

## **VANESSA WILLIAMS HEADLINES STAR-STUDED LINEUP AT FALLSVIEW CASINO THIS AUGUST!**

**(Niagara Falls, ON)** May 9, 2017 – Conquering the musical charts, Broadway stage and television screen, superstar Vanessa Williams brings her platinum-studded hits to the Fallsview stage this August for one night only.

Selling over two million copies worldwide since her 1988 debut album *The Right Stuff*, Vanessa Williams has hit platinum status twice over with her top-charted R&B ballads such as “Save The Best For Last”, “Dreamin’”, “Love Is”, “The Sweetest Days”, “Running Back To You”, “The Right Stuff” and “Colours Of The Wind”. Taking Broadway by storm, Williams has won the hearts of critics as Chita Rivera in *Kiss Of The Spider Woman*, the Witch in a revival of *Into The Woods* and starred in the Tony nominated production *The Trip To Bountiful*. On the big screen she garnered rave reviews as the lead in films *Soul Food*, *Eraser*, *Dance With Me* and *Shaft* alongside television series *Ugly Betty* and *Desperate Housewives*. Vanessa Williams’ promises an enchanting evening of her Billboard top hits complete with her signature soul ballads and adult contemporary pop singles.

Fallsview Casino is also proud to present the award-winning production series, *Forever Plaid*, featuring a close-harmony quartet reminiscent of classic 1950’s groups *The Four Aces* and *The Four Freshman*. Performers Sparky, Smudge, Jinx and Frankie execute charmingly outlandish choreography with their classic barbershop melodies that tells the story of “The Plaids” returning from the afterlife for one final chance at musical glory. Songs from the set-list include “Heart And Soul”, “Sixteen Tons”, “Three Coins In The Fountain”, “Crazy ‘Bout Ya Baby”, “Love Is A Many Splendored Thing” and “Shangri-La”.

### **The Complete August 2017 Performance Schedule**

#### **Don Felder**

##### **Formerly Of The Eagles**

August 3: Showtime 8:30 p.m.

August 4 & 5: Showtime 9:00 p.m.

Tickets start at \$25

#### **I Tenori**

##### **Joined by Diana Salvatore**

##### **& with special guests TNT**

August 9: Showtime 8:30 p.m.

August 10: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 8:30 p.m.

August 11: Showtime 9:00 p.m.

August 12: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

August 13: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Tickets start at \$35

#### **Vanessa Williams**

August 18: Showtime 9:00 p.m.

Tickets start at \$50

#### **America**

August 19: Showtime 9:00 p.m.

Tickets start at \$45

#### **Grasshopper**

August 20: Showtime 7:00 p.m.

August 21: Showtime 8:30 p.m.

Tickets start at \$95

#### **Forever Plaid**

August 24: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 8:30 p.m.

August 25: Showtime 9:00 p.m.

August 26: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

August 27: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

August 28, 29 & 30: Showtime 3:00 p.m.

August 31: Showtime 3:00 p.m. & 8:30 p.m.

Tickets start at \$30

#### **Tickets**

Tickets to the August shows will be available starting at noon on Friday, May 12 at the Fallsview Casino Box Office (on any show date) and all Ticketmaster outlets. Call Ticketmaster at 1-877-833-3110 or visit [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca).

#### **Related Links:**

Fallsview Casino Entertainment: <http://fallsviewcasinoresort.com/entertainment>

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Fallsview Casino Online Media Centre: <https://fallsviewcasinoresort.com/about/media>

#### **About Fallsview Casino Resort**

Overlooking the world-famous Horseshoe Falls, Fallsview Casino Resort is an award-winning resort that has been offering premier entertainment and superior guest service since 2004. Featuring a CAA Four-Diamond Hotel with 374 luxury rooms and suites, Fallsview Casino houses one of the largest and most impressive gaming floors with over 3,000 slot machines and 130 gaming tables. Winner of the Wine Spectator’s Best of Award of Excellence and CAA’s Four-Diamond Award for its two signature restaurants, Ponte Vecchio and 21 Club Steak & Seafood, this vibrant resort property also features a full-service spa and fitness centre, a state-of-the-art 1,500-seat theatre, dozens of dining and shopping options and over 30,000 square feet of meeting and convention space. Fallsview Casino Resort and Casino Niagara have been recognized as a “Hamilton-Niagara Top Employer” for seven consecutive years. For more information, visit [fallsviewcasinoresort.com](http://fallsviewcasinoresort.com), join us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram @fallsviewcasino or call 1-888-325-5788.