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They were here!!!



Ella Mae Lentz and Ken Mikos (Signing Naturally Instructors) of California
Bruce Mayer, President of Alberta Cultural Society of the Deaf
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**Submission deadline
for the next issue is
September 22, 2003**

Deaf Canada News

Signing Naturally Training

Alberta Cultural Society of the Deaf hosted the Signing Naturally Training at Grant MacEwan College, from August 14 to 17th. Participants had an extraordinary opportunity to take courses under two renowned instructors, Ella Mae Lentz and Ken Mikos. Participants commented that they learned so much and indeed enjoyed every minute of it. Ella and Ken had a great time visiting EADCC on Friday night. They said that Deaf Edmontonians were very lucky to have this building and wished they could find a similar Center in San Francisco. They even said EADCC is WOW! Many thanks to ACSD for sponsoring the training and giving participants a great opportunity to enhance their teaching skills and knowledge.



Seventh row: Jasenka Snajdar (Ont.), Ken Mikos (Calif.), Jenny Powley (Texas), Jeff Jensen (AB)
Sixth row: Chris Welsh (Ont.), Sandra Reid (AB), Ella Mae Lentz (Calif.)
Fifth row: Julie Lampitt (B.C.), Marilyn Beal (AB), Hester Hussey (B.C.), Shelley Williams (AB), Teresa Fleming (MB), Randy Dziwenka (AB)
Fourth row: Crystal Wolfe (AB), Shauna Jensen (AB)
Third row: Janet Dittrick (Sask.), Nancy Keating (AB), Sandy Oslund (AB), Allard Thomas (Sask.)
Second row: Victoria Caskey (AB), Laurie Hughes-Learner (AB), Jeannette Champagne (AB)
Standing from left to right: Kathy Nyitrai (AB), Angela Stratiy (AB—Coordinator), Dellalee Piper (B.C.), Sonya Moyer (A.B.)
First row—left to right: Bruce Mayer (AB), Wanda Westerlund (AB), Julie Martin (B.C.) Linda Cundy (AB-Committee)

Deaf Canada News

The Blackout of 2003 in Toronto by D. G. Mason, one of the presenters

At the Goal: Ontario Literacy for Deaf People (G.O.L.D.) sponsored Deaf Literacy Institute (Aug. 11-15, 2003), the adult literacy practitioners got more than they bargained for—a very rare and exciting learning experience!

They had registered for the institute expecting to listen to presenters and learn new or review previous ways in maintaining or enhancing Deaf adults' literacy efforts—under normal conditions. They did not know their learning experience would be beyond their expectations, enriching and lively!!!

At 4:15 p.m., August 14, 2003 the 60 participants, mostly from Ontario with several people from other provinces, were about to view my video clip of a story told in ASL and how the same story is told in printed English. At the same time I clicked the Power book computer to show the clip, nothing but a black square appeared on the screen. There was no way of understanding where the black square came from. I thought to myself, "Oh no, not again!" Dean Walker checked the wiring connection between the projector and my notebook. Still no power. Within minutes the participants realized there was a general power shutdown. Some of the participants wisecracked that I had caused the blackout. Needless to say, my presentation was cut short and it became the beginning of a new type of learning experience for everybody.



Around 4:30, everybody had to vacate the conference room and walk over to the cafeteria at the Ryerson University dormitory. We became dumbfounded when we were informed that the power was down in all of Toronto, in the entire province of Ontario and all over the eastern states of the United States, and that there was a fire in a power plant in Texas. The Toronto subway had stopped running and the street traffic became congested. RIM pagers and cell phones stopped functioning. The air conditioners stopped working and the quality of air in the cafeteria quickly became worse. Demands for taxi service became unmanageable. We were marooned in the cafeteria area. There was no panic. Karen Rockwell, Cheryl Wilson, Dean Walker, and Joe Gignac calmly assumed their leadership roles in passing on instructions and radio announcements to the rest of the participants. The Residence Hotel manager kept involved with us. We were advised to go up to our rooms and bring down important items like medicine and valuables and come down and remain in the cafeteria. We were not allowed to go up to our rooms after 7:00 since the elevators were expected to stop running.

Thanks to the building's generator, there was enough power for some back-up lighting in the cafeteria area and the candles the management had provided were not needed. We enjoyed having a cold dinner. After two or three hours it was getting dark (earlier in Toronto than in Edmonton!), and we were preparing to spend the night on the 25 mattresses the management had set up in rows on the floor in the second-storey common room (The rest of the participants had found their way home for the night). The rows of mattresses reminded us of the good old days when young deaf students used to sleep in beds arranged in rows in the large dormitories.

Continued...

Deaf Canada News

The Blackout of 2003 in Toronto by D. G. Mason, one of the presenters, cont'd

The other G.O.L.D. participants also showed their commendable leadership qualities; they remained calm and prepared to step in to help as needed. Bonding among these participants incidentally became one of the blackout-induced benefits and it was nice getting to know more of them—as fellow humans.

At 5:00 in the morning the power was back on and at about 8:00 it was down again; however, the G.O.L.D. institute program resumed later in the morning and was completed in the afternoon.



The management arranged to have us moved to rooms in the Ryerson International Living & Learning Centre Hotel the following night.

The following Friday night, the boat cruise on Lake Ontario provided very nice closure, especially with Toronto's dark cityscape in the process of being illuminated with a growing number of building lights.

Who says literacy is just about English reading and writing skills?

Did you know that...?

- Cochlear implant stock went down since a study found that implants could cause meningitis, a deadly infection of the brain and spinal cord.
- Linda Bove is the first Deaf person to hold the longest continuing role as Linda the librarian on "Sesame Street." She started her role in 1976 and appeared on the 25th anniversary show, and still continues to appear as a guest on the program.
- Try <http://www.valleycenterofthedeaf.org/trivia.htm> and one trivia says that statistics prove that on average, Deaf people live longer than hearing people
- There is a new remote control lantern. You can find it at Campers Village.
- A new fridge has a TV, camera, electronic calendar, radio and internet. You can use email or video mail in this fridge. It has a water and ice dispenser. It will also provide you weather information and keep records of your food. It is made in the United Kingdom and costs \$11,999.99. Visit www.lginternetfamily.co.uk/fridge.asp



Deaf Alberta News

Alberta Deaf Sports Association News

Alberta Deaf Sports Association will be having their annual general meeting and election of officers for 2003 - 05 at EADCC, in Edmonton on September 13, 2003 at 11 a.m. After the meeting, members will have a chance to attend EAD's annual corn party in the evening to give their support to EAD. If anyone is interested in becoming an officer, positions are available: President, Vice President, etc. Your attendance at this meeting and your support toward the Deaf sports programs for adults and children/teens are very important.

Edmonton Association of the Deaf News



EAD Handtalk Bar on Fridays has been getting busier, and busier. It has been very popular with lots of Deaf patrons and also visitors from around the world such as Japan, Australia, B.C., Sask., Ontario and the U.S. It is always packed throughout the night right up until closing. There is a sign in guest book at EADCC for visitors. EAD decided to have EADCC open during the summer and sure enough we got many visitors. Some of them visited EADCC after going to the World Federation of the Deaf, in Montreal.

Due to a full-time work commitment, with great regrets, Kirk Ferguson has to resign from the EDLP for the time being. His heart still goes to the EDLP and he hopes he will be able to return in the near future. EAD wishes to thank Kirk for his tireless volunteering in assisting with this program. He said he has thoroughly enjoyed teaching adult learners in the EDLP and has appreciated the support from EAD to use the facilities available. He also hopes that there are individuals in the Deaf community who would like the challenge and experience of assisting other community members to achieve better literacy skills in ASL and English. The participants have stated that Kirk is an outstanding instructor and they had a great time with him. Dave Mason will continue with this program. EAD wishes to thank Kirk for his unselfish time, energy and dedication to this program. He is one of the true foundations in maintaining the program. He will be solely missed! Kirk, many thanks!



The first EDLP (Edmonton Deaf Literacy Project) meeting with Dave Mason will be held at EADCC at 7:00, Sept. 9 and the second one at EADCC at 7:00, Sept. 16. We will be discussing ideas, suggestions and plans. Deaf adults who are interested in literacy are welcome to one or both of the meetings.



Bruce Mayer surprised Jenna Warren on her birthday, August 9th with an engagement ring. They plan to wed in August, 2004. Congratulations!!!

Tidbits

Missing Names—July/August 2003, page 5



The first top left—Norma Jean Taylor, Hai Diec, and Salma Kanji. The right one is Salma Kanji, Norma Jean Taylor and Riley Hiltz. The second left is Salma Kanji, Nahshon Roland and his mother. The right one is Salma Kanji, Roberto Espinoza and Norma Jean Taylor. The bottom left is Norma Jean Taylor, Siddhu Tadiparty and Salma Kanji. The right one is Salma Kanji, Katelyn Spalding and Norma Jean Taylor. More names of students that are not being photographed and they are Cory McLarty, Sam Diec (sharing the TTY with his brother Hai) and Travis Ayton. Once again congratulations!

Apologies: Errors in the July-August issue

Page 2 – Photo of Technology workshop not Opening Ceremony

Page 4 – ACSD donated web cams to each school – Alberta School for the Deaf and Queen Elizabeth, not the students.

Page 8 - The last name of Robyn is Mackie, not Stuber. Kelby's last name is Mackie-Stuber.



“Threat Matrix”

Shoshannah Stern, a Gallaudet student, will be on the new fall ABC -TV program, “Threat Matrix” on Thursdays at 8 p.m. Please check your TV guide for local times. This program is a thrilling drama about the agency protecting US against terrorists and enemies.



From left to right:

James Denton, Kelly Rutherford, Mahershalalhashbaz Ali, Shoshannah Stern, Kurt Caceres, Melora Walters, Anthony Azizi, Will Lyman

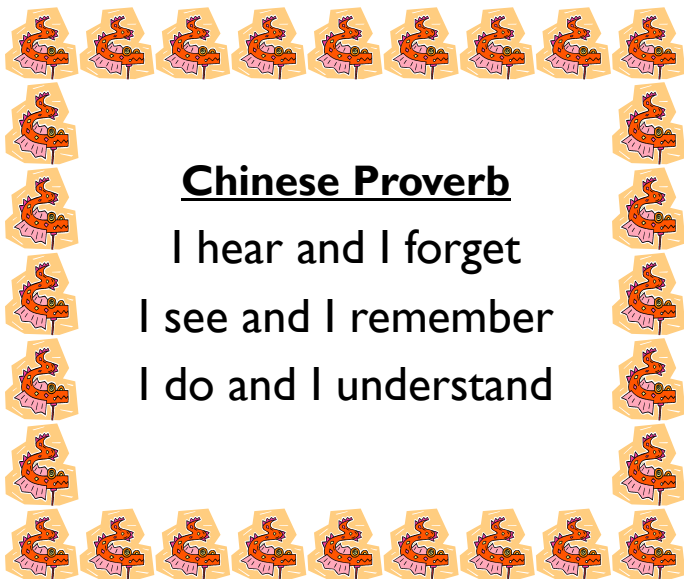
Photo—ABC-TV

Tidbits

Patsy Ann



Patsy Ann was a stone deaf Bull Terrier born in Portland, Oregon on October 12, 1929 and was brought to Juneau, Alaska when she was a pup. She was a unique dog and had a special sense. She could “feel” the ship whistles in the distance and always went to the right wharf side to welcome the ships. She never made mistakes. She went there often when it was cold, foggy, stormy, etc. Mayor Goldstein honoured her as the “Official Greeter of Juneau, Alaska” in 1934. One day the people flocked to the wrong dock. Patsy looked at them and turned to the other correct dock. She often wandered around in the town and the people from stores or bars gave her food or candy. There is a book about her called “Patsy Ann” written by Carl Burrows. She had no permanent home but always stayed at the hall. When she died from illness, she was put in a tiny coffin and lowered in the Gastineau Channel. She died on March 30, 1942 at age of 13. There is a statue of her watching over the ocean in Juneau, Alaska.



Chinese Proverb

I hear and I forget

I see and I remember

I do and I understand

Websites

More new websites for pagers, visit
www.deaftech.info, www.lormarlogic.com and
www.fido.ca/portal/en/home/promotions25.shtml

Deaf Worldwide Expo

Saturday, September 27th, 2003
 Metro Toronto Convention Centre

Contact: Sarah Stadnicki
sarah@deafworldwide.com

TTY Repairs

If you wish to have your TTY repaired, try the place in Calgary. The office address is 111 Forge Road, SE, Calgary, AB.
 Voice #430-258-0878 and Fax is 430-258-3382.
 The repair costs seem to be reasonable.

Notice

ADN will no longer send copies of *Alberta Deaf News* through post office mail starting in September 2003. However, if you do not have a computer and would like to get a copy, please write to the ADN Office, House 141, 11319 - 61 Ave., Edmonton, AB T6H 1M3. Thank you.

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8.5" x 5.5"	\$35.00	\$20.00
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Business Card		
3.5" x 2"	\$15.00	\$10.00

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Change of Address

Please inform Linda Holewa by TTY:

447-9236 or email

aad@centreforhearing.com

if your home address has changed. We have had some newsletters returned because of outdated addresses. Please do not be disappointed if you miss an issue because it went to an old address.



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 E-mail: booking@flicinc.com
 Website: www.flicinc.com

Schools/ Programs for the Deaf

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 ASD School Council - Leslie Wutzke, Chairperson
 TTY/Voice: (780) 439-3323 FAX: (780) 436-5863

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Education
 Calgary Board of Education, Parkdale Centre
 728-32 Street NW, Calgary, AB T2N 2V9
 Norma Jean Taylor, System Principal
 TTY: (403) 777-7265 Voice (403) 777-7240 x2219
 FAX (403) 777-6016 Email: njtaylor@cbe.ab.ca

Queen Elizabeth Elementary School
 402-18 Street NW, Calgary, AB T2N 2G5

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Sir William Van Home H.S. Deaf/H.H. Program
 2215 Uxbridge Dr. NW, Calgary AB T2N 3Z5

Knob Hill Elementary (ECS Program)
 2036-20th Avenue SW, Calgary, AB
 FAX/Voice: (403) 777-8580

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 950 6 Street NE Calgary, AB
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 Sigrid Gariepy, Coordinator (9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mon.-Fri.)
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 Website: www.dhhs.org

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Cross of Christ Lutheran Church of the Deaf
 Rev. R. A. Bauer, Pastor
 11460-60 Avenue, Edmonton AB T6H 1J5
 Voice/TTY: (780) 435-7788 FAX after 6 p.m.
 Bible Study for all ages—Sundays 9:15 a.m.
 Worship—Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

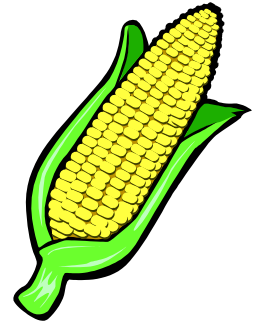
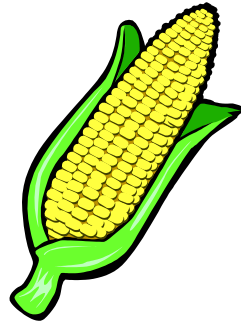
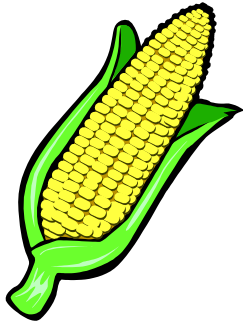
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3rd Annual Corn Party

Hosted by EAD

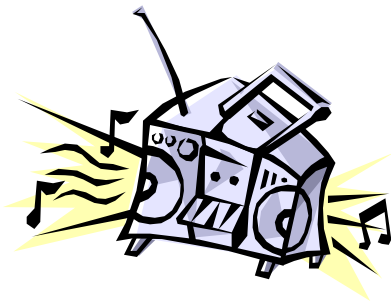


Saturday, September 13, 2003
3 pm to 1 am

NOTE: foods and bar start at 5 pm
Foods closed at 9 pm
Bar last call at 12 midnight



EADCC – 11404-142 St.
Edmonton, AB



Admission

Member - \$3.00

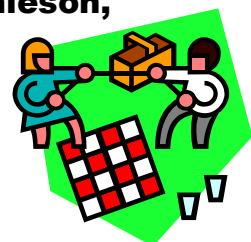
Non-member - \$8.00

Kids (under 18 years old) free

NOTE: renew member get free corn



For more information, please contact Shell Jamieson,
EAD Social Director sjamie@shaw.ca



Announcement :
Special Meeting for Deaf People and Sign Language Interpreters

Topic: AVLIC 's Dispute Resolution Process (DRP)

When: Thursday, September 25, 2003

7:00 to 8:00 p.m. (Sign language interpreters only)

7:30 to 8:30 p.m. (Deaf people only)

9:00 to 10:00 p.m. (all attendees)

Where: Alberta School for the Deaf – (rooms TBA)

What is the DRP???

AVLIC has developed a DRP based on a motions passed at the AVLIC '02 Halifax conference. A committee was formed and has developed a process that examines problems and disputes faced by Deaf consumers of interpreting services.

A community consultation will examine this Dispute Resolution Process. The first meeting will be for sign language interpreters only; the second meeting for deaf people only and the last meeting is for both Deaf and sign language interpreters to wrap up information presented. Similar meetings will be occurring in major cities and regions across Canada to solicit feedback about the DRP from interpreters and Deaf consumers.

AVLIC would like your feedback about the DRP. Your input and suggestions are important before final changes to DRP are submitted to AVLIC early 2004.

Please check AVLIC's website : www.avlic.ca for more information about DRP and to read the draft DRP document.

For more information,
contact Kirk Ferguson (Edmonton facilitator): kfergy@telusplanet.net

See you there!!!

The David Peikoff Chair of Deafness Studies
Department of Educational Psychology
University of Alberta

Invites You to A Public Lecture

“From the Heart to the Hand:
Literacy Learning in Deaf Children”

Presenter: Dr. Charlotte Evans
University of Manitoba
Faculty of Education

Dr. Evans received both her undergraduate and graduate degrees in the area of speech-language pathology from the University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario. Despite her clinical training, she has always considered herself more of an educator than a clinician. This strongly influenced her work at the Manitoba School for the Deaf, where she implemented classroom-based teaching of communication skills rather than pull-out therapy sessions. Charlotte left the Manitoba School for the Deaf in 1992 to be part of a research project affiliated with Sign Talk Children’s Centre, a bilingual daycare established by the Deaf community in Winnipeg that incorporates the use of American Sign Language and English. The project was funded by Health and Welfare Canada and involved studying the children’s development of both languages over a three-year period.

Charlotte earned a doctorate degree in Educational Psychology at the University of Manitoba where she continued to research language development in deaf children and its relation to literacy skills. Her doctoral dissertation was titled “Literacy Development in Deaf Students: Case Studies in Bilingual Teaching and Learning”.

Join us for her presentation that will build on her current research funded by the Social Science and Humanities Research Council. The lecture will emphasize that language, not speech, is the foundation for literacy learning, and that visual and meaning-based strategies are the key to literacy development in deaf children.

When: Thursday, Sept. 18, 2003

Time: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Where: Room 2-115 Education North, Education Building, University of Alberta

ASL/English Interpretation and Real-Time Captioning will be provided. Wheelchair Accessible.
Refreshments will be provided after the lecture.

For further information: Contact Dr. Debra Russell at Debra.Russell@ualberta.ca or 780-492-1156 (v/tty)



The Calgary Association of the Deaf
&
Freelance Interpreters Consolidated
proudly presents a fundraiser with
Angela Stratiy's
"One Woman Show"

Date: September 27, 2003 Time: 7 p.m.

Where: Cardel Theatre 6010 Street S.E. Calgary, Alberta

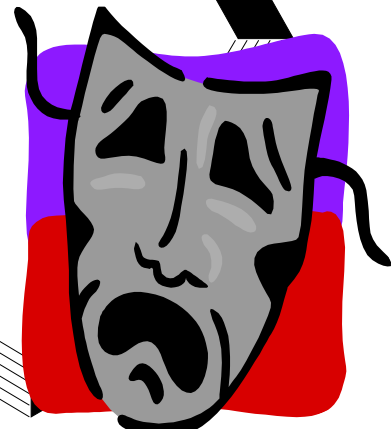
Cost: Donations appreciated at the door

All proceeds from this fundraiser will go to the
annual Deaf Summer camp at Tangletrees Girl Guide Camp
Pigeon Lake, Alberta

For more information or to RSVP please contact Marilyn Beal
marilynbeal@shaw.ca

Get your ticket while supplies last!
NO TICKETS AT THE DOOR

Sponsors for this event:
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Theme: “Enhanced Communication for ALL”

Purpose: to enhance communication by raising public awareness on information pertaining to Deaf and Hard of Hearing people, to ensure information, research and technology is accessible to ALL

Tentative Workshop Sessions Friday, October 3

9:00—10:30 a.m.

“Use of ASL Supports
English Literacy”
Dr. Dave Mason

11:00—12:30 p.m.

“HIV-AIDS”
Ali Behmanesh

1:00—2:30 p.m.

“On Site Placement”
Robert Chorniak

3:00—4:30 p.m.

“Heart & Stroke”
Susan Banks

Saturday, October 4

9:00—10:30 a.m.

“Alberta Seniors Housing Program”
Linda Cundy

11:00—12:30 p.m.

Canadian Dictionary of ASL
Sue Bailey and Kathy Dolby

1:00—2:30 p.m.

“Interpreter Issues”
Donna Korpiniski

3:00—4:30 p.m.

“Diabetes”
Canadian Diabetes Association

Booths

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Alberta Deaf Sports Association
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Central Alberta Association of the Deaf
Telus
Connect Society
Alberta School for the Deaf
Queen Elizabeth Jr./Sr. High School
Edmonton Interpreter Services
Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services
Grant MacEwan College
Northern Alta. Institute of Technology
HIV/AIDS
On Site Placement Services
Canadian Hard of Hearing Association
Alberta Sports Council
Thibodeau’s Centre
Pagenet
Canadian National Institute for the Deaf/Blind
City of Edmonton
Much more...

And much more...



Saturday Evening—October 4, 2003

Edmonton Association of the Deaf's 52nd Annual Banquet and Dance
Ramada Hotel & Conference Centre, 11834 Kingsway Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

Cocktails—6:00 p.m.

Dinner—6:30 p.m.

Awards—8:00 p.m.

Dance—9:00 p.m.

Performance by Max—10:00 p.m.

Door Prizes—11:00 p.m.



Max is a professional mime artist, actor, filmmaker and mime instructor. Max was born in Moscow and took mime training at age of 13. He has Master of Fine Arts degree in drama at Schukin University (the Julliard of Europe). He and his theatre company performed in different countries—Russia, Spain, Taiwan, Britain, U. S. A., and Canada. After performing in Vancouver, he fell in love with this city and decided to live there. His wife, Selena and son are now living in Vancouver. He has performed in TV, commercials and also a movie, "Saving Silverman." He also made

the recently new short film, "Supermime." He also performed at the World Federation of the Deaf in Montreal last July 2003. So don't miss his show!

For Hotel Reservation

Contact Ramada Hotel & Conference Centre, 11834 Kingsway Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

Direct Toll Free: 2-188-747-4114

Phone: 780-454-5454

Fax: 780-453-7360

Email: slindberg@chipreit.com

Deluxe—\$94.00 plus 5% hotel tax + 7% GST

Business Class—\$144.00 plus 5% hotel tax + 7% GST

Deadline—September 2nd for Special Hotel Rate

After Sept. 2nd, the regular price for Deluxe is \$129.00 and Business Class for \$149.00

And much more...



Registration Information Please print clearly.

Name: _____ Phone _____

Buy Weekend Combo Package (Friday - Saturday) Save!!

(EAD/CAAD/CAD Members Only)

Combo package includes two full days workshops, booths, banquet and dance.

- \$45.00 (before September 12) _____ x \$45.00 = \$ _____
 \$60.00 (After September 12) _____ x \$60.00 = \$ _____

Friday- Saturday Workshops & Booths

(EAD/CAAD/CAD Members Only)

- \$10.00 (before September 12) _____ x \$10.00 = \$ _____
 \$15.00 (at door) _____ x \$15.00 = \$ _____

Non-members

- \$20.00 (before September 12) _____ x \$20.00 = \$ _____
 \$25.00 (at door) _____ x \$25.00 = \$ _____

Saturday evening - Banquet & Dance

(EAD/CAAD/CAD Members Only)

- \$40.00 (before September 12) _____ x \$40.00 = \$ _____
 \$50.00 (before September 30) _____ x \$50.00 = \$ _____

Non-members:

- \$50.00 (before September 12) _____ x \$50.00 = \$ _____
 \$60.00 (before September 30) _____ x \$60.00 = \$ _____

Saturday evening - Dance Only

- \$15.00 (before September 12) _____ x \$15.00 = \$ _____
 \$20.00 (at door) _____ x \$20.00 = \$ _____

**** The fees are non-refundable.****

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Note: Cheque/ Money Orders Only **30.00 charge fee for NSF cheque
 If you fax this form. You will have to send your payment separately to DAE's**

**address: Deaf Alberta Expo
 11404-142 Street
 Edmonton, Alberta T5M 1V1**

And much more...



Deaf Alberta Expo
October 3 and 4, 2003
Ramada Hotel & Conference Centre, 11834 Kingsway Avenue,
Edmonton, Alberta.

Registration Form

Three ways to register:

1. Mail to: Deaf Alberta Expo, 11404-142 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T5M 1V1

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Province _____

TTY _____ Fax _____

Email _____

2. Or fax the registration form to DAE at Fax #780-453-5053 and mail the cheque or money order payable to Deaf Alberta Expo at DAE's address, 11404-142 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T5M 1V1

3. Or go to www.deafalberta.org and fill out the registration form. Once you click on "SUBMIT", your form will be sent to DAE automatically. Then you will need to send your cheque or money order payable to Deaf Alberta Expo at DAE's address, 11404-142 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T5M 1V1. Note: Cheque or money orders will be accepted. \$30.00 fee for NSF cheque.

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