

Friends of Meaford Library Summer Concerts 2025



## Concert #8 by Amanda Dorey on Sunday, 17 August 2025

Amanda started singing and having an interest in music as a young girl in public school. While in school, she participated in choirs, plays and competitions all of which prepared her to be comfortable with on-stage performances. Growing up with family and friends that were musically involved heightened her love of music. When she was 13, she received her very first guitar as a birthday gift from two close friends of her family. She could not afford lessons so these two friends sat with her and taught her the basic chords and some good old country songs and then let her carry on her journey alone. The first song she learned was Coat of many Colors by Dolly Parton which, she immediately preformed in front of her entire school.

From there, she started playing at local jam nights in the area and preforming at local establishments and events. Taking quite a long break from performing to raise a family, she has stepped back into the music world over the last few years. She has a popular following and has been welcomed with open arms from old and new fans alike. She performs a broad range of country artist covers from Loretta Lynn to Miranda Lambert and everything in between. She has her own unique sound that will entertain all audiences alike.