

Join us in Winnipeg, Manitoba!

We're scheming up something really big. If the logistics work out we're going to give you the chance to watch a huge 16" shell! Don't miss it!

The focus for this year's 2008 conference is Education. Your Vice President, Sean Morris, took the reigns and is busy getting us fantastic seminars.

- Start with a basic course on Pyro Essentials. We'll have speakers talk to you about how to improve everything from displays, the business and the fun of doing fireworks.
- You'll get a good understanding on the Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG) Regulations as it pertains to Fireworks!
 (That's worth a few hundred bucks alone!)
- Learn about the preliminary workings of the new Explosives Packaging standards and other regulatory updates.
- We're inviting speakers who can show us tips to improve our businesses.

Arrivals are on Thursday April 24th where you'll enjoy the evening and a few drinks with your national (and international) Pyro friends. To cap off the evening enjoy a dinner comedy theatre production called, "Greys House of Anatomy" where all the waiters are part of the act! Feast on a 4 course meal with all the fixings! Our Convention Hosts, CanFire and Archangel are both sponsoring the evening so please tell us whether you can attend!

Fireworks... yes we'll have those too! With access to a supply of over 4,000 mortars and the opportunity of a 16" shell you won't want to miss this awesome event!

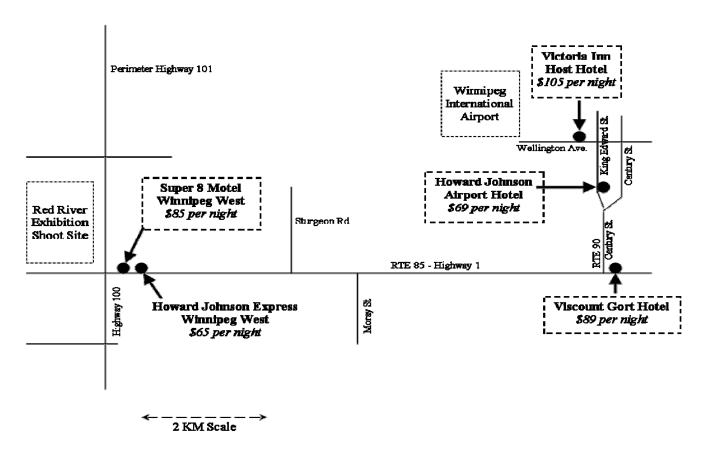
Don't delay start booking today!

CFA Conference 2008

Thursday April 24th - Saturday April 26th 2008 "Lighting up the Prairie Skies" Winnipeg, Manitoba

Victoria Inn Winnipeg HOST HOTEL / SEMINARS / TRADE SHOW

1808 Wellington Ave, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3H 0G3 1-877-VIC-INNS Phone: 204-786-4801 Fax: 204-786-1329



IMPORTANT CONTACTS

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Robyn Ferris - *robyn@olwdesign.com* Registration Chairwoman / Trade Show **Kelly Guille** - *kelly@ArchangelFireworks.com* Convention Co-Chairman

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Accommodations

The CFA has received a special deal for a few of the following hotels in the Winnipeg area. You have to make your own reservations with them. To get these rates mention the "Canadian Fireworks Association". The Host Hotel has a complimentary Shuttle Bus to and from the Winnipeg Airport.

Victoria Inn Winnipeg \$105 per night Single/Double Occupancy HOST HOTEL

COMPLIMENTARY AIRPORT SHUTTLE BUS 1808 Wellington Ave, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3H 0G3

Reservations: 1-877-VIC-INNS

Phone: 204-786-4801 Fax: 204-786-1329

Swimming Pool with Slides! Coffee makers, Iron/ironing boards, Hair dryers, Fitness Centre

Howard Johnson Express - Winnipeg West \$65 per night

3740 Portage Ave, Winnipeg, MB, R3K 0Z9 Phone: 204-837-5831 Fax: 204-831-6137

www.hojo.com

Airport - 11.75 km (7 miles) Red River Ex (Shoot Site) - 3.2 km (2 miles)

Downtown Winnipeg - 24 km (15 miles)

Free Internet, Ample Free Parking, Hot Tub and Sauna, No Pets Allowed, Restaurant, Pub and VLT Lounge, Coffee Maker, Free Local Calls, Hairdryer, Iron and Iron Board, Fridge & Microwave (in some rooms)

Super 8 Motel - Winnipeg West \$85 per night

3760 Portage Ave, Winnipeg, MB, R3K 1A1

Airport - 11.75 km (7 miles), Red River Ex (Shoot Site) - 3.2 km (2 miles)

Downtown Winnipeg - 24 km (15 miles)

Free Continental Breakfast, Free High Speed Internet, Gym/Exercise Facility, Pets Allowed, Coffee makers, Hairdryer, Free Local Calls, 24 hr Fitness Room

Howard Johnson Airport Hotel \$69 per night

1740 Ellice Ave, Winnipeg, MB, R3H 0B3 Phone: 204-775-7131 Fax: 204-788-4685

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Downtown Winnipeg - 7 Km, Red River Ex (Shoot Site) - 10 km (6 miles)

24 hour Airport Shuttle, Free High Speed Internet, Gym/Fitness Center, Pool, Restaurant,, Hairdryer, Iron/Ironing Board, Microwave, Refrigerator, Sofa Bed, Handicapped Rooms, Indoor Heated Pool, Pets Allowed at \$10/day

<u>Viscount Gort Hotel</u> \$89 (double occupancy per night)

1670 Portage Ave, Winnipeg, MB, R3J 0C9

Reservations: 800-665-1122

Phone: 204-775-0451 Fax: 204-772-2161

10 Min from Airport & Downtown Winnipeg, Red River Ex (Shoot Site) - 10 km (6 miles)

FREE HOT BREAKFAST (with beverage order) Coffee maker, Iron & ironing board, Internet, Pet friendly, Balcony rooms,

Microwave/fridge, Hair dryer

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Schedule of Events

This is the preliminary schedule and is subject to change. Time slots are yet to be confirmed. Items noted with a * are great seminars not to be missed!

Thursday April 24th

4:30pm-11pm

Fun Night! "Greys House of Anatomy" - CFA MEMBERS ONLY!

Kick off the weekend of fun with an evening at a comedy theatre production. You'll be fed a 4 course meal as you watch not only the comedy production unfold but all of the waiters are in on the fun too!

(\$49) FREE!

Sponsored by CanFire, Archangel Fireworks & CFA/ACP **Afterglow Party**

Friday April 25th

Registration **Trade Show** Welcome Speeches **Business Meeting Lunch Break & Trade Show** *Transportation of Dangerous Goods* Get updated with the latest Regulations Break - Trade Show *Pyro 101* **Dinner Break** Firework demonstrations Consumer and Professional

Saturday April 26th

Afterglow Party

Registration **Trade Show** *Buying, shipping, and using a 16" shell in Canada* *How to Photograph fireworks properly* **Lunch Break & Trade Show** *CGSB packaging of Explosives committee update* Break - Trade Show *Topics On Firing System Safety and Regulation* Open Time Slot (Trade Show?) **Dinner Break** Firework demonstrations (rain date) **Afterglow Party**

Sunday April 27th

Departures

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2008 Conference Registration Form

Payment must be made by cheque (do not send cash through the mail)
Registration forms must be post marked no later than April 6th. You may register on site.

	Pre-register <i>before</i> April 6 th	On-site registration <i>after</i> April 6 th	Quantity	Subtotal
Membership Registration Fee (Full, Associate, or Corporate)	\$95	\$115		
Non-Members Fee	\$160	\$180		
Thurs. April 24 th Fun evening Dinner Theatre PLEASE INDICATE IF YOU ARE ATTENDING.	\$49 FREE! (Members only)	CALL US Available while quantities last.		
TRADE SHOW SPACE (10' x 10') PROMOTE YOUR PRODUCTS/SERVICES!	\$50 (Attendance is free to everyone)			
BECOME A MEMBER! GET DISCOUNTS & ATTEND SPECIAL EVENTS!	Full Member - \$50 Associate - \$25 Corporate - \$250			
			TOTAL	

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Privacy Permission:

- 1. Do you want the CFA to share your contact information with those who request it? YES NO
- 2. Would you like your information added to a public membership directory? **YES** NO

 The directory is useful for those who want to promote their services or products to the public

Please print neatly and send to:

THE CANADIAN FIREWORKS ASSOCIATION 127 Manville Road, Unit#2, Scarborough, ON, M1L 4J7

Name:	
NAME: Second Attendee	
NAME: Third Attendee	
COMPANY:	
Address:	
Phone:	FAX:
EMAIL:	

2008 Membership Renewal: (circle)

Full \$50 Newsletter Discounted CFA rates Corporate \$250 4 get discounted CFA rates Free ½ pg ad in newsletters Associate \$25 Spouse / Family Member Must accompany a Full Member No Newsletter

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