marvin's unique and detailed approach to watercolour gives her paintings great clarity and depth. The objects, colours and textures of a bygone era are merged with whimsical animal illustration to create intriguing visual stories.

Katie McLellan

Textiles and Glass - Sarnia www.katiemclellan.com

Organic in appearance, lyrical in nature, Katie's work allows the medium to tell a story. Using new and recycled materials, Katie creates textile and stained glass works which express humour, whimsy and an appreciation of nature's beauty.

Rri Povey - Rrijoice

Tie-Dye - Killaloe www.geocities.com/rrijoice_tie_dyes

More than wearable art! Rri hand ties and dyes uplifting vibrational clothing. With nature as her biggest inspiration, she creates images of butterflies, dragonflies, turtles and other colorful designs on clothes and fabrics for the entire family.

Max Sexsmith

Soapstone Sculpture - Peterborough www.soapstonesculpturebymax.com

Max started carving in 1992 and studied at the Haliburton School of Art and the Ottawa Art Gallery. The majority of his stone is Canadian soapstone from Quebec, along with pieces of Brazilian soapstone. Max sculpts with hand tools and finishes with a treatment of beeswax.

Susan Staniforth

Gourd Craft - Fenelon Falls www.susanstaniforth.com

A professional artist and hardshell gourd gardener, Susan creates functional and non-functional gourd craft. Some methods and materials utilized are pyrography, dye, gilder's paste, stone, wood, wire, wool, pine needles, walnuts, and beads. Some pieces incorporate decorative runic writing.

Deborah Uman-Sures

Mixed Media - Cobourg www.dlumansures.com

Deborah's work offers viewers a range of images whose mixed media comprises acrylic, watercolour, textural papers and graphite on linen and cotton canvas. Deborah's classic drawing and painting skills underlie evocative and richly coloured depictions of characters, objects and situations.

Artists' Village Workshop Tent

Art is lovely to look at, allowing yourself to be lost in a piece's colour, contour and texture . . . but even more wonderful is taking that giant leap to try something new and create art yourself! We've all seen how much fun the kids have diving into the creative process in the Children's Village, now it's everyone else's turn. You're invited to share a space with our artists and try your hand at something new.

SATURDAY WORKSHOPS

11:00 am - Learn about the workshop tent space and the ongoing projects planned for the weekend. Dabble with colour, help start our community art projects!

12:00 pm- Make your own percussion instrument from a small hard-shell egg gourd with Susan Staniforth! You'll learn to make a gourd-shaker with a faux raku finish using acrylic paint and gilder's paste.

2:00 pm- Come and join in, we will create a pennant-like banner inspired by prayer flags with Veronica Derry.

4:00 pm- "Color is the keyboard, the eyes are the harmonies, the soul is the piano with many strings. The artist is the hand that plays, touching one key or another, to cause vibrations in the soul." Kandinsky. Join Po'Girl as they create with sound and colours.



SUNDAY WORKSHOPS

11:00 am- Ever wondered why there are always so many kids hanging around Max Sexsmith's tent? Try out soap stone carving for yourself!

1:00 pm- "A.R.T." (Artistic Recycling from Trash). Join a creative workshop with Judith Kreps Hawkins, explore the imagination and have fun playing with odd materials and found objects to create your own personal art. Bring (your own) found trash if you like!

(Please sign up in advance as space is limited)

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The Harvest Table Menu

Of all that Shelter Valley Folk Festival provides each Labour Day weekend we hear more about our harvest foods than almost anything else. The menu is carefully planned to insure that only the finest local foods and also healthy options are offered. We source locally and organic where possible, and we think you'll be able to see and taste the difference! We thank our very dedicated team of volunteers who have worked with our local providers to put together another delicious Festival "Harvest Table".

We welcome back our incredible food providers with whom we are delighted to work, two for the sixth year, one for the fourth, and another for the third year. It seems our food providers enjoy being with us as much as we enjoy having them!

Each year we also partner with an organization from the local community in order to support their endeavors. Our hope is to introduce our partner organization to a broader community and the Festival community to its larger neighborhood. This year, we welcome The Northumberland Players theatre group, as our Community Partner.

Breadman Garth

Smoked meat on rye w/coleslaw.....	\$8
Beef and Vegetable stew.....	\$7
Sunrise Chili – Winner of the Cobourg Chili Cook off 2009 – Vegetarian.....	\$6
Bean and Barley burger w/coleslaw.....	\$7
Chili Chowder (Potato and Corn Chowder).....	\$4
Homemade Harvest Soup.....	\$4
(prices for Children under 10 – half portion)	
Honey maple sun tea.....	\$2

Oasis Bar and Grill

Quesadillas:	
Cheese and salsa.....	\$7
Chicken, salsa, cheese.....	\$8
Shelter Valley Wrap.....	\$8
Asian Noodle Salad.....	\$6
Old Fashioned Lemonade.....	\$2

Northumberland Conference Centre

Pakorras with chutneys:	
Fish or vegetable.....	\$2
Plate with 3 items, rice & naan:.....	\$7
Chickpea curry	
Aloo ghoobi (potato/cauliflower)	
Eggplant/tomato	
Mutter paneer (peas & cheese)	
Grilled chicken tikka,mild or spicy.....	\$7
Kheer (rice pudding).....	\$3
Chai.....	\$2

Caribbean Flahva

Patties – Beef, Chicken or Veggie.....	\$2
Roti – Curried Chicken or vegetable.....	\$8
Curried Goat, Oxtail or Jerk Chicken Meals Served with Rice and Beans and salad.....	\$8
Caribbean Soft Drinks.....	\$2

Human Bean

Organic fair trade coffee, tea & hot chocolate (Bring your own mug! 5 cents from every hot drink sold without cup donated back to SVFF at end of weekend.)	\$2
Organic sodas and juices.....	\$2
Homemade Muffins.....	\$2
Yummy cookies.....	\$1
Organic bars, chips.....	\$2

Shelter Valley Folk Festival Booth

Organic heritage field tomato with toppings.....	\$4
Organic heritage lettuces with toppings.....	\$3
Tomato and lettuce with toppings.....	\$5
Grilled Cheese.....	\$7
Corn on the cob.....	\$3
Watermelon.....	\$1

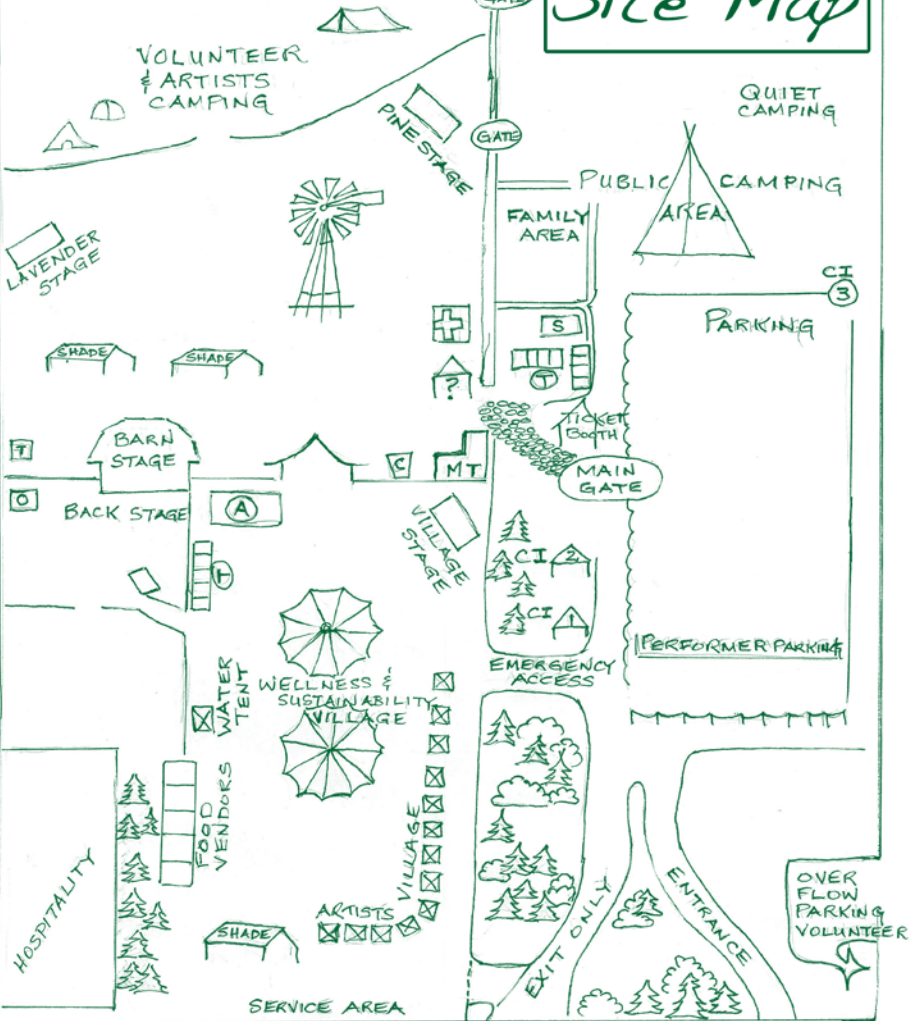
Community Booth

Apple Crisp.....	\$3
with ice cream.....	\$5
Ice Cream Cone.....	\$3
double scoop.....	\$3

OVERFLOW CAMPING

To Drum Circle and camper parking
for Volunteers and Artists

Site Map



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| (C) | COFFEE AND BEVERAGES | CI 2 | CHECK-IN - MEDIA, DONORS, GUESTS |
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**Thanks for six years of
Grassroots Community Culture**

**Hope you'll join us as an audience member,
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