

Wednesday, April 17, and Thursday, April 18, 2024

Wednesday, April 17, 2024		
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.	Registration, Buffet Dinner	
6:30 - 7:15	 Farm Blindness: Are we blind to it? Dr. John Mee 	
7:15 - 7:30	 Wieringa award recipient presentation Drs Rachel Budd and Rebecca Cornell 	
7:30 - 8:00	Refreshment Break	
8:00 - 9:00	 Compost-bedded packs: Factors affecting success and troubleshooting Dr. Angela Wilson (UofG) and Dr. Tom Wright (OMAFRA) 	
9:00 - 9:10	Questions. Evaluations	
9:10 - onwards	Social Hour – Cash Bar	

Thursday, April 1	18, 2024
8:00 - 8:30 am	Registration and Refreshment
8:30 – 10:00	 Workshops (Choose 1) Setting up a calf program at your veterinary clinic (Dr. Kristen Edwards) Calving management and monitoring (Dr. John Mee) Optimizing the quality and quantity of dairy replacement heifers (Dr. Mike Overton) Fresh cow management and monitoring (Dr. Ray Reynen and Todd Duffield) Udder health (Dr. Phil Meadows)
10:00 – 10:30	Refreshment Break and Visit Sponsor Exhibits
10:30 – 12:00	 Workshops (Choose 1) Setting up a calf program at your veterinary clinic (Dr. Kristen Edwards) Calving management and monitoring (Dr. John Mee) Optimizing the quality and quantity of dairy replacement heifers (Dr. Mike Overton) Fresh cow management and monitoring (Dr. Ray Reynen and Todd Duffield) Udder health (Dr. Phil Meadows)
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lunch and Visit Exhibit Booths
1:00 - 2:00	 Relationship between actual vs. targeted weight at first calving and lactation performance Dr. Mike Overton
2:00 - 2:45	 Hypocalcemia: What's new on prevention and should we give a bolus to all cows? Dr. Rita Couto-Serrenho

2:45 - 3:15	Refreshment Break and Visit Sponsor Exhibits
3:15 - 4:00	Bovine Abortion: Incidence, Risk Factors, and Causes Dr. John Mee
4:00 - 4:15	Questions. Evaluations. Adjourn.



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Registrant Name:			
Clinic/Company:			
Address:		Town/City:	
Postal Code:	Phone #:	E-Mail:	

Registration Fees:					
Wednesday Evening Only Program (includes dinner)			\$125.00		
Thursday Full-Day Program Only (includes lunch)			\$250.00		
Both Wednesday and Thursday Programs (includes meals)			\$350.00		
Veterinary Technician (Thursday only) – Clinic with OABP member			\$150.00		
Veterinary Technician (Thursday only) – Clinic without OABP member			\$200.00		
Are you a bovine veterinarian in Ontario, but not a member of OABP?			Add \$125.00		
Late Registration Fee (after April 5th deadline)		Add \$ 30.00			
Students Please indicate:	Wednesday only	Thursday only	Wednesday & Thursday	\$ 30.00	
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Workshops will be assigned in advance. Please rank in order of preference and we will do our best to accommodate (first come, first served).

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- **Please Note:**
 - Conference registration is by cheque or E-transfer only. Make cheques payable to "Ontario Association of Bovine Practitioners". Email E-transfer to jennmitchell.tfio@bellnet.ca and send password in a separate email.
 - Conference registrations are non-refundable except for medical reasons. If unable to attend, registrations are transferable.
 - **Deadline for conference registration is April 5th.** Late Fee will apply after April 5th.

Accommodation:

Here is a listing of some nearby hotels:

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1. Delta Hotel Guelph: (519)-780-3700	Visit website
2. Staybridge Inn & Suites: (519) 767-3300	Visit website
3. Fairfield Inn & Suites: (519) 763-2339	Visit website

Forward completed registration form, with payment, to:

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