

To our Burns Park Neighbors:

Ann Arbor Summer Festival presents *One-Man Circus (L'homme Cirque)*  
Wednesday, August 24th through Sunday, August 28th  
6:30 pm - Nightly in Burns Park

The Ann Arbor Summer Festival is excited to be coming to the Burns Park neighborhood this summer to present David Dimitri's *One-Man Circus (L'homme Cirque)*. The world famous, Swiss circus performer David Dimitri — aptly named “Lord of The Wire” by the *New York Times* — will perform a unique and charming one-man circus, encompassing acrobatics, humor, music, and poetry for all ages. We have coordinated with the City to have all of this take place in a small circus tent set up on the green of Burns Park.

The festival will be in the park to begin setting up this special event beginning Monday, August 22nd. Performances will run nightly at 6:30 pm beginning Wednesday, August 24th through Sunday, August 28th. Each performance has limited seating for approximately 215 people and runs for approximately 55 minutes. Minimal amplified sound will be used within the tent. The production will be cleaned up and departing from the park by the evening of Monday, August 29th.

Tickets will be sold in advance. Wheelchair seating is available upon advance request. The finale of each performance includes David Dimitri's high-wire walk crossing from the tent into the open air of the park — so all park visitors can enjoy watching this incredible portion of the performance each evening. We also plan on presenting at least one free workshop with the artist during this residency free to the public. Please visit our website for more details on this coming soon.

Ticket buyers will be encouraged to walk, bike, or carpool to the event. We are reaching out to Burns Park Elementary, Ann Arbor Senior Center, and other nearby lots for event parking and will direct our patrons accordingly. You can also anticipate increased street parking on these nights.

Recognized as one of the leading multi-arts festivals in the country, the Ann Arbor Summer Festival has a 33-year history of celebrating arts and culture in Ann Arbor, bringing over 150 events to town, 90% admission free. These presentations of *One-Man Circus (L'homme Cirque)* will occur after our Top of the Park series (June 10 through July 3) and is considered part of the Mainstage ticketed series starting June 11th.

A special thank you for your cooperation and patience with this special presentation in Burns Park. We invite you to join us in seeing *One-Man Circus (L'homme Cirque)* with David Dimitri!

If you have any questions, please call the festival office at (734) 994-5999. More information and video of the show can be found on our website: [a2sf.org](http://a2sf.org). Tickets information available: [a2sf.org/tickets](http://a2sf.org/tickets), or by calling (734) 764-2538.

Sincerely,

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Ann Arbor Summer Festival