

Calling all karaoke enthusiasts



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On Friday evening, August 9 the Esprit de Potton Festival will be hosting a Karaoke competition in Mansonville under the big tent from 8:00pm to 9:30pm.

If you love to sing and enjoy the karaoke experience, why not share your

talents and maybe win a prize. The event is sponsored by NexKemia Petrochemicals Inc. and the first prize winner will receive \$75.00, second prize is \$50.00 and the third place contestant will take home \$25.00. With over a thousand songs to sing, DJ Jerk will be on hand to provide the music to accompany the local voice talents of anyone wishing to participate.

Three judges will score the performers on song choice, audience appreciation and talent. For those who don't want to participate in the performing, you are encouraged to come out and cheer on those who are brave enough to perform; your presence is vital in a true karaoke competition experience. Bring a gang to cheer on your favourite performer and help boost their score with your enthusiasm.

Before the Karaoke there will be

Bingo with over \$500 of prizes as well as a \$200 jackpot. Following the Karaoke is an evening of dancing with DJ Jerk under the big tent as well. If Karaoke is not your thing, Cinema Potton will be offering an outdoor open air projection at the Round Barn site of "Bohemian Rhapsody." Dress appropriately or bring a blanket and your own lawn chair.

The festival continues the following day on the Saturday and is jam packed with a variety of activities for all ages to enjoy as well as a plethora of music and fun.

Last year's Karaoke first prize was awarded to Andre Vachon who did a variety of numbers and a wonderful rendition of Kenny Rogers "The Gambler." Other winners included Vicky Brault-Carrier who performed Janis Joplin's Bobby McGee and youth performer Brianna Woodard who belted out Adele's

"Rolling in the Deep."

If you love music and love to sing, come to the Esprit de Potton Karaoke competition this Friday evening in Mansonville and share your talent under the big tent!



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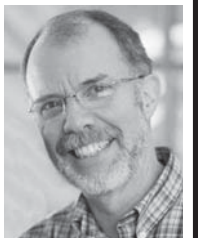
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