

Exhibitor Bulletin No 3 – December, 2009

Dear 2010 CPMA Exhibitors:

Happy Holidays!

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CPMA's Office Christmas Holidays Schedule

Please note the following CPMA's Office Christmas Holidays Schedule.

- December 21-23 , 2009 – Open 8am to 5pm (EST)
- December 24, 2009 – Open 8am to 2pm (EST)
- December 25, 2009 – Closed
- December 28-29, 2009 – Closed
- December 30-31, 2009 – Open 8am to 4pm (EST)
- January 1 , 2010 – Closed
- January 4 – 8 , 2010 – Open 8am to 5pm (EST)

Please note that although CPMA office will be open for regular business on December 30th and 31st, certain staff members may not be available.

Convention Program & Registration

The Organizing Committee of CPMA's 2010 Convention is hard at work planning another wonderful event that will provide each and everyone with lots of networking opportunities and occasions to do business. Our 2010 Convention will feature **two great keynote speakers, five very interesting business sessions, three fabulous social & networking events**. You don't want to miss it! Please visit our Convention website for program details and registration forms.

http://convention.cpm.ca/en_program.asp http://convention.cpm.ca/en_registration.asp

Can't make it to all the functions? You can purchase partial registration packages - either a day pass or for a single event only.

<http://convention.cpm.ca/pdf/2010/2010PartialRegFormEnglish.pdf>

What events are included with your Exhibit Space?

As an Exhibitor, you can attend, on a complimentary basis with your exhibitor pass, the following functions only:

- Trade Show (May 13-14, 2010)
- Business Sessions (May 13-14, 2010)
- Retail Tour (May 14, 2010)
- Variety Night (May 13, 2010)

A ticket or a day pass must be purchased to attend the following functions:

- Chair's Welcome Reception (May 12, 2010)
- Thursday Breakfast and Lunch with keynote speakers (May 13, 2010)
- Friday Awards Luncheon (May 14, 2010)
- Friday Annual Banquet (May 14, 2010)

Social Evenings

Chair's Welcome Reception • Wednesday, May 12 • 20:00 - 22:30

1925 – It all started then and today we are celebrating 85 years of commitment to the growth of the produce industry! Join us as we highlight some of the memories of years gone by and celebrate the future. Catch up with friends and colleagues; make new acquaintances while enjoying the delicious hors d'oeuvres of Executive Chef Nagata and the wonderful view offered by the atrium of the Pan Pacific Hotel.

Variety Night - The Love Boat • Thursday, May 13 • 20:30 - 24:00

Join Captain Adrian Abbott, Staff Captain Dan Dempster and the rest of the crew aboard the CPMA Cruise Ship for a night of music, fun and surprises on all decks. The night's entertainment will feature the Timebenders - a fantastic band from BC, who will make you dance the night away with their high energy performance -a Rock n' Roller Coaster experience through time featuring unforgettable music and stars from the 50's to the 80's. Without leaving dry docks, come and enjoy a cruise ship like you've never seen before.

Annual Banquet - Masquerade Ball • Friday, May 14 • 19:30 - 24:00

Will you recognize your friend behind the mask? The annual banquet will bring you back to a time where masquerade balls were very trendy in the high echelons of the Venetian society and where guests wore elaborate costumes and masks. Our *bal masqué* will bring back the dark and mysterious atmosphere of those soirées with a more modern twist. Famous Players, another wonderful BC band, will keep us on our feet until the wee hours of the night.

Please use the Partial Registration Form and fax it back to us at (613) 226-2984.