



Nextfest 2022 Content Warnings

Opening Ceremonies			
ARTIST/ TITLE OF PIECE	PERFORMANCE DATE / TIME	AGE RESTRICTION	CONTENT WARNINGS
Christina Hollingworth	Thursday, June 2 at 6:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
Stem Champ	Thursday, June 2 at 6:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
Ronald Morrera	Thursday, June 2 at 6:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
Sissy Thiessen Kootenayoo	Thursday, June 2 at 7:00 pm	No age restrictions	Mention of (MMIWG2) Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls and Two-Spirits
Casual Friday, Performance Review	Thursday, June 2 at 7:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
坐月子 Sitting the Month	Thursday, June 2 at 7:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
MacEwan Youth Jazz Orchestra	Thursday, June 2 at 7:00 pm	No age restrictions	Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music
Theatre- Mainstage			
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Chuckle Ruckus	Various dates throughout festival	Recommended 14+	Adult Language / Adult Content, Sexual Content, Drug use, Cartoonish Violence
THE SHADOW AND THE FOOL; <i>a progress showing for a process growing</i>	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Mental Illness, Racism/ Racial slurs, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation, Bright Lights, Complete darkness, Extended periods of dim

			lights, Language of psychology and the institution of mental healthcare
Stone and Soil	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Bullying / Derogatory Language, Emotional Abuse, Mental Illness, Miscarriages/ Abortion, Sexism / Misogyny, Sexual Content, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation
Moonie and Maybee Dig Up a Grave	Various dates throughout festival	Recommended 14+	Blood, Death / Dying, Strobe Lights, Sudden Loud Noises, Strobe Lights, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Bright Lights, Violence, Cartoonish Violence, Smoke / Fog
Host Town	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Lyrics have references to Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying, Violence
OMISIMAWIW	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Political Content

Theatre - Progress Showings

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Fantomina	Friday, June 3 at 5:00 pm	14+ event	Adult Language / Adult Content, Pregnancy/ Childbirth, Sexual Assault, Sexual Content, Sexual Assault
interWEBBED	Sunday, June 5 at 4:00 pm	14+ event	Clown, Strobe Lights, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Bright Lights, Cartoonish Violence
QUEER CHORDS: <i>Journeys of Resilience Across Generations</i>	Friday, June 10 at 5:00 pm	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content

Theatre- Workshop Readings

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Pressure	Saturday, June 4 at	Recommended 14+	Adult Language / Adult Content, Mental Illness,

	6:00 pm		Suicide/ Suicide Ideation
Strathcona Retold	Sunday, June 5 at 10:00 am	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying, Violence
One Last Kiss	Saturday, June 11 at 12:00 pm (noon)	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Animal Cruelty / Animal Death, Bullying / Derogatory Language, Death / Dying, Sexism / Misogyny, Sexual Assault
7x12	Sunday, June 12 at 12:00 pm (noon)	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Mental Illness, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation
One Night Only Events (Showcases and Nite Clubs)			
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Well-Versed (Poetry Showcase)	Sunday, June 5 at 8:00 pm	Recommended 14+	Adult Language / Adult Content
You Might Notice Something Different About Me (Comedy Showcase) with JusJordan	Wednesday, June 8 at 9:00 pm	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Comedy: Some adult themes. No vulgar language or overt sexual. Mostly innuendo or allusion. JusJordan: Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying
iHuman Showcase	Thursday, June 9 at 9:00 pm	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Bullying / Derogatory Language, Emotional Abuse, Mental Illness, Racism/ Racial slurs, Self-Harm, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation, Verbal Abuse
Electrik (Burlesque Showcase)	Friday, June 10 at 9:00 pm	18+ event	Nudity and partial nudity. Sexual and sensual themes. Adult language/content.
Dollhouse After Dark (Drag Showcase)	Saturday, June 11 at 9:00 pm	18+ event	Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying, Mental Illness, Transphobia / Trans Misogyny, Cartoonish Violence, Sexual Content, Nudity
From the Valleys to the Alley... it's SIC! (Sublime Intervention Collective Nite Club)	Friday, June 3 at 9:30 pm	14+ event	Adult Language / Adult Content, Strobe Lights, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Bright Lights, Smoke / Fog

For the Gaze (Fear the Festival Nite Club)	Saturday, June 4 at 9:30 pm	18+ event	You may experience feelings of being watched. Nudity, Adult Language / Adult Content, Political Content, War, Adult Language / Adult Content, Sexual Violence, Flashing Lights and Strobe Lights
HellBent for Leather (SMUT Nite Club)	Friday, June 10 at 9:30 pm	18+ event	Adult Language / Adult Content, Nudity, Political Content, Religious Content, Sexual Content, Strobe Lights, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Bright Lights, Smoke / Fog, Deliberately provocative use of Christian/Catholic symbolism, pieces that address kink, BDSM, and consensual power exchange dynamics
Touching You I Catch Midnight (Pride Nite Club)	Saturday, June 11 at 9:30 pm	14+ event	Adult Language / Adult Content, Sexual Content, Trauma / PTSD

Digital Projects (Online)

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A Score for Daydreams	Accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Blood, Death / Dying, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Trauma / PTSD
One With	Accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions	No content warnings
Improvisations in Dance and Music	Accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Ableism, Adult Language / Adult Content, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music
What's Next? A-Choose-Your-Own-Audio-Journey	Accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying
EMI LAARA: <i>Little Stories to Dream</i>	Accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions	No content warnings

Dance

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WANDER Program (Through Threads, The Dusty Rose, TRUE COLOUR: A CHAMELEON JOURNEY)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Mental Illness, Trauma / PTSD, Topic of Addiction
WHIRL Program (Slip Through the Fog, Pivot, ESPARTANÆ)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions	No content warnings
WITHSTAND Program (Direct Sunlight Only: A Solo, Departure, Minutes, Hours, Days, Years)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Trauma / PTSD
Nextfest High School			
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THE FUTURE IS NOW Program (Songs for Robots, The Second AmendmAAAGHHH, The Dirge of 2038)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Off stage audible comical death, Adult Language / Adult Content
The Power of Four	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions	No content warnings
WHAT BONDS US Program (What Would She Say? The End of Us)	Various dates throughout festival	Recommended 14+	Adult Language / Adult Content, Emotional Abuse, Homophobia/ Hetrosexism, Miscarriages/ Abortion, Pregnancy/ Childbirth, Sexism / Misogyny, Trauma / PTSD, Verbal Abuse, Violence, Grooming
High School Cabaret (Hide and Seek, Kat Krys' Songwriter Showcase, The Road to Finding Yourself, The False King, Cutting Ties, Kaiya Gamble, Doesn't Matter)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Mental Illness, Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying, Homophobia/ Hetrosexism, Religious Content, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation
IN THEIR SHOES Program (The Modern-Day Muse, One Last Note, The Issue at Hand)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Emotional Abuse, Mental Illness, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation, Transphobia / Trans Misogyny, Sexism / Misogyny

WRITES OF PASSAGE Program (The Mine, The Law of Universal Gravitation)	Various dates throughout festival	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult Language / Adult Content, Death / Dying, Political Content, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Violence
Film			
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Program A (Kite Fest, Nurturing Solstice Sweetness, Miles Behind: A Spider-man fan film, frost light, I Am A Lizard - Dogman Dean, Teewick: Know Thyself)	In theatre: Sunday, June 12 at 2:00 pm And accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Religious Content, Adult Language / Adult Content, Racism/ Racial slurs, Violence, Strobe Lights, BLM movement content, police, guns shown, Religious Content
Program B (Power Moves, GTFO, Shouldering Intervals of Desire, The Last Song, Lemons, Valet)	In theatre: Sunday, June 12 at 3:30 pm And accessible anytime online at www.nextfest.ca	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Adult language/ Adult Content, Mental Illness, Sexual Content, Trauma / PTSD, Verbal Abuse, Discusses sex work and failure of adequate care in the mental health system, Sudden Loud Noises, Loud Sounds or Loud Music, Adult Language Bright Lights, Implied child death, implied violence,
Music			
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THE LOT SHOWCASE 1 - KAELEY JADE & GOOD INFORMATION	Saturday, June 4 at 2:00 pm	No age restrictions	Loud Music
THE LOT SHOWCASE 2- EMMET MICHAEL & HOMOFOONIK	Saturday, June 11 at 2:00 pm	No age restrictions, but please see Content Warnings	Loud Music, Mental Illness, Religious Content, Suicide/ Suicide Ideation, Transphobia / Trans Misogyny
DJs			
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DJ Wr4k3r	Thursday, June 2 at 7:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
DJ ExStepMom	Sunday, June 5 at 9:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings
DJ Jay Slay	Wednesday, June 8 at 10:00 pm	No age restrictions	No content warnings

	Thursday, June 9 at 10:00 pm		
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