



BRANDON CANOLA COLLEGE 2009

The Victoria Inn, 3550 Victoria Avenue

Thursday, March 5th

Agenda

- 9:30 a.m.** **Coffee and registration**
- 9:45 a.m.** **Welcome and opening comments**
(Arvel Lawson, *Program Manager, Canola Council of Canada*)
- 9:55 a.m.** **How does canola get its nutrients?**
(*Dr. Cynthia Grant, Research Scientist – Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada*)
- 10:45 a.m.** **Nutrients for canola in 2009 – which ones could pay?**
(*John Heard, Crop Nutrition Specialist – Manitoba Agriculture, Food and Rural Initiatives*)
- 12:05 p.m.** **Lunch**
- 12:50 p.m.** **Cropping sequence considerations**
- **How does the previous crop (including perennial forage) affect your canola?** (30 minutes)
(*Anastasia Kubinec, Business Development Specialist – Oilseeds – Manitoba Agriculture, Food and Rural Initiatives*)
 - **How canola can benefit your winter wheat?** (20 minutes)
(*Morgan Cuvelier, Ducks Unlimited*)
- 1:40 p.m.** **Poor canola stands – where they came from and how to manage them?**
(*Murray Hartman, Oilseed Specialist - Alberta Agriculture and Rural Development*)
- 2:30 p.m.** **Refreshment break**
- 2:45 p.m.** **The perfect canola stand – how important is it?**
(*Jim Bessel, Senior Agronomy Specialist, Canola Council of Canada*)
- 3:40 p.m.** **What's new in canola agronomy?**
(*Derwyn Hammond, Senior Agronomy Specialist, Canola Council*)
Closing Remarks, Giveaways and Course Evaluation

NOTE: 5.5 TOTAL CCA CREDITS AVAILABLE
2.5 Nutrient Management Credits
3.0 Crop Management Credits