

# 2020 CONNECTME: FALL FEST

# MAIN STAGE ENTERTAINMENT

\*\*note: all guests will be able to attend the online main stage entertainment

#### versaCello

Maximilian and Theodor Aoki are brothers from Hamilton, Ontario.
Together, they arrange, compose, and perform contemporary music on two cellos. Since forming versaCello in 2014, they have won the 2015
JUNOs Turn It On: Sound
Off competition, recorded with JUNO



award-winning producer John "Beetle" Bailey, and opened Hamilton's Supercrawl 2018. Both are studying Engineering at McMaster University while concurrently pursuing exciting opportunities in music. They have recently worked with Emmy-nominated director Warren P. Sonoda, starring in his upcoming feature film Things I Do For Money and composing its original soundtrack.



### SIDE STAGE ENTERTAINMENT

\*\*note: all guests will be able to select 1 of the following three side stage events

# 1. Paint Night: Geeta Saxina

Get your paint on with Geeta Saxena!
Geeta is a professionally trained artist
who began practising from the young age
of 8 with her favourite cartoon characters
and then proceeded over the years to
achieve her Masters in Art. She has
taught many classes in painting with oils,
watercolours and acrylics. Her paintings
have featured in many exhibitions around
the GTA and have even won multiple
awards! Geeta loves experimenting and
learning new ways to create - these days
she's been busy trying out pouring art on



multimedia. You can view her art at <u>cargocollective.com/geetasaxena</u> and contact her via email at <u>geetas7@hotmail.com</u>. Please note that the image provided will be the image you will be painting.

# 2. Comedian: Adrienne Fish

Sit back and spend an hour with us being entertained by Canadian comedian Adrienne Fish. Adrienne has toured across Canada and the USA, performing at various colleges/universities where they awarded her "Comedian of the Year." She has appeared in major Canadian festivals and national TV tapings including Just for Laughs. In addition to Adrienne, there will be two opening comedians. Please note that this show may contain mature subject matter, viewer discretion is advised.



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# 3. Live Cooking Demonstration: Paul Hoag & David Fisher

Follow along with Chefs Paul Hoag and Dave Fisher, two renowned McMaster chefs, at a live snack-making demonstration. Chef Paul will share how to make a savory combination of takeaway snacks and appetizers, all shaken together in an array of seasonings, called a spice bag. Chef Dave will teach how to make a Beaver Tail in your very own kitchen and share his favourite go-to toppings.

## **Chef Paul Hoag**

Chef Hoag has been in the hospitality industry for 30 years; from small mom and pop restaurants to The Royal York Hotel under a World Master Chef, as well as one of the best restaurants in the country (Canoe). Chef Paul has had the privilege to cook for heads of state, politicians, music icons, celebrities, The English Royal Family and The Swedish Royal family. He is the only Canadian Chef to cook at the Nobel Peace Prize (Stockholm, Sweden) and is currently the Team Manager for Culinary Team Canada 2020-2024.



#### **Chef David Fisher**



Chef Fisher started his career in the financial district in Toronto. He graduated from George Brown College. Throughout his journey he has worked in various trendy Toronto areas such as High Park, Little Italy and the Beach. His career has taken him through several styles of food service. He has worked in restaurants, catering companies, multi venue banquet facilities and a golf course. David enjoys bringing new experiences and the comforts of food to people.

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