

# MILKY WAY DAYS

## THE BEAVER HILLS DARK SKY PRESERVE 10TH ANNUAL STAR PARTY

CELEBRATE THE 2015 UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF LIGHT  
AND LIGHT-BASED TECHNOLOGIES AT OUR TWO-DAY FESTIVAL.

**SATURDAY SEPT 5, 2015 | MIQUELON LAKE PROVINCIAL PARK**

**SUNDAY, SEPT 6, 2015 | ELK ISLAND NATIONAL PARK**

**2:00 PM – 11:00 PM DAILY**

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 - ELK ISLAND NATIONAL PARK - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### THE MAIN STAGE:

**Live Music: Bryon Thompson**

2:00, 3:00, & 4:00 pm

### ASTRONOMY FIELD:

**Solar Astronomy** 2:00 - 5:00 pm

**Star Gazing** 8:30 - 11:00 pm

### PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES:

2:00 – 5:00 pm

-Space Activities with Miquelon Lake Provincial Park

-Astronomy Crafts

-Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village

2:00 – 4:30 pm

-Astrophotography and RASC

-3D Printing with Ross Lockwood

3:00 – 4:00 pm

-Great Big Wild Scavenger Hunt\*

\*Young children must be accompanied by a parent.

4:30 pm

-Patrick Earl: Town of Bon Accord

### EVENING PROGRAMMING:

#### **Nighttime Critters**

Interact with biologists from the Alberta Science Network!

Near the theatre, 7:00 pm

#### **Keynote Speaker: Ross Lockwood**

##### **Mars Ablaze**

Theatre, 8:00 pm

#### **Keynote Speaker: Wilfred Buck**

##### **First Nations Astronomy**

Theatre, 9:00 pm with Laser Sky Tour to follow!

#### **Captured by the Light**

Scientist Jeffrey Newton uses a light trap and leads you from the dark into the "danger zone" as you "become" a moth!

Near the theatre, 9:30 pm

Please bring a red light headlamp or flashlight for better night sky viewing! No white lights, please.



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