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SUBMITTED BY: TODD CHAMBERLAIN, RFT, ILA GENERAL MANAGER

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66 years! It's hard to fathom that this is the Interior Logging Association's 66th AGM and Convention, an institution older than most of us! This years' show will be held on May 9th, 10th and 11th 2024 with accommodations available at the <u>Coast Hotel Kamloops</u>, as well as the <u>Wingate by Wyndham</u> Kamloops.

We are very pleased to be offering an exciting event again this year with the Interior Safety Conference on Thursday, our Meet and Greet Thursday night, Friday morning Breakfast, afternoon Luncheon, and evening Dinner and Dance, Silent Auction benefitting the Ty Pozzobon Foundation, the Log Loader Competition Friday and Saturday and this year our first annual Show and Shine!

We invite and encourage all of our Members to be in attendance at the ILA Annual General Meeting at the Coast Hotel Kamloops on Friday, May 10th from 8:30am to 10:00am. We are also pleased to announce that our guest speaker at our Luncheon this year will be the <u>Hon. Andrew Mercier, Minister of State for Sustainable Forestry</u> <u>Innovation.</u> The Luncheon will be on Friday May 10th, from 11:30am to 1:30pm, and will be a cost of \$65 per person. Spaces are selling quickly for this event, so please fill out and return the form on <u>page 17</u> if you would like to attend.

We are looking forward to welcoming back all of our Vendors again to the <u>Kamloops Powwow Grounds</u> with both outside and inside displays, and we already are finding ourselves with limited space remaining for new Vendors. If you would like to attend as a Vendor, please fill out the form on <u>page 17</u> of the newsletter. This is an excellent opportunity for everyone to display their products, come and see what's new, reconnect with Vendors, Suppliers, and each other.

For all the details of the weekend agenda, please click <u>here</u>. For a direct link to both forms mentioned above click <u>here</u>.

We want to sincerely thank all of the <u>Sponsors, Vendors</u>, Members, and individuals who have contributed to this show over the last 66 years. Without your dedication and continued support of the Interior Logging Association and the industry as a whole, events like this would not continue to be possible or feasible. Last but not least, I would like to thank our amazing Office Administrator, Nancy Hesketh for all of her hard work putting together the show, and our resident Consultant, Meagan Preston, for her assistance again this year.

Happy Spring to all of you, we look forward to seeing you all in just a few weeks!

Regards,

Todd Chamberlain, RFT General Manager, Interior Logging Association



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ABOUT OUR LUNCHEON SPEAKER, HONORABLE ANDREW MERCIER MINISTER OF STATE FOR SUSTAINABLE FORESTRY INNOVATION



We are very pleased to announce that our guest speaker at this years Luncheon is the Honorable Andrew Mercier.

Andrew Mercier was elected MLA for Langley in the 2020 general election. He is the Minister of State for Sustainable Forestry Innovation and is a member of the Treasury Board and Cabinet Committee on Economy.

Andrew is a labour lawyer and an active member of the Langley community. He attended the University of the Fraser Valley and earned a Bachelor of Arts from the University of New Brunswick as well as a Juris Doctor from Dalhousie University.

Prior to his election to the Legislature, Andrew worked as legal counsel for Teamsters Local Union No. 213 and served as the executive director of the BC Building Trades Council, where he advocated for improved safety standards for construction sites. Andrew has served his community on the University of the Fraser Valley Board of Governors, and the City of Langley's Crime Prevention Task Group.

Andrew was raised in Langley, where he lives with his wife and two young children.

The cost for this event is \$65 per person and includes lunch. You can find a digital copy of the registration form attached to this newsletter by clicking <u>HERE</u>, as well as in the discussion section of our Facebook Event.

Don't delay on registering for this event! Spaces are limited and typically sell out fast!

If you require more information, please contact us at

info@interiorlogging.org or call us at (250) 503-2199.

To directly link to the 65th Annual and Trade Show event on Facebook click on the Facebook icon below.



Or you can follow this link to the event page:

https://www.facebook.com/ events/392103140188911

OUR RETURNING DINNER AND DANCE EVENT WITH AMAZING MUSIC

PERFORMED BY SHAWN LIGHTFOOT BAND



There will be music at the show again this year according to the ILA General Manager Todd Chamberlain!

"We are very excited to announce that the return of our Friday night Dinner and Dance with live entertainment being provided by The Shawn Lightfoot Band again this year!" THE SHAWN LIGHTFOOT BAND is one of the Okanagan's most popular must-see live cover bands.

Shawn Lightfoot Band is a 4piece high-octane powerhouse that will to take you on an energy-packed musical journey you won't soon forget. The band is highly acclaimed for pumping out high-energy hits all night long.

The band has played on the big stage opening for headlining acts such as Platinum Blonde and Big Sugar. Performing a vast and diverse range of hits covering Rock to Country to Pop, the group has become renowned for creating an authentic and engaging musical

experience.

As one of the most intensely charismatic live acts, this is a show you don't want to miss.

"The Shawn Lightfoot Band" features veteran performers Shawn Lightfoot (Vocals/ Guitar), Dennis Marcenko (Bass/Vocals), Roman Picco (Keyboards/Vocals) and Kevin Lane (Drums/Vocals).

Known for "exceeding expectations" with a "large repertoire" and having "something for everyone" we know they will be an excellent addition to this returning event!

Get ready for an inspiring and memorable live show!

This years Dinner and Dance

will be held on Friday May 5th from 6pm to 11pm at the Coast Kamloops Hotel.

Tickets are \$85 and on sale now. You can find a copy of the Ticket order form by clicking here or download the brochure with ticket order form on our website by clicking here.

Check out a preview of his music by clicking <u>HERE</u> or head to their website:

http://shawnlightfootband.com/



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SHOW ATTENDEES CONFIRMED AT TIME OF PRESS FOR THE 66TH ILA AGM AND CONFERENCE

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CHAIRPERSON'S NOTE FOR THE SHOW

SUBMITTED BY: TIM MENNING



I would like to start by welcoming all of our Interior Logging Association Members, delegates and friends back for the 66th ILA AGM and Convention! We are so excited to be able to continue to run this amazing event with some great networking opportunities! This years event will once again feature inside and outside displays, located together on the Powwow Grounds. As always, all displays are open to the General Public and NO ALCOHOL will be permitted on grounds. It is important to note that speed zones are in effect on school days.

We will once again be offering many opportunities for networking events and gatherings. This years show will include our Meet and Greet, Breakfast, Luncheon, and Dinner and Dance events, the return of our Log Loader Competition, and our 1st Annual Truck Show and Shine! We are also pleased to welcome back the Interior Safety Conference again this year put on by the BC Forest Safety Council as part of our event. We ask that you please register directly with them, the information is included in the Weekend Agenda panel of this pamphlet.

For all ILA Members, please plan to attend our Annual General Meeting on Friday, May 9th, 2024 from 8:30am to 10:00am at the Coast Kamloops Hotel.

On behalf of the Interior Logging Association Board of Directors and our Staff, I would like to thank all of the Co-Sponsors and Suppliers' for their continued participation in our event year after year. We are very happy to be celebrating an incredible 66 years!

Last but not least, please know that we appreciate your support and attendance at this years' event. We look forward to seeing all of you in Kamloops!

Yours Truly,

Tim Menning

ILA Chairperson



Come out to the show this year and see on site chainsaw carving by local B.C.

Artist Tyler Welfing!





Not an Interior Logging Association Member yet?

Membership has Its benefits!





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ARE YOU AT RISK OF HEARING LOSS? SUBMITTED BY: HEARING LIFE



Are you at risk of hearing loss?

Even everyday noise may be impacting your hearing more than you realize.

Our ears might be a bit funny looking, but don't let their cute little flaps and folds deceive you: when it comes to job performance, they're dead serious.

Because if you don't take steps to protect your hearing, you'll lose it. And there's no getting it back.

It's important to think about what you can do to protect your ears and preserve your hearing – and to find out more about the signs of hearing loss to help determine if you or someone you love is experiencing it.

How loud is too loud?

The first step in protecting your hearing is knowing what the damage threshold actually is. According to the CDC, this is how fast we might reach the maximum amount of noise our ears can handle during the course of a day before damage occurs:1

8 hours - 85 dB 4 hours - 88 dB 2 hours - 91 dB 60 minutes - 94 dB 30 minutes - 97 dB 15 minutes - 110 dB Immediate harm - over 120dB

To put that into perspective, the maximum volume on personal listening devices, TVs, stereos, rock concerts, bars, and nightclubs is 105 – 110dB. Gas-powered lawnmowers and leaf blowers are usually 80 – 85dB. Chainsaws are 115 decibels, which is 32 times louder than conversation.

So yes, that means everyday activities like mowing the lawn and watching TV may be damaging your hearing.

The extent of damage caused by excessive noise and the speed of onset depends on the length of your exposure to the noise, the sound level, your proximity to the source of the noise, and your level of hearing protection. If you're curious about how loud your environment actually is, there are free sound level meter apps that allow you to test decibel levels on your smartphone.

Yikes! How can I protect my hearing?

As a good rule of thumb, if you have to shout to be heard, the noise around you is too loud and you're risking your hearing health. Turn down the volume (and never turn the volume up past 60% when you're using earphones or earbuds), take frequent breaks from noisy environments to give your ears a rest, and use hearing protection like earplugs or hearing protection earmuffs.

Note that it's important to insert foam earplugs correctly to ensure a proper

seal. Start by rolling the foam earplug between your thumb and fingers and compress it into a thin cylinder like shape. Then pull the top of your ear up and back with your hand opposite to the ear. This will straighten out your ear canal to allow the rolled-up earplug to slide in deeper.

It's that simple!

How do I know if I have hearing loss?

If you've noticed that conversations seem muffled, you can't hear higher pitched sounds, men's voices are easier to hear than women's, or you have ringing in your ears, you might be one of the one in three adults affected by hearing loss.

While there is no official cure, the good news is that there are treatment options available to help you hear better if you do have some damage that's making it difficult for you to feel connected to the world around you. After all, life is worth hearing, and options like hearing aids are a wonderful way to get back what you've been missing.

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What's my next step?

Schedule an appointment with a hearing health professional who can assess the status of your hearing health by administering a simple hearing test.

A lot of people live with hearing loss without even realizing it, so being proactive and having it checked out before it gets any worse makes sense.

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ILA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Date: Friday, May 10th 2024 Time: 8:30am - 10:00am Coast Kamloops Hotel

ILA Members Only



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READY TO SEE SOME SKILLS? COME SEE THE LOG LOADER COMPETITION! SUBMITTED BY: RYAN BREMNER



There will be some good entertainment at the 65th Annual ILA AGM and Convention this year with a log loading competition happening on the show grounds!

The 2024 log loader competition is sponsored by Brandt Tractor Ltd. in partnership with Northface Grapple Tips.

This event will be held on Friday May 10th from 11 am -3 pm and on Saturday May 11th from 10 am - 2pm at the Powwow grounds in Kamloops BC during the 66th Annual ILA AGM and Convention.

The equipment supplied by Brandt Tractor Inc. for this

competition will be a John Deere Log loader.

Prior to the event taking place you will need to register by signing up at the Northface Grapple Tips Booth, located across from the Brandt Tractors Booth on the Powwow grounds during the show.

Eligibility to Compete

In order to be eligible to compete you must be:

- Employed by a logging company or the owner of a logging company
- You must have prior log loader experience

There is NO entry fee required to participate.

There will be a maximum of 24 competitors per day on Friday and Saturday.

Cash prizes for the top 3 competitors will be based on a combination of smoothness, speed and completion requirements.

Please be sure to register prior to the event in order to ensure the event is able to remain within the time frame required for competition.

This will be a fun event for both participants and spectators, and we invite everyone to come out and watch and cheer on your favorite operators!









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BCFSC NEW VIDEO RELEASE: EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN (ERP) OPERATOR EXTRACTION AND STEEP SLOPE RESCUE DRILL

SUBMITTED BY: BC FOREST SAFETY COUNCIL



BC Forest Safety

Safety is good business

Steep slope emergency response planning continues to be a key area of focus for the BC forest industry. To assist contractors with the development and execution of Emergency Response Planning and drill execution,

BCFSC is developing a three-part video series focusing on some of the fundamental elements of emergency response planning and execution for steep slope harvesting operations.

The second video of the series has just been released and

demonstrates challenges crews will encounter to reach a worker that requires medical assistance while inside the cab of a piece of equipment. The importance of regularly practicing emergency procedures to verify their effectiveness, recognize potential deficiencies and ensure employees are adequately prepared are all highlighted as key learnings. The video also identifies tools and equipment crews should consider taking to the scene to ensure they are prepared for any

scenario they may encounter. Take a look at the latest video **Emergency Response Plan:** Operator Extraction and Steep Slope Rescue Drill on the **BCFSC** YouTube Channel.

First Video in the series: (released March 13, 2023) -ERP: Equipment Rollover and **Operator Extraction Procedures**

BC FOREST SAFETY COUNCIL CELEBRATING 20 YEARS!

SUBMITTED BY: BC FOREST SAFETY COUNCIL



BC Forest Safety

The BC Forest Safety Council (BCFSC) is proudly celebrating 20 years of service to the BC forest industry. Over these 20 years, the forest sector has undergone a significant cultural and safety transformation and as a result has seen a

significant decline in workrelated injuries and deaths and with each passing year, we have continued to achieve new milestones in improved safety culture and performance.

Since 2004, BCFSC has worked alongside dedicated industry advisory groups and subject-matter experts to determine the cause of injuries and work-related deaths using injury statistics, incident investigations and industry feedback. Shared insights and collaboration

between industry peers and the BCFSC have been the driving force in the crucial work that has advisory groups, BCFSC staff, been done to develop safety best practices, training, and safety management systems that forestry companies and workers can implement in their daily routines to ensure they stay safe on the job.

With our sights set on the next twenty years, we must be willing to continuously adapt and stay ahead of emerging risks to ensure that safety measures keep pace. With a collaborative approach and the dedicated and unwavering commitment of industry leadership, industry and trainers, we will continue to drive safety forward in the forestry sector and ensure the well-being of its workers in the years to come. We have come a long way, but there's always more work to be done to see every forestry worker goes home safe - every day.

ILA SILENT AUCTION-GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY SUBMITTED BY: INTERIOR LOGGING ASSOCIATION



The Interior Logging Association, it's Staff and Board of Directors have always tried to ensure they are contributing to the community, either through our scholarship funds. sponsorships, advertising, or by volunteering in the community. This year, we are excited to announce the return of our Silent Auction.

With the help of many of our sponsors, vendors and partner companies we have managed to accumulate an amazing variety of silent auction items which will be available at this year's show.

The auction items will be available for viewing and bidding at the Coast Hotel and Convention Center from Thursday May 9th 6pm to 10pm and Friday May 10th 8am to 11pm.

This year we are pleased to announce we have again chosen the Ty Pozzobon Foundation as our partner for the Silent Auction. For

those of you who are not an excerpt from the site:

"Ty Pozzobon, A.K.A. Pozzy was born to be a cowboy. He was born on November 9, 1991, and grew up in Merritt, British Columbia. Ty had a dream of mastering extreme sport animals. Eight seconds of domination, rewarded with gold buckles, glory, and fame. The young bull rider saw his childhood dreams come true. By the age of 25, Pozzobon was a three-time Canadian Finals Rodeo (CFR) qualifier. He was crowned the 2016 Professional Bull Riders (PBR) Canadian Champion. In 2016 Ty posted five event wins. He also made Canada proud by finishing fourth in the PBR **Built Ford Tough World Finals** in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Professional Bull Riding is a dangerous sport. The young phenom sustained his fair share of injuries. Bumps, bruises, and broken bones were not uncommon. More notably, Ty suffered several concussions in the rodeo

arena. The damage these familiar with this cause, here is caused was sadly irreparable. Ty took his own life, January 9th, 2017. An autopsy confirmed that he suffered from Chronic traumatic encephalopathy (CTE). The first confirmed case identified in a bull rider. Ty's life ended far too early. In his honour, the Ty Pozzobon Foundation was formed. Its ultimate goal is to prevent CTE from taking the lives of any western lifestyle participants, ever again.

> Tv Pozzobon Foundation was established in February of 2017. Tanner Byrne and Chad Besplug were two of Ty's closest friends and western lifestyle participants. They were instrumental in starting the Ty Pozzobon Foundation. Chad Besplug stated, "we want to break the stigma and start the conversation about mental health". No one should have to battle this demon on their own. Bull riders would share advice on how to stay on top of a bull. Now they are

sharing advice on how to stay on top of life."

The Pozzobon family has a long-time connection to the Forest Industry, Ty's grandparents Fred and Carol Lowe were a mainstay of the Logging Community in Merritt for over 50 years. Fred just recently retired from driving truck at the "young" age of 78. Ty's Aunt Laura and Uncle Lorne have a successful trucking company in Merritt and both his mother Leanne and father Luke are well established names in the Forest Industry, Leanne has become a strong advocate to ensure the safety of all participants in the world of rodeo and we are very proud to be able to assist her in her efforts.

We invite everyone to come down and view all the amazing donations this year and bid generously as partial proceeds of this silent auction will be donated to the Ty Pozzobon Foundation.

Thank you to all the generous donators and to you the bidders in advance for making this a success!

To learn more about this cause go to:

www.typozzobon.com

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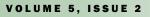
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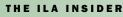
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EVENT DATES AND AGENDA FOR THE 66TH AGM AND CONVENTION



"ILA...Supporting Communities"



Annual AGM and Convention

May 9th, 10th and 11th, 2024



Events at: Coast Kamloops Hotel & Conference Centre 1250 Rogers Way, Kamloops BC

Powwow Grounds (Inside and Outside Displays) 100-345 Powwow Trail, Kamloops BC

WEEKEND AGENDA

Thursday, May 9th, 2024

Interior Safety Conference—BC Forest Safety Council 8:00 am - 4:00 pm For the full agenda and pre-registration visit: https://www.bcforestsafe.org/news-events/safety-conferences/

Set Up Inside & Outside Displays 8:00 am - 10:00 pm Powwow Grounds

Convention Registration 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

ILA Directors Meeting 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

Meet & Greet \$60.00 6:00 pm — 10:00 pm—Coast Kamloops Hotel

Friday, May 10th, 2024

Breakfast \$35.00 7:30 am — 9:30 am—Coast Kamloops Hotel

ILA Annual General Meeting (ILA Members Only) 8:30 am — 10:00 am Coast Kamloops Hotel

Inside & Outside Displays No Charge 9:30 am — 4:30 pm Powwow Grounds

Truck Show & Shine & Log Loader Competition-Ongoing

Convention Registration 10:30 am - 4:00 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

Friday Luncheon \$65.00 11:30 am — 1:30 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel Luncheon Guest Speaker: Hon. Andrew Mercier

Friday Night Dinner and Dance \$85.00 6:00 pm to 11:00 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel Guest Band: Shawn Lightfoot Band

Saturday, May 11th, 2024

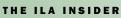
Inside & Outside Displays No Charge 9:30 am — 3:00 pm Powwow Grounds

Truck Show & Shine & Log Loader Competition-Ongoing

3:00 pm End Of Event on Powwow Grounds



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2024 ILA AGM and Convention Ticket Registration Form

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Interior Safety Conference



The 2024 Interior Safety Conference - Safety at Work: Inside and Out

Date: Thursday, May 9, 2024

Location: Coast Kamloops Hotel & Conference Centre, Kamloops, BC

The Interior Safety Conference (ISC) is an annual event that brings together professionals from the BC forest sector to discuss safetyrelated issues and explore ways to improve safety practices in the industry. This year's conference is taking place on Thursday, May 9th, 2024 at the Coast Kamloops Hotel & Conference Centre, in Kamloops, BC and is held in partnership with the Interior Logging Association (ILA) Conference

which is celebrating it's 66th Annual AGM and Convention from May 9 – 11 in Kamloops, BC.

This year, the ISC welcomes two keynote speakers Justin Brien and Steve Donahue as well as special guest speaker Leanner Pozzobon.



<u>Justin Brien</u> Mental Health Advocate

Justin's presentation called "Find Your Voice.

Find Yourself" focuses on his own personal battles with mental health and substance use and the importance of speaking up.



<u>Steve Donahue</u> Change Leadership

Steve will take us on his journey through the Sahara Desert and share the importance of adapting to change through "An Epic Journey on Shifting Sands - How to Navigate Change in a World of Disruption"



<u>Leanne Pozzobon</u> Special Guest Speaker

Ty Pozzobon tragically took his own life in January 2017. Ty was a professional bull rider and suffered multiple concussions in the rodeo arena. After his death, an autopsy revealed Ty suffered from Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy (CTE), the first confirmed case identified in a bull rider.

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Leanne will share her personal story on the importance of educating people on "The Invisible Injury", how to recognize the signs and symptoms and understand the underlying mental health challenges that shadow these injuries.

The ISC is FREE for anyone who works in any phase of the forest industry from harvesting to wood products manufacturing. It features forestry-related safety topics with speakers, industry experts, and relevant safety information.

To register, visit <u>https://</u> www.bcforestsafe.org/newsevents/safety-conferences/



EVENT LOCATIONS, HOTELS AND OTHER INFORMATION

Suggested Hotel Accommodations

Coast Kamloops Hotel

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Applications will close July 31, 2024 Applications postmarked later than July 31 will not be considered.

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3204 39th Avenue Vernon, B.C. V1T 3C8 Phone: 250-503-2199 Fax: 250-503-2250 Email: nancy@interiorlogging.org Todd Chamberlain, RFT, General Manager E-mail: todd@interiorlogging.org Forestry is British Columbia's founding industry and logging is its lifeblood. The Interior Logging Association knows the importance of timber harvesting to BC's economy and has been a strong and unifying voice for its members since 1958.

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