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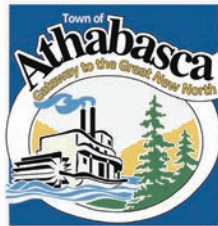
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WELCOME

Celebrating 30 Years of the Magnificent River Rats Festival

Dear Friends, Neighbours, Supporters, and River Rats,

Thirty Years.

It's hard to believe that what started as a community celebration on the banks of the mighty Athabasca River has grown into one of Alberta's most beloved free music and arts festivals.

This year, the Magnificent River Rats Festival proudly celebrates its 30th Anniversary, and as President of the festival, I couldn't be more honored to be part of this incredible milestone.

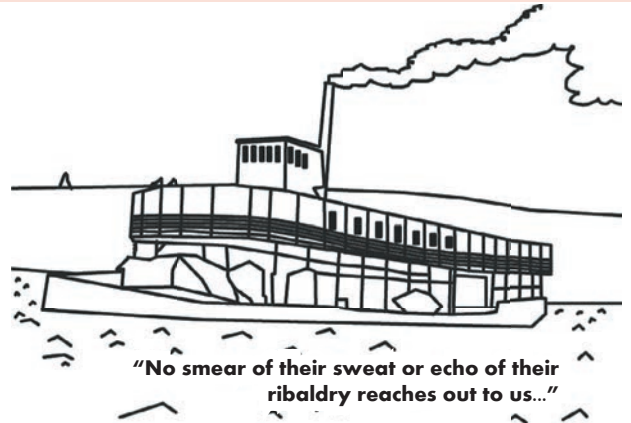
Thirty years ago, in 1996, I was a 12-year-old kid. I was more concerned about riding my bike, going fishing, and figuring out how to avoid chores than I was about organizing festivals. If someone had told me then that one day I would serve as President of the River Rats Festival, I probably would have laughed and asked if there would be free food involved.

Yet here we are.

For the past five years, I have had the privilege of serving as President of this remarkable organization. During that time, I've come to appreciate something that our volunteers, sponsors, artists, and community supporters have known for decades; the River Rats Festival is about far more than music.

It's about community.

It's about gathering with friends, family neighbours, and visitors from near and far. It's about watching children dance in front of the stage while parents reconnect with old friends. It's about artists sharing their talents and creating memories that last long after the



final encore.

Most of all, it's about celebrating the spirit of Athabasca.

Every Canada Day, our beautiful festival grounds come alive along the banks of the Athabasca River. With the water flowing beside us and live music filling the air from our outdoor stage, there are few places I'd rather be.

As we celebrate our 30th anniversary, I want to thank every volunteer who has donated their time, every sponsor who has believed in our vision, every performer who has stepped onto our stage, and every festival-goer who has made River Rats part of their summer tradition.

You are the reason we've reached this milestone.

The Magnificent River Rats Festival is free to attend, and that remains a point of pride. We believe great music, art, and community should be accessible to everyone, and thanks to the support of this amazing community we've been able to make that vision a reality for three decades.

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The Town of Athabasca is proud to welcome everyone to this year's Magnificent River Rats Festival! We are thrilled to see the festival return once again as a free community event and invite residents and visitors alike to come together and enjoy a weekend full of fun, entertainment, and community spirit.

From family activities and live entertainment to the many events happening throughout the weekend, there is something for everyone to enjoy. The festival is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our community, reconnect with friends and neighbours, and showcase everything that makes Athabasca such a special place.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to the organizing committee, volunteers, sponsors, and community partners whose dedication and countless hours of hard work make this event possible each year. Your efforts are truly appreciated.

We hope everyone has a safe, enjoyable, and memorable Magnificent River Rats Festival!

*Rob Balay, Mayor
Town of Athabasca*



It is my privilege to extend greetings and to welcome you to the Athabasca Region on behalf of Council and the residents of the Village of Boyle.

The River Rats Festival is a celebration of music and culture at the same time we are observing the achievements of Canadian Confederation. Just as it takes hard work to build a nation, the tireless dedication and efforts of the organizers and volunteers of the Festival Society and organizations like them, must be thanked for enabling all of us to come together and enjoy the best of what our communities have to offer. Congratulations to the Town of Athabasca and all their partners on such an awesome community event that can be enjoyed by everyone.

I wish you all a successful and enjoyable River Rats Festival, a happy Canada Day and I encourage you to take in and experience as much as possible of what the Athabasca Region has to offer during your visit.

*Colin Derko, Mayor
Village of Boyle*



Welcome!

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Town of **Athabasca**

DIGNITARY WORDS



Welcome to the Athabasca Region!

On behalf of Athabasca County, I am delighted to welcome you to the 30th Magnificent River Rats Festival. As we come together to celebrate Canada Day, there's no better place to enjoy the occasion than right here at the Riverfront Stage, surrounded by great company and the sounds of talented local and Canadian performers.

This wonderful festival would not be possible without the hard work and dedication of its organizers and

volunteers. Their commitment continues to grow the event year after year and draws visitors from all across the province. A sincere thank you also goes out to our generous sponsors—your support plays a vital role in bringing this celebration to life.

Congratulations to all the Magnificent River Rats hands and hearts on this remarkable 30th Anniversary milestone.

Thank you, everyone, for joining us today. Your enthusiasm and continued support are what make this festival such a success.

Enjoy the festivities—and don't forget to take some time to explore everything the Athabasca region has to offer!

*Tracy Holland, Reeve
Athabasca County*



30th Annual Magnificent River Rats Festival

On behalf of the Government of Alberta and the residents of Athabasca–Barrhead–Westlock, I am pleased to welcome everyone to the 30th Annual Magnificent River Rats Festival.

For 30 years, this event has brought people together to showcase what makes Athabasca such a special place — a strong sense of community, local pride, and the beauty of our riverfront. It is an opportunity to connect with friends and neighbours, support local talent, and experience all the region has to offer.

This milestone year reflects the dedication of the many organizers, volunteers, and sponsors who continue to make it all possible. Their efforts have helped shape a lasting and meaningful tradition.

Enjoy the festival and everything that makes this community such a great place to gather and celebrate.

*Glenn van Dijken, MLA
Athabasca-Barrhead-Westlock Constituency*

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JUNE 30TH PERFORMERS

The Elias Family

The rolling landscape near the foothills of Alberta is home to the Elias Family. Kevin, Kim and their four sons travel extensively sharing the love and grace of god through music and testimony. Often known for their time with the Dry River Boys, Singing Hills, and their appearances on the TV show Tribal Trails, this family's energetic, bluegrass infused music will be sure to get your toes tapping!



1 p.m.

The Moose Mountain Boys

The Moose Mountain Boys was formed in the spring of 2021 specifically to debut at the River Rats festival, this homegrown Athabasca band was started by musicians Stony Creaser and Bryno, later adding Jimmy Rainville. They perform high-energy roots, country-folk, and original storytelling. Their music is heavily performance-driven and draws from their multi-track album Songs From Near The Top of Moose Mountain Vol. 1, which features original comedic and regional storytelling.



2 p.m.

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JUNE 30TH PERFORMERS

Riley Baldwin

Riley Baldwin is an up-and-coming, independent singer-songwriter based out of Leduc, Alberta who performs roots, indie country, and soft rock. After gaining traction in local music hubs like Edmonton's The Carrot Friday Nite Live, he made his River Rats debut in 2025. His music ranges from soft acoustic melodies to upbeat, toe-tapping tempos. His performances focus heavily on audience connection and community building, delivering heartfelt, soulful vocals and intricate guitar work.

**3 p.m.**

Ramshackle Fancy

Ramshackle Fancy is an Athabasca-based band that describes itself as a community hobby band that has been playing together for nearly a decade and performs "Boreal Gothic" and innovative modern folk. They bring an unconventional, haunting sound to the festival stage, using instruments like the accordion—played by member Frazer Andrews—and guitar by Carrie Somerville. Their songwriting is deeply tied to regional history, focusing on themes and stories directly inspired by the people and landscapes of the northern Alberta boreal forests.

**4 p.m.**

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JUNE 30TH PERFORMERS

John Hewitt & the New Americans

John Hewitt performs Americana, roots, folk, and 1960s-inspired British invasion pop. He is originally from Ontario, Hewitt moved to Edmonton in 2018 and has earned a reputation as the “hardest working musician in Alberta” due to playing over 150 touring dates annually. Backed by his full band, The New Americans, his music mixes the storytelling prose of Bob Dylan and Neil Young with classic pop melodies reminiscent of The Beatles. According to his booking profiles on the Stagehand App, he is incredibly prolific, having released nine full-length albums since 2018. He won first place at Bandmania and took home the Entertainer of the Year award at the Canadian Choice Awards.



5 p.m.

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JUNE 30TH PERFORMERS

Kylie Fox

Kylie Fox performs Indie-folk storytelling with vintage jazz and alternative rock elements. She is an award-winning singer-songwriter, vocal coach, and theatre composer based in Fredericton, New Brunswick. Kylie lists her core influences as Joni Mitchell, Kate Bush, and Sharon Van Etten. Her music is distinctively lush, theatrical, and ethereal. Off-stage, her Kylie Fox Official Website notes she also works as a professional Dolly Parton impersonator and a musical theatre writer, having debuted her scored production *Magic Beans: The Musical*. Her debut album, *Green*, sparked massive cross-country tours, and she is currently preparing her third studio album.



6 p.m.

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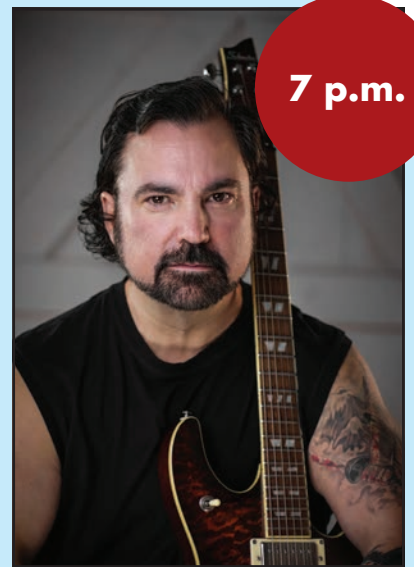
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JUNE 30TH PERFORMERS

Kris Anders and the Flatlanders

Kris Anders performs high-energy country-rock and roots music. He is based in the Okanagan Valley, British Columbia, Anders is a completely self-released, independent artist who performs with his backing band, The Flatlanders. His music fuses gritty rock rhythms with traditional country storytelling. Despite not being signed to a major label, his official portfolio on the Kris Anders Official Website highlights that his tracks—such as “Shattered” and “Open Road”—have brought in over 1 million combined streams across Spotify and YouTube. He was nominated for Rock Artist of the Year at the Western Canadian Music Awards and Roots Artist of the Year at the BC Country Music Awards.



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Felt Like Velvet

Felt Like Velvet is an alternative rock emerging indie band based out of Fort McMurray, Alberta. They deliver a gritty, modern indie-rock sound. The band builds their local presence by performing at regional charity events, mental health initiatives, and community music showcases across northern and central Alberta.

8 p.m.

Antonio Larosa

Antonio Larosa is a country-rock and roots artist whose music blends the grit of blues, the soul of vintage rock, and the storytelling of classic country. With a voice that channels the spirit of Elvis Presley and the emotional weight of Chris Stapleton, Larosa creates songs that are heartfelt, lived-in, and unapologetically honest. Raised in Vancouver, BC, Larosa was drawn to the music of Johnny Cash, The Allman Brothers, BB King, and Roy Orbison from a young age. His music reflects those roots: raw, rhythmic, and filled with sincerity, but filtered through his own lens and life experiences. In 2023 and 2025, Larosa was awarded Roots Artist of the Year by the BC Country Music Association, a milestone that affirmed the impact of his music and the path he's been carving independently.



9 p.m.

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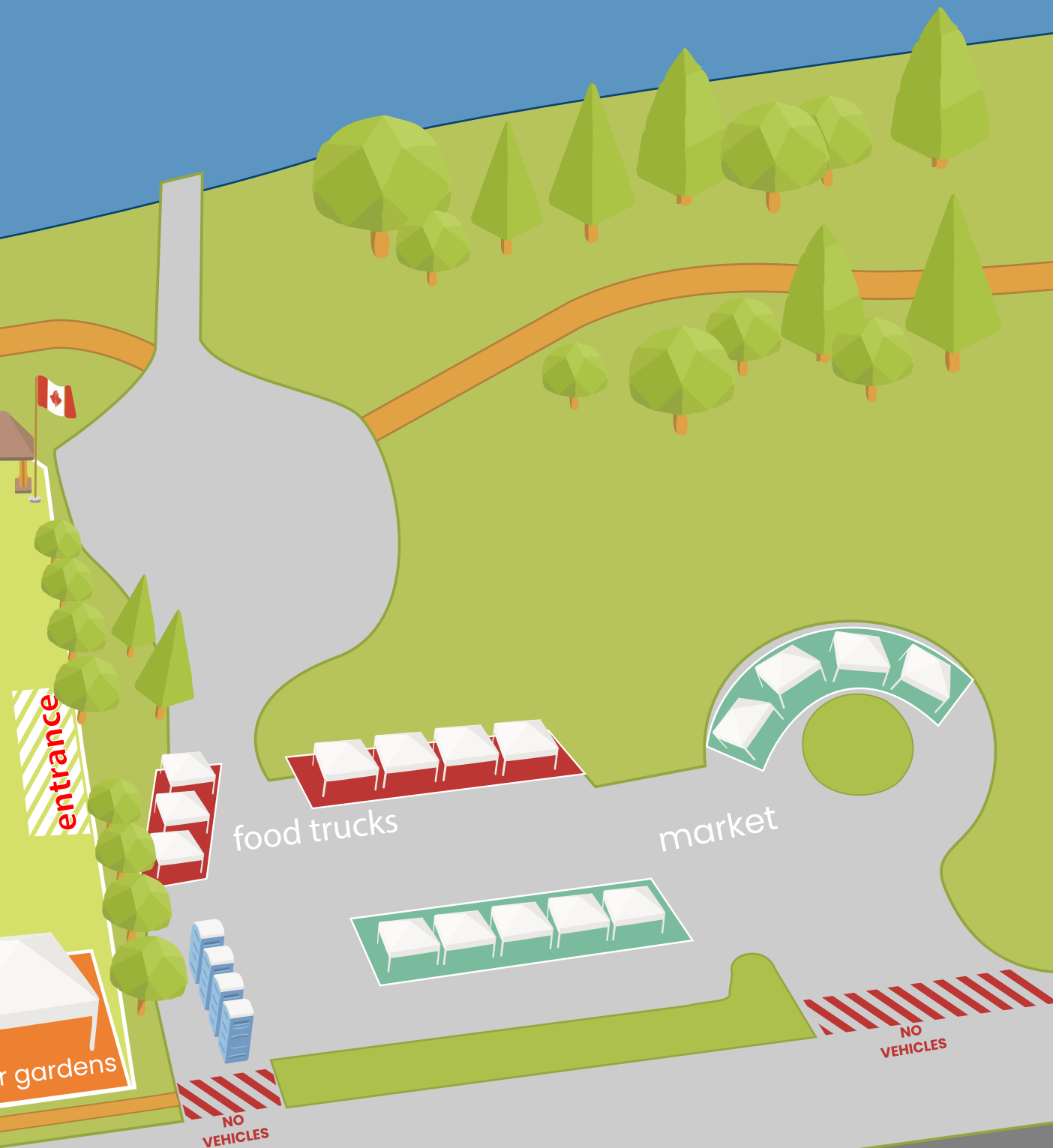
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JULY 1ST PERFORMERS

Aveya

Aveya is an exceptionally talented 13-year-old singer-songwriter from Alberta who is quickly becoming one of the province's most notable young prodigies whose music is described as soulful contemporary country and country-pop. Known for an incredibly powerful voice that sounds far beyond her years, she has built a massive performance portfolio singing national anthems and playing major events like Fulton Fest, the Big Valley Jamboree, and the Rainmaker Rodeo. Aveya recently won the Global Country Star Search (joining the ranks of past youth winners like Brett Kissel) and was named St. Albert's Entertainer of the Year. Her latest single, "Put on a Show," highlights her heartfelt storytelling.



**12:30
p.m.**

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Tayler Grace

Tayler Grace is an Edmonton-based singer-songwriter who also works as an elementary music teacher. Her acoustic roots style relies on raw, intimate storytelling accompanied by guitar, harmonica, and a foot tambourine. Her musical arrangements draw heavy inspiration from Sierra Ferrell, Gregory Alan Isakov, and Johnny Cash. She frequently collaborates with local roots artists, including JUNO-nominated fiddler Brianna Lizotte on her EP *West Coast Girl*.



3 p.m.

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JULY 1ST PERFORMERS

Brandon Bryson

Brandon Bryson Band performs alternative and indie rock. Fronted by singer-songwriter Brandon Bryson, this regional Alberta band frequently coordinates its music presence out of northern Alberta hubs like Fort McMurray and Edmonton. Their music leans heavily on driving, melodic alt-rock choruses, custom guitar work, and energetic live band arrangements. They have a history of releasing records independently on the Brandon Bryson Bandcamp Profile and keeping fans looped in via their Facebook page.



4 p.m.



Ava Nayana

Ava Nayana is a 19-year-old singer-songwriter from St. Albert, Alberta, returning to the festival for her third consecutive year. Ava's music can be described as multi-genre pop fusion, alternative rock, and indie-soul. She has a powerful, mature vocal delivery inspired by powerhouse vocalists like Stevie Nicks, Adele, Whitney Houston, and Rihanna. Beyond her acoustic and solo pop-cover work, she also serves as the frontwoman and keyboardist for the Edmonton-based cover band, Siren Sound. Her original discography includes early singles like "Overwhelmed" and "Nights Like This".

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JULY 1ST PERFORMERS



Karley Bilsky

Karley Bilsky performs traditional and contemporary country-roots. She is an emerging singer-songwriter born and raised in Athabasca, making her a massive homegrown favorite when she plays with her full backing band. Her style focuses on writing authentic, highly relatable country music that blends heartbreak anthems with sun-soaked, feel-good tracks. She was named a regional spotlight artist by country radio station CFCW. Her streaming discography features popular singles like "Ramblin' Woman", "Du Mauriers", and "I'll Bring The Whiskey."

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Lady Luck

Lady Luck is a high-energy classic rock band and performs modern popular favorites. They are an energetic performance band designed to pump up festival crowds right before the evening headliners take over the stage. They specialize in heavy, driving rock rhythms and well-known crowd anthems. They are deeply rooted in the regional Alberta music community, frequently contributing their live sets to regional charity causes, such as the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) Wood Buffalo charity jams.



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JULY 1ST PERFORMERS

Rome IX

Rome IX is a Canadian Indie-Soul musician whose artistry spans music, acting, and filmmaking. Based in Calgary, Rome draws inspiration from personal and observed experiences, ever a student of the human condition.



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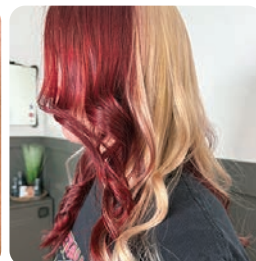
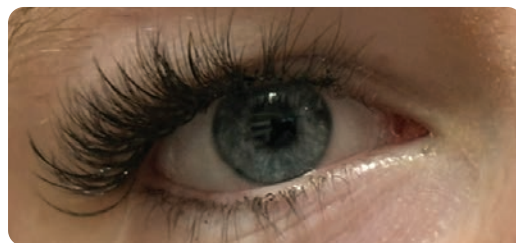
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Beer Gardens

NOON - 4 PM

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2 - 2:45pm
Moose Mountain Boys

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Riley Baldwin

4 - 4:45pm
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Kylie Fox

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July 1st

12:30-1pm
Aveya

1 - 2:45pm
Strongman Competition

3 - 3:45pm
Tayler Grace

4 - 4:45pm
Brandon Bryson

5 - 5:45pm
Ava Nayana

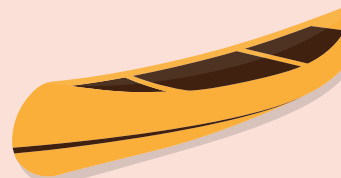
6 - 6:45pm
Karley Bilsky

7 - 7:45pm
Lady Luck

8 - 9pm
Rome IX

9:15 - 11pm
Whiskey Boyz

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Fireworks



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