

Conference/Workshop- January 16th-18th, 2019
Crowne Plaza, Fredericton, NB

January 16th 2019

10:00 am- 4:30 pm
Petitcodiac Room

“Confident Conversations” workshop offered by CropLife Canada

A day-long session designed to help you explain the benefits our industry delivers through its technologies. The session will also help you to comfortably manage difficult conversations with people opposed to pesticides and plant biotechnology. The workshop is free and simultaneous translation will be available.

starting at 8 pm
Suite 310

Hospitality Suite

January 17th 2019

9:30 am

Opening Remarks: Christian Michaud, President

- Housekeeping rules
- Adoption of the agenda and minutes
- Memorial
- Election of Board of Directors 2019

10:00 am

Alliance Activity Report- Josée Albert, Chief Executive Officer

10:30 am

Ag in the Classroom- Stéphane Sirois, coordinator

10:40 am

BREAK

11:00 am

Farm Credit Canada, Faith Matchett, Area VP, Operations Atlantic & Eastern Ontario

11:20 am

Financial Report, Nicholson & Beaumont, Melanie Jones, CPA

Appointment of the auditor for 2019

Budget 2019- Mike Slocum, treasurer

11:40 pm

Small Business Investor Tax Credit, Jean-Luc Gauvin, Audit and Program Compliance Leader with the Department of Finance

12:00 pm

LUNCH

1:00 pm

Dept. of Agriculture, Aquaculture & Fisheries, Hon. Ross Wetmore

1:20 pm

Guest Speaker: Terry Betker, President & CEO, Backswath Management Inc.

Leading Management Practices – Insights on Finance and Human Resources

2:20 pm

Resolutions

3:00 pm

BREAK

3:20 pm

Energy Efficiency Programs- Scott Garinther, Program Lead, NB Power

3:30 pm

Energy Efficiency Opportunities- Mark McAloon, President & Co-owner, Nexgen

3:45 pm

Farm Safety, Nicole McLaughlin, Education Consultant, Worksafe NB

4:15 pm

Let’s Talk About Plant Science Innovation- Darell Pack, Director, provincial regulatory affairs and stakeholder relations, CropLife Canada

4:45 pm

Adjournment

Banquet

Thursday evening- \$50 (tickets must be purchased before noon)

Reception 6:00 pm & Banquet 7:00 pm

Featuring 4H Speaker

You are invited to the hospitality suite afterwards- Suite 310





January 18th 2019

9:30 am	2018 Resolutions Panel (featuring representatives from various provincial departments)
11:00 am	BREAK
11:20 am	Presentation of Executive of AANB and motion to ratify AANB Board of Directors decisions in 2018
11:25 am	Canadian Federation of Agriculture update , Ron Bonnett, President
12:00 pm	Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada , Marie-Noëlle Desrochers, Trade Matters: Current Status of Trade Agreements and Negotiations for Canada's Agricultural Sector
12:20 pm	NB Young Young Farmers Forum , Keenan Kavanaugh, President
12:30 pm	Closing remarks , Christian Michaud

Do not forget to complete the AGM survey

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