



## Beyoncé

Singer. Actress. Model. Philanthropist. Beyoncé continues her quest for world domination with a tour stop in Vancouver, bringing **catchy dance tunes, an intricate lights show and explosive special effects** to Rogers Arena for an unforgettable concert (Nov. 30; page 26).



## Buoyant Ballet

Sarah McLachlan has won countless music awards, sold more than 40 million albums and raised millions of dollars for charity. Now a new production from Alberta Ballet is **paying tribute to the much-lauded Vancouverite.**

*Fumbling Towards Ecstasy* (page 28), which explores one woman's journey from first love to emotional maturity, features McLachlan favourites such as "Into the Fire," "Vox" and "Ice Cream." It runs Nov. 14 to 16 at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre.

## The Write Stuff

Many consider Granville Island the artistic heart of the city, so where better to hold the Vancouver Writers Fest? This popular festival (Oct. 22 to 27; page 26) returns for its 26th year, **hosting literary luminaries from around the world.** Hear Canadian icon Margaret Atwood (**pictured**) discuss *MaddAddam*, the conclusion to her critically acclaimed dystopian trilogy. Listen to Scott Turow, best-selling author of nine legal thrillers, including *Presumed Innocent*. And be prepared to discover your next favourite author. Write on!

