

SPECTACLE *chocolat*

Call for Artists

Show date: Saturday August 28
12 p.m.-5 p.m., Port Dalhousie

Application Deadline: March 30

★ A Vaudevillian-style Chocolate Show

Spectacle Chocolat is set within a unique event called *The Chocolate Race*. The second annual event is part running race-part festival and definitely celebration of all things chocolate. The race takes place on Sunday August 29 and is more about fun - and eating chocolate - than competition. Last year's attendance included 600 participants & approximately 400 supporters and spectators. *Spectacle Chocolat*, taking place the day before, is based on a similar theme. Much like running and chocolate, this Vaudevillian-style show featuring unusual and off-the-wall artistic interpretations of all things chocolate, is about pushing the boundaries of expression and possibility in a fun, entertaining, sometimes unexpected and downright playful way!

★ The Pertinents

1. Acts can be scheduled for 1 or more shows
2. Acts must be between 30-50 minutes each & will rotate throughout the afternoon
3. Acts will be scheduled in a variety of unique INSIDE venues in downtown Port Dalhousie
4. Each act will be compensated on a sliding scale depending on the number of artists in your production, length & number of performances
5. Applicants may be asked to audition
6. Lighting, sound, Master of Ceremonies provided.

★ Theme & Sample Acts

Theme: Chocolate, *Chocolat*

Sample Acts: Chocolate juggler, Live chocolate painting demonstration set to music, Spoken word chocolate confession, "Sweet" poetry, Comedic Choir that incorporates truffles into their performance

★ Assessment Criteria

Fit with theme & Uniqueness, Public engagement & Feasibility to carry out project

All artists will receive confirmation of submission & notification when acts chosen.



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★ Applicant

Artist/Group Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Postal Code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Website _____

How to Apply - Email or Snail Mail:

1. Contact details as outlined on Page 2
2. Artist(s)' proposal (200 word max.)
3. CV/Resume of past performances (1 page max.)
4. Sample of audio/visual performance via any two of the following: CD, DVD, Internet link, reviews, 1-page script selection
5. List of technical requirements (Note above please)
6. 50 word BIO & 2@ 300dpi jpg images of artist(s)
6. Email/Mail submission by deadline to:

Spectacle Chocolat, 19 Stuart Ave. St. Catharines, L2R 1M6
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Please test to ensure CD/DVD works; send SASE if you require your work returned and send ".doc" NOT ".docx" files