

Nanaimo Marine Festival

World Championship Bathtub Race

Main Events of the 2016 Marine Festival and 50th World Championship Bathtub Race

MAFFEO SUTTON PARK & SWY-A-LANA LAGOON PARK

Downtown Nanaimo

Free events for the whole family all weekend include Arts & Crafts Fair, Kiddies Karnival, Food Vendors, a children's Craft Tent, The Kerplunks, Born on a Board Wakeboard competition and more.

Friday, July 22th – 10am-6pm Saturday, July 23th – 9am-11pm Sunday, July 24th – 10am-5pm

KING NEPTUNE'S BATHTUB WEEKEND LAUNCH PARTY

Maffeo Sutton Park

Friday, July 22nd

TROOPER, Chilliwack, The Kings, Darkhorse, Valdy and DJ Mikey Mike

Tickets: General Tickets: \$45 Kids 16 and under: \$15.

VIP Tickets (with covered seats, refreshments and snacks): \$75

** General Tickets will be \$60 on the day (if any available)

Tickets online at TicketWeb: http://goo.gl/ur7PV4

Tickets also available in the following stores (while supplies last, limited tickets available)):

Arbutus Muisic, The Queens, Fascinating Rhythm Mambo Pizza, Funk Your Fashion

BATHTUB DAYS STREET FAIR

Friday & Saturday, July 22nd and 23rd 11:30-9pm

Downtown Nanaimo

Engaging performances and buskers will be keeping the streets alive with music, acts and dancing all day. Don't miss the three-block vendor market. Diana Krall Plaza will be home to the Kid's Zone and plenty of entertainment.

Visit http://www.dnbia.ca/bathtub-days-vendor-market/ for complete list of activities, times and locations.

SHAW SAILPAST ON WHEELS PARADE

Saturday, July 23th – 10:30am

Downtown Nanaimo

The SHAW Sailpast is a fun parade featuring the World's Largest Bathtub, showcasing the racing Tubs and their sponsors and a variety of Community, Commercial and Military entries.

BATHTUB WEEKEND BEER GARDENS

Maffeo Sutton Park
This year's Molsons Beer Gardens in Maffeo Sutton Park
Friday July 22nd 4-10pm
Saturday, July 23th – 12pm-7pm
Sunday, July 24th – 11am-4pm

Paradise Island MAIN STAGE CONCERTS Maffeo Sutton Park 11-7pm Saturday, July 23th Sunday, July 24 11-3 Featuring THE KERPLUNKS at 2pm Local Family, Childrens and Musical Tons of Family entertainment

SWY-A-LANA LAGOON

Various Times: Venco Bathtub Boat Tug-of-War

11:30 – 12:00 Nanaimo Realty/Royal LePage MAYORS PADDLEWHEEL BATHTUB CHALLENGE. We have a few new bathtub-inpired boats this year for Lagoon events thanks to Nanaimo Realty/Royal LePage and Venco Bathtubs.

OUALITY FOODS FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS FIREWORKS

Nanaimo Harbour

Saturday, July 23th – 10pm

Award-winning fireworks display simulcast to music on 102.3 FM The Wave. It's a signature event as part of the Nanaimo Marine Festival, the night before the World Championship Bathtub Races.

50th WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BATHTUB RACE

Georgia Strait

Sunday, July 24th – 11am-4pm

Again this year, the race will start and end in Nanaimo Harbour. The finish line is below the Frank Ney statue at Maffeo Sutton park!

