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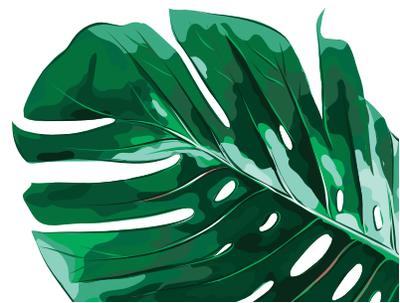
# 2017 SCA SUMMER MEETING

Elk Ridge Resort May 31 - June 2

We're **Wild** about Construction!

AGENDA AND SESSION INFORMATION

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# Agenda

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## 2017 SCA Summer Meeting | May 31 – June 2 | Elk Ridge Resort

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

#### Industry Association Meetings

**12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

Prince Albert Construction Association  
Board Meeting, Wapiti C

**2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.**

Merit Contractors Association of  
Saskatchewan Meeting, Wapiti A

**4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

General Contractors Association of  
Saskatchewan Meeting, Wapiti C

### THURSDAY, JUNE 1

**7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** Registration, Lobby

**7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** Breakfast, Lobby &  
Wapiti B

#### Education Sessions

**8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.**

CCA Update (during breakfast), Wapiti B

**9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**

New Technology in Construction, Wapiti C

**9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**

Safety: Let's Talk about Mental Health, Wapiti A

**10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

Saskatchewan Economic Outlook, Wapiti A

**\*12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

Lunch, Wapiti B & Outdoor Patio

#### Afternoon Activities

**\*1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

Jim Chase Classic Golf Tournament, Elk Ridge  
Resort Golf Course, Shotgun start, Texas  
Scramble

**\*2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Cocktail Mixology Class, Gazebo

### FRIDAY, JUNE 2

**7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** Registration, Lobby

**7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** Breakfast, Lobby &  
Wapiti B

#### Education Sessions

**8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.**

CANet: New Services and New Directions  
(during breakfast), Wapiti B

**9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**

Trends in Design & Specifications: Conversation  
with the Architects & Engineers, Wapiti A

**10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

Trends in Construction Law, Wapiti A

**\*12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

Lunch, Wapiti B & Outdoor Patio

#### Afternoon Activities

**\*1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

Golf Tournament, Elk Ridge Resort Golf Course,  
Shotgun Start, Scramble and Medal play

**\*12:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.**

4th Annual SCA Fishing Derby, Hanging Hearts  
Lake, meet in Elk Ridge Lobby, shuttle to depart  
at 12:45 p.m.

#### Welcome Reception

*Dress Code:* Come as you are

**7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** Registration,  
Wapiti AB

**8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.**

Welcome Reception, Wapiti AB &  
Outdoor Patio

**8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.**

Live Acoustic Music by Roland Corrigan

#### Dinner and Reception

*Dress Code:* Come as you are

**6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

Complimentary Cocktail Hour, Wapiti ABC

**6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.**

Silent Auction, SYA Scholarship Fundraiser

**7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

Buffet Dinner, Wapiti ABC

**8:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

Golf Presentations, Wapiti ABC

**9:30 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.**

DJ Entertainment

#### We're WILD about Construction!

##### Dinner and Reception

*Dress Code:* Costume – Safari Jungle Theme

**6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

Complimentary Cocktail Hour, Heritage Pavilion

**6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

Last Chance Silent Auction, SYA Scholarship  
Fundraiser

**7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

Buffet Dinner, Heritage Pavilion

**8:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

Friday Golf Presentations, Heritage Pavilion

**9:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.**

Silent Auction Winners Announced

**9:30 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.**

Live Band Entertainment, The Oddfellas

# Speakers

## THURSDAY

### CCA UPDATE

**THURSDAY, JUNE 1 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Wapiti B, Elk Ridge Resort**

#### Session Description

Hear the Canadian Construction Association's President, Michael Atkinson, and National Vice-Chair Zey Emir, highlight the latest initiatives at the National construction association level. CCA's vision is to build Canada with ethics, skills and responsibility. This session will provide you with an update on public policy and legal and standards development goals in the non-residential construction industry.

#### About the Presenters

**Michael Atkinson** has been the President of CCA since March 1993. Michael has emerged as a leading specialist in the area of standard construction practices in Canada and is highly regarded for his knowledge of the Canadian construction industry. In 2013, Michael was awarded one of 38 Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee medals designated for Canadians demonstrating outstanding service in the construction industry.

**Zey Emir** was named president of Revay and Associates Limited in 2013. She is a professional engineer with twenty-five years of experience in project management and consulting to the construction industry, primarily with respect to dispute resolution.

Zey has been recognized as an expert witness in court and by arbitration panels in the areas of delay and productivity analysis, as well as that of the quantification of damages. Her diverse project experience includes work on bridges, power plants, pipelines, tunnels and special purpose facilities in Canada, the U.S. and Europe.

She has developed and presented training programs for a wide range of industry professionals as well as lectured at Dalhousie University and Concordia University. Zey is the 2nd National Vice Chair / Honorary Secretary for the Canadian Construction Association and serves also on the board of the Canadian Construction Innovations (CCI).



### NEW TECHNOLOGY IN CONSTRUCTION

#### The Case for Innovation in Construction

**Thursday, June 1 9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Wapiti C, Elk Ridge Resort**

#### Session Description

Canada continues to lag behind its peers when it comes to embracing and promoting innovation, and this is increasingly evident in our construction industry. Whereas most other industries have undergone tremendous changes over the last few decades and reaped the benefits of process and product innovations, the construction sector has been hesitant about embracing the latest technological opportunities, and its labour productivity has stagnated accordingly.

But why should we care? What does it mean for our construction firms? How do we become part of an innovative culture? What are some of the current trends and developments that could be applied in our firms today?

#### About the Presenter

Bob Hildenbrandt has been a significant part of the commercial construction landscape in Calgary for over 30 years.

After graduating from the University of Calgary in Civil Engineering, Bob joined PCL and quickly developed his career. In 1992, he moved to Ledcor, taking on the role of Branch Manager and Vice President in 2000. Most recently in 2014, Bob joined Graham as Vice President, Business Development.

Bob has also been active at all levels of the Construction Association. He was a board member of the Calgary Construction Association from 2001 to 2013, and Board Chairman in 2002. Bob was a part of the Alberta Construction Association Executive from 2002 to 2007 and Board Chair in 2005 and 2006. He joined the Board of the Canadian Construction Association in 2005, where he still serves, and then in 2015 became part of the Executive as well.

In addition, Bob served on the board of Canada BIM Council (CanBIM) from 2009 to 2011. He was a founding member of the Institute for BIM in Canada (IBC) from 2011 onward where he served as Vice Chair until 2014, and Chair from 2014 to 2017. Bob still remains as a Director and Executive Committee member of IBC.

Bob enjoys the outdoors, golf, travel, and spending time with family. He and his wife Gail reside in Calgary.

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## **SAFETY: LET'S TALK ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH**

**Improving Safety and Fitness for Duty by Addressing Mental Health and Stress-Related Issues in the Workplace**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 1 9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Wapiti A, Elk Ridge Resort**

This session is sponsored by the Workers' Compensation Board - Saskatchewan

### **Session Description**

Saskatchewan employers have a growing awareness of the impact mental health and fitness for duty has on organizational health and wellness. Mental health is a leading cause of disability in Canada. This session will provide background on mental health and stress, explore the effects of unhealthy workplaces, establish a rationale for investing in workplace health and wellness, and give strategies for identifying and supporting at risk employees. Psychologically healthy workplaces that promote health and wellness can improve worker fitness for duty and workplace safety.

### **About the Presenter**

Kirk Englot is the Director of Family Services Employee Assistance Programs (FSEAP), which is a social enterprise division of Family Service Regina. FSEAP is an employee assistance provider that delivers high performing mental health and workplace solutions to over 40 employers in Saskatchewan and serves 11,000 employees. FSEAP works with customer organizations to improve the physical health, mental fitness, engagement, safety and productivity of employees.

Kirk holds a Masters Degree in Social Work and has over 15 years' experience working in the fields of counselling, project management, and non-profit capacity building and leadership.

Kirk fosters his own mental wellness by spending lots of quality time with his 3 year old son.



## **SASKATCHEWAN ECONOMIC OUTLOOK**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 1 10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Wapiti A, Elk Ridge Resort**

### **Session Description**

Join John Lax as he presents on the economic outlook for the non-residential construction industry in Saskatchewan. What are the leading indicators of construction industry activity? What are the latest labour market trends? What do the investment drivers look like? Expect to learn the answer to these questions and more

### **About the Presenter**

John Lax is a manager at the Saskatchewan Construction Association, and has been with us since 2015. John is responsible for areas of work involving advocacy, governance and communications.

# Speakers

## **FRIDAY**



## **CANET: NEW SERVICES AND NEW DIRECTIONS**

**FRIDAY JUNE 2 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Wapiti B, Elk Ridge Resort**

### **Session Description**

Join Matthew Farthing as he shares the latest initiatives underway to enhance member value. Hear first-hand the best ways to extract information out of association systems, the latest news on association procurement technology, and exciting plans for the future! Use this session as an opportunity to ensure technology changes important to you are brought forward.

### **About the Presenter- Matthew Farthing**

In his role as CANet manager, Matt is responsible for undertaking new initiatives to enhance the local construction industry. One such initiative is the use of electronic bidding as it applies to both traditional procurement and Saskatchewan Bid Depository solicitations. Matt is experienced in coordinating both current tender and pre-tender project opportunities and has leveraged that experience to promote improved procurement practice and standard document use at the owner and consultant level. The projects underway by CANet benefit all participants in the construction community.

When he takes a break from the procurement realm, Matt spends his time at home with his wife and three boys. The challenges they bring make dealing with procurers seem like less of a daunting task!



## **TRENDS IN DESIGN & SPECIFICATIONS: CONVERSATION WITH THE ARCHITECTS & ENGINEERS**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 2 9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Wapiti A, Elk Ridge Resort**

### **Session Description**

What's new in the world of design? What trends and expectations are on the horizon, with respect to what owners are looking for? Here is your opportunity to hear from experts and engage in conversation with them about emerging design trends. Expect to learn about what innovative changes are coming down the pipeline in architecture and engineering.

### **About the Presenters**

**Daniel Reeves, Architect, SAA, MRAIC, aodbt architecture + interior design**

Daniel is the secretary and treasurer for the Saskatchewan Association of Architects, and also sits on their communications committee.



Daniel works with Aodbt architecture + interior design. He has worked on projects in many different areas including institutional, education, performing arts and residential. His technical abilities allow him to quickly and clearly create design drawings, models, or three dimensional presentations, while his communication skills allow him to explain these concepts to the client to assist them in making design decisions.

**Ian Walker, Senior Associate, Electrical Consultant; Engineering Licensee, Stantec**

Ian Walker has a wide range of experience gained over the past 30 years within the Building Services and Semiconductor Industry. His project experience covers healthcare, commercial, education, historical buildings and semiconductor plants. Ian has worked in many challenging sectors in a variety of locations, and he is proactive in order to ensure that his projects are delivered to the required standards, on time, and within budget. Ian has been in Saskatchewan since 2012.



## **TRENDS IN CONSTRUCTION LAW**

**Getting Paid: Legal Tips for Maximizing Collection**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 2 10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Wapiti A, Elk Ridge Resort**

### **Session Description**

In this new financial climate within our province, debt collection is becoming a front and centre issue for those in the construction industry. This session will focus on ways to maximize your collection opportunities throughout the project, starting from the initial contract negotiation phase through the end stages of the project. Topics will include protecting yourself by investigating project risks from the outset, negotiating favourable contract terms, using builders' lien legislation to your advantage, and maneuvering through bankruptcies, insolvencies and receiverships.

### **About the Presenter**

Misty Alexandre is a partner with Robertson Stromberg LLP, where her practice focuses primarily on construction law and commercial debt recovery. Misty is very active with the local construction industry. She is a member of the Executive Committee for Construction Specifications Canada (Legal Officer Role), and has acted as an instructor for their Principles of Construction Documentation course. Misty is also a member of the Saskatoon Construction Association and is a regular presenter for their annual Construction 101 course. She conducts many seminars for the Association on topics such as construction warranties, builders' liens, construction debt recovery, and bonds/insurance issues. Recently, Misty also acted as an instructor for the Construction Management Course presented by the Association and Great Plains College.

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# Entertainment

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## THE ODDFELLAS

This year we are pleased to present The Oddfellas as our live entertainment for Friday night. Did you know that one of the band members, Justin Hoyes, sits on the SCA Board of Directors?

The Oddfellas have been playing together for three years in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

Their name came about while jamming in one of their member's condos, which was originally Moose Jaw's chapter of the Odd Fellows Hall, a heritage building erected in 1924. The Oddfellas are an eclectic group of guys, who come from various musical backgrounds. They play cover songs from a wide variety of artists, including Tom Petty, Steve Earle, CCR, and Garth Brooks to name a few.



## ROLAND CORRIGAL

Born and raised in northern Saskatchewan, Roland Corrigan's life has been steeped in live country music from the beginning. At the 2017 Saskatchewan Country Music Association award, Roland accepted his second SCMA!

Roland has performed at concerts and festivals across Canada and wrapped up his EP Small Town Life. He also released a radio single called "I Don't Wanna Fight No More" that is getting airplay across the country and beyond. Besides his passion for music, he has dedicated himself to his community as a former structural fire captain and air search and rescuer. Roland's blend of the old and new styles of country music is sure to please listeners on Wednesday night.



## MAXWELL MUSIC

Thursday night's entertainment is brought to you by Maxwell Music!

# Afternoon Activities

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## **Cocktail Mixology Class – Gazebo - Thursday - 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

This private Cocktail Mixology Class will provide you a hands-on experience that will teach you the secrets of shaking your own cocktails like a pro. Your personal mixologist will guide you through the process of making 3 cocktails, teaching you how to muddle, mix and shake your own cocktails to perfection. It's an interactive class that will last just under two hours and is 100% guaranteed to be full of fun and laughter!



## **4th Annual Fishing Derby – Hanging Hearts Lakes – Friday 12:45 PM – 5:15 PM**

Enjoy an afternoon of catch-and-release fishing with some friendly competition. An SCA staff member will assign you to your team. The shuttle will depart from the Elk Ridge Lobby at 12:45 PM. Attendees are responsible for providing fishing equipment. Boat rental, fishing license, and park entry are all included. Have fun on these beautiful northern Saskatchewan lakes, and hey, you might even win a prize for the biggest catch of the day!



## **Golf – Tamarack/Birch Course – Thursday & Friday - 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

Come and enjoy a game of golf at Saskatchewan's premiere golfing destination! Thursday will be a scramble format, and Friday will have the option of scramble or medal play. Golf begins at 1:00 PM at the Tamarack/Birch courses, but arrive early to meet your team!

# First Time at the SCA Summer Meeting?

## General Information

### Meetings & Education Sessions

Located in the lower level of Elk Ridge Resort (see Facilities Map on next page)

### Golf Tournaments

- Shot-Gun start
- 1:00 p.m. Tamarack/Birch Golf Courses
- Arrive 20 mins before start time

### Evening Receptions – Dress Code

- Wednesday & Thursday Dress Code: Come as you are
- Friday Dress Code: Costume – Safari Jungle

### Accommodations Information:

Contact Elk Ridge Resort directly at 1-800-510-1824.  
You will need a registration number from the SCA to book accommodation.  
*(which is supplied upon sending us your completed registration form)*

### Local Leisure Activities

#### Town of Waskesiu

- Gift shops, Galleries
- Beaches and lakes
- Bicycle, Kayak, Boat Rentals
- Grocery Stores
- Heritage Museum
- Visit [www.waskesiuLake.ca](http://www.waskesiuLake.ca) for more!

#### On-site Resort Activities

- Driving Range
- Putting Green
- Cruiser Bicycles
- Catch & Release Rainbow Trout Fishing
- Beach Volleyball
- Bocce Ball
- Groomed Hiking Trails
- Eco-Adventures Zip Line Canopy Tours:  
1-306-663-4466 or Book Online @ [zipelkridge.rezgo.com](http://zipelkridge.rezgo.com)

### Elk Ridge Resort Amenities

#### Onsite Dining

- Copper at Elk Ridge Resort – 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
- Walleye's Clubhouse – 11:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.
- Heritage Pavilion concession window –  
7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

#### Hotel Amenities

- Hi-speed Wi-Fi
- In-room Tea and Coffee Service
- Newspaper
- Library and Board Games
- Fitness Centre
- Indoor Pool and Hot Tub

### Resort Business Segments

- Three 9-Hole Golf Courses: 1-800-510-1824 ext. 523
- Salacia Spa: 1-800-510-1824 ext. 575

### Shuttle Bus Information

The Elk Ridge Lodge will provide complimentary shuttle service into Waskesiu.  
Please call (306) 663-4653 EXT 0.

Please allow 10-15 minutes if you are waiting for ride at Elk Ridge Lodge.  
Please allow a little longer pickup time if you are in Waskesiu.

# Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship (SYA) Scholarship Fund

## Silent Auction Fundraiser

**Starting When:** Thursday, June 1 **Where:** Banquet Supper



**Ending When:** Friday, June 2 **Where:** Banquet Supper

### How can I get involved?

You can get involved by contributing to the program fund, or by participating in the fundraising activities during golf and the silent auction held at the SCA Summer Meeting at Elk Ridge Resort.  
Contact [sca@scaonline.ca](mailto:sca@scaonline.ca) or 306-525-0171 for more information.

#### SCA SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In 2008, the Saskatchewan Construction Association (SCA) and the Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission (SATCC) jointly pursued the concept of an industry-led scholarship program to encourage graduating high school students to enter a career in skilled trades. With SCA member contributions and administrative support provided by SATCC, 40 - \$1,000 scholarships were awarded.

In 2011, the Minister of Advanced Education, Employment and Immigration, Honourable Rob Norris initiated a government program designed to match industry's contribution to the scholarship fund.

To date, the construction industry has raised over \$500,000 for the fund. Scholarships are awarded every June to selected, eligible high school graduates who have completed the Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship (SYA) program. To receive scholarship funds, students must, within two years of graduation, complete the first level of apprenticeship or complete one year of post-secondary training in a designated skilled trade.

You can get involved in the SYA-SATCC Scholarship Program by making a contribution to the program fund, or by participating in the fundraising activities during golf and the live auction held at the SCA Summer meeting in Elk Ridge. To learn more, contact the SCA at 306-525-0171 or [sca@scaonline.ca](mailto:sca@scaonline.ca).

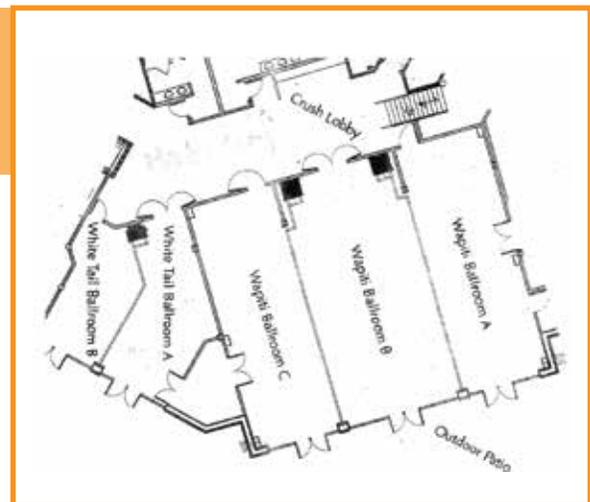
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Thank you to the sponsors of the 2017 Annual Summer Meeting!

## FULL EVENT PRESENTING SPONSOR

Saskatchewan Construction Safety Association



## GOLF HOLE

Thursday: ATCO Structures & Logistics



Thursday & Friday: A&B Concrete Pumping



Thursday & Friday: Concrete Saskatchewan

Thursday & Friday: Lehigh Hanson

Thursday & Friday: McDougall Gauley LLP

Thursday & Friday: Western Surety Company

Thursday & Friday: Royal Bank of Canada



## WEDNESDAY/THURSDAY/FRIDAY

Wednesday Evening: Merit Contractors Association



Thursday Breakfast: A&H Steel

Thursday Cocktail Hour: C & S Builders & RNF Ventures

Thursday Safety: WCB Saskatchewan

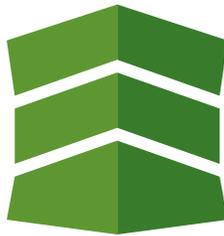
Friday Breakfast: General Contractors Association of Saskatchewan

Friday Cocktail Hour: Ledcor Construction Ltd.

Lanyards and Nametags: Guarantee Company of North America

Centerpieces: Sask Trends Monitor





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