

## 2015 JUNO Week Events Guide - As of March 2, 2015 -

*New for 2015, The JUNO Awards have forged a partnership with leading music streaming service **Rdio**. Check out over 35 playlists on the [JUNO Awards Rdio Profile](#) and stream the free **2015 JUNO Award Nominees Station**.*

***Jay Mallany (Big Tobacco & The Pickers), Sandy McIntosh (Tristan Psionic) and Ron MacLean (Canadian Sportscaster)** have been added to the **JUNO Cup** roster – p. 5*

***68 acts** have been added to the **JUNOfest** lineup (with more than 45 JUNO Award Nominees performing!) including **Amelia Curran, Angela Galuppo, Ben Stevenson, Emmanuel Jal, Forgotten Rebels, JRDN, Kirk Diamond, Jim Cuddy, Matt Haimovitz, Melanie Durrant, Paul Stewart, Rita Chiarelli, The Barr Brothers, The Glorious Sons, and The Road Hammers** – p. 6*

*The **VIII Launch Party** on March 13, and **Zeds Dead** on March 14 have been added as associated **JUNOfest** shows. – p. 8*

***Bobs & LoLo** have been added to the **Junior JUNOS** lineup. – p. 9*

***Alanis Morissette, Lights, Sam Roberts Band and The Weeknd** have been added to the performers for **The 2015 JUNO Awards Broadcast** – p. 11*

### **JUNO Photography Exhibition**

**Date:** January 24 – April 19, 2015

**Time:** Open during regular gallery hours, visit [artgalleryofhamilton.com](http://artgalleryofhamilton.com)

**Location:** Art Gallery of Hamilton, Jean and Ross Fischer Gallery, 123 King St. W., Hamilton

**What:** A stunning retrospective photography exhibition showcasing the past 40+ years of Canadian music and the JUNO Awards. More than 50 photos from the JUNO Awards' 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary book, *Music from Far and Wide*, as well as never before seen photos taken by Canada's foremost rock and roll photographers including Barry Roden, Bruce Cole, Grant Martin, Tom Sandler and Alex Urosevic along with photographers from iPhoto Inc.

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### **The JUNO Tour of Canadian Art**

**Sponsored by La Piazza Allegra**

**Date:** January 24 – April 26, 2015

**Time:** Open during regular gallery hours, visit [artgalleryofhamilton.com](http://artgalleryofhamilton.com)

**Location:** Art Gallery of Hamilton, 123 King St. W., Hamilton

**What:** The AGH is proud to host the fifth **JUNO Tour of Canadian Art (JTOCA) exhibition**. JUNO Award nominees and winners were invited to select a work of art that resonates with them personally or artistically, from works on view in the *Art for a Century: 100 for the 100th* exhibition of masterworks from the AGH permanent collection. Viewers can see the artists' responses to their chosen works by using tablets located next to each work.

This exhibit was previously hosted at the **Art Gallery of Ontario**, the **National Gallery of Canada**, the **MacKenzie Art Gallery**, and the **Winnipeg Art Gallery**. This year, the **Art Gallery of Hamilton** will host the fifth instalment of JTOCA for three months in 2015.

**Participating artists:** High Valley, Ian Thornley (Big Wreck), Jill Barber, Stephen Fearing and Tom Wilson (Blackie and the Rodeo Kings), The Tea Party and Tim Hicks.

**Purchase Details:** Free

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### **JUNOS Turn It On SoundOFF – A Youth Talent Search – Live Competition**

**Date:** Saturday, March 7, 2015

**Time:** 7:00 doors, 7:30 pm show

**Location:** Bishop Ryan Theatre & Performing Arts Centre, 1824 Rymal Road E, Hamilton (Hannon)

**What:** Talent competition for students ages 12–18 enrolled in Hamilton and surrounding cities, for both solo and group acts, with proceeds from ticket sales going to MusiCounts. More details:

[www.tourismhamilton.com/soundoffcompetition](http://www.tourismhamilton.com/soundoffcompetition)

**Purchase Details:** \$15 Adults/Seniors, \$10 Students, \$5 Children (under 12). Tickets available at the door.

**Contact:** Debbie Spence, City of Hamilton, 905-546-2424 ext. 3049, [debbie.spence@hamilton.ca](mailto:debbie.spence@hamilton.ca)

### **Francophone Singer/Songwriter Circle**

**Date:** Thursday, March 12, 2015

**Time:** 8:00 pm

**Location:** Spice Factory, 121 Hughson St. N, Hamilton

**What:** Enjoy performances by Eric Dubeau, Michel Bénac (SWING), Stef Paquette, Mastik and Le R over cocktails.

**Purchase Details:** \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door. Tickets are available online

[www.centrefrancais.ca](http://www.centrefrancais.ca) or pick up at the Centre française Hamilton show office; 95 King St., Hamilton, ON L8N 1A9. Phone: 905-547-5702

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### **SiriusXM JUNO KickOff**

**Date:** Thursday, March 12, 2015

**Time:** 8:00 pm – 11:00 pm

**Location:** Liuna Station, 360 James St. N, Hamilton

**What:** SiriusXM Canada and CARAS present four-time JUNO Award winners, The Sheepdogs, with special guests, three-time JUNO Award nominees Tokyo Police Club and Say Yes (members of Alexisonfire and Saint Alvia). Part of SiriusXM's ongoing dedication to music charities developed for youth, the bands will play Hamilton's historic Liuna Station with all proceeds from ticket sales going to MusiCounts, Canada's music education charity associated with CARAS. Featuring national broadcast on SiriusXM's JUNO Radio on the weekend.

**Purchase Details:** Tickets available on [ticketmaster.ca](http://ticketmaster.ca) for \$20.00

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**Performers:** The Sheepdogs, Tokyo Police Club, Say Yes

### **Francophone Tinta "Mall" Parade**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015

**Time:** 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

**Location:** Jackson Square, 2 King St. W, Hamilton

**What:** Bang your pots and pans as you march with Hamilton and Mohawk First Nation students at Jackson Square.

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### **Francophone and Aboriginal Pop-Up Show**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015

**Time:** 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Location:** Jackson Square - French College Boreal

**What:** Experience live music from the Francophone and Aboriginal communities with this free pop-up concert.

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### **Turn It On Music Crawl**

**Presented by Horizon Utilities**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015

**Time:** 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

**Location:** JUNO Zone, which includes Jackson Square, James St. N/S and King St. E/W

**What:** Enhanced Art Crawl with live music performances throughout the JUNO Zone and Jackson Square (mall). Local entertainment will be highlighted in these areas with food trucks at various venues, galleries and stores. Jackson Square will feature 10 stages during the day as a lead up to the Art Crawl that evening.

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**For more information and a detailed list of venues check**

[www.tourismhamilton.com/junoawards](http://www.tourismhamilton.com/junoawards) or visit **LIUNA JUNO House (28 James St. N. Ground Floor).**

### **Soirée Canadienne-Française**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015

**Time:** 6:30 pm

**Location:** Spice Factory, 121 Hughson St. N, Hamilton

**What:** Appreciate a French Canadian supper and entertainment.

**Purchase Details:** \$15.00. Tickets are available online [www.centrefrancais.ca](http://www.centrefrancais.ca) or pick up at the Centre française Hamilton show office; 95 King St, Hamilton, ON L8N 1A9. Phone: 905-547-5702

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## **JUNO Cup**

### **Presented By Pizza Pizza**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015

**Time:** 7:30 pm

**Location:** Dave Andreychuk Mountain Arena, 25 Hester St., Hamilton ON, L9A 2N3

**What:** JUNO Awards Weekend kicks off with a celebrity fundraising hockey game in support of MusiCounts, Canada's music education charity associated with CARAS. NHL Greats and Canadian musicians will face off in a fun, competitive, non-contact hockey game. Hosted by Michael Landsberg.

**Rockers:** \*Denotes a 2015 JUNO Award nominee

AJ Johnson (Cuff the Duke/Odd Years)  
Amanda Rheame  
Beard Guy (Walk Off The Earth)  
Brian Murphy (Alvvays)\*  
Casey Laforet (Elliott Brood)\*  
Chris Crippin (Hedley)\*  
Chris Biggs (HTZ FM)  
Chris Ziemniak (Y108)  
Cosmo Ferraro (Ferraro)  
Dallas Smith\*  
Del Barber\*  
Devin Cuddy (Devin Cuddy Band)  
Dylan Hudecki (Cowlick, By Divine Right)  
Graham Walsh (Holy Fuck)  
Jay Bodner (Eagle and Hawk)  
Jay Mallany (Big Tobacco & The Pickers)

Jeremy Widerman (Monster Truck)  
Jim Cuddy (Blue Rodeo)  
Jimmy Hayes (Harlan Pepper)  
Jon Gallant (Billy Talent)  
Mark Sasso (Elliott Brood)\*  
Mark Hebscher (CHCH)- Coach  
Menno Versteeg (Hollerado)\*  
Michael Hollett  
Paul Brandt  
Peter Kesper (NQ Arbuckle)  
Sam Roberts\*  
Sandy McIntosh (Tristan Psionic)  
Sarah Harmer  
Serge Sargento (The Reason)  
Tyler Armes (Down With Webster)\*  
Vince Fontaine (Eagle and Hawk)

### **NHL Greats:**

Brad Dalgarno (*New York Islanders*)  
Gary Leeman (*Toronto Maple Leafs, Calgary Flames, Montréal Canadiens, Vancouver Canucks*)  
Gary Roberts (*Toronto Maple Leafs, Calgary Flames*)  
Mark Napier (*Montréal Canadiens, Minnesota North Stars, Edmonton Oilers, Buffalo Sabres*)  
Mike Pelyk (*Toronto Maple Leafs*)  
Natalie Spooner (*Sochi 2014 Olympic Winter Games Gold Medallists in Women's Hockey*)  
Ric Nattres (*Montréal Canadiens, Calgary Flames*)  
Rick Vaive (*Toronto Maple Leafs, Chicago Blackhawks, Buffalo Sabers*)  
Ron MacLean (Canadian Sportscaster)  
Tessa Bonhomme (*Vancouver 2010 Olympic Winter Games Gold Medallists in Women's Hockey*)  
Troy Crowder (*Vancouver Canucks, Los Angeles Kings, Detroit Red Wings, New Jersey Devils*)  
Wendel Clark (*Toronto Maple Leafs, New York Islanders, Detroit Red Wings, Chicago Blackhawks, Tampa Bay Lightning*)

**Purchase Details:** Available on ticketmaster.ca for \$20.00 (plus service charges). Proceeds benefit MusiCounts, Canada's music education charity associated with CARAS.

**Media Partners:** 102.9 K-Lite, 1150 CKOC, 953 Fresh Radio, 97.7 HTZ FM, AM900 CHML, The Hamilton Spectator, Y108

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## JUNOfest 2015

**Presented by CBCMusic.ca**

**Co-produced by Hidden Pony Records and Sonic Unyon**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015 and Saturday, March 14, 2015

**Time:** 8:00 pm to 2:00 am, *both nights*

**Location:** Various venues in Hamilton. Visit [www.junoawards.ca](http://www.junoawards.ca) for more information.

**What:** Want to catch some cool shows featuring JUNO nominees, National touring acts and the best of Hamilton? JUNOfest is a two-night music celebration that is part of JUNO Week 2015 that will hit more than 15 venues across the city! Nightly line-ups feature three or four acts per venue with established and developing artists sharing the stage.

### **Artists confirmed to-date:** \*Denotes a 2015 JUNO Award nominee

4 Korners (Official DJ of the Toronto Raptors)	Eccodek Live P.A.* Eh440 Elizabeth Shepherd*	Manafest* Marianne Trudel* Matt Haimovitz*	Sun K Tamara Williamson Tasha T*
Alex Pangman	Emma Rush	Matthew de Zoete	Teenage Head
Alfie Smith	Emmanuel Jal*	Melanie Durrant*	Terra Lightfoot
Alysha Brilla*	Exco Levi*	Mikey Dangerous*	The Ascot Royals
Amanda Rheäume	Forgotten Rebels	Mississippi Bends	The Barr Brothers*
Amelia Curran*	Fortunate Ones	Mo Kenney	The Beaches
Andrew Austin	Francis Faubert	Oh Susanna	The Bros Landreth*
Andrew Downing, Jim Lewis & David Occhipinti*	Frank D'Angelo Gazoline Grey Lands	One Bad Son Paul Stewart* Philip Sayce	The Crawlin' Kingsnakes The Dead South
Angela Galuppo*	Hachey The MouthPEACE	Piano Duo 2X10 Pierre Kwenders*	The Devin Cuddy Band
Anique Granger	Harlan Pepper	Poor Young Things	The DoneFors
Apollo's Crown	Higs	Quartango*	The Dying Arts
Ariana Gillis	HPO Brass Quintet	Quique Escamilla*	The Elwins
Ash & Bloom	Jace Martin	Rich Aucoin	The Glorious Sons*
Ayrad*	Jason Plumb	Rita Chiarelli	The Harpoonist and The Axe Murderer*
Beautiful Nothing	Jenn Grant*	Rob Kirkham & Neon Rain	The Kings
Ben Somer	Jeremy Fisher*	Run With The Kittens	The Medicine Hat
Ben Stevenson*	Jess Reimer	Ryan Boldt	The Odes
Biblical	Jim Cuddy	Sagot*	The Road Hammers*
Blacken'd Red	Joel Plaskett	Sam Cash & The Romantic Dogs	The Western Swing Authority
Blythwood Winds	JRDN*	Samantha Savage Smith	Thought Beneath Film Tomi Swick
Capella Intima	JW Jones*	Saukrates*	Tona & Adam Bomb
Craig Cardiff	K.I.D	Shooting Guns*	Tre Mission*
Crystal Shawanda*	Kirby	Skull Fist*	Vox Metropolis
Dearly Beloved	Kirk Diamond*	Spokey Ruben	Wax Mannequin
Del Barber*	La+ch	Steele*	Yao
Diana Panton*	Laura Cole	Steve Hill*	Yeryard
Digging Roots*	Le Paysagiste	Steve Strongman*	Your Favorite Enemies
Dinosaur Sex Change	Leela Gilday*	Sugar Brown	
DJ Mel Boogie	Lindsay Broughton	Sultans of String*	
DJ Verse One	Lindy		
Drew Brown*	Live How You Live		
Drew Leith & The Foundation	Lori Yates		

**Venues confirmed to date for JUNOfest are:**

Club Absinthe (38 King William St., Hamilton)  
Anchor Bar (120 King St. W, Hamilton)  
Artword Artbar (15 Colbourne St., Hamilton)  
Bay City Music Hall (50 Leander Dr., Hamilton)  
Church of St John the Evangelist (320 Charlton Ave. W, Hamilton)  
Mills Hardware (95 King St. E, Hamilton)  
New Vision United Church (Formerly Centenary Church – 24 Main St. W, Hamilton)  
Radius (151 James St. S, Hamilton)  
Sarcoa Restaurant and Bar (57 Discovery Dr., Hamilton)  
Stonewalls on York Restaurant and Live Music Venue Hamilton (339 York Blvd., Hamilton)  
This Ain't Hollywood (345 James St. N, Hamilton)  
The Baltimore House (43 King William St., Hamilton)  
The Casbah (306 King St. W, Hamilton)  
The Corktown Pub and Fare (175 Young St., Hamilton)  
The Gasworks (141 Park St. N, Hamilton)  
The Spice Factory (121 Hughson St. N, Hamilton)  
The Underground (41 Catherine St. N, Hamilton)

**Purchase Details:** JUNOfest wristbands offer priority access to all JUNOfest venues over two nights (subject to capacity). Wristbands are \$30 each and are available in person at Dr Disc (20 Wilson St, Hamilton, ON) and through all Ticketmaster outlets or online at [ticketmaster.ca](http://ticketmaster.ca). Limited advance tickets for each show are available from [www.ticketfly.com](http://www.ticketfly.com). Individual tickets will also be available at the door of each venue (\$10-\$15).

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**Preferred Backline Supplier:** Long & McQuade

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### **Associated JUNOfest Shows**

*(a limited number of JUNOfest wristband holders will be granted access)*

#### **BLAME IT ON HAMILTON, A Celebration of Hamilton's Musical Heritage**

**Presented by Front Room Entertainment, with support from Slight Music**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015

**Time:** 7:00 pm Doors, 8:30 pm Show

**Location:** Hamilton Public Library, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 55 York Blvd., Hamilton

**Participating Artists:** Matt Andersen, Blackie and the Rodeo Kings, Digging Roots, Sarah Harmer, Jon Harvey (Monster Truck), Terra Lightfoot, Ian Thornley (Big Wreck), Tomi Swick, Hawksley Workman, Jeremy Fisher and more.

**Purchase Details:** Tickets are \$70 and can be purchased in person at Picks & Sticks, Dr. Disc and Hamilton Public Library Central Branch. *50 JUNOfest wristband holders will be permitted standing room access on a first come first served basis. (Must arrive to the box office by 7:00 pm)*

#### **VIII Launch Party**

**Date:** Friday March 13, 2015

**Time:** 8:00 pm Doors, 9:00 pm – 1:00 am Show

**Location:** Molson Canadian Studio, 1 Summers Ln., Hamilton

**Performing:** Alex Gunby, Mathematic, AgNO3, Edubs & Fruiti, SAVY, Matstubs, Markquis

**Purchase Details:** \$15 in advance, \$25 at the door. Purchase tickets online at [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca) or [www.thenumberviii.com](http://www.thenumberviii.com), or at McMaster University, Mohawk College, Dr.Disc Record Store or the FirstOntario Box Office. *50 JUNOfest wristband holders will be permitted access on a first come first served basis.*

#### **Classical Nominees' Showcase**

**Presented by Canadian Music Centre and CBCMusic.ca**

**Date:** Saturday, March 14, 2015

**Time:** 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Location:** The Rock on Locke – The Church of St. John the Evangelist, 320 Charlton Ave. W, Hamilton

**Performing:** Matt Haimovitz, Paul Stewart, Blythwood Winds, Piano Duo 2x10 and more

**Purchase Details:** \$15.00 at the door, JUNOfest wristband holders will be permitted access

#### **Zeds Dead**

**Date:** Saturday March 14, 2015

**Time:** Doors 10pm

**Location:** Club Seventy Seven, 77 King William St., Hamilton

**Performing:** Zeds Dead

Presented by Bliss Media & Prime Saturdays

**Purchase details:** Advance tickets \$20 through: [seventyseven.ca](http://seventyseven.ca). on sale now. *50 JUNOfest wristband holders will be permitted access on a first come first served basis.*



### **Junior JUNOS – Featuring 2015 Children’s Album of the Year Nominees**

**Date:** Saturday, March 14, 2015

**Time:** 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Location:** Hamilton Public Library, 55 York Blvd., Hamilton

**What:** JUNO Week festivities in Hamilton will include a family oriented musical concert featuring nominees for the 2015 Children’s Album of the Year JUNO Award. Emceeding the concert will be “Hamilton’s Special Music Ambassador” Jude Johnson. Don’t miss this opportunity to walk the red carpet, listen to some amazing Canadian children’s music and participate in some exciting JUNO themed activities.

**Performers:** Bobs & LoLo\*, Fred Penner\*, LuLu et le Matou\*, Splash’ N Boots\*

\*Denotes a 2015 JUNO Award Nominee

**Purchase Details:** \$15 (plus tax) per person, available at the first floor customer service desk at Central Library or online at [ticketscene.ca](http://ticketscene.ca)

**Preferred Backline Supplier:** Long & McQuade

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### **Producer/Recording Engineer Panel Workshop Discussion**

**Date:** Saturday, March 14, 2015

**Time:** 11:00am – 1:00 pm

**Location:** Sheraton Hamilton Hotel, Jackson Square, Grand Ballroom, 116 King St. W,

**What:** A panel workshop discussion with 2015 JUNO Nominees for Jack Richardson Producer of the Year (sponsored by Slight Music) and Recording Engineer of the Year (sponsored by Ontario Institute of Audio Recording Technology [OIART]). Proceeds benefit MusiCounts, Canada’s music education charity associated with CARAS.

**Tickets:** \$25 available online at [musiccounts.ca](http://musiccounts.ca) or at the door; discounted price of \$15 for students and CARAS Academy Delegates.

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## **JUNO Fan Fare**

**Presented by hmv Canada**

**Date:** Saturday, March 14, 2015

**Time:** 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Location:** Lime Ridge Mall, 999 Upper Wentworth St., Hamilton

**What:** One of the most popular events of JUNO week, JUNO Fan Fare, presented by hmv Canada, gives Canadian music fans the opportunity to meet their favourite artists including:

**Artists:** \*Denotes a 2015 JUNO Award nominee

Arkells\*

Dallas Smith\*

Glenn Morrison\*

JRDN\*

Kiesza\*

Kira Isabella\*

Lights\*

MacKenzie Porter\*

Melanie Durrant\*

Nikki Yanofsky\*

Paul Brandt

Sam Roberts\*

Shawn Mendes\*

The Road Hammers\*

Trevor Guthrie\*

Zeds Dead\*

Much VJ Liz Trinnear and Tyrone Edwards host of E!, will be hosting the event featuring interviews with artists, autograph sessions, live performances, prize giveaways and much more.

**Purchase Details:** Free public event. Tickets are available on a first come first serve basis through [www.junofanfare.ca](http://www.junofanfare.ca) hmv Canada and JUNO Fan Fare media partners will also be contesting tickets.

More information is available at [www.junofanfare.ca](http://www.junofanfare.ca)

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## **Aboriginal Honouring Ceremony**

**Sponsored by The Heart of Ontario**

**Date:** Saturday, March 14, 2015

**Time:** 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Location:** LIUNA JUNO House, 28 James St. N, Hamilton

**What:** Celebrate the achievements of the nominees for the Aboriginal Album of the Year (sponsored by Aboriginal Peoples Television Network) at this free event. The Hamilton, Halton, Brant Regional Tourism Association will host the First Nation Community. This event will feature a welcoming address, and a performance from local First Nations groups with audience participation and interaction.

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## **JUNO Songwriters' Circle**

**Presented by SOCAN and Yamaha Canada Music**

**Date:** Sunday, March 15, 2015

**Time:** 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

**Location:** The Great Hall, Hamilton Place, 10 MacNab St. S, Hamilton

**What:** JUNO Songwriters' Circle brings together some of the most talented Canadian singer-songwriters, sharing songs and stories on stage. Tom Power of CBC Radio will be our on-stage host to lead the discussion and introduce the artists in this truly unique setting and not-to-be-missed event.

**Performers:** *\*Denotes a 2015 JUNO Award nominee*

Emmanuel Jal\*

Fred Penner\*

Ian Thornley\*

Jenn Grant\*

Jess Moskaluke\*

Lights\*

Matt Andersen\*

Ryan Guldemon (Mother Mother)\*

**Purchase Details:** \$39.75 (plus taxes and service charges) available through the FirstOntario Centre box office, by phone 1-855-872-5000, at all Ticketmaster outlets and online at [ticketmaster.ca](http://ticketmaster.ca)

### **JUNO Songwriters' Circle will be broadcast on CBC Radio at the following times:**

#### Part 1:

Friday, March 20th, 2015 on Radio 1 at 2:00 pm (2:30 pm in Newfoundland)

Monday, March 23rd, 2015 on Radio 2 at 7:00 pm (7:30 pm in Newfoundland)

#### Part 2:

Friday, March 27th, 2015 on Radio 1 at 2:00 pm (2:30 pm in Newfoundland)

Monday, March 30th, 2015 on Radio 2 at 7:00 pm (7:30 pm in Newfoundland)

JUNO Songwriters' Circle will also be available to be streamed through [CBCMusic.ca](http://CBCMusic.ca).

**Media Partners:** [CBCMusic.ca](http://CBCMusic.ca), The Hamilton Spectator

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**For more information please visit:** [www.junoawards.ca](http://www.junoawards.ca)

## **JUNO Turn It On Sound Gallery**

**Date:** Sunday, March 15, 2015

**Time:** 12:30 pm – 4:00 pm

**Location:** 22nd Floor, Stelco Tower, 100 King St. W., Hamilton

**What:** A musical mash-up celebrating young community talents with live performances from young Hamiltonians, including the SoundOFF competition winners and an instrument petting zoo.

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**The JUNO Awards Red Carpet****Date:** Sunday, March 15, 2015**Time:** 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm**Location:** Outside FirstOntario Centre, 101 York Boulevard, Hamilton**What:** The evening begins with an exciting Red Carpet show prior to the live CTV Broadcast.**The 2015 JUNO Awards Broadcast****Date:** Sunday, March 15, 2015**Time:** 5:30 pm Doors, 6:45 pm Seated, 7:00 pm Show**Location:** FirstOntario Centre, 101 York Blvd., Hamilton**What:** Hosted by Jacob Hoggard, the 2015 JUNO Awards airs live from Hamilton's FirstOntario Centre on CTV and CTV GO at 7:00 pm ET/8:00 pm AT and at 7:00 pm in all other markets.**Performing:** Alanis Morissette, Arkells, deadmau5, Hedley, Kiesza, Lights, MAGIC!, Sam Roberts Band, Shawn Mendes and The Weeknd, with more to be announced!**Purchase Details:** Tickets are on sale now! They are available through the FirstOntario Centre Box Office, by phone at 1-855-872-5000, and online at [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca). Tickets range from \$39 to \$149 (plus service charges).**Contact:** Jessica Charbonneau, CTV, 416.384.3016, [jessica.charbonneau@bellmedia.ca](mailto:jessica.charbonneau@bellmedia.ca)  
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