

Award-winning artists take to the stage at Rideau Carleton Casino this spring

Big acts like Miss Emily, Toronto, Chris Buck and Jason Benoit, Helix and Honeymoon Suite playing at The Joint

Ottawa, April 11, 2023 - Live music enthusiasts can expect a little blues, some good country music and memorable 80s rock performances this spring at The Joint, Ottawa's newest 19+ live entertainment venue.

The following performances and events are planned for the coming months:

On **April 29**, Canadian award-winning singer songwriter **Miss Emily** will delight the audience with a bluesy performance of songs from her newly released album "Defined by Love." Soar to new heights with Miss Emily's sweet yet sultry vocals, and a voice like a rocket that is ready to take-off!

On **May 13**, Canadian rock band, **Toronto**, will delight their fans and 80s music aficionados as they perform their big hits like *Your Daddy Don't know* and *What About Love*.

On **May 20**, country music fans will want to check out Billboard top 20 artist **Chris Buck** and singer-songwriter **Jason Benoit** as they perform their hits and new music.

On **May 22**, Casino guests and visitors are invited to Rideau Carleton Casino to take in a spectacular **Victoria Day fireworks display**.

On **May 27**, 80s heavy metal band **Helix**, fronted by lead singer Brian Vollmer, will *Rock You* with their massive hits, including *Heavy Metal Love*.

On **June 17**, iconic 80s rock band **Honeymoon Suite** will bring The Joint to its feet performing their hits like *New Girl Now*, *Wave Babies*, and *Feel it Again*.

More information on these acts and ticket sales can be found at https://www.rideaucarletoncasino.com/events.htm.

Located on the second floor of Rideau Carleton Casino, Future Hard Rock, The Joint is Ottawa's destination to dance the night away. With exceptional dining, live entertainment, gaming and horse racing all under one roof, Rideau Carleton Casino is the place to be for an unforgettable night out. Free parking is available and all concert attendees receive a free voucher to play. Must be 19+ to attend.

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About Rideau Carleton Casino

Rideau Carleton Casino officially opened as Rideau Carleton Raceway on September 1st, 1962, as Canada's first-ever five-eighths mile oval and has been a key part of Ontario's harness racing community ever since. Since the gaming site was added in February 2000, the City of Ottawa has received approximately \$6 Million annually and over \$93 Million in total payments for hosting Rideau Carleton Casino within the National Capital Region. An additional \$1+ Million per year is invested in local sponsorships and nonprofits, benefiting local communities and the people within. In May 2017, OLG selected Hard Rock Ottawa as the successful new Casino partner for this site. This partnership between HR LP (owned by Hard Rock International) and RCR Investor Inc. (owned by Rideau Carleton Raceway Holdings Limited) is working to build a new state-of-the-art entertainment facility that will soon bring the iconic Hard Rock brand to Ottawa, and enliven the city like never before. The facility is a significant driver of job creation and is expected to employ over 700 local residents once the facility expansion has been completed. Rideau Carleton Casino is operated by Hard Rock International and governed by Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation (OLG). For more information on Rideau Carleton Casino, visit www.rideaucarletoncasino.com.

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