

Drumming & Stargazing Weekend



Friday, Aug 31, 2012
To
Monday, Sept 3, 2012
(Labour Day Long Weekend)

Gordon's Park Eco Resort

Join us for an incredible drumming, camping & stargazing experience on site in the RASC designated dark sky preserve at Gordon's Park.

Imagine yourself drumming to the light of the moon, awestruck by the beauty of the moon & the breathtaking shimmering blanket of stars!

The Dark Sky Preserve offers exceptional dark skies, the darkest in the Province of Ontario, no light pollution, 360 degree observing and an 8" Dobsonian Telescope.

Dark Sky Preserve Camping Included

Camping is rustic but comfortable & takes place in the fields & meadows on site in the dark sky preserve. Some picnic tables & cook stands, hauled water, clean privies, playground, easy access via private gravel road. No white light or campfires allowed. Eco showers & WIFI at main building, about a 20 minute hike or 5 minute drive.

Latitude N 45.39.43.53

Longitude W 81.58.04.34

<http://www.rasc.ca/gordons-park-dark-sky-preserve>

<http://cleardarksky.com/c/GrdnsPkOnkey.html>

<http://cleardarksky.com/lp/GrdnsPkOnlp.html>

Friday, Aug 31, 2012

2 – 7pm Registration and Check in

9pm Public Observing Sessions & Laser Guided Sky Tours with John

11pm – 1am Drumming by the light of the Moon

Saturday, July 2, 2011

7 am Sunrise Drumming to welcome a new day

Saturday Afternoon:

Free time for site seeing & visiting the nearby M'Chigeeng Pow Wow

9 pm Public Observing Sessions & Laser Guided Sky Tours with John

11pm – 1am Drumming by the light of the Moon

Sunday, July 3, 2011

7 am Sunrise Drumming & Wrap Up

11 am Wind up & Check Out

Alternative Accommodations

Stargazing Cabin - \$120.00 & tax/night
Located in the dark sky preserve. Sleeps 5, propane stove, light, bar size fridge, wood stove, private privy, picnic table, fire pit, hauled water. Eco Showers are at the main building up front..

Dark Sky Preserve Bunkie – 88.00 & tax/night
Sleeps 4, extra persons 5.00/night, located in DSP, two bunk beds with table & chairs, picnic table, parking.

Camping Cabins – 88.00 & tax/night (2 people)
Sleeps 4, extra persons 5.00/night, sleep cabin only, on private campsite located up front in main camping area, picnic table, fire pit.

Tipi Tenting - \$80.00 & tax/night (2 people)
Extra persons \$5.00/night. Located up front in the main camping area, wooden floor, rain cap, foam pads, picnic table, fire pit.

Bed & Breakfast - \$98.00 & tax/night
Queen or Single, 2 people per room, continental breakfast, common room with satellite TV, coffee maker, microwave, toaster oven, bar size fridge & washroom with shower.

Please bring your drum, tent & camping gear, folding table, lawn chairs, water container, red filtered flashlight, telescope, binoculars, swimsuit, towel, sunscreen, bug repellent, heavy coat, rain gear, warm clothes, and proper footwear.

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(Include all names & ages of persons in your party)

Address _____
PC _____
Phone _____ Cell _____
Email _____
Arrival: _____ Depart: _____

Pay Only Once & Swim As Often As You Like
Outdoor Solar Heated Swimming Pool

Registration Fee is \$38.00 & tax per person, per day, \$75.00 & tax per family per day (2 adults, children under 16) and includes camping in the dark sky preserve, drumming, public observing sessions, laser guided sky tours, access to the nature interpretive centre & educational hiking trails. Free Wifi is available up front at the main office. Registration in advance by Aug 15, 2012 would be appreciated. Call 705-859-2470 with Visa or MasterCard to make your reservation or mail certified cheque or money order with registration form to:

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