# Tuesday, April 1, 2025

## Senior's Day @ Shoetopia

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 1 9:30 am - 6:00 pm

Address: 860 Tower St. S. Fergus, ON N1M3N7

#### Senior's Day at Shoetopia!

Join us on the **first Tuesday of every month** for Senior's Day, where customers aged 60+ **save the tax** on all r egular-priced items. Whether you're shopping for comfort, style, or practicality, we've got something for every step you take.

Stop by one of our 2 stores (Fergus or Mount Forest) and treat yourself-you've earned it!

## Thursday, April 3, 2025

### Kick Your Winter Blues in Elora with a Creative Glass Workshop

Date and Time: Thursday, April 3 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 40 Church St,

Winter in Ontario can feel long—but we have just the thing to brighten up those grey days. Located in the heart of downtown Elora, our creative glass workshops offer the perfect way to shake off the winter blues while lear ning a new skill, getting hands-on with beautiful materials, and making something truly one-of-a-kind.

#### Why Try a Glass Workshop?

There's something magical about working with glass. The colors, the textures, the way light plays through it—i t's an art form that's both meditative and rewarding. Whether you're a total beginner or have dabbled in creative projects before, our workshops are designed to be fun, approachable, and inspiring. It's a great way to slow dow n, get creative, and leave with a piece of art you've made yourself.

Even better? You'll be working with recycled and upcycled glass materials. Sustainability is at the heart of what we do, and we're passionate about recycling and upcycling glass of all sorts. By using reclaimed materials, we'r e reducing waste and playing our part in environmental awareness.

#### A Perfect Outing for Everyone

Looking for a unique activity with your family, a fun date idea, or a creative way to spend time with friends? O ur workshops are a great fit. Even workplace teams have found it to be a refreshing way to connect outside of t he office. Whether you come solo or bring a group, you'll find yourself in a welcoming space where creativity f lows, ideas spark, and you get to take home something made by your own hands.

#### Make a Day of It in Elora

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So, if winter has you feeling a little sluggish, step into the warmth of creativity.

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## Saturday, April 5, 2025

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# Sunday, April 6, 2025

## **Fergus Tartan Day**

Date and Time: Sunday, April 6 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Address: Fergus Ontario

#### Join us in celebrating Tartan Day in downtown Fergus!

#### **Participating Restaurants:**

Goofie Newfie – Band - Poverty's Arse at 2pm The Brewhouse The Breadalbane The Offside Fountainhead is open until 2pm The Vault is open The Outpost is open

Historical Walking Tour provided by the Township starts 2pm at The Theatre.

#### Street closure on Menzies Lane behind the Library to host:

- The Fergus Scottish Festival will have McKiddies Games and Demonstrations
- Play With Clay is setting up an area for crafts
- The Fergus Highland Rugby Club is providing demonstrations and will have a registration/information booth

The Fergus Pipe Band and the Grand Celtic Pipe Band will be wandering downtown and also visiting the pubs and restaurants.

The Blue Bonnet Lassies will be along Menzies Lane - dance times will be posted on the Fergus BIA website.

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## Getting to the Root of it : Understanding the Critical Improtance of Soil Health

Date and Time: Thursday, April 10 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: Elora Centre for the Arts

Getting to the Root of it: Understanding the Critical Importance of Soil health

Join us at the Elora Centre for the Arts for an engaging evening featuring two speakers, Heather White, Knowle dge Mobilization and Communications Coordinator for Soils at Guelph and Jordan Grigg, Agricultural Coordi nator for the County of Wellington. This highly engaging Tree Talk will be taking place on April 10th at 7:30p m

Heather White and Jordan Grigg will cover the critical importance of soil health, the local initiatives for soil he alth solutions, environmental implications of synthetic vs organic fertilizer, the role of microorganisms and ho w climate change affects soil health.

Whether you're a soil enthusiast, want to learn more about soil initiatives or simply curious about how our env ironment affects soil, this event is one that you don't want to miss.

Admission is free if you're a member: non members \$10

For more information

Kate Anderson

please contact WalksandTalks@treetrust.ca

# Saturday, April 12, 2025

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## Alice in Wonderland - CW Children's Drama Club

Date and Time: Saturday, April 12 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 244 St Andrew St W, Fergus ON

Fall down the rabbit hole in our reimagined production of Alice in Wonderland. Our young actors (grades 4-8) have been exploring this classic tale through movement, music, and elements of Greek style theatre including c horal speaking and masks. Each actor will be taking on more than one role as Alice navigates the ever-changing neon landscape of Wonderland. Don't be late!

Public performances are on Saturday April 12th at 2pm and 7pm at the Fergus Grand Theatre.

Tickets available at the Fergus Grand Theatre, online or by calling 519-787-1981

# Wednesday, April 23, 2025

## Gardens without Borders - A New Approach

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Fergus Branch, Royal Canadian Legion, 500 Blair Street, Fergus.

Come to the Fergus & District Horticultural Society Meeting, featuring guest speaker Barry Vanderveen, whose topic will be "Gardens without Borders - A New Approach". Doors open at 7:00 pm for social time, and the pre sentation will begin at 7:30. Meetings are open to the public, and there is no charge for admission. This meetin g will also include a flower and photography competition by members of the society.

# Friday, April 25, 2025

## **Trade Tracks Showcase**

Date and Time: Friday, April 25 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 550 Belsyde Ave. E. Fergus, Ontario

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## Saturday, April 26, 2025

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Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

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## The 3rd Annual Elora Lions Club Winemakers Dinner

Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 7:00 pm - 11:55 pm

Address: The Grandway Events Centre 7445 County Road 21, Elora

Elora Lions Club Presents the 3rd Annual Winemakers Dinner

A charity event - four courses with wine pairings

Tickets \$150.00 each

Proceeds to to the Groves Hospital Foundation

## Valdy

Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Address: 244 St Andrew Street West

Valdy, born Valdemar Horsdal in Ottawa, Canada has been part of the fabric of Canadian pop and folk music for almost 40 years. He's a singer, guitarist and songwriter who catches the small but telling moments that make up life.

# Tuesday, April 29, 2025

## **Seniors Day at Dreamland Pet**

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 29 9:00 am - 7:00 pm

Address: 6484 Wellington Road 7

The last Tuesday of every month is Senior's Day at Dreamland Pet in Elora!

We understand that things are getting more and more expensive and we want to help! Mark your calendars beca use on the last Tuesday of the month, customers who are 60 or older receive 15% off their entire purchase! It's the perfect day to stock up on essentials or treat your pet to that special toy.

\*some exclusions apply. In-store shopping only.

https://events.centrewellington.ca