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## THE MOODY BLUES "PRECIOUS CARGO" TOUR

### CANADIAN DATES ANNOUNCED TICKETS ON SALE FRIDAY, JUNE 24

**Vancouver, BC** ~ The Moody Blues have been musical mainstays for over thirty years. With over 70 million albums sold and hit singles such as "Nights in White Satin", "I Know You're Out There Somewhere" and "Your Wildest Dreams", they created a standard for classic rock music that garnered them numerous awards, platinum records and a place in rock history.

*"The Moody Blues are one of the most important rock acts to ever come out of the U.K."*  
– New York Post

*"A great rock n' roll band with staying power beyond anybody's wildest dreams."*  
– USA Weekend

*"One of the biggest strengths the band has is knowing what they do and doing it extremely well."*  
– Toronto Sun

In September of 2011, the three remaining original members of the band - Graeme Edge, John Lodge and Justin Hayward - will embark on their first cross-Canada tour. As part of this tour, Paul Mercs Concerts is proud to present the following "Precious Cargo" dates...

<b>September 15</b>	<b>Halifax, NS</b>	<b>Halifax Metro Centre</b>
<b>September 16</b>	<b>Moncton, NB</b>	<b>Moncton Coliseum Complex</b>
<b>September 18</b>	<b>Quebec City, QC</b>	<b>Salle Albert-Rousseau</b>
<b>September 21</b>	<b>Kingston, ON</b>	<b>K-Rock Centre</b>
<b>September 22</b>	<b>Ottawa, ON</b>	<b>Scotiabank Place</b>
<b>October 2</b>	<b>Regina, SK</b>	<b>Conexus Arts Centre</b>
<b>October 5</b>	<b>Kamloops, BC</b>	<b>Interior Savings Centre</b>

Tickets for the **Halifax** show go on sale Friday, June 24 at 9:00am local time and range in price from \$49.50 to \$82.50 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available online at [www.ticketatlantic.com](http://www.ticketatlantic.com), by phone at 451.1221 or 1.877.451.1221, or in person at the Ticket Atlantic Box Office and at participating Atlantic Superstore locations.

Tickets for the **Moncton** show go on sale Friday, June 24 at 10:00am local time and range in price from \$55.00 to \$69.50 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available online at [www.tickets.moncton.ca](http://www.tickets.moncton.ca), by phone at 506.857.4100 or 1.888.720.5600, or in person at the Coliseum Box Office.

Tickets for the **Quebec City** show go on sale on **Monday, June 27 at 10:00am** local time and range in price from \$89.50 to \$109.00 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available in person at the Salle Albert-Rousseau box office and on the Ovation Network. Phone reservations: 418.659.6710 or 1.877.659.6710.

Tickets for the **Kingston** show go on sale Friday, June 24 at 10:00am local time and range in price from \$59.50 to \$82.50 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available online at [www.k-rockcentre.com](http://www.k-rockcentre.com), by phone at 1.877.KLIVE99, or in person at the K-Rock Centre Box Office.

Tickets for the **Ottawa** show go on sale Friday, June 24 at 10:00am local time and range in price from \$65.00 to \$85.00 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available online at [www.capitaltickets.ca](http://www.capitaltickets.ca), by phone at 613.599.3267 or 1.877.788.3267, or in person at the Scotiabank Place Box Office or Sports Experts locations.

Tickets for the **Regina** show go on sale Friday, June 24 at 10:00am local time and range in price from \$65.00 to \$85.00 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available online at [www.conexusartscentre.ca](http://www.conexusartscentre.ca), by phone at 306.525.9999 and 1.800.667.8497, or in person at the Conexus Arts Centre and all CBO locations.

Tickets for the **Kamloops** show go on sale Friday, June 24 at 10:00am local time and range in price from \$55.00 to \$67.50 (plus applicable fees and service charges). Tickets are available online at [www.ticketmaster.ca](http://www.ticketmaster.ca), by phone at 1.855.985.500, or in person at all Ticketmaster outlets and the ISC Box Office.

For more information on The Moody Blues, please visit <http://www.moodybluestoday.com> and <http://www.facebook.com/MoodyBlues>.

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**About Paul Mercs Concerts:**

Paul Mercs Concerts has over 35 years of in-depth industry experience in various aspects of the entertainment business: artist management, large-scale event production, and concert promotion. With concert promotion as the primary business, Paul Mercs Concerts is the only independent concert promoter to operate Canada-wide, coast to coast. Artists associated with Paul Mercs Concerts include Heart, Brian Wilson, Peter Frampton, Tom Jones, Willie Nelson, Bill Cosby, Chris Botti, Diana Krall, George Jones, John Prine, Merle Haggard and Pearl Jam. From artists to media partners to audience members, Paul Mercs Concerts takes pride in its business and firmly believes in the true value of music.

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