

HAMILTON Winterfest

KICKOFF EVENT SCHEDULE

Saturday February 7, 2015 12-8PM



12–12:30pm

Opening Ceremony

Featuring figure skating demonstrations by the Ancaster Skating Club
(*Waterfront Skating Rink*)

12–3:30pm

Ice Prince Sail Printing Workshop

Create images that will be printed onto a custom-made sail as part of Fwee Twade's On the Waterfront art installation, Ice Prince (*onsite at Pier 8*)

12–6pm

Waterfront Mosaics

Craft activity with the Hamilton Children's Museum (*onsite at Pier 8*)

1–5pm

“Welcome to Winterlandia”

“Papers Please!/Welcome to Winterlandia” interactive art project created by the Workers Arts and Heritage Centre invites Hamiltonians to pass through the fictional country's "customs checkpoints" and send an artist-created souvenir Winterlandian postcard (*onsite at Pier 8*)

1 & 3pm

Pom-Pom Sheep-Making Workshop

Presented by Handknit Yarn Studio and Project Fleece (*Williams Fresh Café*)

1 & 4pm

Explore the “Legend of the Midnight Market”

An interactive drop by storytelling activity about the distribution of our local produce and Hamilton as a Food City, run by the Hamilton Farmers' Market (*onsite at Pier 8*)

2 & 4pm

Stick Weaving Workshop

Create your own beautiful stick weaving project with Handknit Yarn Studio and Project Fleece (*Williams Fresh Café*)

2:30–3pm

Lantern-Making Workshop

Participate in a hands-on lantern making workshops, take it home or join us later in the day for a spectacular lantern parade around the Waterfront (*onsite at Pier 8*)

2:30–4pm

Beards at the Pier

Winter Beard Competition (*onsite at Pier 8*)

3–5pm

Digital Music Coding Workshop

15 minute Workshops for adults and kids in digital music coding by the McMaster Cybernetic Orchestra (*onsite at Pier 8*)

3:30 & 4:30pm

Lantern-Making Workshop and Parade

Participate in a hands-on lantern making workshops, 'light' your lantern and dazzle the Winterfest crowd with a spectacular lantern parade around the Waterfront (*onsite at Pier 8*)

6:00PM – 6:30PM

Mixtape Fashion Show

6 local shops show their winter looks to music by 6 local bands
(*Waterfront Skating Rink*)

7:00PM – 8:00PM

Winterfest Algoskate

All skaters welcome for the world's first “algoskate” - an algrave on the Waterfront skating rink fueled by dance music live-coded by the McMaster Cybernetic Orchestra! (*Waterfront Skating Rink*)

RUNNING ALL DAY – onsite at Pier 8

On the Waterfront

A temporary outdoor exhibition reflecting on Hamilton's industrial past that considers Hamilton's waterfront as a site of historical significance, tension and possibility, as well as a place where past stories and dreams of the future collide.

The Brain Tent

Serving spiked warm beverages for the adults and piping hot homemade soup in custom Winterfest flavours courtesy of The Burnt Tongue.

Live Music & DJs

Throughout the day rinkside. See www.hamiltonwinterfest.ca for details.

Canadian Winter Shorts

A film festival of short films about Hamilton and winter in Canada.
(In the Waterfront Trust Centre Theatre)

SCHEDULE:

2– 3pm / NFB Kids Classics

3–4pm / Speakers TBA

4–5:15pm / Shift Change

Nails

Portrait of a City

Subject to change – check www.hamiltonwinterfest.ca for updates



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WINTER FUN FOR EVERYONE!
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