

HALLOWEEN'S MOST ANTICIPATED EVENT IS BACK WITH EXTRA RIDES, A NEW HAUNTED HOUSE, LIVE SHOWS AND MORE!

Fright Nights runs from October 6th to October 31st

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Vancouver, BC – British Columbia's most terrifying adult-themed Halloween event, **Fright Nights** is back to haunt Playland on select nights from October 6 through October 31. With a new haunted house, *The Bloodshed,* that promises to be the goriest yet, live shows, and five extra rides, visitors can begin counting down the days until Halloween!

Canada's most extreme pendulum ride, *The Beast*, will be returning this Halloween alongside favourites like *Pirate Ship*, *Hell's Gate* and *Atmosfear*, and guests can experience a whole new level of terror in the new haunted house, *The Bloodshed*. The dilapidated *Bloodshed* cabin is home to a family of ruthless mutant murders, and promises to be the goriest haunted attraction at this year's Fright Nights. For those looking for a paranormal experience, *Haunted Mansion* is geared to terrify even the bravest souls, and guests can attempt to overcome their fear of clowns in *Car-N-Evil* haunted house, and face their deepest terrors in *Darkness*. Favourite haunted houses, *The Asylum*, *Fear*, *Hollywood Horrors*, and *Keepers Doll Factory* are also back.

Not for the faint-of-heart, returning favourites and Guinness World Record holders Monsters of Schlock will be terrifying guests with three nightly shows from October 13 to 31. Guests can expect to be horrified with shows that feature meat hooks, and other cringe worthy entertainment. Playland's favourite freak, Singe the Clown, is also back and up to his usual creepy antics. Featuring torture devices, rides and a park full of murderous ghouls, Fright Nights 2017 is bloodier and spookier than ever and is the perfect event for every Halloween lover.

Guests have the option to purchase a Rapid Pass, which offers the same access as a regular gate pass PLUS access to an expedited line for each Haunted House and The Beast, Wooden Roller Coaster, Atmosfear, and Hellevator. Guests will also be able to save \$3 by purchasing tickets at participating 7-Eleven locations or online.

Timeline and pricing:



Due to the overwhelming demand and to ensure a quality guest experience, Fright Nights is putting a cap on the

number of tickets sold per day. Tickets must be purchased for a specific date. Event nights have limited availability and may sell out.

Admission includes unlimited access to all eight haunted houses, shows and 20 rides. (There is an additional charge for the Revelation and Drop Zone.) Parking is NOT included.

For more information and to purchase tickets visit www.frightnights.ca.

Warning! Not recommended for ages 12 and under, seniors 65+, people with sensitivity to strobe lighting, people with high blood pressure, heart conditions, pregnant women or scaredy-cats. **Absolutely no guest costumes or guest costume face make up allowed.**

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