

OUR CHANGING FORESTS
**The Future of Forests and Forestry in the
Great Lakes – St. Lawrence**

**Tuesday April 20 and Wednesday 21, 2004
Deerhurst Resort, Huntsville, Ontario**

Westwind Forest Stewardship Inc. with partners that include the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and the Parry Sound – Muskoka Stewardship Network are pleased to announce the eleventh conference in the "*Your Forest Your Choice*" Conference Series. The aim of the series is to provide a forum for the exchange of information about sound ecological management of Crown and private forested lands.

The theme of "*Our Changing Forests*" centres on the main drivers of change and the challenges those drivers will create for our forests, wildlife and forest workers. Ideas presented in the indoor sessions will be reinforced by outdoor field trips.

Topics include: The Ecological Implications of Global Climate Change, Forest Pests – New Bugs on the Block; The Changing Face of the Forest User; Growth and Yield Trends; New Products from the Old Forest; Intensive Forest Management.

Special Panel Discussion on Jobs and the Forestry Industry – What challenges will our "home grown" companies face as markets globalize? What will it mean to local jobs and how can we prepare to meet the challenges of our changing forests?

Rates: Full Conference Package \$145
Includes: in-door sessions, field trip, lunches, dinner on Tues., coffee/tea/snacks and conference notes. Reduced rates are available for portions of the conference.
Accommodation is available at Deerhurst Resort at a special rate of \$109/room/night single or double.

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