



## 2003 Eastern Canadian Teachers' Tour

### Detailed Schedule

Date and Time	Activity	Location and Description
<b>Wednesday August 20<sup>th</sup></b>		
12:00pm - 5:00pm	<b>Arrival, Registration, Orientation, and Canoe Paddle-making</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Registration – Main Office Paddle-making – Outside the Dining Cabin</p> <p><b>Description:</b> After settling in to their cabins, teachers can get to know the place, and start making their canoe paddles.</p>
5:00pm - 6:30pm	<b>Orientation</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Learning Centre</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Welcomes and Introductions from the Temperate Forest Foundation, the Canadian Lumbermen's Association, the Canadian Ecology Centre – Forestry Research Partnership, and many other sponsors. Special presentation of FSC certification to the Nipissing Forest.</p>
6:30pm – 7:30pm	<b>Dinner</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Dining Cabin</p>
7:30pm - 8:00pm	<b>Presentation by Monte Hummel of the World Wildlife Fund</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Learning Centre</p>
8:00pm – 10:00pm	<b>Forestry Job Fair</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Various locations around the Canadian Ecology Centre</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Foresters, planners, biologists, technicians, field contractors, and many others from government, industry and the private sector will be available to talk about their work in the field of forestry. A log truck driver with a full load of trees will be here...guess the weight and value for prizes!</p> <p><b>Drama Video - "World Without Wood" will be premiered during the job fair.</b></p>
<b>Thursday August 21<sup>st</sup></b>		
7:00am – 7:45am	<b>Breakfast</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Dining Cabin</p>
8:00am – 9:30am	<b>Bus Ride to Temiscaming</b>	<p><b>Description:</b> Bus will travel from the Ecology Centre to Temiscaming</p>
9:30am – 9:40am	<b>Washroom Break</b>	<p><b>Location:</b> Temcell Mill, Temiscaming</p>

9:40am - 10:50am	<b>Tembec Mill Tour</b>	<b>Location:</b> Temcell and Temboard mills, Temiscaming <b>Description:</b> Tour of Tembec mills.
10:50am - 11:00am	<b>Washroom Break</b>	<b>Location:</b> Temboard Mill, Temiscaming
11:00am - 11:20am	<b>Panoramic View of Tembec Mill</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus will drive to the top of the hill overlooking the entire Tembec mill complex. Great camera shots!
11:20am - 11:45am	<b>Train Station / Museum Tour / Waterfalls</b>	<b>Description:</b> Tour of the Temiscaming Train Station/Museum. Short walk to waterfalls.
11:45am - 1:10pm	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Location:</b> DesJardins Hall, Temiscaming <b>Description:</b> Luncheon sponsored by the town of Temiscaming. Guest speakers: Charlie Gagnon, Vice President, Corporate Relations, Tembec, and Phil Barette the Mayor of the town of Temiscaming.
1:10pm - 1:20pm	<b>Washroom Break</b>	<b>Location:</b> DesJardins Hall, Temiscaming
1:20pm - 2:00pm	<b>Bus Ride</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride from Temiscaming Town Centre to McConnell Lake Ranger Camp.
2:00pm to 6:30pm	<b>McConnell Lake Field Forestry Activities</b>	<b>Location:</b> Many hands-on forestry activities in and around McConnell Lake. Interesting and fun for all Teachers!
2:00pm – 2:30pm	<b>Fire Demonstration</b>	<b>Location:</b> McConnell Lake Beach <b>Description:</b> Full fire demonstration including an initial attack crew performing a helicopter landing on the beach, along with a water-bomber demo (weather and fire conditions permitting).
2:30pm – 2:45pm	<b>Helicopter Safety and Orientation</b>	<b>Location:</b> McConnell Lake Beach <b>Description:</b> Orientation of how to get safely in and out of a helicopter. A demonstration of the various safety features on the helicopter is included.
2:45pm – 6:30pm	<b>Activity Stations</b>	<b>Description:</b> Field forestry activities include: a fire management exercise (hose lay, back pack pump course, camp gear), helicopter landscape observation, tree planting, a competition study site visit, and a rest station with the forestry drama presentations. <b>Details:</b> Teachers will rotate through the various activities in five groups. Snacks and drinks will be provided throughout, washroom facilities are on site. <b>Dramas – “Tree Plant Truths” and “Fire Fallacies” will be performed at the rest stop.</b>
6:30pm – 8:00pm	<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Location:</b> Barbecue at McConnell Lake Ranger Camp <b>Drama “Herbicide Hullabaloo” will be performed after dinner.</b>
8:00pm – 10:00pm	<b>Bus Ride</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride from McConnell Lake Ranger Camp back to the Ecology Centre.
10:30pm - 11:30pm	<b>Wakami Wailers Concert (optional)</b>	<b>Location:</b> Learning Centre <b>Description:</b> Old time logging songs and stories with world famous recording artists the Wakami Wailers.

Friday August 22 <sup>nd</sup>		
7:00am - 7:45pm	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Location:</b> Dining Cabin
8:00am – 11:00am	<b>“Tools to Teach With”</b>	<b>Location:</b> Learning Centre and the Forestry Research Trail <b>Description:</b> Canadian Ecology Centre staff help teachers learn to use common forest data collection tools including GPS, calipers, clinometers, and increment borers etc.
11:00am – 11:10am	<b>Washroom Break</b>	<b>Location:</b> Learning Centre
11:10am – 11:30am	<b>Bus Ride</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride from the Ecology Centre to Columbia Forest Products mill in Rutherglen <b>Details:</b> Meet the bus at 11:10am, just in front of the Learning Centre.
11:30am – 12:30pm	<b>Columbia Forest Products Hardwood Veneer Mill Tour</b>	<b>Location:</b> Columbia Forest Products, Rutherglen <b>Description:</b> Tour of the hardwood veneer mill. <b>Details:</b> Teachers will break up into the four-assigned colour groups and tour the mill.
12:30pm – 12:40pm  12:40pm – 1:30pm	<b>Bus Ride</b>  <b>Lunch</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride from Columbia Forest Products, Rutherglen to Pimisi Bay <b>Location:</b> Pimisi Bay <b>Drama “Clear Cut Conundrum” will be performed after lunch.</b>
1:30pm – 2:00pm	<b>Bus Ride</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride from Pimisi Bay to Klocks Road, just southeast of Mattawa.
2:00pm – 6:00pm	<b>Klocks Road Field Tour</b>	<b>Location:</b> Various points of interest along Klocks Road <b>Description:</b> Tour will cover many aspects of forest management planning, harvesting, and regeneration techniques.
2:00pm – 3:30pm	<b>Stops 1,2,3,4</b>	<b>Location:</b> Klocks Road, km 5.5 <b>Description:</b> Stop 1 – Pre-commercial thinning in a red pine plantation Stop 2 – Red and white pine shelterwood marking Stop 3 – Recent shelterwood harvest Stop 4 – Harvesting red pine
4:05pm – 4:40pm	<b>Stop 5</b>	<b>Location:</b> Klocks Road, km 14 <b>Description:</b> Stop 4 – Red and white pine natural regeneration <i>*A special competition for the teachers will take place at this stop.</i> Rest Stop – snacks and beverages are provided <b>Drama “Harvesting Havoc” will be performed during the rest stop.</b>
4:50pm – 5:30pm	<b>Stop 6</b>	<b>Location:</b> Klocks Road, km. 24 <b>Description:</b> Stop 5 - Tolerant hardwood selection management and recent harvest.

5:30pm – 6:15pm	<b>Bus Ride</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride back to the top of Klocks Road and then to Myrt's Restaurant...
6:15pm – 7:45pm	<b>Dinner</b>	<b>Location:</b> Myrt's Restaurant, Mattawa <b>Description:</b> Traditional lumberjack meal!
7:45pm – 8:00pm	<b>Bus Ride</b>	<b>Description:</b> Bus ride from Myrt's Restaurant back to the C.E.C.
8:15pm – 10:30pm	<b>Awards Ceremony; C.E.C. Night Activities (optional)</b>	<b>Location:</b> Learning Centre at the C.E.C. <b>Description:</b> Awards Ceremony – prizes will be given out to winners of competitions Night Activities - C.E.C. staff will provide a variety of activities for your enjoyment including Drumming, Night Technology and a Wolf Howl. <b>Drama – “Forest Science Semantics will be performed.</b>
<b>Saturday August 23<sup>rd</sup></b>		
7:00am – 8:00am	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Location:</b> Dining Cabin
8:00am – 10:00am	<b>Wrap-up Presentations; Evaluations</b>	<b>Location:</b> Learning Centre <b>Description:</b> Bob Legg will lead the group in an evaluation of the tour.
10:30am – 12:00p.m.	<b>Workshop (Optional)</b>	<b>Location:</b> Block Building <b>Description:</b> Workshop on 'Implementing forestry education in the classroom/Applying the Tour'
11:00 am	<b>Departures Begin</b>	Bus to North Bay available
12:00 pm	<b>BBQ lunch</b>	<b>Location:</b> Dining Cabin
12:00am – 3:00pm	<b>Finish Your Canoe Paddle (Optional)</b>	<b>Location:</b> Outside the Dining Cabin – Paddle Making
3:00 pm	<b>Final Departure</b>	Bus to North Bay available

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