

THE FAIR AT THE PNE PRESENTS SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES ON 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF BAND'S FIRST AND ONLY PERFORMANCE IN VANCOUVER

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Vancouver, BC – On August 22, 1964, the crowd at the PNE's Empire Stadium was so loud and boisterous, John Lennon had to yell at Red Robinson when they were standing just a few feet apart on stage. It was The Beatles' first and only performance in Vancouver, and it drew over 20,600 die-hard, screaming fans to the stadium. This year, Red Robinson is back with Revolver, The World's Best Beatles Show, for a special tribute to the iconic gig that took place exactly 50 years ago. See Red host Revolver on Friday, August 22nd at 7:30 and 9:00 PM at the Fair at the PNE's Chevrolet Performance Stage, as a part of this year's Mosaic Music Series.

Red Robinson is a BC-born, rock and roll pioneer who helped bring the genre – and The Beatles, themselves – to mainstream radio across the country, as one of the first DJs in Canada to play rock music on a regular basis. He was the perfect person to host The Beatles' show, as they were arguably one of the most influential bands in music history. The PNE's Beatles 50th Anniversary Tribute performance with Revolver and Red Robinson is one that no fan of the fabulous foursome, or Red himself, will want to miss.

Event: Beatles 50th Anniversary Tribute with Red Robinson

Date: Friday, August 22nd 7:30 PM & 9:00 PM

Location: Chevrolet Performance Stage **Cost:** FREE with regular gate admission

For more information about The Fair at the PNE visit: www.pne.ca.

About the PNE

Owned by the City of Vancouver, the Pacific National Exhibition (PNE) is a healthy and vibrant non-profit charity organization dedicated to providing over 3 million visitors a year with first-class cultural, sporting and family entertainment events. Founded in 1910, the PNE operates from a 114-acre site at Hastings Park, a multi-facility venue in Vancouver where the organization operates four activity streams: an annual 15-day Fair, Playland Amusement Park, maintenance and care of the Hastings Park site and management of the site's year-round facilities. These facilities are utilized to celebrate a variety of hockey, amateur sporting, music, community, social, cultural and commercial events throughout the year.

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