

MAY 13-15, 2015 BOISSEVAIN

Wednesday, May 13

- 6:45 p.m. Meet in hotel lobby
- 7:00 p.m. Tour of Goodon International Wildlife Museum
- 8:00 p.m. Welcome Reception at Canadian Wilderness Inn

Thursday, May 14

Breakfast at hotel included in room rate.
All sessions held at Legion unless otherwise noted

- 9:00 a.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks
- 9:15 Housing in Boissevain— Mayor Ed Anderson
- 9:45 Hotel Development—Will Goodon, Co-Owner, Canadian Wilderness Inn (TBC)
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 World Trade Centre / Centrallia Update
The Business InfoCentre (BIC), a service provided by the World Trade Centre Winnipeg, is a hub for all entrepreneurs with free services ranging from trade information to seminars and customised research .
- 10:45 Pierre Desmarais , Deputy Director, Investor Services Division, Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development Canada— a primer on the role of his department in attracting investment and management of the ICCI program;
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 Arts and Culture in Boissevain—community leaders will share their perspectives on the impetus for arts and culture excellence in Boissevain
- 2:30 **Town Tour**
- 4:00 Free Time
- 6:00 **Dinner—Veva Restaurant** (meet in lobby at 5:45)
- 8:00 Concert— join us at Sawmill for music and mixing
- 10:00 Close

Friday, May 15

Breakfast at Hotel

- 9:00 a.m. Young Entrepreneurs—A local panel of young entrepreneurs will share with us what attracted them to Boissevain and what keeps them there, what supports provide value and what else can be done
- 10:00 a.m. Break
- 10:15 a.m. **Roundtable Topics**—opportunity to participate in two of the following topics
 - Managing booms and slowdowns—Tanis Chalmers
 - Amalgamation—economic development challenges—Ruth Mealy
 - Planning for legacy projects—Henry Sikora
- 11:30 a.m. Annual Meeting
- 12:00 noon Close of Forum / EDAM Board Meeting

Registration Form

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

___\$175 Member Rate ___\$225 Non-Member Rate

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Dietary Restrictions: _____

Please send cheque payable to:

EDAM, 700-177 Lombard Avenue, Winnipeg, MB R3B 0W5

For further information, call Shelley at (204) 795-2000. Registrations may be faxed to (204) 925-8000 or emailed to shelly.morris@mts.net.

Cancellation Policy: No refunds for cancellations after May 8.

Hotel Information

Canadian Wilderness Inn Call 1.877.534.7155 or email Jaquie@wildernessinn.com to reserve - make mention of the EDAM block of rooms for rate of \$99 (double room/2 queen beds).