

# PRESS RELEASE

## Experience the beauty and passion of Flamenco from October 29 to November 6 at the Atlantic Flamenco Festival.



**Monday, October 24, 2016** - A Spanish cultural experience is coming to Nova Scotia and it's bringing passion, stomping feet, coiling wrists, swirling skirts, intricate guitar melodies and soulful song.

Feel the passion at the Atlantic Flamenco Festival from October 29-November 6, 2016 with events in Halifax and Dartmouth featuring the outstanding power and beauty of Flamenco.

The festival kicks off Saturday, October 29th with our **Flavours of Flamenco** event. Wine lovers can enjoy a fabulous Flamenco themed **wine tasting** for \$55. The event features a variety of Spanish wines and appetizers enhanced by the mesmerizing dance and music of "La Azulita" and guitarist Bob Sutherby.

Our guest artist features internationally acclaimed artist **David Romero** live, on stage at Halifax's Marquee Club both November 4 and 5. Romero's sensual and electric interpretations of Spanish love stories have earned him admirers the world over.

Do not expect the usual flamenco! Unabashed about taking risks Romero pioneers his own choreographic path guided by passion, instinct and life experience. Romero is joined on stage by the one and only **Maria Osende**, supreme cantaor (vocalist) **Marcos Marin**, master guitarist **Daniel MacNeil** and the very sublime violin of **Kirsty Money** for an unforgettable evening of soul penetrating Flamenco.

Enjoy a night of wine and tapas and be captivated by David Romero's fiery footwork at our 19+ event **Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 9pm**.

Bring your family and friends to Romero's family friendly matinee performance **Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 1pm**. A special Spanish-inspired brunch is available at this show welcome to patrons of all ages.

Tickets (\$20-\$40) are available online at **FlamencoFestival.ca** or by calling the festival office at **902-482-7740**.

Leading up to the David Romero event, we'll share our love of Flamenco for **FREE** at **Discover Flamenco!** events. Beginners of ALL ages can try Flamenco dance, learn the logic behind the magic of flamenco guitar and more. Already into Flamenco? Expand your knowledge by participating in the dance and singing **Masterclasses** offered by our guest artists.

Lastly, join us for our **Festival Closing Celebration** Sunday November 6 between 1-3pm at Halifax's gorgeous Central Library (*Paul O'Regan Hall*). The event will feature a variety of dance and musical performances showcasing local talent.

Whether you're a fan of Flamenco or simply curious about this Spanish art form, the **Atlantic Flamenco Festival** offers something for everyone.

## Feel the passion. Fall for Flamenco!

Watch as our artistic director, Maria Osende, invites YOU to the 2016 Atlantic Flamenco Festival.

**Learn more & buy get your tickets today at [FlamencoFestival.ca](http://FlamencoFestival.ca).**

**See our [Calendar of Events](#) for a complete listing, locations and information on all events.**

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**About us:** Founded in 2007, Atlantic Flamenco Productions Society *is dedicated to enhance Atlantic Canada's cultural landscape through the preservation and promotion of flamenco arts and Spanish Culture. The Atlantic Flamenco Festival, the Flamenco Nights Performance Series, productions, performances and tours by the Maria Osende Flamenco Company are some of the our core activities we bring to our region.*

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