



WCOWMA Onsite Wastewater
MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION OF BC

December 31, 2012

Happy New Year from WCOWMA-BC!

The early bird registration date for the upcoming Convention and Trade Show is fast approaching. We hope you have marked your calendar for February 7 – 10, 2013 and that you will join us at the Ramada in Abbotsford for the 2013 Convention and Trade Show. WCOWMA-BC is pleased to have a comprehensive presentation schedule focussed on providing valuable training and educational opportunities for our onsite wastewater stakeholders. This is your chance to participate in activities that will enhance your skill levels and increase your education. ROWPs and Engineers alike will be able to maximize their continuing professional development credits at this venue.

The most current presentation is shown below for your information. Registration is attached and is also available online at www.wcowma-bc.com.

Register early to get the best rates! See you in Abbotsford!



**Environmentally Responsible &
Sustainable Wastewater Management**

Proposed Schedule of Events

The current schedule is tentative, Sessions may be added to those listed, and session times may be adjusted prior to the start of the 2013 Convention & Trade Show. Always refer to the latest schedule for session dates and times.

| Thursday, February 7, 2013 | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|--|------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 9:00am | 3:30pm | Advanced Site Evaluation: From Soils Evaluation to Hydrogeologic Implications | Kent Watson & | WOWMA Training Session |
| 9:00am | 12:00pm | Design with Advantex to Maximize Denitrification | Ted Kulongoski | Sponsored by Onsite Systems Inc |
| 1:00pm | 3:00pm | Maintaining your Advantex System | Ted Kulongoski | Sponsored by Onsite Systems Inc |
| Friday, February 8, 2013 | | | | |
| 10:00am | 5:00pm | Trade Show Open | | |
| 7:45am | 8:45am | Breakfast - Meet Your Board of Directors | Board of Directors | WOWMA-BC |
| 8:45am | 10:00am | System Construction Best Practices & Troubleshooting | Panel Discussion | |
| 11:00am | 11:30am | Phosphorus Removal | TBA | Premier Tech Aqua |
| 11:30am | 12:30pm | Lunch in the Trade Show Hall | | |
| 12:30pm | 1:00pm | Operation & Maintenance—Advantex | Ted Kulongoski | Advantex |
| 2:00pm | 2:30pm | Planning & Installation with the Eljen GSF | Brian Parker | Eljen Corp. |
| 3:30pm | 4:00pm | Critical Retention Time for Anaerobic and Aerobic Treatment Systems | Colin Boog | Bionest |
| 5:00pm | 6:00pm | Annual General Meeting | | |
| 6:00pm | 7:00pm | Happy Hour | | |
| 7:00pm | 8:00pm | Banquet & Entertainment | | |
| Saturday, February 9, 2013 | | | | |
| 8:00am | 8:15am | Welcome & Opening Remarks | Brent Dennis | WOWMA-BC |
| 8:15am | 9:00am | Keynote | Cate Soroczan | CMHC |
| 9:00am | 9:45 | Subdivision Best Practice Guideline | Glen Brown | Ministry of Community Resources |
| 9:45am | 10:30am | Innovative Septic Solutions for Kirkstone—a Self-Sustaining Community | Ian Ralston | Trac Developments |
| 10:30am | 10:45am | Coffee Break | | |
| 10:45am | 11:30am | Greywater Recapture—Research & Technology | Ed Hoepfner | Aquarian Systems |
| 11:30am | 12:15pm | Update from ASTTBC | John Leech | ASTTBC |
| 12:15pm | 1:00pm | Lunch | | |
| 1:00pm | 1:45pm | Onsite Septic System Management Programs at the Regional Level | Kevin Barnard | GRD Health |
| 1:30pm | 2:15pm | Greywater Recapture & Rainwater Harvesting Discussion Panel | TBA | Concurrent Session |
| 1:45pm | 2:30pm | The Importance of Proper System Maintenance | Garth Millan | Jabb Excavating |
| 2:30pm | 2:45pm | Coffee Break | | |
| 2:45pm | 3:30pm | System Venting & Critical Considerations for Electrical | Colin Boog | Concurrent Session |
| 2:45pm | 3:30pm | Overview of the APEGBC Engineer's Guideline | Gilbert Laroque | APEGBC |
| 3:30pm | 4:15pm | Shrink/Swell (Smectite) Clays & Problems Associated in the Treatment of Wastewater | Kent Watson | Thompson Rivers University |
| 4:15pm | 5:00pm | Organic Soil Enrichment—From 0-170m ³ in One Day | Curt Kerns | Wetlands Pacific |
| 5:00pm | 5:45pm | Open Forum Discussion on Regulatory Issues | TBA | Discussion Panel |
| 5:45pm | 6:00pm | Closing Remarks | | |
| Sunday, February 10, 2013 | | | | |
| 9:00am | 3:30pm | Pressure Distribution Workshop | WOWMA-BC Training Team | |