

Easter Weekend Maple Madness Hits Muskoka

HUNTSVILLE, ON, March 13th, 2018 – Spring has just about sprung in Muskoka! The trees are tapped, the sap is running, and Muskoka's popular destination, Deerhurst Resort, is bringing the magic of Muskoka's maple syrup season to Easter Weekend!

"With warmer spring temperatures, Easter Weekend is the perfect time to get outside and explore Muskoka's sweetest season," says Jesse Hamilton, General Manager. "It's also a popular family long weekend so that's why we've piled on tons of activities including this year's feature entertainment with Treehouse TV's Max & Ruby."

For those looking to introduce their family to an iconic Canadian experience, the Maple Sugar Shack at Deerhurst Resort is the perfect place to start. Drop by to learn how maple syrup is created from start to finish – then roll your very own maple taffy lollipop to enjoy beside the campfire. Is there anything more Canadian than that? Other classic Muskoka activities include hiking to the lookout, and roasting marshmallows around the campfire.

At Deerhurst, there's as much fun indoors as out to keep kids entertained all weekend long! Activities include the giant indoor Fun Zone, Kids Cooking with Chef sessions, arts and crafts workshops, indoor scavenger hunts, and an Easter Egg hunt that will have the kids searching high and low. There is also an aquatic themed pool, family movies and more. Plus, TV Treehouse favourites Max & Ruby will be stopping by Deerhurst Resort on Saturday, March 31st for a special musical playdate!

Even adults will want to get in on the action for the resort's popular Golden Egg hunt. Starting on Friday, March 30th and running until Sunday, April 1st, three golden eggs will be hidden somewhere on the property and each comes with the prize of an overnight stay for two at Deerhurst Resort!

All of the special activity programming and entertainment is included in the Easter Maple Madness Package from just \$159 per room, per night, and up to two children can share their parents' room at no charge. A nightly resort fee and tax are extra.

Additional activities at the resort include horseback riding, a petting farm with pony rides, indoor rock wall climbing, Stargazers' Ridge arcade and Muskoka's first escape cabins where families can band together to solve a mystery. While Easter Sunday brunch is the highlight of the weekend – be sure to reserve in advance – Deerhurst also offers a seasonal table d'hote dinner menu celebrating maple syrup harvested onsite. (Meals are extra.)

For more information or to book, visit deerhurstresort.com/easter or call 1-800-461-4393.

Founded in 1896, Deerhurst Resort is one of Ontario's oldest continually operating resorts. Over its storied history, which includes being host venue of the 2010 G8 Summit and producing the stage show where Shania Twain performed during her early career, the resort has evolved into a Muskoka hotel with 330 accommodation units, 40,000 sq. ft. of meeting venues, two 18-hole championship golf courses, an Amba Spa, extensive waterfront and full roster of activities year-round. Deerhurst also produces its own maple syrup and wildflower honey, as well as herbs and other foraged produce on property, a hallmark of its commitment to local sustainability.

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