



**Weekends Start Thursdays
August 7th to August 10th**

D-Spot for Variety

Afrikadey Festival Preview

August 7, noon – 1:00 p.m., Olympic Plaza

Afrikadey!

The Annual celebration of African arts and culture.

August 9, 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Prince's Island Park.

For additional Information: www.afrikadey.com

Korean Day Festival.

A celebration of Korean arts, culture and food.

August 9, 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Shaw Millennium Park.

For additional information: 403 216-4600

Taste of Calgary

Returns to the Festival Market at Eau Claire August 7 - 10; Outdoor food and beverage sampling from some of Calgary's finest restaurants.

For additional information: www.tasteofcalgary.com:

Calgary International Blues Festival.

Four-day blues festival for all ages.

August 7, 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

August 8, 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

August 9/10, noon to 10:00 p.m.

Pumphouse Park

For additional information: www.calgarybluesfest.com

Shakespeare in the Park - take in Mount Royal's presentation of The Tempest and the Merry Wives of Windsor at Prince's Island Park from July 3 to August 23. 7:00 p.m. nightly except Sunday. Complete Works at 12:10 p.m. except Sundays. More information at www.myshakespeare.ca

YouthLink - The Calgary Police Interpretive Centre. Educational hands-on facility that examines the fascinating aspects of police work from homicide to youth-crime issues. June - September at the Police Administration Building. More information available at www.youthlinkcalgary.com.

Greenfest - occurs every Thursday on Stephen Avenue Walk between Centre Street and 1st Street SE from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Experience a sense of community in the grassroots fruit and vegetable market.

Calgary Ghost Tours - Looking for a fun way to entertain your Guests or Family? Or something to keep the kids occupied for an evening? One of our spine tingling walking tours could be the answer.

Starting at the base of the Calgary Tower, join us for an evening of ghostly entertainment. Locals and visitors alike will be fascinated by these glimpses into the mischief, mayhem and murders of Calgary. We research all of the stories ourselves and they will be enjoyed even by the skeptics among the group.

Dates and times vary so for details, check out the website at: www.calgaryghosttours.com

D-Spot for Art

Art Gallery of Calgary presents a new show: ***Do You Know What I Mean: The Lived Experience of Sex Trade Workers***. Commencing July 8, this new photovoice exhibition explores the sex trade through women's photography and stories. It features the work of five Calgary women, Candace, Holly, Nicole, Vicki and Tammy.

Art Gallery of Calgary website: www.artgallerycalgary.org

D-Spot for Movie Buffs

The Globe Cinema for Thursday, August 7, 2008

Just Buried (14A)

Nightly at 9:25 pm

The Wackness (18A)

Nightly at 7:15 and 9:20 p.m.

Sat & Sun Mats @ 1:15 p.m. and 3:20 p.m.

Mongol (14A)

Nightly @ 7:00 p.m. and 9:30 pm

Sat & Sun Mats @ 1:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

For additional information go to: www.landmarkcinemas.com/

Showtimes at The Uptown for Thursday, August 7th

Young People F*cking (18A)

Daily @ 4:50, 7:00 p.m. and 9:10 p.m.

Sat, Sun & Tues Mats @ 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

The Visitor (PG)

Daily @ 7:10

Sat, Sun & Tues Mats @ 12:30 pm

War, Inc (14A)

Daily @ 5:00 and 9:20 pm

Sat, Sun & Tues Mats @ 2:30

Showtimes at the Uptown for Thursday, August 7, to Sunday, August 10, 2008

The Edge of Heaven (14A)

Daily @ 4:40, 7:00 and 9:20 pm

Sat & Sun Mats @ 12:10

Young People F*cking (18A)

Daily @ 4:50, 9:10 pm

The Visitor (PG)

Daily @ 7:10 pm

Sat & Sun Mats @ 2:40

Please check the website for additional information www.theuptown.com

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Check out our [Events Calendar](#).

If you have an event you would like featured on "Weekends Start Thursday... Downtown" or placed on the events calendar, simply visit <http://www.calgarydowntown.com/events/addevent.php> and submit your information. It's that easy!