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METRIC Concert is Sold Out

METRIC Live at Open Air Sunday, Sept. 3

VICTORIA, BC, Aug. 31— This weekend's performance by METRIC at Open Air in Centennial Square has sold out.

Since their 2003 debut, METRIC has been everywhere from MTV and commercial rock radio to French art-house cinemas; depending on the night, you could find lead vocalist Emily Haines playing sombre solo piano shows in churches or diving off the stage at Toronto's Mod Club Theatre. This is a band comfortable making music for both the misfits and the masses.

METRIC is currently touring to promote their second LP, the gold-selling *Live it out*.

METRIC is presented by OPEN AIR and ATOMIQUE PRODUCTIONS as part of a concert series sponsored by ROGERS WIRELESS. Other artists performing at OPEN AIR this summer include CORB LUND (Sept. 1), GREAT BIG SEA (Sept. 4) and DE LA SOUL (Sept. 9).

OPEN AIR is a summer-long series of events presented by the Inter-Cultural Association of Greater Victoria (ICA) in partnership with the City of Victoria and is produced by TNT Productions Inc. Located in Centennial Square, OPEN AIR also presents FLIX *al fresco!*, Big Band Boogie and the weekly Urban Farm Market For more information about OPEN AIR or volunteer opportunities, visit www.openairvictoria.com.

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