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CAM CONFERENCE Mark your calendar!

Our annual conference has been set for Sunday, November 20 to Tuesday, November 22 in Toronto, Ontario.





CAM golf tournament

Block September 19 on your calendar!

We're heading off to a different course again this year. Our tournament will be at the **Lionhead Golf Club in Mississauga** on **Monday, September 19.** Lionhead has a reputation for excellence and offers its guests one of Ontario's finest golfing experiences. Lionhead has two



championship courses that were designed and groomed to excite every level of golfer. We'll be playing on their Masters course which has a traditional design that's harmonized with the natural surroundings of forest and rolling hills. Watch for details about registration.

CAM supplier representative

In December, we launched an initiative to increase our supplier members' participation in affecting the direction of the Association. In January, a Supplier Representative was elected to the Board of Directors for a two-year term by supplier members. The Supplier Representative role will be to understand the wants and needs of the supplier members and bring recommendations to the Board in a formal way. We welcome **Bryan McLoughlin (The GPS Consulting Group & Insurance Agencies Inc.)** as the new Supplier Representative to CAM's Board of Directors.

Advertising opportunity

More good news for supplier members! CAM is now offering our suppliers a great new opportunity to promote their products and services to our readership. We will include our supplier members' advertising in our newsletters.

Remember to support your **CAM suppliers**, like Kentucky Trailer shown here.

Contact CAM for details



Welcome new member

CAM welcomes this mover as a new CAM member: Purely Canadian Movers Inc., Coquitlam, BC

View member directory

CAM member surveys

We are heading into 2016 with an expanded Board of Directors and a new Executive

Committee. They will be working diligently to ensure that the benefits of CAM membership have value. Towards this end, in the next few days, we will be sending CAM members a short survey to collect their views on the Association and its offering to members. Please complete the survey and help CAM to meet your needs.

World Cancer Day

February 4th is World Cancer Day, when the world unites to fight cancer together. Show your support, make a donation, spread the word.

CAM member, **Leonard Hoyt (Hoyt's International)** has put a call out for pledges to support him on February 26 as he participates in a community-based fundraising event - "GUT - Get Up There 2016 - Colorectal cancer fundraiser". Teams will snowshoe up the hill and ski down as many times as they can. Help **support** Len in reaching his goal.

US carrier news

The US Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration recently issued a report on a safety impact analysis of its Pre-Employment Screening Program (PSP). The PSP was launched in 2010 to help motor carriers screen and hire commercial drivers. It appears the program is having a significant impact on driver safety. Truckinginfo.com published an article on the study. The PSP Customer Service Team is available by email to answer questions.

Read more

Membership fees increase in 2016

CAM's membership fees have increased slightly for memberships that commence in January 2016 to keep pace with rising costs. Membership fees for Movers, Suppliers, Affiliates, Internationals and Van Lines have increased but there has not been an increase to the rate for branches of any of these, nor to the rate for companies with multiple (more than five) locations.

Join CAM

Spring issue of CAM directory

We will be publishing the spring issue of *The Canadian Mover* magazine and member directory in April. To be included, your membership fees must be paid up. We want to make sure that the information we print about your company are up-to-date, so please let us know if you have changed your address, primary contact person, telephone numbers, etc. You can check and update the details we currently have for your company on our **website**.

Send us your news

If you have news or an announcement that Canada's moving industry should know about, please let us know and we will include it in an upcoming issue of this newsletter. CAM reserves the right to include and/or edit news and announcements.

Send news

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