

Media Advisory

Media Advisory: Music Industry Unplugged

Join us for an exclusive event with celebrated music supporter and ambassador Allan Reid

EDMONTON, AB, March 7, 2023 – News media are invited to attend <u>an exciting event</u> with one of the most celebrated ambassadors and supporters of Canadian music, Allan Reid.

Reid is the President and CEO of the JUNO Awards, The Canadian Academy of Arts and Sciences, MusiCounts and the Canadian Music Hall of Fame. Joined by the Host of CBC's Radio Active, Jessica Ng, local musicians and supporters will learn about Reid's 30+ year journey in the industry.

EPL has long been a supporter of local music, launching the award-winning Capital City Records in 2015. Since then, EPL has published a curated collection featuring almost 300 albums by over 230 local artists on the platform. EPL was the first public library in North America to produce a limitededition vinyl record, Riversides, and has opened three recording studios in the Stanley A. Milner Library, and one in the Whitemud Crossing Branch.

Event Details:

Date: Tuesday, March 7

Event begins: 7 p.m.

Location: Muttart Theatre, Stanley A. Milner Library 7 Sir Winston Churchill Square

Allan Reid will be available for interviews prior to the fireside chat at 6:30 p.m. Media are asked to arrive at 6:15 p.m. if setup is required.

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