



## Light 'Em Up

Get ready to ooh and aah as the Honda Celebration of Light (page 72) illuminates city skies. This year, the United States (Jul. 26), France (Jul. 30) and Japan (Aug. 2) compete for worldwide bragging rights. **Who will create the best fireworks display set to music?** Find out when the winner is announced on Aug. 4.

## MAKING MUSIC

It's not easy being green. Just ask the ogre Shrek, who wants nothing more than to be left alone after exiled fairy-tale creatures invade his swamp. **His heart-warming tale comes alive** in *Shrek: The Musical*, which runs on alternating nights with *Legally Blonde: The Musical* at Theatre Under the Stars (Jul. 11 to Aug. 23; page 76) in Stanley Park's picturesque Malkin Bowl.



## Happy Feet

Dancing on air. That describes how fans of contemporary choreography and boundary-pushing works feel during the Dancing on the Edge Festival (page 75). This annual fest, the longest running of its kind in Canada, **brings more than 70 dancers to town to perform in 30 works**, including Ziyian Kwan's *a slow awkward* (pictured), Kate DeVries' *Feast*, and the premieres of Matthew Romantini's *Crumbling* and MascalDance's *The Three Cornered Hat*. Catch the action Jul. 3 to 12 at indoor and outdoor venues around the city.