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## Weather

	TODAY: CLOUDY
	HIGH OF 24 LOW OF 15
	TUESDAY: RAIN
	HIGH OF 21 LOW OF 15
	WEDNESDAY: RAIN
	HIGH OF 19 LOW OF 14
	THURSDAY: CLOUDY
	HIGH OF 23 LOW OF 15
	FRIDAY: CLOUDY
	HIGH OF 23 LOW OF 12

# Annual Spirit of Potton festival August 18, 19, 2023 promises fun for all!



## THE SCOOP MABLE HASTINGS

Spirit of Potton festival thanks Desjardins for their support this year. This financial contribution will allow for the set up of the “Desjardins relax zone” on the event’s site. Festival-goers will be able to rest between two activities and admire creative projects designed by students from two Mansonville schools.

### PROGRAMMING 2023!

- Thursday, Aug. 17 - Place de la Grange-Ronde  
8:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.: Festival pre-opening with an outdoor screening of the Quebec film *Mon cirque à moi*, in collaboration with Cinéma Potton. \*At Place de la Grange-Ronde, 323 Route de Mansonville (in case of rain: \*7:30 p.m. in the basement of St-Cajetan Church). Bring your chairs, popcorn provided.  
Trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Lak8f5DfQI>  
- Friday, Aug. 18 - Missisquoi North Park  
5 to 7 p.m. - fundraising dinner - méchoui presented by Potton Covered Market

6:30 to 8 p.m. - CABMN bingo with many cash prizes to be won! BIG thank you to the local business community who sponsored this event in support of the CABMN.

8:30 to 10 p.m. - Performance by New Brunswick band La Patente!

Saturday, Aug. 19 - Missisquoi North Park

8:30 am to 11 a.m. - Pancake breakfast to benefit CABMN Partage/Share foodbank

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. - Potton Covered Market with guest artisans and merchants

10 a.m. to 6 p.m. - Inflatables, climbing and games for the whole family

Noon to 1 p.m. - MUSIC: Homebrew Dixieland Band

1:30 to 2 p.m. - DANCE: Short show by Youth Center

2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. - Magician Yan Beauregard and the MAGIE-CHIEN! Photo opportunity after the show.

3:30 to 4 p.m. - Wolf Bike Park BMX demo on the pumptrack

4:15 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. - CIRCUS: “En s’attendant” show

5:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. - MUSIC: Bluestone Trio

7 to 8 p.m. - MUSIC : Réjean Turbide

8:30 to 9:30 p.m. - MUSIC: Leadville Union

9:30 p.m. to 10pm: Fireworks presented by Lot420

10pm to 10:45 p.m. : Leadville Union BAR managed by Microbrasserie Équinoxe // Foodtrucks on site: Derby’s and StrEat Tacos

The Municipality of Potton and the Festival organizers extend a Special thanks to the CABMN Volunteer Centre and its volunteers who offer their time and help during our event.



PHOTOS COURTESY

Patrick Gravel, general director of the Caisse Desjardins du Lac-Memphrémagog, and Valérie Thérien, director of communications and member of the Potton festival committee.

Thankyou to their sponsor Desjardins - Caisse du Lac-Memphrémagog for sponsoring the set up the Zone détente Desjardins on the festival site.

In addition to the planned festival, there will be activities going on in other areas of the town of Mansonville as well on Aug. 19. These include but are not limited to:

From 9-4 The Reilly House located at 302 Principale, Mansonville will offer Lunch, Christmas in August Sale, Cook book sale to benefit Partage/Share food bank, toy sale, and children’s activities.

Euro-Deli du Village located at 295 Principale, Mansonville will offer Polish Feast and Festivities starting at 11:45 a.m. with Polish music on the patio and a delicious Polish meal.

This is a big weekend for Potton and the hope is that attendees both local and those from far and wide will come to celebrate the Spirit of Potton in one of the most beautiful municipalities in the Eastern Townships.



Bargains for all at the Potton Covered Market and sale tables on site that day



A big crowd Enjoying last years mechoui supper



Saturday morning enjoy the Partage/Share fundraiser breakfast

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