



SACHA/NACHA 26th Annual Goldeye Conference Registration Form



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DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS SEPTEMBER 5th, 2014

Co-op Name: _____

Registrant Name: _____

Telephone: H _____ C _____

Email Address: _____

Is this your first Goldeye Conference? Yes: _____ No: _____

Will you be arriving before 6:00 PM on Friday for dinner? Yes: _____ No: _____ ETA: _____

You will be rooming with: _____

Special Dietary Needs & Allergies (Including gluten-free and vegetarian): _____

SATURDAY DINNER CHOICES: (Circle only one)

1. Vegetarian Pasta 2. Rib Eye Steak 3. Baked Halibut 4. Chicken Wellington

SATURDAY WORKSHOPS: Descriptions are found listed in the brochure

CHECK YOUR CHOICE 1. R-E-S-P-E-C-T 2. You Hold the Key

ACTIVITIES: (Circle what you will be using)

- Canoe Hot Tub Koda Ropes Course

CONFERENCE FEES (includes registration, accommodation and meals)

Double Occupancy (for SACHA members, per person)	\$390	\$ _____
Double Occupancy (for non-SACHA members, per person)	\$500	\$ _____
Single Occupancy (very limited)	add \$110	\$ _____
Late Registration fee (after September 6, 2013)	add \$50	\$ _____
Please submit payment with registration	Subtotal	\$ _____
No refunds for cancellations after September 6, 2013	5% GST	\$ _____
	Total	\$ _____

THE 26th ANNUAL GOLDEYE CONFERENCE

September 19th - 21st, 2014



Come and Find out how your Co-op can use the new International Logo

YOU HOLD THE KEY

Learn how you can help your co-op keep their rent-gearred-to-income subsidies

RESPECT

Find out what this fundamental value means to co-ops



GOLDEYE.2014



*** IMPORTANT If you plan to arrive Friday evening before 6:00 PM please mark it on your registration form so that dinner will be available. We will be receiving participants from 4:30 PM on Friday September 19, 2014. ***

26th ANNUAL GOLDEYE CONFERENCE

Join us again this year at the annual Goldeye Conference. The meeting at this rustic setting, which is also a co-operative, just west of Nordegg, originated as a forum for bringing Alberta housing co-op representatives together and has come to be considered one of the premier cooperative housing events in Canada. We are the envy of other provinces with people waiting in line to join us every year.

Find out what SACHA, NACHA, and CHF Canada directors have been up to and get the latest updates from Rooftops Canada.

GOLDEYE CENTRE, NORDEGG, AB

The Goldeye Centre is a secluded education and retreat facility located inside the first range of the Rocky Mountains in the towering pines at Goldeye Lake which is about 180 km west of Red Deer on the David Thompson Highway #11.

The Centre is made up of several buildings which house meeting rooms, a cafeteria and sleeping quarters. Bedding and towels are provided, however there is no maid service. Fireplaces can be found in most buildings and are available for our use. For more information about the Goldeye Centre visit: www.goldeye.org.

MEALS

The talented kitchen staff proudly offer a delicious selection of healthy meals and snacks. With advance notice special dietary needs will be accommodated. Please list special meal requirements and allergies on your registration form.

**** Registration fee covers all costs for the weekend including: plenaries, workshops, accommodations and meals as well as access to the canoes, rope course, and hot tub. ****

REGISTRATION - Begins Aug. 11th 2014

- \$390 Double Occupancy (per person)
- \$500 Single Occupancy (very limited)

Members of housing co-ops who wish to attend should apply to their Board of Directors for funding.

The deadline for registration is Friday September 5th, 2014. After September 5th, 2014 there will be a late registration fee of \$50 and there will be NO refunds or cancellations.

WHAT TO BRING

- Hiking boots or sturdy shoes for nature walks
- Flashlight, for night time foraging
- Board games and playing cards
- Libations and snack foods
(We will provide snacks on Saturday evening)
- Clock radio, guitar or other musical instruments
- Binoculars for bird watching and mountain viewing
- Props for Saturday night activities
- Evenings are very informal and dress is casual

DRIVING INSTRUCTIONS

- Head North on Hwy #2 to Red Deer
- Take exit 401 for Hwy #11
- Turn left at David Thompson Hwy (Hwy #11)
- Continue 80 km to Rocky Mountain House
- Keep going west past Nordegg about 9 km
- Turn right off Hwy #11 at Goldeye Lake Campground
- Follow the gravel road 1.5 km to the Goldeye Centre

If you plan to drive and can provide space for others or, if you need a ride please contact Colleen at (403) 233-0969.

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

FRIDAY NIGHT

Registration 4:30 PM
Dinner 6:00 - 7:00 PM
Bonfire 7:30 PM

SATURDAY MORNING

Breakfast 8:00 - 9:00 AM
Plenary Session 9:00 AM
Lunch 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Workshops 1:00 - 4:00 PM

SUNDAY MORNING PLENARY SESSIONS BUSINESS MEETING

The plenary sessions are held on Saturday and Sunday morning. These sessions provide an opportunity for us to gather together for an exchange of best practices and to share triumphant and challenging learning experiences. Reports will be presented by NACHA, SACHA and CHF Canada.

WORKSHOPS: SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 20th, 2014

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

1. R-E-S-P-E-C-T

Find out what this fundamental value means to a housing co-operative. This session will be facilitated by Brenda Davies and Erin Viala.

Is your co-op looking for innovative ways to build relationships with your membership? Recognizing and understanding the attitudes, perceptions and myths of your community can go a long way to promoting open communication and co-operative living. Please join us for an interactive discussion of:

- Promoting healthy interactions
- Tackling member's attitudes, perceptions and myths
- Building trust in your community
- Roles for young people
- Effective leadership
- A sense of belonging
- Commitment to a shared future
- Community resilience
- Tackling underlying causes of poor community cohesion

FACILITATOR: BRENDA DAVIES is the Executive Director of SACHA. She has been working in the co-operative housing sector for many years and has a strong background in community development and working with not for profit organizations. Brenda has worked extensively in the area of affordable housing, property management and personal finance. She is an advocate for affordable housing initiatives.

FACILITATOR: ERIN VIALA is a lawyer with Bryan & Company Calgary LLP in the commercial litigation department. Erin focuses on commercial debt recovery, insolvency, employment, and general commercial litigation. Erin has worked with housing co-operatives in southern Alberta on various litigation matters including employment and debt recovery and on various other matters including director's liability.

2. YOU HOLD THE KEY: TOOLS TO LAUNCH A SUCCESSFUL ADVOCACY CAMPAIGN IN ALBERTA

This workshop will introduce members to the national campaign, "You Hold the Key: Fix the Co-op Housing Crunch." Co-ops across the country are passing resolutions to endorse this campaign in an effort to call on all levels of government to act together to maintain rent-geared-to-income assistance for over 200,000 low-income Canadians households who live in non-profit and co-operative housing.

You will hear from several government relations experts who will offer advice on everything from the importance of non-partisan relationship building to how to increase the low level of awareness of co-op housing through key messages about who we are, the community benefits of housing co-ops and identifying the challenges and opportunities that are facing our sector in Alberta. We have to take action now to urge our political representatives to protect Co-op homes for vulnerable Albertans.

FACILITATOR: DARREN KITCHEN is the Government Relations Director at the Co-operative Housing Federation of BC. His work currently centres on developing new co-ops and working to secure Provincial rent supplements to replace expiring federal subsidies. He has previously worked in the non-profit housing sector and for the City of Vancouver. Darren lives in Lore Krill Housing co-op in downtown Vancouver.