



**DANCE | MUSIC  
CULINARY DISCOVERIES  
FAMILY SEGMENT**

**JULY 9-10 AND 16-17  
2 P.M. TO 11 P.M.**

## Week-ends du monde

### **Last weekend to travel the world at Parc Jean-Drapeau!**

**Montréal, July 14, 2016** – This is the last weekend to take in Week-ends du monde, presented by Loto-Québec at Parc Jean-Drapeau, a popular cultural event that unfolds from 2 to 11 p.m., on July 16-17. The free event celebrates Montréal's cultural diversity through dance, music and culinary discoveries that are designed to please people of all ages.

#### **For a final festive weekend**

On Saturday, July 16, get ready for some Latin American heat! The *Festival péruvien de Montréal*, *Festival salvadorien de Montréal* and *Mexico: Union and Tradition* will be illuminating the stage with their folkloric music and Latin dances. Meanwhile, the free edition of the Piknic Électronik event is providing the popular website *Music is my sanctuary* with a free rein to do its thing, and the popular worldwide website has invited Montréal DJ Lexis for the occasion. To cap off the day, from 7 to 10 p.m., the Festival Afro-Monde Ngondo is putting on a tribute show to a great continent, and featured guests include Toto Guillaume and Aladji Touré.

On Sunday, July 17, the spotlight turns to *Colombia's national festival*, *Montréal's Cuban festival* and to *Trinidad – Montréal en harmonie*, as they take part in the festivities in a cultural celebration that includes a wide array of guest artists. For the finale, at 6 p.m., the Brazilian Summer Carnival will put on a dazzling display with samba dancers and their colourful costumes, all to the beat of percussionists, which is destined to be an absolutely stunning show.

#### **Family segment**

This Saturday, Télé-Québec is coming to Parc Jean-Drapeau! In a premiere event, the *Salmigondis* show with Baragouin, Végane and Djingo is presenting its debut show at 2:30 p.m. Then the stage is turned over to Martin Carli, the host of the French-language program *Génial!* who will attempt to demystify science with his fascinating experiments. On Sunday, children will be enthralled by the *Ari cui cui* show and its cooking theme. Added to this, the Family Zone, near the Jean-Drapeau subway station, has an impressive array of things to do and see, including the soccer workshop presented by the Montréal Impact soccer schools, the modules and games in the Zone Télé-Québec, the Montréal fire safety department's inflatable structure, the interactive obstacle course, make-up workshops for children, and much more!

**Every day at Week-ends du monde**

Again this weekend, festival-goers can attend percussion workshops and dance classes. And throughout the festivities, you won't want to miss the giant solar balloons in the shape of a butterfly or parrot, or the colourful characters that enliven the trails along the site! Meanwhile, every day at Place des Saveurs, visitors can enjoy a variety of tasty and exotic dishes that are sure to please the palate of food lovers.

**Thanks to our partners**

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The mandate of the Société du parc Jean-Drapeau is to manage, administrate, develop, protect and animate Parc Jean-Drapeau. For any information on Parc Jean-Drapeau's activities please go to the website: [parcjeandrapeau.com](http://parcjeandrapeau.com).