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Dates to Remember

September 6 - 9, 2014 43rd EDTNA/ERCA International Conference

September 17, 2014 Nephrology Health Care Professionals Day

October 11 - 13, 2014 ANNA 2014 Fall Meeting

October 16 - 17, 2014 BC Kidney Days

October 23 - 25, 2014 CANNT 2014 Conference Pursuing the Power Within

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Message from the Past-President: Colleen Wile RN, BScN, C Neph (C)

As we enter the last few weeks of summer it is once again time to start making your plans to attend the CANNT 2014 National Conference in Niagara Falls. This years' conference "Pursing the Power Within" promises to provide nephrology professionals with many opportunities for learning, sharing, and networking with your colleagues from across Canada and the USA. You will be able to choose from over 50 concurrent sessions and workshops suited to your areas of interest. Topics include Modes of Dialysis, Pathophysiology, Geriatric Nephrology, Innovations in Practice, Technology, and Research. In addition to the concurrent sessions being offered, a dedicated concurrent session stream on Pediatric Nephrology will also be offered this year.

Our featured keynote speakers will include Graeme Caswell- a young gentlemen that will share his journey from diagnosis of chronic kidney disease to successful kidney transplant. In addition, Michelle MacKinnon the mother of David MacKinnon, will share her experience about her family's' journey of living with a loved one, a child with kidney failure and how they are honoring his memory. We will also feature a few well know national speakers that include Barb Bancroft, Mike Lipkin, Barb Fry and Donna Rothwell.

Our exhibit hall will feature over 28 corporate vendors displaying and educating delegates on the various products and services they have to offer. Also found in our exhibit hall will be 36 poster presentations by your colleagues featuring a wide variety of topics and interesting presentations. Be sure to stop by to view the posters and the authors will be on hand to answer any questions you may have regarding the interesting work that they are presenting.

Also not to be missed is our evening of entertainment at the Ravine Vineyard. Come explore the fascinating history of this beautiful family run winery while enjoying a delicious seasonal meal prepared on site. A full bar including mixed drinks and local beers means this is the closest to a house and yard party you can get if your house was a winery!

On Friday October 24th, join the current board of directors and your colleagues at CANNT's award celebration and annual general meeting. Come congratulate all the award and bursary winners as well as welcome in your new Board of Directors for 2014-2015.

For more information on the conference and to register click on the following link:



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<u>Heather Reid</u> National Administrator

<u>Sharon Lapointe</u> Membership Coordinator

<u>Susan Mason</u> Website and Social Media http://www.cannt.ca/en/news_events/cannt_2014/index.html

On behalf of the Board of Directions, we look forward to seeing many of you in Niagara Falls from October 23rd to 25th, 2015.

CANNT 2014: Pursuing the Power Within!

Make sure your CANNT membership is current to receive membership pricing for CANNT 2014.

Ravine Vineyard

Come explore the fascinating history of this beautiful family run winery. Wander the Upper Farm and discover the Lowrey Family who has farmed the



land for over a century. There is lots of space to sprawl out and explore the historical house, the organic garden, the open fields, and the open air ping pong tables, as well as a full bar including mixed drinks and local beers means this is the closest to a house and yard party you can get if your house was a winery!

REGISTRATION is now OPEN!

Please review the program, make your selections and register today.

For more information on the conference, click here.

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