

**LAKE LOUISE FALL FESTIVAL** While some may bemoan the fact that most tourists zoom through town on their way to the mountains, nobody can deny the beauty of the Rockies. Get to know them again with festivities and activities planned throughout the month at Lake Louise. **Sept. 1 to Oct. 11. At Lake Louise and area. [banfflake Louise.com](http://banfflake Louise.com).**



upcoming

**Doing Business in the Gulf Arab States**

Friday, Sept. 16. Part of the Lunchbox Soapbox Speaker Series. Dr. James Onley, Director of the Centre for Gulf Studies at the University of Exeter, will deliver a 20-minute talk and a 10-minute Q&A followed by a networking lunch at the Auburn Saloon. At Lunchbox Theatre, 115 9th Ave. S.E. 12-1:30 p.m. 403-265-4292, tickets: [lunchboxtheatre.com](http://lunchboxtheatre.com).

**SPORTS**

**sat aug 27**  
**Calgary Stampede vs. Montreal Alouettes**  
At McMahon Stadium, 2 p.m. 403-289-0258, [stampede.com](http://stampede.com).

**upcoming**  
**Calgary Stampede vs. Edmonton Eskimos** Labour Day Classic, Monday, Sept. 5. At McMahon Stadium, 2:30 p.m. 403-289-0258, [stampede.com](http://stampede.com).

**Spruce Meadows Masters**  
Wednesday, Sept. 7 to Sunday, Sept. 11. The best athletes from the world's top show jumping nations compete for the top prize money and international acclaim. Also, family entertainment and shopping opportunities. Spruce Meadows, 18011 Spruce Meadows Way S.W. [sprucemeadows.com](http://sprucemeadows.com).

**Calgary Stampede vs. B.C. Lions** Saturday, Sept. 17. 5 p.m. 403-289-0258, [stampede.com](http://stampede.com).

**Calgary Stampede vs. Saskatchewan Roughriders** Saturday, Oct. 1. 2 p.m. 403-289-0258, [stampede.com](http://stampede.com).

**Calgary Stampede vs. Saskatchewan Roughriders**  
Friday, Oct. 21. 7:30 p.m. 403-289-0258, [stampede.com](http://stampede.com).

**Neomi K. Lewis**  
Saturday, Sept. 10. The launch of the Calgary Public Library's 2011 Writer-in-Residence program. Lewis will read from a selection of her works and outlines her plans for her residency. At Memorial Park Library, 1221 2nd St. S.W. 403-221-2006, [calgarypubliclibrary.com](http://calgarypubliclibrary.com).

**Tom Campbell**  
Friday, Sept. 23. The author of *My Big TOE (Theory of Everything)* will be in-store to meet customers, sign books and answer questions. At Self Connection Books, 125, 4611 Bowness Rd. N.W. 3-5 p.m. 403-284-1486, [selfconnection.ca](http://selfconnection.ca).

**Society of Children's Book Writers & Illustrators**  
**Conference** Saturday, Oct. 1. One-day conference for children's writers and illustrators. Registration closes Friday, Aug. 26. At Wingate Inn, 400 Midpark Way S.E. 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. [wicanada.org/west](http://wicanada.org/west).

**Wordfest 2011**  
Tuesday, Oct. 11 to Sunday, Oct. 16. Annual literary festival in Calgary, Banff and the Bow Valley. Featuring more than 70 local, national and international writers. Various venues. 403-237-9068, [wordfest.com](http://wordfest.com).

**C.C. Benison**  
Wednesday, Nov. 9. The mystery author launches *Twelve Drummers Drumming*, the first volume in his new Father

are victims of human trafficking, and to inspire action to end sexual exploitation and gender-based injustice. Mark Wollenberg of International Justice Mission Canada will deliver the keynote address. At Hope Community Covenant Church, 245 Brent Blvd., Strathmore, Saturday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. \$45. [hopecommunity.ca](http://hopecommunity.ca).

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**Calgary Association of Lifelong Learners Launch**  
Stimulating conversation, drinks and snacks, highlighted by featured guest, Dr. David Hogan, director of University of Calgary's Brenda Stratford Centre on Aging, speaking on "Learning, Living and Aging Well." At Triwood Community Association, 2244 Chicoutimi Dr. N.W. 4-7 p.m. [lifelonglearners.ca](http://lifelonglearners.ca)

**Alberta Family Histories**  
Society Monthly lectures (excluding July and August) by experts in the genealogical field. First Monday of the month, except for holidays. Visitors welcome. At River Park Church, 3818 14A St. S.W. Free. [afhs.ab.ca](http://afhs.ab.ca).

**Calgary Knights of the Round Table** Every Tuesday. Lunch followed by a speaker and discussion period. At the Ramada Inn, 708 8th Ave. S.W. 12 p.m. \$15. [sites.google.com/site/calgaryknights/otherroundtable](http://sites.google.com/site/calgaryknights/otherroundtable).

**Conversation Cafe**  
The Third Ground, 26...



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