



**GATHERING – MIDLAND**  
 Festival of First Nations Stories  
 -- Schedule of Public Events --



Thursday, September 19 5:30pm - 7:30pm

**Community Welcome Event**  
**Georgian Bay Native Friendship Centre**

Opening Prayer and Welcome GBNFC Youth Drum Group

Remarks by **Lee Maracle** and **Daniel Heath Justice**

**FREE EVENT - EVERYONE WELCOME**

Friday, September 20 8:00 pm

**Tomson Highway: Songs in the Key of Cree**

with vocalist **Patricia Cano** and saxophonist **Marcus Ali**

**Midland Cultural Centre**

Tickets Sold Separately: 705-527-4420 midlandculturalcentre.com

Saturday, September 21 5:30 am

**Sunrise Ceremony – Andrew Mixemong Park**

Complimentary Coffee and Muffins to follow at

**Midland Public Library**

**FREE EVENT - EVERYONE WELCOME**

**PUBLIC READINGS**

Saturday, September 21

Day Pass Required. Includes Access to All Saturday Readings and Presentations

Purchase your Pass at: 705-527-4420 midlandculturalcentre.com

- 09:30 am – 11:00 am **Sherry Lawson and Arthur Stevens** - *Midland Public Library*
- 10:00 am – 11:30 am **Alicia Elliott and Daniel Heath Justice** – *Midland Cultural Centre*
- 12:30 pm – 02:00 pm **Tsista Kennedy** – *Midland Public Library*
- 01:00 pm – 02:30 pm **Darrel J. McLeod and Jesse Thistle** – *Midland Cultural Centre*
- 03:00 pm – 04:30 pm **Cherie Dimaline** – *Hurononia Museum*  
 followed by Festival Closing

**Tickets on Sale Now 705-527-4420 midlandculturalcentre.com**

