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ALBERTA HOSTS A LIVE, OPEN CASTING CALL FOR THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW ON FEBRUARY 13

Hiring organization

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Description

CALGARY (January 29, 2024) – In-person casting is back, again! Proper Television today announces its cross-country casting tour for the upcoming eighth season of [THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW](#) (CBC), stopping in **Calgary, Alta.** on **Tuesday, February 13**. The open call asks talented Alberta home bakers to attend with their best baked creations.

Season 8's casting tour follows the wildly successful introduction of a hybrid in-person/online casting process for Season 7 in 2023. Last year the casting team met with hundreds of home bakers across Canada at the series' first-ever open casting calls, including several whose eventual fate was a coveted spot in the Baking Tent.

Local bakers are asked to register on Eventbrite to attend. Attendees should bring one home-baked item that will show off their design, technique, and flavours. This item will be presented to THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW team for tasting.

While [online casting](#) remains available for those who are not able to attend in person, the open call offers one more chance to impress the casting team, plus the opportunity to meet bakers from previous seasons on site. The details of the event are:

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 AT 9 A.M. MT

[Marriott](#) Downtown Calgary

110 9 Ave SE, Calgary, AB T2G 5A6

Link to Register: <https://bit.ly/CalgaryBakingEvent>

Alberta is known for its talented Baking Tent alumni including Season 3 Winner [Nataliia](#) Shevchenko, Season 4's [Larry Harris](#), and Season 7's [Kathy Neiman](#). All bakers are welcome and encouraged to pre-register to attend on Eventbrite. There is no prior application required.

Season 8 of THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW will film in Toronto in Spring and early Summer of this year. THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW is CBC's

homegrown take on hit format *The Great British Bake Off*. THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW brings together 10 amateur bakers from across the country to compete in a series of themed culinary challenges that celebrate their diverse backgrounds, families and communities. The series is an affirming, warm-spirited competition that celebrates personal achievement and the joy of baking. Past seasons of THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW can be streamed at [CBC Gem](#).

THE GREAT CANADIAN BAKING SHOW is produced by Boat Rocker's Proper Television in association with CBC and Love Productions. The executive producers are Cathie James and Lesia Capone, and the series producer is Mark Van de Ven. The format is owned by Love Productions and distributed by Sky.

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