



2023 GREAT SPIRIT SHOW AND SALE AGENDA

UPDATED 2.21.2023

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD – CANAD INNS PIANO BAR RESTAURANT

7-10 PM CASUAL MEET & GREET AT CANAD INNS PIANO BAR RESTAURANT

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH ASSEMBLY ROOM

8:30 AM REGISTRATION & LIGHT BREAKFAST

9:00 AM OPENING REMARKS

9:15 AM DAN COX - MANITOBA ASSOCIATION OF WATERSHEDS – OFCAF FUNDING PROGRAMS

10:00 AM CARTER BARANYK - ACC BISON CAPSTONE PROJECT

10:45 AM BREAK

11:00 AM DONNALEE JONES – GREAT TASTES OF MANITOBA: SHOWCASING MANITOBA FOOD

12:00 PM LIGHT LUNCH BUFFET

1:00 PM KEYNOTE SPEAKER - DR. BART LARDNER UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN:
LIVESTOCK FORAGE NUTRITION & EXTENDING GRAZING DAYS

3:00 PM NICK BOUNDY – THE WHY’S, THE HOW’S & THE WHAT’S OF COVER CROPPING

4:00 PM ADJOURN

5:00 PM PRE-GAME SNACKS

COME AND ENJOY SOME BISON SLIDERS AND NACHO BAR

7:00 PM FRIDAY EVENING – WESTOBA PLACE

7:00 PM BRANDON WHEAT KINGS vs. REGINA PATS

10:00 PM ASSEMBLY ROOM CLOSES



SATURDAY FEBRUARY 25TH ASSEMBLY ROOM

9:00 AM CARL FLIS – CANADIAN BISON ASSOCIATION UPDATE

10:00 AM SHAWN HARDER – SWEET PRO: SELECTING THE RIGHT MINERAL FOR YOUR HERD

PRODUCER PANEL – WHERE WILL THE BISON MARKET GO NEXT?

NEW ROCKFORD PLANT EXPANSION UPDATE

12:00 PM **LIGHT LUNCH BUFFET**

1:00 PM MANITOBA BISON ASSOCIATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND ELECTIONS

5:00 PM **MNP HALL B**

5:00 PM COCKTAILS

5:30 PM BISON BANQUET

6:30 PM MBA SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATIONS

6:45 PM BILL LENTON AWARD PRESENTATION

7:00 PM FUN AUCTION

8:00 PM COMEDIAN – JORDAN WELLWOOD