

## Major Toronto Events - August 2009

August 1	Scotiabank Caribana Parade	<a href="http://www.caribanafestival.com">www.caribanafestival.com</a>
August 2	De Caribana Island Lime	<a href="http://www.caribanafestival.com">www.caribanafestival.com</a>
August 3	Unionville Simcoe Day Festival	<a href="http://www.unionvilleinfo.com">www.unionvilleinfo.com</a>
August 14-16	JAZZ ON MAIN Festival	<a href="http://www.unionvilleinfo.com">www.unionvilleinfo.com</a>
August 14-16	Krinos Taste of the Danforth	<a href="http://www.toronto.com/tasteofthedanforth">www.toronto.com/tasteofthedanforth</a>
August 15-23	Tennis Canada - Roger's Cup	<a href="http://www.tenniscanada.com">www.tenniscanada.com</a>
August 21-Sept 7	Canadian National Exhibition	<a href="http://www.theex.com">www.theex.com</a>
August 21-23	JAZZ ON MAIN Festival	<a href="http://www.unionvilleinfo.com">www.unionvilleinfo.com</a>
August 27-30	Scotiabank BuskerFest	<a href="http://www.torontobuskerfest.com">www.torontobuskerfest.com</a>
August 29-30	Doors Open Markham	<a href="http://www.unionvilleinfo.com">www.unionvilleinfo.com</a>

### Stay on a while longer and visit the CNE August 21 to September 7, 2009

The [Canadian National Exhibition](#) (CNE) is an 18-day fair taking place every August concluding on Labour Day. Throughout the course of its 130 year history, the CNE has grown to be the largest annual fair in Canada and the fourth largest in North America attracting approximately 1.3 million visitors each year. The CNE's roots are in agriculture and this continues to be a strong component of the Fair which features a working farm and the Horse Show.

Central to any fair is its midway. The CNE features two midways (Adult & Kiddie) that include more than 50 rides and 80 games. The large main midway, situated in the heart of the grounds, is not for the faint of heart.



The midway is also home to a wide variety of delicious "fair foods" and food can also be found in the CNE Food Building, which is one of a kind in North America with over 90 vendors featuring foods from around the world.

Each year the CNE hosts the Canadian International Air Show. A highlight of the fair, this 3-day air show takes place on Labour Day Weekend. It is the largest over-the-water air show in the world and features Canada's top precision flying team, The Snowbirds.

The CNE is Toronto's unofficial "Summer Celebration". With its unique variety of entertainment, the CNE offers something for everyone. For many families it is a tradition that has lasted generations.

