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## Our Picks

Nov. 19 to 25, 2015

1. The 19<sup>th</sup> edition of the **Eastside Culture Crawl** spreads its artsy wings Nov. 19 to 22, celebrating locally made visual arts, design and crafts created, showcased and sold in artists' studios, homes and garages throughout Vancouver's East Side, including those by painter **Laurel Swenson**. Details at [culturecrawl.ca](http://culturecrawl.ca).

2. Giller Prize winner **Sean Michaels** talks about his novel *Us Conductors* with Hal Wake at the opening night gala of the 31<sup>st</sup> annual **JCC Jewish Book Festival**, which runs Nov. 21 to 26 at the Jewish Community Centre. Authors include Assaf Gavron, Nomi Eve and Ruth Tal, among others. Details at [jewishbookfestival.ca](http://jewishbookfestival.ca).

3. Hoboken, New Jersey's long-running indie rock trio **Yo La Tengo** team up with buddy **Dave Schramm** for an evening of acoustic delights in support of the band's pretty little album of covers and reimagined originals, *Stuff Like That There*. It all goes down Nov. 21 at the Vogue. Tickets at Red Cat, Zulu, Highlife and [ticketfly.com](http://ticketfly.com).

4. Vancouver's **Andrea Superstein** brings her quirky, arty, pop-jazz stylings and (judging by her press photo) love of expensive amps, taxidermy and fancy footwear to Frankie's (765 Beatty St.) Nov. 20. Superstein will play in support of her new album, *What Goes On*.

5. Members of Hey Ocean, Dear Rouge, the Zolas, Bend Sinister, Wanting, the Boom Booms, Jordan Klassen and others pay tribute to the King of Pop with an evening of **Michael Jackson** covers, cleverly called *We Are the World, We Are the Biltmore*, Nov. 25 at, where else, the Biltmore Cabaret. Tickets at [ticketfly.com](http://ticketfly.com). Details at [biltmorecabaret.com](http://biltmorecabaret.com).



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