



1999 ★ 25th Anniversary  
of the first Women's Festival in Canada

# West Kootenay Women's Festival

August 6, 7 & 8  
Vallican Whole Community Centre  
Slocan Valley, B.C.

Fri. Set-up all day, bonfire at night  
Sat. Breakfast 8-9am Early-bird workshops 9-11am Opening Ceremony 11am  
Lunch 12-1pm Dance & Music Workshops 1-3; 3-5pm, bring noisemakers!  
Potluck Supper: 5:30pm \*Bring a dish to share, no extra food will be made \*  
Saturday Stage 7-9pm: All kinds of music, old and new!

Dance to "MAUD" a 3-woman Dance Band from Calgary (9 pm)

Sun. Breakfast 8-9 am Lunch 12-1 pm Workshops 9:30 - 11am  
Sunday Salon Literary Cabaret 1:30-4pm  
Closing Circle 4:30pm

**All Weekend:**

Rough Camping (room for RVs), Music, Art, Dance, Swimming in the river, Crafts, Auction, Workshops, and visits with lots of wonderful women. Come and meet new intriguing, fun, interesting and *fabulous* women and share in music, dance, art, massage, discussion, connection and just plain down-home Kootenay feminist FUN!

**Buy a day ticket or a weekend pass.**

**Complete weekend (sliding scale): \$45-90, Sat. only: \$25-50, Sunday only: \$20-40, Dance only: \$10, Base rate with work-trade \$25/full week-end.**

All participants contribute a 1-hour-per-day work shift to help our volunteer organizers. Work exchanges arranged for reduced payment. No-one refused admission for lack of ability to pay.

**\* Bring food for Sat. Potluck. NO extra food will be available this year.**

Help full bellies happen! Your food contribution is your ticket to supper.\*

Crafts Area open to women who make their own arts & crafts and for non-profit organizations. Each craftsperson is responsible for her own shelter/display.

This weekend is for women and children only, boys age 10 and under welcome, free daycare available on site; no dogs (inexpensive 'dog-daycare' available nearby).

Info: Nelson & District Women's Centre, 420 Mill St., Nelson BC V1L 4R9

**Phone: 352-9916 for information**

Workshops: Hands on Massage, Flower Essences, Women Playing Music, Menopause: What works for you?, Dance, Bluegrass 101, Mask-Making, Make your own Jewellery, Our Food and Genetic Engineering, Astrology and Your Planets, Drums, Learn to Fix Your Bike: Hands On, Family Violence, First Aid and BC Women, and Make Your Own Body Print! MORE!

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