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Welcome to Calgary 2005

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The city of Calgary is situated where the impressive Canadian prairies meets the rugged, snow-capped peaks of the Rocky Mountains. Its glittering skyscrapers rise out of older suburban neighborhoods and seem oddly superimposed on this stunningly diverse landscape. Calgary continues to grow at the confluence of the Bow and Elbow rivers. Its population is now over 950,000 citizens and continues to grow by about 3% per year. While Calgary is the fourth largest city in Canada, it is the second largest in number of head offices and one of the best standards of living compared to other major cities in Canada. Its land mass covers over 5,000 square kilometers making

it the single largest metropolitan city in North America. The major industries in Calgary reflect that of the whole province. Oil & gas is the top job-creating industry, followed by technology, agriculture and tourism.

ConocoPhillips is 2005 World Schools Debating Championships Title Sponsor.

World Convener Ron Lee and Chairman David Tupper are pleased that ConocoPhillips Canada has partnered with the host committee to ensure the success of the 2005 Championships through a generous partnership agreement.

Special points of interest:

- ✓ Dates February 9th to 18th 2005
- ✓ Location Coast Plaza Hotel, Calgary
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Welcome from our Convener

Dear Debaters, Coaches, Judges and Friends:

As the World Convener it is my great pleasure to invite you to Calgary in February 2005 to compete in the ConocoPhillips 2005 World Schools Debating Championships.

We know you will love our City and our hospitality. This is the first of a number of newsletters - read on and let us know if you have any questions. See you in Calgary.

Ron Lee

World Convener

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Coast Plaza Hotel



The Coast Plaza Hotel & Conference Centre is an upscale, full service hotel ideally located only minutes from downtown Calgary and conveniently close to the Calgary International Airport and within walking distance to shopping malls, restaurants, entertainment and train stations. Services include: Indoor pool, with sauna, fitness centre, 24 hour room service, 2 restaurants.



Registration Fees

Single Hotel Occupancy

\$ 800 (US) per person

Includes:

10 nights of accommodation
(Single Occupancy)

10 Breakfasts

9 Lunches

10 Dinners

All entrance fees to the attractions indicated in the Program.

Double Room Occupancy

\$ 400.00 (US) per person

Includes:

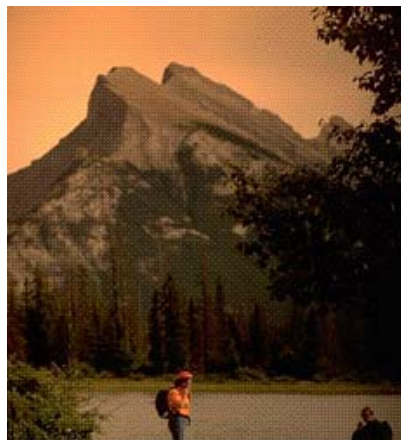
10 nights of accommodation
(double Occupancy)

10 Breakfasts

9 Lunches

10 Dinners

All entrance fees to the attractions indicated in the Program.



Thank You to Our Partners and Sponsors:

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Calgary Board of Education Foundation

Coast Plaza Hotel

Blake, Cassels, Graydon LLP

Norman Leach & Assocs., Inc.

ConocoPhillips 2005 World Schools Debating Championships
February 9th to 18th, 2005
Tentative Program



02/09/05

Arrival day
Dinner and Orientation meeting

02/10/05

Orientation Day at Banff National Park
Lunch
Various Activities in Banff

Judges Sessions

Dinner

02/11/05

Breakfast
Debating round 1 and 2

Lunch

Gala Dinner

02/12/05

Breakfast
Visit Canada Olympic Park
Lunch
Dinner

02/13/05

Breakfast
Debating round 3 and 4
Dinner

02/14/05

Breakfast
Debating round 5 and 6 at First Nations' Venues
Lunch
First Nations' Evening with Dinner

02/15/05

Breakfast
Debating rounds 7 and 8
Dinner

Dance Evening

02/16/05

Breakfast
Debating Octo-Finals
Free Afternoon
Multicultural Night—Dinner—
Entertainment Debater Talent Show

02/17/05

Breakfast
Debating Quarter Finals
Lunch
Semi Finals
Dinner
Hockey Game

02/18/05

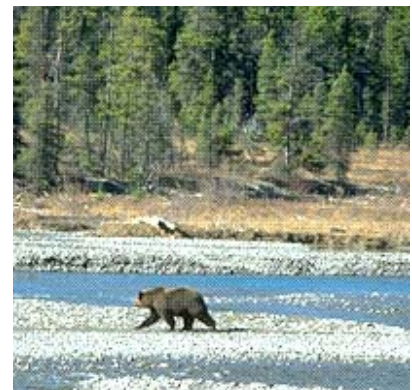
Breakfast
Free time and Lunch
World Council Meeting
Grand Final Round
Final Dinner

Awards

Dance

02/19/05

Departure Day
Breakfast



Registration Form

Contact Name : _____

Country: _____ City: _____

Telephone Number : _____ Fax Number: _____

Debater (s) Name (s) _____ Specified Single or Double Room _____

Total of Rooms _____

Coach (s) or Judge (s)

Singles _____

Doubles _____

Method of Payment : Visa Master Card American Express Money Order

Credit Card Number _____

Exp Date _____

Card Holder Signature _____

I agree that my credit card may be charged the amount of US \$ _____

Please specify any food requirements, allergies or special conditions for each participant (if applicable) that we have to be aware of.

1. For reservations, please fax this form with all information to (403) 547-5857
2. Payment made by International Money Order in US Dollars. Please fax the registration form then send the Money Order to the address below.
3. Confirmation of the reservation will be sent by fax upon the receipt of payment.
4. Cancellation 45 days prior to the event will have total refund of the registration fee.
5. Cancellation 30 days prior will have 50% refund.
6. Cancellation with less than 30 days notice no refund.

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