

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

"ABBA MAGIC" TRIBUTE SHOW COMES TO HALTON HILLS THEATRE



Celebrate the music of ABBA when "ABBA Magic" comes to the John Elliott Theatre

Calling all ABBA fans! Don't miss the incredible, brand-new touring show "ABBA Magic!" coming live to the intimate John Elliott Theatre for a special one night only performance on Saturday June 24th.

ABBA was formed in Stockholm, Sweden in 1972, and went on to become one of the most commercially successful acts in the history of popular music. With over 200 million albums sold, ABBA topped the international music charts from 1974 to 1982. In 1999, ABBA found success in the musical theatre market with the smash Broadway hit "Mamma Mia!" that also toured worldwide.

"ABBA Magic!" features outstanding musical performances that celebrate all of ABBA's top hits, combined with dazzling 1970's style costumes and choreography.

This fun-filled, audience-interactive performance will have you singing along (and maybe even dancing in the aisles!), to all your ABBA favourites, including "Mama Mia", "Knowing Me, Knowing You", "SOS", "Waterloo" and of course, "Dancing Queen" amongst the many classics.

Ticket to see "ABBA Magic" at the John Elliott Theatre on Saturday June 24th at 8pm are on sale now at the venue box office located at 9 Church Street in Halton Hills, by calling them at 905-877-3700 or purchase tickets online at www.HaltonHills.ca/Theatre

Dust off your 1970's dancing shoes, and get your tickets today to ensure the best seats to the amazing "ABBA Magic!" show when it comes to Halton Hills!

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Q&A with Michael Chong

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The IFP: How has the home stretch of the campaign gone?

Michael Chong: It's been great. We're pushing hard right until the end to get out that vote.

The IFP: Describe the experience of a leadership race.

MC: It's been a wonderful experience. It's been great to meet Canadians across the country. We live in a vast country with many different regions and two official languages. It's been a lot of fun travelling across the country and getting to meet a lot of new people.

The IFP: How has the complexion of the campaign changed since Kevin O Leary pulled out of the race?

MC: Well, (Kevin) O Leary's departure from the race has really made this contest wide open. It's anybody's guess as to who's going to win. The polling data doesn't really reflect how the voting is going to take place, because the polling data is not weighted per riding in any way that's meaningful. And so with O Leary the supposed frontrunner based on those polls with him out of the race, because he didn't think he could win it, it really tells you that this race is wide open.

The IFP: What are you expecting come May 27?

MC: We're hoping for a good result, but it's up to the voters and we'll wait and see what the results will be. We're cautiously optimistic that we have a path to victory. We're very happy with the campaign we ran. We ran a very solid campaign and believe we're in the top-three campaigns right now. We think we stayed true to our values, we made the case for a bigger Conservative Party that can go up against the Trudeau Liberals and win in 2019.

The IFP: What differences have you noticed compared to leadership races past?

MC: That's a great question. There are a

number of big differences this time. The biggest differences are, first, that the fundraising rules are very much stricter than they were previously. Donations are limited to \$1,550 per person. Unions and corporations are banned from donating and candidates cannot borrow money to finance their campaigns. So, as a result of that it's a lot tougher to finance a campaign this time around than it was in 2004 when we last had a leadership race. The second difference is that the campaign has been very long. It's been a 12-month campaign. In fact, I first launched my campaign 365 days ago as Monday last week. I'm very glad I got to enter the race 12 months ago because it gave us the chance to travel across the country multiple times and meet a lot of new people. The third big difference is that this is a mail-in ballot. Unlike last time where people turned up at polling stations set up in every riding in the country, and that's presented a different set of challenges. Some people haven't yet received their ballots, some people received them early, so that's been a challenge as well.

The IFP: With 13 candidates, what are some of the challenges in leadership field this big?

MC: One of the challenges is trying to differentiate yourself from the rest of the pack. When there are 13 or 14 candidates in a race it's very hard to do that. We believe we have done that. We are one of the three or four campaigns that really made out mark. So we're really happy with the way our campaign was run and how we reached out to tens of thousands of new people.

The IFP: What have been some of the highlights of the campaign to date?

MC: Some of the highlights for me were the policy proposals we put forward on democratic reform, the environment and on the economy.

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