September 25 Email Blast

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MD IDOL rules are now posted!

Come on you songbirds, or relatives of one. Shake off the cobwebs from that falsetto: let that rapturous soprano voice sparkle. Enter the search for the Mount Doug Idol! And if your own voice has shriveled even as your waistline may have grown, encourage your children or grandchildren to enter. Greatness may be just a CD recording away, or at least an opportunity to sing to the accompaniment of our own great David Foster!



Advance tickets on sale starting Tuesday, September 27th @ 9:30am!

We promised advance access to Idol tickets for registered Alumni only and we're about to deliver. Starting Tuesday, tickets are exclusively yours to purchase before the general public gets a shot at them. Limit of four tickets per alumni, so if you're married to a classmate, that makes eight tickets plus four for each of your children and grandchildren who attended. Hey, leave some for the rest of us!

How to book "Special Pre-sale Access" tickets for Mount Doug alumni, to the Mount Doug Idol, November 19, 7:00pm, at the University Centre Farguhar Auditorium.

Go to the Auditorium's website: http://auditorium.uvic.ca

Click "Buy Tickets" button on left side of the webpage.

Enter the Pre-sale access code that was sent to your email.

Click Add Code button on right side of webpage.

"Mt Doug Idol" event will appear

Click "Buy" tickets

"Next best available seats" will be chosen for you or you can define search by seating sections in the auditorium.

Tickets are available at \$200, \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 based on seating location. Please note that the \$200 tickets include a pre-performance reception with David Foster, and a separate reception ticket will be mailed.

Please put your Mount Doug grad year in the comments field.

There is a limit of four tickets purchased

Each purchaser must be registered as an Alum on the Mount Doug Alumni Association's website

Idol News Flash!

In addition to fellow alumni David Foster attending as a judge, alumni Nelly Furtado has also confirmed she is coming to the Idol event! Will she sing? Buy one of the Idol tickets and you'll find out for yourself on November 19th!



Other Great MD 80th Event Tickets that are available!

See the website for information and tickets for our other Celebration events: eg. The **Glorious**Noise band reunion evening for our more musically gifted alumni to serenade us; the **Afternoon**Social for "Originals" to celebrate still being active and to share their medical

conditions; **Homecoming Evening** for classmates to reconnect and break out spontaneously into
dance (music will be provided); **Arts Tasting – A Visual Arts** and wine & cheese sampling
evening (taxis and diet plans not included); A **Fashion Show** to re-live eight decades of fashion –
not to be confused with Hallowe'en night, we'll have current students modeling clothes from your
era; **Performing Arts Showcase**, "**What I did For Love**", for our more outgoing alumni to
entertain us; and the **Sports Social** to honour the decades of great coaching which continues to
help make the RAMS truly feared. And more!

The Mt Doug 80th Committee needs your stories, photos and memorabilia!

Got an interesting yarn to share for the commemorative book? Have a snapshot from a game which could be displayed at the Sports Social? What about candid photos of you and your classmates to help with the Fashion Show preparations? Are you storing any memorabilia that you can share (we'll return it!)? Please email us at: history@mountdougalumni.com" or call 250-704-0680.

