

Birthday bash in Orangeville Saturday

Orangeville will be celebrating its 150th birthday Saturday with an all-day street celebration, and a plethora of vendors, games and attractions along the town's main street.

More than 90 stalls and food trucks will be serving burgers, pancakes, sausages and more, starting with a free community breakfast at 8:30 a.m. and lunch from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. which will be organized and set up by the Enbridge community events team.

A beer garden, featuring the brews of Orangeville-based Hockley Valley Brewing Co. will be situated on Broadway, close to the intersection of Second Street. Brews featured will include the new Hockley 100, plus Hockley Amber and Georgian Bay beer.

A kids' area will also be set up with a petting zoo, pony rides, a bouncy castle, rock climbing walls and face painting stations.

There will be street performers and two stages providing entertainment for the day, such as belly dancers, jugglers, magic shows and martial arts demonstrations. On the main stage bands such as the Houseplants and Trouble and Strife will be playing, as well as Caledon native pop-singer Skye Sweetnam.

The birthday bash will take place along Broadway and onto Mill Street, and will run from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.