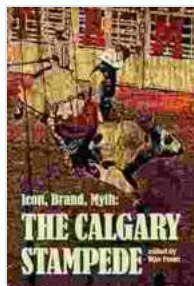


# The Calgary Stampede: The West Unbound

Every July, the city of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, is transformed into a Wild West extravaganza as it hosts the Calgary Stampede, the world's largest rodeo and exhibition.



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The Stampede is a celebration of the cowboy culture and the spirit of the Canadian West. It features a wide variety of events, including rodeos, chuckwagon races, concerts, a midway, and an agricultural fair.

The Stampede is also a major economic driver for Calgary. In 2019, the Stampede generated an estimated \$548 million in economic activity for the city.

## The History of the Calgary Stampede

The Calgary Stampede was first held in 1912 as a way to celebrate the opening of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede Grounds.

The Stampede has grown over the years into one of the most popular events in Canada. It now attracts over 1 million visitors each year.

## **The Events of the Calgary Stampede**

The Calgary Stampede features a wide variety of events, including:

- **Rodeos:** The Calgary Stampede rodeo is one of the most prestigious rodeos in the world. It features competitions in a variety of events, including bull riding, bareback bronco riding, and saddle bronc riding.
- **Chuckwagon races:** Chuckwagon races are a thrilling event that sees teams of four horses pulling a chuckwagon around a track. The races are timed, and the team with the fastest time wins.
- **Concerts:** The Calgary Stampede features a variety of concerts, from country music to pop music to rock music.
- **Midway:** The Stampede Midway is a huge midway that features a variety of rides, games, and food stalls.
- **Agricultural fair:** The Calgary Stampede Agricultural Fair features a variety of exhibits on agriculture, livestock, and farming.

## **The Calgary Stampede Parade**

The Calgary Stampede Parade is one of the largest parades in Canada. It features over 100 floats, marching bands, and equestrian units.

The parade is a highlight of the Stampede, and it is a great way to see the spirit of the Canadian West.

## **The Calgary Stampede Stampede Breakfast**

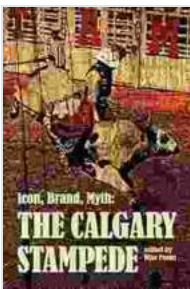
The Calgary Stampede Stampede Breakfast is a pancake breakfast that is held every morning of the Stampede.

The breakfast is a popular tradition, and it is a great way to start the day at the Stampede.

## **The Calgary Stampede is a Must-See Event**

The Calgary Stampede is a must-see event for anyone who loves rodeos, chuckwagon races, concerts, or midway rides.

The Stampede is a celebration of the cowboy culture and the spirit of the Canadian West. It is a great way to experience the true spirit of Canada.

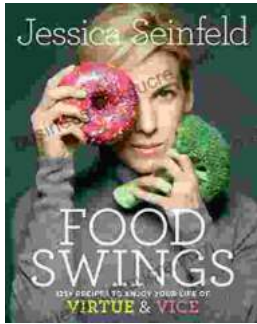


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