



**Leading a dynamic community
celebrating the *Arts***

Performing at First Friday Red Deer,
February 5, incredible duo of
Andrew Ludtke and Jeremy Doody



The Red Deer Arts Council is pleased to present a special **First Friday Red Deer Concert** featuring local duo, Andrew Ludtke and Jeremy Doody, in the Snell Auditorium at the downtown library. (4818 - 49 Street, Red Deer)

Playing classical, jazz and contemporary music, this trombone and guitar duo will give our audience chills and thrills as they hit the high and low notes resonating through the auditorium.



The duo will be playing from 6:15 to 6:45 pm and 7:00 to 7:30 pm. This is a sit-down concert, so make sure to come early for a good seat. Refreshments available.

The adjacent Kiwanis Gallery will be open from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

Andrew Ludtke on trombone and Jeremy Doody on guitar, 2015

December 29, 2015 to February 21, 2016
Urban Moves: Photographs by Arto Djerdjarian continues in the Kiwanis Gallery.

First Friday Red Deer is sponsored by the Red Deer Downtown Business Association



Supporting the Arts Downtown



Webinar Wednesdays Return!

When: Wednesday, February 17 and 24, 2016 at 11:00 am. Discussion to follow

Where: Each session is held at the Culture Services Centre at 3827-39 Street on Wednesday mornings. Seminars begin at 11:00 am sharp. Please arrive a few minutes early to get a seat.

Wednesday, February 17th - **Getting started with social media: Building a social media strategy**

While many have touted the benefits of social media, often times it is challenging to decide how to get started and use social media well. It helps to have a plan when you are starting from square one. This webinar discusses how to build a social media strategy to kick-start and enhance your organization's social media presence. It is a comprehensive blueprint outlining how **arts organizations** can begin using social media to improve engagement, highlight key messages and boost the organization's brand. Participants will learn a strategic approach to build and maintain social media platforms. You will also understand how different types of content (text, images, video, etc.) work on different social media platforms and will learn how to maximize their impact.

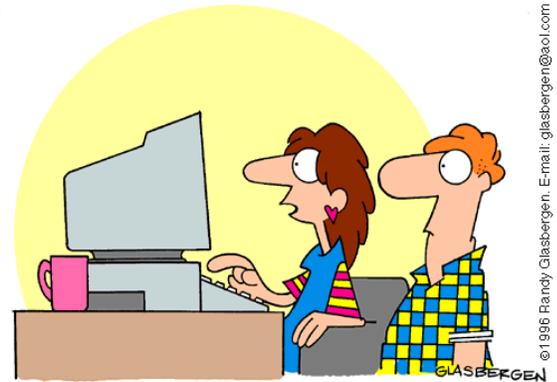
Wednesday, February 24 – **Creating compelling online content that'll cut through the noise**

Online content can quickly become stale. To stay current, **nonprofits and arts organizations** have to come up with creative ways to share and produce content – and lots of it – to cut through the noise. This webinar will share strategies to create engaging content that will resonate, with a limited budget. Participants will learn to prioritize and decide the types of content that work best for their organization to engage audiences and boost the organization's brand. Whether it is short 15-second videos, photos, blog posts or tweets, this webinar will highlight the tools and strategies you can use to enhance your organization's digital presence.

Webinars presented by Red Deer Arts Council,
Culture Services and Ontario Presents

Register by calling 403-348-2787

Workshop is free but registration is necessary to ensure we have enough room.



"Whenever something goes wrong,
I just push this little button and restart.
I wish my whole life was like that!"

Red Deer Arts Council Annual General Meeting and "Where's My Tribe?" Event

Notice is hereby given that the **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** of The Red Deer Arts Council will be held on Monday, March 21st, 2016, at 6:30 pm in the Snell Auditorium in the downtown branch of the Red Deer Public Library at 4818 49 Street, Red Deer, Alberta.

Immediately following the AGM, Red Deer Arts Council will host a "Where's My Tribe?" social from 7:30 to 8:30 pm with entertainment and a mix and mingle event to familiarize yourself with fellow members. Refreshments will be served and everyone is welcome to attend.

A fundraising event in support of Asooahum Crossing



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12 2016
FESTIVAL HALL, 4214 - 58 ST, RED DEER 7:00 P.M.

TICKETS
 ONLINE, AT THE DOOR
PEAVEY MART
 RED DEER NATIVE FRIENDSHIP SOCIETY
www.countrypridedanceclub.ca

MÉTIS MUSIC & DANCE DEMO,
 ALONG WITH COUNTRY & MORE BY
TRENT AGECOUTAY AND THE UNCLE BROTHERS
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Red Deer Cultural
Heritage Society



TICKETS are \$20 for a family of 4, \$10/adult, \$5/youth, age 3 and under are FREE

The Red Deer Arts Council is pleased to be a partner for this series of family dances.
 Keep your eye out for our May event! Fun for the whole family!

We are the Arts



Scott Barnabé chairing the 2015 Annual General Meeting at the downtown Public Library, 2015.

Watch for an exciting announcement of our Entertainment for our 2016 AGM!

We are friends, volunteers, and active participants in the arts.

We enjoy all that Red Deer offers with a busy arts environment.

We are the Red Deer Arts Council and its many Members. Join today!

We are proud to call Red Deer home.

Join us in discovering the best our City has to offer.

A Big Thank You to all our 2015 Donors and Sponsors for their generous support!

SAVE THE DATES! Creative Business Planning for Your Creative Business

Use creative processes to develop a plan that inspires you to grow the business side of your art-making life.

April 12, 19, AND 26 (6:30 – 8:45 p.m.)

Watch the RDAC website and the March newsletter for more details.

The Canadian Revenue Agency recognizes our CHARITY Status and enables us to give tax receipts for your donations. Give a little, give a lot! Even \$10.00 helps and you get a tax receipt for it, too.

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