Singin' in the rain at Potton's Multicultural Festival

Despite the constant drizzle and occasional downpour of rain, Potton’s 24th Annual Multicultural Festival found people aplenty who came out this past weekend, umbrellas in hand, to enjoy the parade and a variety of other activities held both Friday evening and Saturday all day.

Friday evening the Bingo tent was full, the Karaoke competition fun for young and old and a sharing of conversation and community gathering for neighbors and visitors alike.

On Saturday, artisans and organizations gathered under the big tent in the center of town with water seeping into their feet and a drip here and there but, much like the “Who’s down in Who-ville,” the Festival happened as it does every year.

Added activities this year included a soap box car race that was a big hit with the children. The Annual Book Sale was held indoors and many stopped by to fill a box of books while supporting the Municipal Library and the youth.

With dancing, singing, musical performances, the local talent and musical invitees were there to raise dampened spirits caused by the uncooperative weather. From food to fun, the festival activities did not disappoint. The fireworks display is always a crowd favorite and this year was no exception.

Mannix and the Dirty Blues Band with guests from Desert Heat, provided a musical journey down memory lane and some rockin’ tunes enjoyed by all.

For more information about the Multicultural Festival and other Municipal initiatives visit the Potton website at www.potton.ca

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