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“Building Tomorrow’s Construction Leaders Today”

2008 CMCEF- Federated Scholarship Now Accepting Applications-

Deadline is May 31st, 2008



CMCEF is now accepting applications for the 2008 scholarship. For a third year, Federated Insurance is sponsoring a \$1000 prize to be awarded to a son, daughter or legal ward of persons who are full-time salaried employees of mechanical contracting association members. The member firm must be in good standing for at least one year. The firms must sponsor the candidate(s) and the application(s) must be endorsed by the senior executive officer of the province or zone operations. The candidate must be a Canadian Citizen who has or will

successfully complete the requirement to qualify for post-secondary education. A student must not otherwise receive a major scholarship or bursary. For further information and the application go to

<http://www.cmcef.org/scholarships.php>

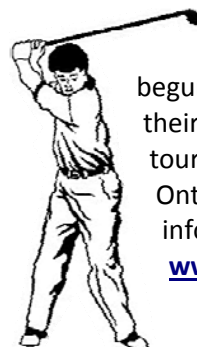
Upcoming Courses – Registration Now Open – Space is Limited

Click on the course name to download the registration brochure or visit

www.cmcef.org

- » [Short Interval Scheduling](#) - Calgary- May 1st, 2008 – cut-off - April 25th
- » [Leed for Construction](#) - Markham - May 13th, 2008 – cut-off – April 25th
- » [Dispatcher Training](#) - Saskatoon - May 7th & 8th, 2008 – cut-off – April 30th
- » [Profitable Procurement Management in the Construction Industry - Supply Chain Horizontal Integration](#) - Toronto - May 15th - in partnership with CIPH – cut-off – May 1st
- » [Basic Principles of Project Estimating](#) – Cambridge, ON, May 26th, 2008 – cut-off May 12th
- » [Overview of Pre-Construction Planning Process](#) – Cambridge, ON, May 27th, 2008 - cut-off May 12th

2008 Fundraising Golf Tournament – SOLD OUT



CMCEF is pleased to announce that the 4th Annual Fundraising Golf Tournament is now sold out and a waitlist has begun. We thank all of those who will be golfing on July 9th and for their constant ongoing support of the Foundation. This year the tournament will take place at the Grey Silo Golf Course in Kitchener, Ontario. The course is conveniently located off the 401. For information on sponsorship you can download the forms at www.cmcef.org.

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CMCEF Board of Trustees Meeting

CMCEF will be holding their mid-year Board Meeting on Thursday, May 22nd in Markham, ON. Agenda items will include an update on the Supervisory course currently development as well as a future Advanced Project Management course and the fall seminar listings. Watch for the the next newsletter for results of this meeting.

2008 Middle Management Conference – A Resounding Success

CMCEF recently hosted the 4th biannual Middle Management Education Conference in Toronto, ON at the Le Meridian King Edward Hotel. For two and a half days attendees studied ways in which they could assist their companies in becoming more efficient, productive, and ultimately profitable. This is what one attendee had to say:



Chairman Terry Billings addresses conference delegates.

"It is not often you find presenters who have the commitment and level of experience / expertise as we were fortunate enough to have in Toronto. You have done a fantastic job organizing this event, everything from the accommodations, to the receptions, to the training were first class and very well enjoyed."
Lester Buckland, Black and McDonald



CMCEF Board of Trustees Thank Past Chairman, Mr. Denis Brisebois



L to R. Mr. Denis Brisebois, Mr. Terry Billings

During the Middle Management Conference a presentation was made to Past-Chairman Mr. Denis Brisebois. Mr. Brisebois was a member of the Board of Trustees since it's inception in 1998, first serving as a Regional Co-Chair, then as Vice-Chairman and finally as Chairman until 2006. He

remains dedicated to the Foundation serving as Chair of the Supervisory Advisory Panel. The Foundation Board of Trustees thanks Mr. Brisebois for his tireless dedication throughout the years. Mr. Brisebois is principal owner of DB Mechanical (Kingston) Ltd., in Kingston, ON.