



**BRANDON**  
Tourism

Riverbank Discovery Centre  
#1 – 545 Conservation Drive, Brandon, MB R7A 7L8  
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## July 2007 Calendar of Events

**Please Note:** Every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of the events listed in this calendar. It is strongly recommended that the reader call the contact name and number listed before attending any event. Should there be a discrepancy between this calendar and the event organizers, the latter will prevail.

### On-going Monthly Events

- **Riverbank Discovery Centre, #1 - 545 Conservation Drive, 729-2141**  
**2007 Riverbank Calendars for Sale** – \$4, proceeds go towards Riverbank Trail Development
- **Volunteer Phone Line Counsellor – Manitoba Farm & Rural Stress Line** – Are you interested in offering support to farmers & other rural Manitobans in need? Do you wish to gain experience in the counselling field? Training begins Oct 1 – Dec 15, 2007; Deadline for applications: Sept 24; Janet 571-4182
- **Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba, 710 Rosser Ave., 727-1036 or [www.agsm.ca](http://www.agsm.ca)**
  - Kids Summer Art Classes 2007 – July 2 – 27, Ages 6 – 13; Classes run in AM or PM & are one week long
- **Partners 4 Pints - Canadian Blood Services Donor Clinic** - Wednesdays 10am - 8 pm and Thursdays 2pm – 8pm, Town Centre 1-888-236-6283
- **The Counselling Centre – 335 - 9<sup>th</sup> St., 726-8706**
  - The Abandoned Grandparent group meets the fourth Thursday of every month at St. George's Anglican Church at 7pm
  - The Touchstones Grief Support group, dealing with the loss of a loved one, meets every two weeks on Wednesday's at the Counselling Centre
- **Elsbeth Reid Family Resource Centre presents** – prenatal & postnatal seminars; Tuesdays until December 31, 2007, 1pm – 3pm, 255 – 9<sup>th</sup> Street, 571-8482
- **Brandon Seniors for Seniors “Out to Lunch”** – 12:30pm, Thursdays, 311 Park Ave. E, Register by the Tuesday before, 571-2050
- **Canadian Federation of University Women** - meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month - Clark Hall, Room 104, Brandon University, new members and visitors welcome
- **The Rotary Club of Brandon Tuesday Luncheon** - 11:30am, Royal Oak Inn & Suites, Don Partrick 727-0493
- **The Rotary Club of Brandon Sunrise** - 7:00am, Thursdays, Canad Inn, Margaret Crofton 725-0994
- **Prairie Oasis Bingo** - 1:15pm & 6:00pm Mondays and 1:15pm Thursdays, Prairie Oasis Senior Centre, 241 - 8<sup>th</sup> St., Louise Hunter 727-6641
- **Toastmasters International** – 7:00am, Thursdays, Canad Inns, Brian 761-5356 (evenings)
- **Live Entertainment** – Dining Room in Remington's every Saturday, 7pm – 10pm, 571-3838
- **Live Music** – Double Decker Tavern every Thursday night – featuring BU Music Students, 10<sup>th</sup> Street & Rosser Avenue
- **Rainbow Youth Alliance** – For those who are Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender or Two-Spirited and under 25. Contact the Sexuality Education Resource Centre – 161-8<sup>th</sup> St. 727-0417
- **Sexuality Education Resource Centre Coffee House** – For Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Two-Spirited, Transgender and Friends. Third Thursday of every month at 7pm 161-8<sup>th</sup> St. 727-0417
- **Lawn Furniture Blitz** – COR Enterprises Inc. – May to September – Mon. to Fri., 8:30am - 4pm, 364 Park Ave. E.
- **Hope Al-Anon – Al-Anon Family Groups** – 8pm Every Tuesday – Knox United Church (back door) – 451 – 18<sup>th</sup> St., contact Eva or Marie, 571-3684

- **Wheat City Group – Al-Anon Family Groups** – 8pm Every Wednesday – St. George's Anglican Church (side door) – 5<sup>th</sup> St. & Southern Ave., contact Eva or Marie, 571-3684
  - **Widow/Widower Support Committee Walks** – Every Wednesday – Meet at the Riverbank Discovery Centre at 6:30pm, contact Lorna, 728-5367 or Charlie, 726-4723
  - **Coffee House** – 7<sup>th</sup> Street Health Access Centre Community Kitchen – First Sunday of every month – 2-5pm, contact Greg or Amanda, 578-4801
  - **Mini U 2007 – Summer Camp** for ages 5 – 16; July 3 - Aug 10, 727-9642 or email: [mini@brandonu.ca](mailto:mini@brandonu.ca) or [www.brandonu.ca/mini](http://www.brandonu.ca/mini)
  - **St. John Ambulance** – Boaters Safety Testing now available; for more info call 727-4466
  - **Service Canada Centre for Youth** – Are you in need for some extra help during July & August? Are you willing to mentor a 12yr – 17yr old student looking to gain networking skills & employment experience? 726-7799 or [brandon-SEO@servicecanada.gc.ca](mailto:brandon-SEO@servicecanada.gc.ca)
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#### **Sunday, July 1**

- **CANADA DAY** – Celebrations at the Riverbank Discovery Centre – Opening ceremonies at 1pm, full day of activities and vendors, fireworks at dusk
- Interdenominational Church Service – City Hall, 9am
- Shoppers Mall open from 12pm – 5pm
- Town Centre - CLOSED
- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge – Keystone Centre & Sportsplex, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)

#### **Monday, July 2**

- Shoppers Mall – CLOSED
- Town Centre - CLOSED
- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge – Keystone Centre & Sportsplex, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)

#### **Tuesday, July 3**

- Music in the Parks – The Heartbreakers; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025

#### **Wednesday, July 4**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Thursday, July 5**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 6pm - 8pm, Norah, 727-3788
- Music in the Parks – The Music Makers; Princess Park, Kathryn 726-5025
- Cruisin' The Dub – Brandon & Area Car Enthusiasts, 6pm – 10pm, 6<sup>th</sup> Street – 10<sup>th</sup> Street on Rosser Ave., 727-6965 or [www.bace.ca](http://www.bace.ca)
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR & Standard CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Friday, July 6**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Saturday, July 7**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 10am - 1pm; Contact Norah, 727-3788
- Farmers Market – Town Centre Parkade – 9am-12pm – Jeanette, 763-4888
- Open Garden Tours – throughout Brandon; visit Brandon Riverbank Discovery Centre or call Pat 729-2137
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466
- Ridgefest – Local Rock Bands – 1pm - 11pm – Planet KIA (back lot) – 18<sup>th</sup> St. North; Contact Frank, 727-6660, [www.ridgefest.org](http://www.ridgefest.org)

#### **Sunday, July 8**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)

- Motorcycle Poker Derby – Starts at the Riverbank Discovery Centre
- Open Garden Tours – throughout Brandon; visit Brandon Riverbank Discovery Centre or call Pat 729-2137
- Assiniboine Valley Run Show & Shine – Brandon & Area Car Enthusiasts, 1pm – 5pm; Riverbank Discovery Centre, [www.bace.ca](http://www.bace.ca) or 727-6965
- Royal Canadian Artillery Museum – Tour of Camp Hughes; \$5 each – leaving RCA at 1pm, 765-3000, Ext. 3570

#### **Monday, July 9**

- St. John Ambulance – Standard CPR, 6:30pm – 10:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Tuesday, July 10**

- Music in the Parks – Fyre in the Byre & Crystal's Celtic Dancers; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025
- St. John Ambulance – Standard CPR, 6:30pm – 10:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Wednesday, July 11**

- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Thursday, July 12**

- Music in the Parks – Fingal's Last Pint; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 6pm - 8pm, Norah, 727-3788
- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)

#### **Friday, July 13**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)

#### **Saturday, July 14**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)
- Farmers Market – Town Centre Parkade – 9am-12pm – Jeanette, 763-4888
- Farmers Market & Flea Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre - 10am - 1pm; Norah 727-3788
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR & Standard CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466
- St. John Ambulance – Babysitting Course – 9am – 3:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Sunday, July 15**

- 2007 Source for Sports presents AAA Hockey Challenge, [www.aaahockey.com](http://www.aaahockey.com) or email [darryl@aaahockey.com](mailto:darryl@aaahockey.com)
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466
- Radio Control Drag Racing – Bracket Racing Format; registration 10am – 11:30am; time trials 10:30am – 12pm & 1pm – 2:30pm – Riverbank Discovery Centre, Richard 724-5838

#### **Tuesday, July 17**

- Music in the Parks – Poor Boy Roger & Professor PeeWee; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult CPR, 6:30pm – 10:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Wednesday, July 18**

- Seniors Club – Shoppers Mall – 9:30am - 11:30am – Featuring: Super Run Car Show Information Display, contact Lee Orr, 728-3255
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult CPR, 6:30pm – 10:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Thursday, July 19**

- Music in the Parks – The Randall Family; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 6pm - 8pm, Norah, 727-3788
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR & Standard CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Friday, July 20**

- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

#### **Saturday, July 21**

- Farmers Market – Town Centre Parkade – 9am -12pm – Jeanette, 763-4888
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 10am - 1pm; Norah 727-3788
- Open Doors Brandon – Throughout the City, 729-2280
- Pennywise Books – Street party & midnight opening to celebrate the release of Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, 1031 Rosser Ave., 728-2665 or email: [pennywise@westman.wave.ca](mailto:pennywise@westman.wave.ca)

#### **Sunday, July 22**

- Open Doors Brandon – Throughout the City, 729-2280

### **Tuesday, July 24**

- Music in the Parks – Sound Motif; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR & Standard CPR, 6:30am – 10:30pm, 727-4466

### **Wednesday, July 25**

- Look Good Feel Better Workshop – For women who are about to have, are undergoing, or have just completed chemotherapy or radiation treatments – Marg, 848-2163 or Helena, 726-8315
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR & Standard CPR, 6:30am – 10:30pm, 727-4466

### **Thursday, July 26**

- Music in the Parks – Brandon Folk Festival Kick-Off Night; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 6pm - 8pm, Norah, 727-3788
- St. John Ambulance – Babysitting Course – 9am – 3:30pm, 727-4466

### **Friday, July 27**

- St. John Ambulance – Respect in the Workplace – 9am – 12pm, 727-4466
- Brandon Folk Music & Arts Festival – Under the trees at the Keystone Centre Grounds; [info@brandonfolkfestival.com](mailto:info@brandonfolkfestival.com)

### **Saturday, July 28**

- Brandon Folk Music & Arts Festival – Under the trees at the Keystone Centre Grounds; [info@brandonfolkfestival.com](mailto:info@brandonfolkfestival.com)
- Farmers Market - Riverbank Discovery Centre – 10am – 1pm, Norah 727-3788
- Farmers Market – Town Centre Parkade – 9am - 12pm – Jeanette 763-4888
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR & Standard CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

### **Sunday, July 29**

- Brandon Folk Music & Arts Festival – Under the trees at the Keystone Centre Grounds; [info@brandonfolkfestival.com](mailto:info@brandonfolkfestival.com)
- St. John Ambulance – Standard First Aid with Adult, Child & Infant CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

### **Monday, July 30**

- Brandon Folk Music & Arts Festival – Under the trees at the Keystone Centre Grounds; [info@brandonfolkfestival.com](mailto:info@brandonfolkfestival.com)
- 50<sup>th</sup> Canadian National Appaloosa Show – Agricultural Centre of Excellence – July 30 – August 4, [www.appaloosa.ca](http://www.appaloosa.ca)
- St. John Ambulance – Emergency First Aid with Adult CPR, 8:30am – 4:30pm, 727-4466

### **Tuesday, July 31**

- Music in the Parks – The Music Makers; Eleanor Kidd Gardens, Kathryn 726-5025

### **COMING EVENTS:**

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- **Great Canadian 2007 Appaloosa Sale** – Thursday, August 2, preview 6pm; sale 7pm, [www.appaloosa.ca](http://www.appaloosa.ca), Agricultural Centre of Excellence
  - **Farmers Market** - Riverbank Discovery Centre – Every Thursday until Sept 27, from 6pm - 8pm & every Saturday until Sept 29, from 10am – 1pm, Norah, 727-3788
  - **Super Run Car Show** – August 3 – 5, Keystone Centre, 726-3590
  - **Farmer's Market - Flea Market** - Riverbank Discovery Centre – August 11, 10am - 1pm; Norah 727-3788
  - **RCA Museum – Tour of Camp Hughes** – August 12; \$5 per person; leaving the RCA at 1pm, Ph: 765-3000, ext. 3570
  - **Wheat King Hockey School** – August 12 – 18, Keystone Centre
  - **Radio Control Drag Racing – Bracket Racing Format** – August 12, registration 10am – 11:30am; time trials 10:30am – 12pm & 1pm – 2:30pm – Riverbank Discovery Centre, Richard 724-5838
  - **Westman CADORA** – August 18, Keystone Centre
  - **Lipizzaner Stallions** - August 18, Westman Communications Group Place, Keystone Centre – Ticketmaster 726-3555 or [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca)
  - **Look Good Feel Better Workshop** – For women who are about to have, are undergoing, or have just completed chemotherapy or radiation treatments – August 22 – Marg, 848-2163 or Helena, 726-8315
  - **Manitoba Light Horse All Breed Show** - August 25, Keystone Centre
  - **Manitoba Heritage Tattoo**, Saluting Brandon's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – August 25 – 26, Keystone Centre, [www.mbheritagetattoo.ca](http://www.mbheritagetattoo.ca), 726-3555, [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca)
  - **Provincial 4-H Horse Show** – August 31 – September 2, Ag Centre, Keystone Centre
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