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The 2015 Envision Financial Concert in the Park Series ends on a high note with J.D. Miner and Madflower

Abbotsford, BC— The summer sun may be setting but the music plays on with J.D. Miner and Madflower on September 12 at the Kariton Art Gallery stage (2387 Ware St.).

Canadian acoustic duo, J.D. Miner, will set the tone for the evening from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. The talents of songwriter, Darryl Klassen, and accompanist, Chad Joiner, collide creating an unpredictable caboodle of whimsical songs about life, both real and imagined, and old time banjo and fiddle tunes.

Then from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., prepare to spin back to the quintessential era of rock and roll as Madflower weaves its own magical blend of folk blues and rock that will have you tapping your toes and dancing along as well as thinking about today's social issues. This local coffee house and club staple features Eric VanSteenis on guitar, Steve Walsh playing drums and keyboard, Kevin Phillips keeping up the bass, and Willis Taylor on guitar and vocals.

The Envision Financial Concert in the Park Series welcomes J.D. Miner and Madflower for this fitting finale. Concert goers are encouraged to keep the music playing by visiting Clayburn Gourmet Gallery (320-3033 Immel St.) on September 19 for the second half of the 2015 Envision Financial Coffee House Concert Series. For more information about the series, including the full concert schedule, please visit the Abbotsford Arts Council's website at abbotsfordartscouncil.org.

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About Envision Financial

Envision Financial is a premier provider of banking, investment and insurance services for residents and businesses throughout the Fraser Valley, Lower Mainland and Kitimat regions. As a division of First West Credit Union, B.C.'s third-largest credit union with 53 branches and 40 insurance offices throughout the province, Envision Financial brings innovative products, an extensive branch network and local decision making to the banking experience. For more information on Envision Financial, visit www.envisionfinancial.ca.

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For over 40 years, the Abbotsford Arts Council has been a resource for local artists while promoting the vision, creativity, and energy of the Abbotsford community through the arts. The Abbotsford Arts Council consists of members, volunteers and directors representing diverse artistic, economic, and cultural interests of community members of all ages. Almost 70 local arts, heritage and culture organizations receive support under the umbrella of the Abbotsford Arts Council, and the talents of hundreds of local artists are showcased by the Abbotsford Arts Council each year at the Kariton Art Gallery and Boutique, the Envision Financial Coffee House Concert and Concert

in the Park Series, the Arty Awards and the Christmas Artisan Gift Fair. To learn more about the Abbotsford Arts Council, visit abbotsfordartscouncil.org.

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