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**LAURENTIAN BANK PRESENTS THE JEUNESSES MUSICALES CANADA  
CONCERT SERIES “CONCERTS FOR FAMILIES!”**

**Montreal, September 12, 2007** – This year, Laurentian Bank of Canada is once again very pleased to be associated with Jeunesses Musicales Canada’s concert series for everyone, “Concerts for families!” The Bank has been a partner in the event for the last six years.

“Concerts for families” features a series of eight hosted concerts, presented on Sundays between October 2007 and June 2008. The program this year includes: *Les 7 trompettes de Fred Piston*, *Le petit homme aux cheveux roux*, *Le grand bal de Noël*, *Le musicien des glaces*, *Nouvelle-France*, *Skarazula*, *Mission sur la planète alliage* et *Le vilain petit canard*, and presents opportunities for children and their parents to explore the magic of music. Again this year, each concert will be performed three times, with shows at 11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Laurentian Bank and its employees are proud to be partnering the event once again. The event is in line with the Bank’s family orientation, which promotes activities in which parents and children can share emotions and discoveries. The Bank strives to be increasingly accessible to families through an approach that values the client experience and by aiming for excellence in service that is tailored to the needs of each individual.

**About Laurentian Bank**

Laurentian Bank of Canada is a Quebec banking institution that operates across Canada and is dedicated to meeting its clients’ financial needs through excellence in service, as well as through its simplicity and proximity. The Bank serves individual consumers and small and medium-sized businesses, as well as financial advisors through B2B Trust. It also provides full-service brokerage solutions through its Laurentian Bank Securities subsidiary. Laurentian Bank is well established in the Province of Quebec, operating the third largest retail branch network and is also a performing player in specific market segments elsewhere in the country. Laurentian Bank of Canada has over \$18 billion in balance sheet assets and over \$15 billion in assets under administration. Founded in 1846, the Bank employs 3,400 people. Its common shares are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX: LB). For more information, please visit [www.laurentianbank.ca](http://www.laurentianbank.ca).

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