Writer: María Gamboa

Date Submitted:

Suggested Date to Publish: Friday

Section: Arts & Events

Working Title: Out & About May 18 –May 24, 2018

List of Images:

1. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa - Image 1 – Harry's Musical
2. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa - Image 2 – Canada Wide Science
3. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa - Image 3 – Action
4. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 4 – Let’s Dance
5. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 5– Sherlock Holmes
6. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 6– Sheep Shearing Festival
7. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 9 – Murder Mystery
8. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 12 – Ottawa Dressage Festival
9. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 13 – National Gallery of Canada
10. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 14 – Tulip Festival
11. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 16 - Evening in the Maritimes
12. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 17 – Miss Shakespeare
13. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 18 – Emanuel Ax’s
14. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 19 – Pia Fraus and Sianspheric
15. Out & About May 18 –May 24– María Gamboa – Image 20 – Latin American Film Festival
16. Harry's Musical World at Centrepointe Theatre, May 18

Join the Ottawa Pops Orchestra on a magical journey through the Musical World of Harry Potter. Featuring music from all 8 movies by John Williams, Patrick Doyle, Nicholas Hooper, and Alexandre Desplat. Enjoy two nights of this concert which is not to be missed by any witch, wizard, or muggle. Come in your finest dress robes or house colours, and prepare to be spellbound as the music comes to life. $25-35/ 7.30 pm.

1. Canada Wide Science Fair at Carleton University-Fieldhouse, until May 18

Roughly 500,000 students in Canada do science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) projects every year. Youth Science Canada's network of community based members hosts 25,000 of these students at over 100 science fairs in every province and territory, where STEM professionals meet the young scientists and review their projects selecting the top 500 for the national finals.

In addition to participating in scientific, social, and cultural activities, the finalists compete for medals, cash prizes, scholarships and exclusive science opportunities. Three days of school and public viewing will welcome over 10,000 visitors, who can also explore STEM Expo. 100 interactive and inspiring exhibits featuring ideas and opportunities in science, technology, engineering and math.

May 16, 2018

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

May 16, 2018

5:00 pm to 7:30 pm

May 17, 2018

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

May 18, 2018

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

1. The School of Dance presents Action at Arts Court Theatre, May 18

May 18 and 19, 2018, 7:30pm See a new generation of dance artists being challenged by internationally renowned contemporary dance choreographers. Enjoy this dynamic performance by the students of The School of Dance Contemporary Dance Diploma Programme at Arts Court Theatre. $25 Adults, $20 Students/Seniors, $10 Children

1. Let’s Dance at National Arts Centre - Southam Hall, until May 19

This electrifying dance showcase includes swing, jazz, 1950s bop, ‘Dirty Dancing,’ the waltz, cha-cha, tango, and much more. Incomparable performers, spectacular choreography and the NAC Orchestra: you’ll be dancing in the aisles! 8pm/tickets apply.

1. Sherlock Holmes and the Case of the Jersey Lily at Ottawa Little Theater, until May 19

The wit of Oscar Wilde meets the genius of Sherlock Holmes when Wilde brings his friend Lillie Langtry, toast of the London stage, to Baker Street.

1. Sheep Shearing Festival at Canada Agriculture and Food Museum, May 19-20

It’s time for sheep to be shorn! Highlights include shearing demonstrations, border collies at work, spinning, weaving, felt-making and more.

1. Ottawa Dressage Festival at Wesley Clover Parks, until May 20

International dressage competition featuring Eastern Canada’s best riders. Free admission.

1. Free admission to the permanent collection at National Gallery of Canada, May 20

Celebrate International Museums Day at the National Gallery!

1. Canadian Tulip Festival at Commissioners Park and Aberdeen Pavilion, until May 21

This annual world-famous festival centres around Ottawa’s love affair with the tulip, with a million tulips blooming in public areas, including 250,000 blooms in Commissioners Park near Dows Lake.

1. Evening in the Maritimes at Hilton Lac-Leamy, May 23

Enjoy a 4-course lobster dinner. Fresh North Atlantic lobster, seafood chowder, salads and desserts make up the menu. East Coast entertainment creates the feel of an east coast kitchen party.

1. Miss Shakespeare - a new Canadian Musical at The Gladstone Theatre, May 23- Jun2

Book and lyrics by Tracey Power

Music Co-Written with Steve Charles

Directed by Bronwyn Steinberg

Music Direction by Wendy Berkelaar

Featuring Rachel Eugster, Leah Cogan, Robin Guy, Shawna Pasini, Iyono Ede, Laura Hall, and Natalie Fraser

“I want to create something no one would ever believe was created by a woman.” - Judith Shakespeare

It's the 1600s and women are banned from the stage, but the suppressed female mind is finding it difficult to stay...well, suppressed. Behind the dingy walls of The Cage Tavern, six women explore the seductive power of the theatre. With a musical score influenced by underground European Cabaret the women embrace their creativity, their voice, and their freedom. But the law is not on their side and if these artists are to truly have a voice, they must find the courage to get beyond the walls and in front of an audience.

Daddy’s had his turn - the mad mind of Judith Shakespeare explodes in this saucy new musical. Winner of the 2016 Jessie Richardson Award for Outstanding Production of a Musical.

Adult $39

Senior (65+) $35

Student/Artist\*/Unwaged/Preview $23

\*including Theatre Ontario members

7.30 p.m. and 2.30 pm

1. Emanuel Ax’s "Emperor Concerto" at National Arts Centre - Southam Hall, May 23-24

Concertmaster Yosuke Kawasaki is the hero's voice in Strauss's reflection on a life well-lived, in this tour de force first performance by the NAC Orchestra. Superstar Emanuel Ax channels the melancholy and majesty of Beethoven's most popular piano concerto. Tickets on sale/ 8pm.

1. Pia Fraus and Sianspheric at HOUSE of TARG, May 24

Doors open: 20:00

Special Tijuana Taxi homecoming! We're doing TARG on May 24th. Come hang out in our old stomping grounds and play pinball with us : )

Pia Fraus (Estonia)

http://piafraus.bandcamp.com/

SIANspheric (Hamilton, ON)

http://sianspheric.bandcamp.com/

Tijuana Taxi (Toronto, ON)

http://tijuanataxi.bandcamp.com/

Doors @ 8pm

$10

1. Latin American Film Festival at Ottawa Art Gallery, until May 26

The festival showcases features, documentaries and short films from south of the Rio Grande.