

Canada's Most Celebrated Singer-Songwriter

GORDON LIGHTFOOT

ANNOUNCES HIS CANADIAN TOURING SCHEDULE FOR THE FALL 2011

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Toronto, ON, Monday, February 28th, 2011 – From love songs to depictions of Canadian history and wilderness, **Gordon Lightfoot's** music touches the listener on more levels and in more ways than most musicians could ever dream of. He is a national treasure, a cultural icon whose time-defying style and legendary hits have made him one of Canada's most anticipated live performers. Now in this, his 5th decade of touring, Gordon Lightfoot announces that he will hit the road again this Fall for a series of Western Canadian and Ontario concerts dates. **Lightfoot's Fall 2011 Tour** kicks off on **November 20, 2011** in **British Columbia** with back-to-back concerts in **Vancouver, Kamloops, Prince George and Dawson Creek**; followed by **Edmonton, Banff, Calgary and Medicine Hat, Alberta**. The tour continues through the Prairies with stops in **Saskatoon, Regina, and Winnipeg** and then heads back to **Ontario** for concerts in **Thunder Bay, Sault Ste. Marie, Sudbury** and ends on **December 8-9th** in **Stratford**. Please see **Gordon Lightfoot's Fall 2011 Tour** schedule below for full details!

Gordon Lightfoot is currently preparing for an **Ontario Spring 2011 Tour** which gets underway on **May 19th** at the **WFCU Centre** in **Windsor**, and moves onto the **Cornwall Civic Complex** on **May 20th**, **Brockville Memorial Civic Centre** on **May 21st**, **The SPC Centre** in **Napanee** on **May 22nd**, and concludes with a 4-day residency at **Toronto's Massey Hall** from **Wednesday, May 25th** through **Saturday, May 28th, 2011**.

Born November 17, 1938 in Orillia, Ontario Gordon Lightfoot studied at Los Angeles' Westlake College of Music. He returned to Canada in the early 1960s and began performing at the "Riverboat" during Toronto's fabled folk scene. In 1966, his debut album *Lightfoot!* was released. Tracks such as *For Lovin' Me*, *Early Mornin' Rain*, *Steel Rail Blues* and *Ribbon of Darkness* brought him international recognition as a songwriter. Cover versions of his songs were recorded by artists such as Bob Dylan, Johnny Cash and Elvis Presley, until 1971 when his own version of *If You Could Read My Mind* became a Top Ten hit. In 1974, his classic single, *Sundown*, went to No.1 on the American charts, followed two years later by *The Wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald*, inspired by a *Newsweek* magazine article; it reached No. 2 on the U.S. *Billboard* charts. By the 1990s he was mostly touring, giving just fifty concerts a year by 1998, mainly in North America, while he released two albums in the period. In 2004, he released his 20th album *Harmony*, and appeared as a featured guest on *Canadian Idol*.

Mr. Lightfoot has won 15 Juno Awards and been nominated for 5 Grammy Awards. He was inducted into the Canadian Music Hall of Fame in 1986 and the Canadian Country Music Hall Of Fame in 2001. In May 2003 was made a Companion of the Order of Canada and is also a member of the Order of Ontario, and in 2004 was inducted into the Canadian Songwriters Hall of Fame.

A full tour schedule follows.

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GORDON LIGHTFOOT SPRING 2011 TOUR SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 19, 2011
8:00PM

WFCU Centre
8787 McHugh Street
Windsor, ON
Tickets: \$40.00, \$65.00 & \$90.00
4-ticket package - \$204.00.
Purchase online at www.wfcu-centre.com or
by phone 1-866-969-WFCU

Friday, May 20, 2011
8:00 PM

Cornwall Civic Complex, Ed Lumley Arena
100 Water Street East
Cornwall, ON
Tickets: \$49.50, \$69.50 & \$85.00
Purchase online at www.admission.com ; www.otx.ca or
by phone 1-800-361-4595

Saturday, May 21, 2011
8:00 PM

Brockville Memorial Civic Centre
60 Magedoma Blvd
Brockville, ON
Tickets: \$49.50, \$69.50 & \$85.00
Purchase online at www.otx.ca or by phone 1-613-342-7122
www.brockvilleartscentre.com

Sunday, May 22, 2011
8:00 PM

SPC Centre (Strathcona Paper Centre)
16 MacPherson Drive
Napanee, ON
Tickets: \$49.50, \$69.50 & \$85.00
Purchase online at www.otx.ca or by phone 1-613-532-5997
www.town.greaternapanee.on.ca

Wednesday, May 25, 2011
Thursday, May 26, 2011
Friday, May 27, 2011
Saturday, May 28, 2011
8:00 PM

Massey Hall
178 Victoria Street
Toronto, ON
Tickets: \$45.00, \$70.00 & \$85.00
Purchase at RTH box office 416-872-4255,
Ticketmaster (416.870.8000) or www.masseyhall.com

GORDON LIGHTFOOT FALL 2011 TOUR SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 20, 2011
8:00PM

The Centre in Vancouver for Performing Arts
777 Homer Street
Vancouver, B.C. V6B 2W1
Tickets Prices: \$ 59.50, \$79.50 plus applicable charges
Purchase online at www.centreinvancouver.com & All Ticketmaster outlets
Toll free: 1.888.985.5000
TICKETS ON SALE: Monday, March 14, 2011 10 am

Tuesday, November 22, 2011
8:00PM

Interior Savings Centre
300 Lorne Street
Kamloops, BC V2C 1W1
Tickets Prices: \$59.50 and \$69.50 plus FF & Service Charges
TICKETS ON SALE: On Sale Now! Order online at **Ticketmaster**
<http://www.ticketmaster.ca/event/11004642976D6211> or at
www.interiorsavingscentre.coM

Wednesday, November 23, 2011
8:00PM

CN Centre
2187 Ospika Blvd. S
Prince George, BC V2N 6Z1
Tickets Prices: \$54.50 and \$64.50
TICKETS ON SALE: On Sale Now! Order online at **Ticketmaster**
<http://www.ticketmaster.ca/event/11004639C58AB0E0?artistid=733309&majorcatid=10001&minorcatid=1> or at www.cncentre.ca

Thursday, November 24, 2011
8:00PM

EnCana Events Centre
#1, 300 Highway 2
Dawson Creek, BC V1G 0A4
Tickets Prices: \$55.00 and \$65.00
Purchase at **The Tiger Box Office Plus, The Dawson Co-op High Performance Ticket Outlet**, online www.dawsonco-optickets.com
or by phone 1-877-339-8499.
TICKETS ON SALE: Friday, March 4, 2011
www.dawsoncreekeventscentre.com

Friday, November 25, 2011
8:00PM

Northern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium
11455 - 87 Avenue
Edmonton, AB T6G 2T2
Tickets Prices: \$65 and \$75
TICKETS ON SALE: Monday, March 14, 2011 10 am
Avail. Jubilee Box Office, All Ticketmaster Outlets, by phone 1.855.985.5000,
or visit www.Ticketmaster.ca
www.jubileeauditorium.com

**Saturday, November 26, 2011
8:00PM**

Eric Harvie Theatre, The Banff Centre
107 Tunnel Mountain Drive
Banff, AB. T1L 1H5
Tickets Prices: \$75 plus S/C
Purchase online at the **Eric Harvie Theatre Box Office**, online
www.banffcentre.ca or by phone **403.762.6301 / 1.800.413.8368**
TICKETS ON SALE: Friday, March 25, 2011 at noon

**Monday, November 28, 2011
8:00PM**

Southern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium
1415 – 14 Avenue NW
Calgary, AB T2N 1M4
Tickets Prices: \$65 and \$75
TICKETS ON SALE: Jubilee Box Office, All Ticketmaster Outlets,
Charge-by-Phone 1.855.985.5000 or visit www.Ticketmaster.ca
www.jubileeauditorium.com

**Tuesday, November 29, 2011
8:00PM**

Medicine Hat Arena
155 Ash Avenue
Medicine Hat, AB T1A 3B1
Tickets Prices: \$37.50, \$49.50 and \$75.00
Limited number of VIP Packages will be available.
Purchase online at www.tixx.ca or by phone 1-403-502-8777.
For more information on the pre show Fan Xperience, please visit
www.otx.ca or call 613-532-5997
TICKETS ON SALE: Presale Tuesday, March 8/2011, Public on sale
Friday, March 11/2011
For concert information go to www.otx.ca or on Facebook 'Fan Concert
Tickets (OTX.CA)'

**Wednesday, November 30, 2011
8:00PM**

TCU Place
35-22nd Street East,
Saskatoon, SK S7K 0C8
Tickets Prices: \$59.50 & \$69.50.
Limited number of VIP Packages will be available.
Purchase online at www.tcutickets.ca or by phone 1-306-975-7770
For more information on the pre show Fan Xperience, please visit
www.otx.ca or call 613-532-5997
TICKETS ON SALE: Presale Tuesday, March 8/2011, Public on sale
Friday, March 11/2011
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**Thursday, December 1, 2011
8:00PM**

Casino Regina Show Lounge
1880 Saskatchewan Drive
Regina, SK S4P 0A8
Tickets Prices: TBA
Purchase at **Casino Regina Box Office** online at
www.casinoregina.com/entertainment or by phone
403-565-3000 / 1-800-555-3189
TICKETS ON SALE: TBA

**Friday, December 2, 2011
8:00PM**

MTS Centre – RBC Theatre
300 Portage Avenue
Winnipeg, MB R3C 1B1
Tickets Prices: \$45.00, \$60.00 & \$75.00
Avail. All Ticketmaster Outlets, Charge-by-Phone 1.855.985.5000 or visit
www.Ticketmaster.ca
TICKETS ON SALE: Monday, March 7/11 at 10 AM
www.mtscentre.ca

**Sunday, December 4, 2011
8:00PM**

Thunder Bay Community Auditorium
1 Paul Shaffer Drive
Thunder Bay, ON P7B 6C7
Tickets Prices: \$75.00
Purchase online at www.tbca.com by calling the
TBCA Box Office at (807) 684-4444 or 1-800-463-8817
TICKETS ON SALE: On Sale Now!

**Monday, December 5, 2011
8:00PM**

Essar Centre
269 Queen Street East
Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 1Y9
Tickets Prices: \$49.50, \$69.50, 4 Pack special price \$150.
Limited number of VIP Packages available.
Purchase online at www.essarcentre.ca or call 1-705-759-5251
**TICKETS ON SALE: Presale Tuesday, March 8/2011, Public on sale
Friday, March 11/2011**
For concert information go to www.otx.ca or on Facebook 'Fan Concert
Tickets (OTX.CA)'

**Tuesday, December 6, 2011
8:00PM**

Sudbury Arena
240 Elgin St
Sudbury, ON P3E 3N6
Tickets Prices: \$49.50 & \$75.00, also a 4 Pack special \$150.
Limited number of VIP Packages available
Purchase online at www.greatersudbury.ca
TICKETS ON SALE: TBA
For concert information go to www.otx.ca or on Facebook 'Fan Concert
Tickets (OTX.CA)'

Thursday, December 8th, 2011 &
Friday, December 9th, 2011
8:00PM

Stratford Festival Theatre
55 Queen Street
Stratford, ON N5A 4M9
Tickets Prices: TBA
Purchase online at www.stratfordfestival.ca or
by phone 519.273.1600 /1.800.567.1600 or email:
orders@stratfordshakespearefestival.com
TICKETS ON SALE: TBA

*Tickets available at  unless otherwise noted.
www.ticketmaster.ca*

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