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### **Belleville Downtown District releases Fall Events Lineup**

**Belleville, Ontario, Oct. 18, 2024** – Downtown Belleville is the place to be this fall with a full lineup of events from a food festival to a holiday market.

**Quintelicious (Oct. 9-26)** is well underway, celebrating the incredible bounty of the City of Belleville, from fresh produce grown on local farms to locally produced ingredients, breweries, wineries, and restaurants. Thirteen restaurants are participating, with nine restaurants located within the Downtown District.

**Diwali and Indian Street Food Festival (Sunday, Oct. 20)** Belleville International, Aala Canada Services & Saffron Hub are organizing this year's joint **Diwali and Indian Street Food Festival** happening at Market Square. The Indian Street Food Festival starts from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m., offering authentic Indian delicacies, live entertainment and cultural experiences.

**Diwali Festival** starts at 2 p.m. and lasts until 10 p.m., with henna art, rangoli and face painting. There will be sparklers at dusk, and a DJ dance party across from City Hall.

**Halloween Trick or Treat (Saturday, October 26)** Downtown Belleville is the place to be between the hours of 12 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 26 for some fantastic family fun. Get ready to trick or treat your heart out as you visit our spooktacular participating businesses. Our friendly folks in the Downtown District businesses will be handing out candy to trick or treaters. Check Downtown Belleville's social media for a list of participating businesses.

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**Savour the Fall (Saturday, Nov. 2)** This brand-new Downtown Belleville event is similar to the annually anticipated Savour the Chill. Savour the Fall is the perfect chance to take in the beautiful season while enjoying the ultimate comfort dish: mac n' cheese. This tasting contest will start at 12 p.m. until 3 p.m. and will see downtown restaurants compete for the People's Choice Award and the Judges' Choice award.

Participants are encouraged to bring their own spoon or fork to reduce waste. A list of participating restaurants will be announced soon.

**Enchanted Holiday Market (Nov. 29-Dec. 15)** Experience the magic in Downtown Belleville with this seasonal event that brings together all the best of the holiday season with shopping, dining, entertainment, carriage rides and visits with Santa.

This year's Enchanted Holiday Market starts on Friday, Nov. 29, and will occur Fridays to Sundays on three weekends until Sunday, Dec. 15. Interested vendors may email [bellevilleholidayhuts@gmail.com](mailto:bellevilleholidayhuts@gmail.com).

For full event details, find us on [downtownbelleville.ca](http://downtownbelleville.ca)

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