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Land Acknowledgement

Westben is nestled amongst the gently rolling hills of the Gunshot Treaty Lands and subsequent Williams Treaties of 1923, and the traditional territory of the Michi Saagiig (Mississauga) Anishinaabeg near what is now known as Campbellford, Ontario.

This area today includes neighbouring Alderville, Hiawatha, and Curve Lake First Nations—thriving communities with cultural roots of music-making spanning thousands of years. To learn more, we invite you to read *Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg: The History of Curve Lake First Nation* by Doug Williams and edited by Leanne Betasamosake Simpson, *Alderville First Nation... A History* by Brian Beaver and *The Village of Hiawatha: A History* by Heather Y. Shpuniarsky and the Village of Hiawatha Book Committee.

Our music-making at Westben is therefore in grateful recognition and appreciation of our Michi Saagiig friends whose music has filled these lands for generations.

Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Accessibility

Westben is committed to recognizing, upholding, and celebrating the human rights and dignity of Black and Indigenous members of our community as well as with all people of colour and those in other marginalized groups whose lives are impacted and wrongly constrained by racism and discrimination. To that end, all Westben's work and activities are guided by principles of equity, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility. These principles inform decision-making, the development of strategic initiatives, community engagement activities and policy formulation. The Board fosters an approach of ongoing learning and improvement striving to continue incorporating these principles in its ongoing work and throughout the organization.

Accessibility

Westben is committed to providing a welcoming, inclusive, and accessible experience for all patrons across our venues and services. To support this commitment, tickets may be pre-ordered by phone at 1-877-883-5777 or online at www.westben.ca and can be emailed or mailed directly to you. We ask that wheelchair users kindly advise the Box Office at the time of booking so we may best support your visit. Westben offers close parking with chauffeured golf cart service to each venue, wheelchair-accessible portable washrooms at The Barn, Willow Hill, and The Campfire, and on-site staff and volunteers who are always available to assist. Our venues offer a range of accessible features, including flexible seating, accessible entrances, and support for mobility devices, and we continue to learn and improve as we work toward greater accessibility across all Westben spaces and programs.

For our complete Accessibility Guide, please visit westben.ca/venues-accessibility

Message from Westben's Artistic & Managing Director Brian Finley



How do you see the world?

Do you see a swamp? Or wetlands, teeming with a dizzying array of interdependent forms of life?

Do you hear noise, or is it a fascinating interplay of glittering polyphony? Is the glass half empty or half full?

How you see comes down to your perspective. And perspective is often just a matter of choice. In many ways, it is up to us to choose how we see the world around us.

Welcome to Season 2026 where we have made a choice to find and share the good, the beautiful and the positive! From the inner beauty of the "Ogre" Shrek, and his "Princess" Fiona, to the fulfilling joy of iconic musicians like Judy Collins and Jim Cuddy, we are thrilled to invite you to our 27th amazing collection of happy experiences here under the summer skies of southern Ontario.

Even if it rains, it's refreshing!

That's just how we look at it! And honestly, how could we think otherwise? Here, we are surrounded by a stunningly beautiful setting. People are happy and the welcome is sincere. Guest artists are inspired, and the music-making is joyful. The whole experience is one that reminds you that life can be good—*is* good if you choose to look at it that way. And it is even better when shared...

And about that glass? I say it's all full (half water and half air)!

No matter how you look at it, thanks for choosing Westben! It's good to have you here...

Brian Finley, C.M.
Artistic & Managing Director

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Westben Membership—Your All-Access Pass to Music in Nature

A Westben Membership is **your insider access** to everything you love about Westben.

Your Membership gives you flexibility, priority, and connection—bringing you closer to the music, the artists, and the land that make this place so special.

All Members Receive:

- Advance notice & early access to ticket purchasing before the public—making it easier to plan your season and secure great seats!
- Complimentary ticket exchange privileges
- Recognition on Westben's website
- Members' communications
- Charitable tax receipt
- Invitation and eligibility to vote at Westben's Annual Meeting

Every Membership gives you access, priority, and connection—while also sustaining the performances, artists, and natural setting that make Westben unlike anywhere else.

Memberships begin at Hayloft (\$100)—earlier access, greater connection, and more opportunities to engage with Westben in meaningful ways.

Choose from the following membership levels:

Hayloft - \$100 Paddock - \$1,000
Granary - \$250 Orchard - \$2,500
Gambrel - \$500 Raspberry Patch - \$5,000

*Student Memberships are available upon request

This is Your Westben.

Join today: westben.ca/membership



Experiences—A Summer to Remember



Come for the concerts stay for the Experiences!

Turn your visit into a full day of fun, flavour, and discovery with:

- **Thursday Night Yoga Series**—unwind and reset before the music begins
- **Friday Night Sizzlers**—enjoy dishes from amazing local restaurants
- **Meals in the Meadow**—dine outdoors in a beautiful setting
- **Nature Minutes**—quick, inspiring moments with the natural world
- **Pre-Concert Chats**—get the inside scoop before the show
- **Meet the Artists**—connect with the talent behind the music
- **Self-Guided Garden Tours**—explore stunning plant life
- **Gourmet Picnics**—elevate your concert with great food

And that’s just the beginning.

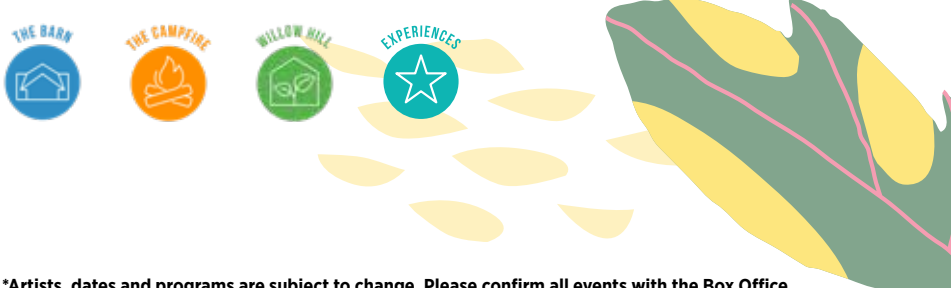
There’s always something happening so make a day of it, and make the most of it!



Calendar of Events

Summer at-a-Glance 2026

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
8 JUNE	9	10	11	12 SHREK THE MUSICAL 7:00 PM	13 SHREK THE MUSICAL 2:00 PM	14 SHREK THE MUSICAL 2:00 PM
15	16	17	18	19 SHREK THE MUSICAL 7:00 PM	20 SHREK THE MUSICAL 2:00 PM	21 SHREK THE MUSICAL 2:00 PM
22	23	24	25 ★ BEN FINLEY & WEAVING LOCUS 7:00 PM	26 ★ PRIDE AT WESTBEN 7:00 PM	27 NATURAL BALANCE 7:00 PM	28 ★ JIM CUDDY 2:00 PM & 7:00 PM
29	30	1 JULY	2 ★ ECHOES FROM EAST TO WEST 7:00 PM	3 ★ THE LONGEST JOHNS 7:00 PM	4 GINO QUILICO 2:00 PM	5 CANADIAN CHAMBER ORCHESTRA 2:00 PM
6	7	8	9 ★ KIRAN AHLUWALIA 7:00 PM	10 ★ CC DUO 2:00 PM HANNAH GEORGAS 7:00 PM	11 AYSANABEE 7:00 PM	12 ★ JUDY COLLINS 7:30 PM
13	14	15	16 ★ CRIS DERKSEN 7:00 PM	17 ★ SONGS OF THE EARTH 2:00 PM STEVE PATTERSON 7:00 PM	18 WILLIAM PRINCE 2:00 PM & 7:00 PM	19 LEAHY 2:00 PM
20	21	22 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	23 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	24 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	25 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	26 ★ ÉLISABETH PION 2:00 PM
27	28 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	29 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	30 BARNFUL OF BROADWAY 2:00 PM	31 ★ BIG SMOKE BRASS 7:00 PM	AUGUST 1 CAITY GYORGY 2:00 PM ALISON YOUNG 7:00 PM	2 ★ HILARIO DURÁN 2:00 PM



*Artists, dates and programs are subject to change. Please confirm all events with the Box Office.

Residencies



Since 2018, Westben's Performer-Composer Residency (PCR) has welcomed more than 170 artists from Canada and around the world to the Westben grounds and online, fostering original music, peer exchange, and lasting creative relationships—from our annual Residency concert to artist-led community workshops.

To care for the future of the PCR, this season is a dedicated development year, with the Residency returning in 2027.

Meanwhile, this summer, we are delighted to present the spellbinding work of PCR alumni **Ran Wang** and **Annette Bauer** on Thursday, July 2.

During this time, we also look forward to gathering feedback as we explore expanding Westben's broader residency offerings, with possibilities including local artists-in-residence, ensemble residencies, and new models of creative workshoping.

Interested in supporting artist development and original music-making through one of these initiatives? We would love to hear from you!

Email: ben@westben.ca

Friday, June 12 at 7 PM
Saturday, June 13 at 2 PM
Sunday, June 14 at 2 PM

Friday, June 19 at 7 PM
Saturday, June 20 at 2 PM
Sunday, June 21 at 2 PM



Shrek The Musical



Ogre-sized laughs, fairytale misfits, and a whole lot of heart await in this vibrant, fully-staged production of the hit musical inspired by the beloved DreamWorks film. Fun for the whole family, the production features the Westben Youth & Teen Choruses and friends.

Directed by Linda Kash*

CAST

Andrew Tees* (Shrek)

Kim Dafeo (Princess Fiona)

Lauren Lafayette Brooks (Donkey)

Patrick Shannon (Lord Farquaad)

*appears with the permission of Canadian Actors' Equity Association

SHREK THE MUSICAL

Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture and the book by William Steig

Book and Lyrics by
David Lindsay-Abaire

Music by
Jeanine Tesori

Originally produced on Broadway by
DreamWorks Theatricals and Neil Street Productions

SHREK THE MUSICAL

is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI).
All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI. www.mtishows.com

Thursday, June 25 at 7 PM



Ben Finley & Weaving Locus

Ben Finley, bass
Belinda Corpuz, voice
Rashaan Alwood, piano
Luan Phung, guitar
Ian Wright, drums

Bassist and composer Ben Finley brings a close-knit ensemble of collaborators called Weaving Locus to the Westben stage for an evening of genre-bending original songs. With music drawn from their upcoming album *Winter Homes*, expect an inviting, spacious sound world inspired by Joni Mitchell, Radiohead, Ólafur Arnalds, Ravel, and the adventurous spirit of Charles Mingus.



Movement in the Meadow—Yoga Series | 5:30–6:30 PM

Join EAST Studio in the meadow for an outdoor Yoga-inspired class designed to strengthen your body, calm your mind, and reconnect you to the present moment. Rooted in Eastern movement traditions and guided by modern practice, this class is welcoming, empowering, and open to all levels.

Led by Caren Cooper-Bridel, Founder of EAST Studio, with 20+ years of experience in yoga, Pilates and movement.

All levels welcome. Mats can be provided upon request.



Friday, June 26 at 7 PM



Pride at Westben

Celebrate Pride with us at Westben! Come dance, dazzle, and enjoy an evening celebration of Queer art. Featuring the toe-tapping songs of Toronto all-Queer band **Shania Twink**, the hilarious musical stories of **Eve Parker Finley**, and the delightfully entertaining drag numbers of Peterborough's **Betty Baker**, and more!



BEFORE THE CONCERT

Friday Night Sizzler with Capers Tap House, Campbellford | 5–7 PM

Expect a relaxed, generous meal full of familiar flavours and good energy, served in the spirit of community and joy.

On the Menu: hamburgers, sausages, potato salad, and green salad.



Saturday, June 27 at 7 PM



Natural Balance

A special evening around The Campfire with friends from Alderville and Curve Lake First Nations. Enjoy a happy tradition of intimate and evocative music-making and storytelling with the **Dave Mowat Trio, Jordan Mowat, Ansley Simpson, Gary Williams, Peggy Day** and others.



Sunday, June 28 at 2 PM & 7 PM



Jim Cuddy

As one half of Blue Rodeo's songwriting partnership, Jim Cuddy fills The Barn with a treasure trove of songs that have become indelible in the soundtrack of Canadian life. With an extraordinary catalogue of songs that continues to balance personal reflection and plainspoken storytelling, expect an unforgettable afternoon with one of Canada's most beloved music icons.



BEFORE THE CONCERT

Sunday at the Table with The Smokin' Barrel Bar & Grill, Stirling | 11:30 AM-1 PM

Stirling's Smokin' Barrel will be on site with an elevated food experience with family recipes, fresh ingredients, and service that feels like home. It's small-town hospitality with big-city eats, brought outdoors to the Westben grounds.

On the menu: Pulled Pork Sandwich topped with Slaw and crispy onions, with a side of Mac & Cheese!

Join us for Sunday Funday before Jim Cuddy takes the stage. Come for lunch. Stay for the music!



30 under 30 Thursdays

Subscription Series

A weekly series where music, movement, and nature come together to create something truly special. Discover exciting new artists and experiences that invite you to connect, breathe, and be present. Exclusive to the following shows:

Ben Finley & Weaving Locus, Echoes from East to West, Kiran Ahluwalia, and Cris Derksen.

Join EAST Studio in The Meadow for an all-levels, yoga and pilates-inspired class that energizes the body and calms the mind.

Choose Your Experience:

- Music Only
- Music + Movement (includes yoga before the show)

Subscription Pricing

Under 30? Pay ONLY \$30 per concert when you purchase 3 or more Thursday Concerts listed above (regularly \$40 each).

PLUS add on an incredible Yoga-Pilates Fusion Class for \$20 per class when you purchase 3 or more (regularly \$30 each).

To receive this offer, you must have 3 or more Thursday Concerts in your cart and apply the promo code 30UMMOV at checkout.



Thursday, July 2 at 7 PM



Echoes From East to West

Musicians **Ran Wang** (guzheng) and **Annette Bauer** (sarod, recorders, duduk, pipe & tabor)—alumni of Westben's Performer-Composer Residency program—take us on a musical journey along the Silk Road, from ancient China to Renaissance Europe. Their program, Echoes from East to West, blends rich Asian and European traditions into a spellbinding live experience.



Movement in the Meadow—Yoga Series | 5:30–6:30 PM



Join EAST Studio in the meadow for an outdoor Yoga-inspired class designed to strengthen your body, calm your mind, and reconnect you to the present moment. Rooted in Eastern movement traditions and guided by modern practice, this class is welcoming, empowering, and open to all levels.

Led by Caren Cooper-Bridel, Founder of EAST Studio, with 20+ years of experience in yoga, Pilates and movement.

All levels welcome. Mats can be provided upon request.

Friday, July 3 at 7 PM



The Longest Johns

Grab a pint and let your feet find the beat! The Longest Johns are an a cappella folk music band, passionately brimming with traditional folk songs and shanties. Hailing from Bristol in Southwest England, they rock rugged maritime songs alongside more unusual, less traditional folk tunes. Whether performing hundred-year-old songs or their own original creations, the Johns bring new waves of stompingly great music wherever they go. You'll be happy to be alive!



BEFORE THE CONCERT Friday Night Sizzler with Capers Tap House, Campbellford | 5-7 PM

This is about kicking off the night with big flavours and even bigger smiles. Expect a relaxed, generous meal full of summer energy and feel-good vibes.

On the Menu: Jerk Chicken, Pulled Pork, Pasta Salad, and Corn.



Saturday, July 4 at 2 PM



Gino Quilico baritone

Gino Quilico, baritone
Andrea Núñez, Soprano
Brian Finley, piano

Pre-concert Chat with Barb Hobart | 1:15-1:45 PM



Celebrated Canadian baritone Gino Quilico returns to Westben in the company of the radiant and versatile young soprano Andrea Núñez with Brian Finley at the piano. Expect a captivating musical dialogue, of solo performances and intimate duets drawn from a richly diverse repertoire of Broadway, popular song, and classical masterworks. Program highlights include selections from: *Carmen*, *The Barber of Seville*, *La bohème*, *West Side Story*, *The Phantom of the Opera*, and more!



Sunday, July 5 at 2 PM



Canadian Chamber Orchestra

Pre-concert Chat with Barb Hobart | 1:15-1:45 PM

The Canadian Chamber Orchestra (CCO) is a 14-piece string ensemble made up of some of Canada's finest musicians. Creating powerful, intimate, and immersive musical experiences that connect deeply with audiences, the CCO performs everything from reimagined classics to rarely-heard gems including Schoenberg's *Verklärte Nacht*, Jessie Montgomery's *Starburst*, Marjan Mozetich's *Postcards from the Sky* as well as selections from Mozart's effervescent *Eine kleine Nachtmusik* and more!



Enjoy a pre-ordered Westben picnic with a crisp glass of wine or perhaps a non-alcoholic gin & tonic before the concert



Reservations for the picnics are required 48 hours in advance.

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Thursday, July 9 at 7 PM



Kiran Ahluwalia

Two-time JUNO award-winning vocalist Kiran Ahluwalia brings the great traditions of Indian and Pakistani music into a personal, boundary-breaking sound. With her masterful four-piece ensemble—featuring voice, drum kit and tabla, keys and accordion, and virtuoso guitarist and partner Rez Abbasi—she blends Sufi, Qawwali, Ghazal, and Punjabi folk with jazz, blues, rock, and African influences, creating intimate, groovy, and deeply resonant performances that transcend borders and explore beauty and justice for all.



Movement in the Meadow—Yoga Series | 5:30-6:30 PM



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All levels welcome. Mats can be provided upon request.

Friday, July 10 at 2 PM



CC Duo

Pre-concert Chat with Barb Hobart | 1:15-1:45 PM



Performing as CC Duo, classical guitarists **Adam Cicchillitti** and **Steve Cowan** are redefining the guitar duo with their exquisite, refined artistry and acclaimed performances, commissions, and recordings that have garnered millions of streams. Winners of Classical Recording of the Year at the East Coast Music Awards for their album FOCUS in 2021, and second and third prize at the GFA International Ensemble Competition (2023, 2021), they bring a breathtakingly serene synchronicity to every performance. Cicchillitti teaches guitar at Mount Allison University in New Brunswick, while Cowan holds the same position at McGill University in Montreal.



AFTER THE CONCERT

Friday Night Sizzler with Peterborough's McThirsty's and The Thirsty Goose, Port Hope | 5-7 PM

Gather around a picnic table with some of your pals to enjoy good food and great laughs.

On the Menu: Smash Burgers, Veggie Burgers, and all the favourites that make summer evenings feel like a celebration.

No rush. Just good food, good company, and the kind of energy that gets the night started right.



Friday, July 10 at 7 PM



Hannah Georgas

Based in nearby Belleville, acclaimed Canadian singer-songwriter Hannah Georgas crafts textured pop songs full of heartbreak, change, and irresistibly catchy hooks. Following her debut EP in 2009, Hannah has released four acclaimed full-length albums and become a household name in her native Canada, headlining festival stages across the country and garnering multiple nominations, including three Polaris Music Prize nods and five JUNO nominations from 'Best New Artist' to 'Songwriter of the Year'.



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Saturday, July 11 at 7 PM



Aysanabee

Solemn and soaring, Aysanabee's music blends indie, soul, and electronic soundscapes with mournful saxophone and pulse-quicken finger-picking, creating a sound that is both hypnotic and melodic. A Toronto-based multi-instrumentalist, producer, and singer-songwriter, he is Oji-Cree, Sucker Clan of the Sandy Lake First Nation, a remote fly-in community in Northwestern Ontario.



Sunday, July 12 at 7:30 PM



Judy Collins

Judy Collins is a legendary American singer-songwriter, celebrated for her clear soprano voice, folk music, social activism, and introducing audiences to songwriters like Stephen Sondheim, Leonard Cohen, and Joni Mitchell. A multi-faceted artist—filmmaker, author, and mental health advocate—she has toured and recorded for over 60 years, earning Grammys and an Academy Award nomination, and released her first album of all original songs, *Spellbound*, in 2022. Accompanied by her longtime pianist Russell Waldon, don't miss this special stop on Judy's farewell tour.



BEFORE THE CONCERT

Sunday at the Table with The Roy in Port Hope & Peterborough | 5-7 PM

The Roy is known for its vibrant energy and artful approach to food. With a menu that favours quality over quantity, every dish is crafted with care, creativity, and confidence.

On the Menu: Chicken Shawarma: warm pita with shaved spiced chicken marinated in garlic, lemon, and spices; finished with garlic sauce, pickles, tomato, and lettuce. OR Carnitas Burrito: large flour tortilla filled with slow-braised pork crisped in its fat, rice, beans, salsa, and cheese. Side rice or salad: fragrant seasoned rice or a fresh green salad with tomato, cucumber, and light vinaigrette.



Thursday, July 16 at 7 PM



Cris Derksen

JUNO-nominated Indigenous cellist and composer Cris Derksen leads a riveting 7-piece ensemble, blending cello, violin, trumpet, electronics, and an Indigenous Hoop Dancer. Hailing from Treaty 8 territory in Northern Alberta, from a lineage of chiefs of the NorthTall Cree Reserve and Mennonite homesteaders, she is internationally acclaimed for her genre-defying work—from Carnegie Hall to National Geographic, the Royal Winnipeg Ballet, and Expo 2022—creating unforgettably moving performances that bridge classical training, Indigenous heritage, and electronic sound worlds.



Movement in the Meadow—Yoga Series | 5:30–6:30 PM

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Friday, July 17 at 2 PM



Songs of the Earth

Meghan Lindsay, soprano
Carson Becke, piano

Songs of the Earth brings acclaimed Canadian soprano Meghan Lindsay and pianist-composer Carson Becke together in a moving recital rooted in earthly belonging. The program pairs Richard Strauss's luminous Four Last Songs with Becke's The Forest, a song cycle based on six newly commissioned poems by Gatineau-Hills-based poets, which pays homage to trees, and the deep relationships we have with them.

"Easily the most symphonic Lieder performance ever to come from a single pair of astonishing soloists."—Tom Gordon, musicologist

Program:

The Forest—A Symphonic Song Cycle by Carson Becke

Four Last Songs by Richard Strauss, arr. for voice and piano by Carson Becke



AFTER THE CONCERT

Friday Night Sizzler with The Dockside Bistro, Campbellford | 5–7 PM

With over 25 years in the kitchen, the team behind The Dockside Bistro has poured their passion into a modern, welcoming bistro where flavour leads and quality never cuts corners.

On the Menu: Three Sliders (per person) each finished with different toppings—maple bacon jam, garlic aioli, and parmesan with red pepper jelly served with heritage greens! Paired with a refreshing watermelon, feta and cucumber salad with mint and citrus dressing.



Friday, July 17 at 7 PM



Steve Patterson

Known and loved for his CBC Radio show *The Debaters*, Steve Patterson has made people laugh right across North America and all around the world, from Australia to Ireland, Switzerland and the United Arab Emirates. A brilliant stand-up comedian, a ridiculously effective TV and radio host, and a poignant, published writer, Steve shares his sharp wit and Canadian pride wherever he performs.



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Saturday, July 18 at 2 PM & 7 PM



William Prince

William Prince is a songwriter who carries the great legacies of family and songcraft forward through his deeply felt music-making. The two-time JUNO Award-winning artist continues to build an exceptional body of acclaimed work, with recent accolades including the John Prine Songwriter Fellowship and an Americana Honors & Awards nomination. Celebrated by peers, critics, and fans alike, William Prince's songs resonate on deep emotional levels.



Pictured: William Prince on Willow Hill in 2022

Grow Campaign



The music you love. The land that holds it. The place where people gather, breathe, and belong.

Thanks to generous supporters like you, Westben's Grow campaign is now in its final stretch. With **just \$200,000 left to raise**, this work will be **completed this year**—securing the future of music in nature for generations to come.

Your support is already at work: sustaining extraordinary performances, protecting the natural landscape, and strengthening the deep connection between people, music, and place. Now, you can help carry it across the finish line.

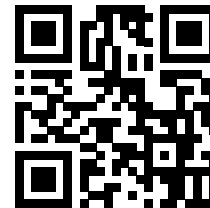


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Sunday, July 19 at 2 PM

Leahy



Powerhouse Celtic music group Leahy is unquestionably one of Canada's most renowned musical families. Beginning with 11 siblings whose extraordinary musical abilities gained international attention, Leahy has sold more than half a million albums worldwide, achieved double platinum status in Canada, and won three JUNOs. From fiery fiddle to exhilarating step-dancing, this is Leahy at its best!



Enhance your music in nature experience with a pre-ordered Westben picnic, paired with a crisp glass of wine or perhaps a refreshing non-alcoholic gin & tonic before the concert.

Picnic reservations are required at least 48 hours in advance.
toll-free: 1-877-883-5777



All shows begin at 2 PM

Wednesday, July 22
Thursday, July 23
Friday, July 24
Saturday, July 25

Tuesday, July 28
Wednesday, July 29
Thursday, July 30



Barnful of Broadway

Love Changes Everything



**Pre-concert Chat before each performance,
with Barb Hobart | 1:15-1:45 PM**



Experience the transformative power of love on Broadway in all its many forms in this sparkling musical revue, brought to life by some of your favorite Westben performers. From the group that brought you *Phantom of the Opera in Concert*, *Les Misérables in Concert*, and more...**Kim Dafoe, Adam Fisher, Lauren Lafayette Brooks, David Michael Moote, and Meher Pavri**, are back!

Enjoy unforgettable songs from beloved shows such as *Aspects of Love*, *The Sound of Music*, *My Fair Lady*, *Hamilton*, *The Music Man*, *Dear Evan Hansen*, *West Side Story*, and *Wicked*. The program also features classics by legendary composers including Rodgers & Hammerstein, Andrew Lloyd Webber, and Stephen Sondheim.

An unforgettable afternoon where love will never, ever let you be the same!

Sunday, July 26 at 2 PM

Élisabeth Pion piano



Pre-concert Chat with Barb Hobart | 1:15-1:45 PM



Winner of the 2025 Honens International Piano Competition in Calgary, 29-year-old Canadian pianist Élisabeth Pion leads a blossoming career as an enquiring and innovative artist. Recent highlights include her nomination as Révélation Radio-Canada 2024–2025 and the release of her second album, *Amadeus et l'Impératrice*, on ATMA Classique.

At The Barn, Élisabeth performs works by Brahms, Schubert/Liszt, Montgeroult, Albeniz and Ravel, along with some of her own compositions.

"A name to remember."—Emmanuel Bernier, *La Presse*

Join Élisabeth on the Meadow at 12 PM (noon) and be part of her pre-concert routine.



BEFORE THE CONCERT—12 PM

Élisabeth likes to spend a few quiet minutes practicing Tai Chi and she often invites those around her to join in. Audience members and musicians are welcome to take part, stretch, breathe, and share a relaxed moment together before the concert begins.



Friday, July 31 at 7 PM

Big Smoke Brass



A Westben favourite! Born on the streets of Toronto in 2017, Big Smoke Brass is a leading voice in the Canadian brass landscape, reveling in a mix of genres ranging from funk to rock, R & B and originals. With hundreds of high energy heavy-hitting performances, the ensemble has captivated audiences from back streets to TV screens.



BEFORE THE CONCERT Friday Night Sizzler with D's Modern Caribbean, Campbellford | 5–7 PM



On the Menu: Trini BBQ Box

Bringing the islands to the meadows—smoky, saucy Trini style barbecued lamb, our house favourite Calypso Wings, coconut rice and creamy island potato salad. Made for summer, sunshine and easy outdoor eating—bold Caribbean flavour, portable & fun.



Saturday, August 1 at 2 PM



Caity Gyorgy

Enjoy infectious swing and bebop with three-time JUNO Award-winning songstress Caity Gyorgy (pronounced George). Known to jazz clubs and festivals across Canada, Mexico, Finland, Japan, and the USA, Caity is also an award-winning composer whose music is deeply inspired by the the Great American Songbook.



Saturday, August 1 at 7PM



Alison Young

You heard her brilliant sax playing in Joe Sealy's Africville at Westben in 2024. Now she's back with her own sextet! JUNO nominee and multiple Maple Blues "Horn Player of the Year" winner, Alison Young's sextet plays an energetic, soulful, New Orleans-flavoured combo of hard bop, soul jazz, and old school rhythm & blues. Alison brings an all star band of Toronto's best musicians, playing a mix of her originals and arrangements of standards.



Sunday, August 2 at 2 PM



Hilario Durán

A sizzling afternoon finale to our summer season! Celebrated JUNO and Latin Grammy Award-winning Cuban-Canadian composer-pianist Hilario Durán leads his 19-piece Latin Jazz Big Band in avibrant fusion of Afro-Cuban rhythms and masterful arrangements—perfect for a summer's day.



**Sunday at the Table Jazz Brunch with
K OKAY Café & Roasters, Campbellford |
11:30 AM-1 PM**



Tracy and Jimmy left the city, followed their hearts east, and landed in Warkworth where they built K OKAY Café & Roasters, a cozy spot rooted in community, craft, and care. Everything here is made from scratch, locally sourced whenever possible, and served with intention.

Now they're bringing that same energy to brunch.



Venues

THE BARN

seats up to 400 with comfortable, cushioned seating. The doors roll open onto the beautiful surrounding meadow. Excellent acoustics and air circulation with several large ceiling fans for comfort.



The Barn Exterior

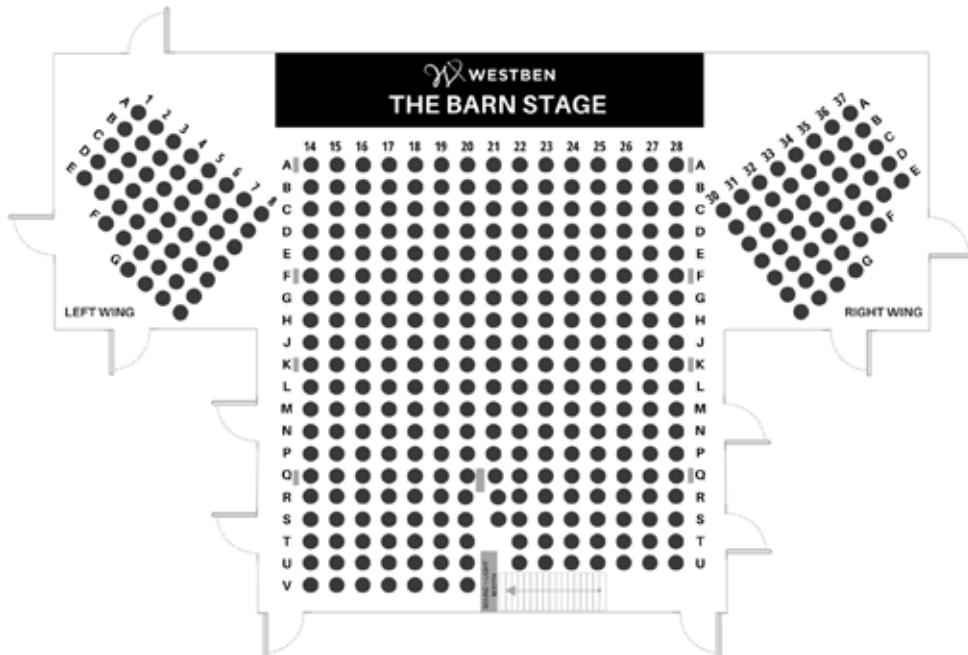


Wing Seating



Centre Seating

Seating Plan



WILLOW HILL

is a natural amphitheatre located by the pond and willow tree north of The Barn. Relaxed in atmosphere, bring your own lawn chair and picnic or order a Westben picnic to enjoy with a beverage. Enjoy wide open spaces filled with music, nature and friends! Please dress for the weather, rain or shine.



THE CAMPFIRE

is an intimate experience for 50 with a Westben performing artist and a real campfire. There will be smores, beverages, and time to chat with the artist. Bring your own lawn chair, warm clothing and enjoy a sunset evening of music and crickets in the outdoors.



THE SCHOOLHOUSE

fulfills our dream of connecting the many facets of Westben onto a single campus. Located right next door to The Barn, The Schoolhouse offers an ideal space for a year-round box office, rehearsals and learning.



DIGITAL VENUE

is an online sound-playground inspired by the geography of this special place. Complete with 'The Barn' as a navigational hub, the site is a great place to play while enjoying all of Westben's many digital performances and videos created over the past few years. westbendigitalvenue.ca



Interested in becoming a Volunteer at Westben? Contact westben@westben.ca

Sustainability



Westben is home not only to human music lovers, but also to fireflies, Indigo Buntings, Eastern Meadowlarks, Bobolinks, Little Bluestem, and Spring Peepers.

Our sustainability work explores meaningful ways to give back for the gifts these incredible beings bring. We aim to support vibrant habitats while inviting audiences to experience the wonder of this place and to practice creative care for our shared earth home. One exciting example is our growing Miyawaki forest, planted with dedicated volunteers in 2023. Less than three years later, some trees are already as tall as we are.

Join us!

Passionate about earth care and art? Contact our Sustainability Coordinator **Ben** at ben@westben.ca or visit our website to learn more about our Sustainability Team.

Looking for simple ways to connect? On your next visit, you can:

- Carpool with friends
- Bring a filled reusable water bottle
- Skip the extra cup with canned drinks and use our waste stations carefully
- Explore our native gardens, including the Selfish Giant's Garden and the Yellow Brick Road

Interested in supporting solar energy, onsite potable water, or native hedgerows? We would love to hear from you.

Self-Guided Garden Tours



Looking for a moment to connect and breathe on the grounds? Explore one of Westben's four self-guided garden tours at your own pace, each celebrating the biodiversity and beauty of native plants—and their buzzing, fluttering inhabitants.

The Selfish Giant's Garden, behind The Barn, features prairie favourites like Big Bluestem, Switch Grass, New England Aster, Wild Bergamot, and Swamp Milkweed—the monarch butterfly's host plant—nourishing pollinators and birds. It was created with Westben's youth choruses during the original musical by Brian Finley and Ken Tizzard, and sponsored by The Community Foundation of Campbellford/Seymour and Northumberland (CFCSN).

The Miyawaki Forest-Bird Border, featuring 211 native trees and shrubs planted by 20+ volunteers, using the method of Akira Miyawaki and seedlings from Lower Trent Conservation Authority, shows how dense native plantings create mutually supportive, thriving microclimates.

Doug's Garden, near the Ticket Shed on the way to Willow Hill, blends Prairie Smoke and Fireweed with Cup Plant and Serviceberry and more—home to pollinators, birds, and many soil beings.

Finally, wander the Yellow Brick Road trail, linking the main meadow to Willow Hill, where edible and native young plantings from Natural Themes Native Plant Nursery are lined with bricks painted by last year's Wizard of Oz youth chorus—also generously sponsored by CFCSN.

Spring, Fall & Winter Events



Saturday, April 25 at 2 PM St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Campbellford

Songs of the Blue Bird



Sarah Lewis, spoken word poet
Virginia Hatfield, soprano
Westben Festival Chorus
Brian Finley, director
Kerstin Walsh, accompanist

Celebrate Spring with Westben! Blue birds, sparrows, swallows, and nature come together in choral music and song, featuring soprano Virginia Hatfield, the Westben Festival Chorus, and the premiere of Blue Bird with words by Sarah Lewis of Curve Lake First Nation and music by Brian Finley.



Saturday, September 19 at 2 PM

A Fundraising Fête

Once Upon a Time



Jane Urquhart, author
Heidi Elise Bearcroft, harpist

Westben's beloved Fall Fundraiser has been creatively reimagined as an elegant meadow full of happily-ever-afters—all in support of the music and community we cherish.

In storybook fashion, you will be transported to worlds both magical and deeply human as acclaimed Canadian author Jane Urquhart shares her work through reading and conversation. Adding to the afternoon's enchantment is heavenly harp music performed by Heidi Elise Bearcroft, Principal Harpist of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.

Meanwhile, indulge in exquisite food and beverages, bid on treasures in our curated silent auction, and share in the joy of community brought together for a beautiful cause.

This is more than a fundraiser—it is an afternoon of elegance, inspiration, and celebration. Dress for a day of storybook splendour as we write the next Westben chapter together.

Saturday, October 24 at 2 PM

Chalk Talk Concert

Story Within a Story



What's the story? Brian Finley explores the musical layers of Chopin's Ballade No. 1 in g minor. A favourite piece of Brian's since he was a teenager, discover the original inspiration of this classical "story" for solo piano, as well as its "behind-the-scenes" impact on a young pianist.



November 28 & 29 at 2 PM at The Barn
December 5 at 2 PM at Norwood United Church



One Night Only



Credit: Tim Zeltner (illustrator) and i2i Art Inc.

Start your holiday season with a favourite Westben tradition!

This year, there's a good chance this will be the last Christmas Roy and Ruth Bartlett will spend on the farm that has been their home for over fifty years. And yet...might there be some magic among those snowflakes sweeping across the fields and swirling around the old barn? Roy has a crazy idea for one final night of celebration: an event that will light up the night sky over the Bartlett Farm.

Join author/musician Christopher Cameron along with the Westben Choruses in a narrated concert celebrating the season. Based on Lynn C. Bilton's original story, published in *Watershed* magazine and adapted by Christopher and Lynn for the Westben stage, **One Night Only** is a lively celebration of family, community, togetherness—and just plain fun!

Choose the coziness of Norwood United Church or bundle up and experience this heart-warming show in The Barn, complete with home-made cookies and a cup of hot apple cider. A perfect start to the season for the whole family!

Sunday, December 13 at 2 PM



The Christmas Tree

by Norm Foster



Two strangers. One Christmas Tree on the lot. Who will take it home?

Find out as Canadian theatre icons Chick Reid and Tom McCamus duke it out in an intimate reading of this charming one-act play by Norm Foster, one of Canada's best loved playwrights.



2026 Ticket Prices

SUMMER FESTIVAL	DATE	TIME	VENUE	ADULT
Shrek The Musical	Fri. June 12 - Sun. June 21	2:00 PM & 7:00 PM	The Barn	\$55
Ben Finley & Weaving Locus	Thurs. June 25	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$40
Pride at Westben	Fri. June 26	7:00 PM	Willow Hill	\$45
Natural Balance	Sat. June 27	7:00 PM	The Campfire	\$45
Jim Cuddy	Sun. June 28	2:00 PM & 7:00 PM	The Barn	\$80-\$110
Echoes from East to West	Thurs. July 2	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$40
The Longest Johns	Fri. July 3	7:00 PM	Willow Hill	\$55
Gino Quilico	Sat. July 4	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$75
Canadian Chamber Orchestra	Sun. July 5	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$75
Kiran Ahluwalia	Thurs. July 9	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$40
CC Duo	Fri. July 10	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$60
Hannah Georgas	Fri. July 10	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$50
Aysanabee	Sat. July 11	7:00 PM	Willow Hill	\$50
Judy Collins	Sun. July 12	7:30 PM	The Barn	\$80-\$110
Cris Derksen	Thurs. July 16	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$40
Songs of the Earth	Fri. July 17	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$55
Steve Patterson	Fri. July 17	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$65
William Prince	Sat. July 18	2:00 PM & 7:00 PM	The Barn	\$80-\$110
Leahy	Sun. July 19	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$75
Barnful of Broadway - Love Changes Everything	Wed. July 22 - Thurs. July 30	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$65
Élisabeth Pion	Sun. July 26	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$60
Big Smoke Brass	Fri. July 31	7:00 PM	Willow Hill	\$55
Caity Gyorgy	Sat. August 1	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$65
Alison Young	Sat. August 1	7:00 PM	The Barn	\$65
Hilario Durán	Sun. August 2	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$75

SPRING, FALL & WINTER EVENTS	DATE	TIME	VENUE	ADULT
Songs of the Blue Bird	Sat. April 25	2:00 PM	St. Andrew's Campbellford	\$28
Once Upon a Time - A Fundraising Fête	Sat. Sept. 19	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$200
Story Within a Story: Chalk Talk	Sat. Oct. 24	2:00 PM	The Schoolhouse	\$25 in advance \$30 at the door
One Night Only	Sat. Nov. 28 Sun. Nov. 29	2:00 PM	The Barn	\$35
	Sat. Dec. 5	2:00 PM	Norwood United	\$35
The Christmas Tree	Sun. Dec. 13	2:00 PM	The Schoolhouse	\$65

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All events take place rain or shine. In the event of inclement weather, shows scheduled on Willow Hill and at The Campfire will be relocated to The Barn.

EXCHANGES:

- Exchange requests must be made at least 24 hours prior to the show
- A one-time *exchange fee of \$10.00 per order (HST incl.) applies

***This fee is complimentary for Westben Members**

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- A different event within the 2026 Season, OR
- A *donation to Westben in exchange for a charitable tax receipt

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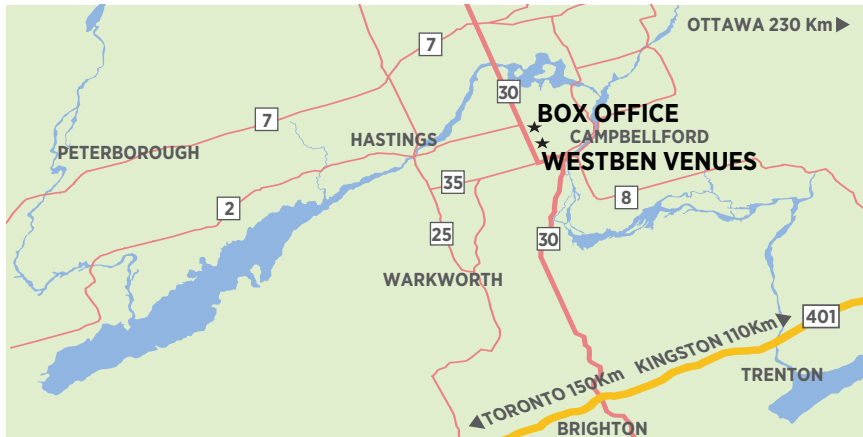
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Visit their webpage and follow them on social to stay connected.

98 County Rd 35 Hastings, ON., | 416-428-3977 | Focalbrewingco.ca | Instagram/Facebook: @focalbrewingco

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