



**Haliburton
Highlands
Arts Centre
Foundation**

IS A NEW PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE IN OUR FUTURE?

We are extremely fortunate in Haliburton to have a vibrant, professional, and award-winning arts community. The creation of a performing arts centre in Haliburton County has long been the desire of the local arts groups, patrons and supporters: a place to perform, and a home for the arts.

The Haliburton Highlands Arts Centre Foundation was formed mid-2018 to further the vision of a new Performing Arts Centre in Haliburton County. A facility for concerts, recitals, operas, workshops, master classes, theatre productions, musicals, and film festivals. Plus, providing a rehearsing home for community groups.

A venue large enough for our growing arts community offering superb acoustics, lighting and full night out experience.

The goal to build a world-class performing arts centre in Haliburton County is building momentum as our theatrical, opera, musical performances, film, digital and recording needs are growing in scope and size.

Why should you care? Because a vibrant arts-based community has a direct positive impact on the economy it serves.

As a growing cottage community, the Haliburton Highlands is poised to see its population expand significantly. With that, comes a diverse population eager to explore and engage with each other through farmers markets, folk, art, theatre festivals and performances. A new performing arts centre will be a valuable addition to the positive experience of living in and visiting Haliburton County.

Building a multi-purpose arts centre that will be accessible, inclusive, and sustainable is a complex and multi layered process and we are just at the beginning.

Over the past year we have completed a Needs Assessment Report (NAR) which revealed a clear need for a larger arts facility in the county and provided a springboard for more research to be done. Our next step is raising funds to commission a Feasibility Study and Business Plan to undertake more detailed research on a recommended building location, facility requirements, economic impact, successful business and operating plan, etc.

With your support, we can make it happen.

“LET’S BUILD A DREAM TOGETHER”

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