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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

1. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2007

What: CIFST National Symposium Series – *Harvesting a Nation's Appetite: A Taste of Food Science and Nutrition Trends to Come*

As part of CIFST's commitment to keep members informed of the latest developments in food science and technology, this all-day event features the following exceptional speaker line -up:

Leslie Beck, Toronto, ON

COMMUNICATING COMPLEX NUTRITIONAL MESSAGES TO CONSUMERS

Dr. Tim Durance, Vancouver, BC

REV DEHYDRATION – AN ALTERNATIVE TO LYOPHILIZATION

Dr. Steven Lund, Vancouver, BC

BIOMARKERS AND GENETICALLY MODIFIED FOOD

Dr. Gordon Robertson, Brisbane, Australia

HEALTH IMPLICATIONS OF FOOD PACKAGING

Dr. Zhaoming Xu, Vancouver, BC

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For more information please visit: www.cifst.ca

When: 8:45 am – 4:30 pm

Where: Executive Airport Plaza Hotel & Conference Centre
7311 Westminster Hwy, Richmond, BC

2. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2007

What: BCFT Annual General Meeting

When: 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Where: Executive Airport Plaza Hotel & Conference Centre
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Weather Cooperates for Successful BCFT 2007 Annual Golf Tournament

This year's golf tournament and banquet, held in June at Country Meadows Golf & Country Club, was a great event as always. The weather cooperated and the golfers had fun. Winners of the event included:

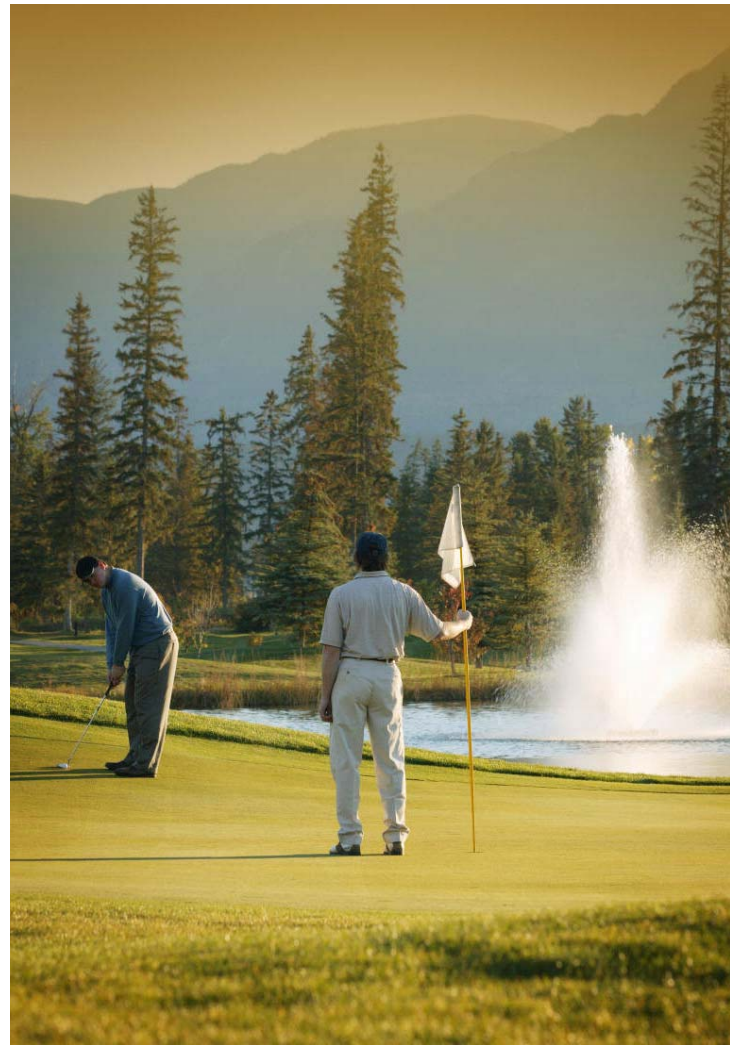
- Ladies Longest Drive: Maureen Hatanaka
- Men's Longest Drive: Peter Taylor
- Ladies KP: Sandy Conroy
- Men's KP: Cam Wells
- Winning Team: Ken, Joe, Brent and Frank

Special Thanks to BCFT 2007 Banquet Donors.

The BCFT Executive would like to sincerely thank all of the companies that donated door prizes. The BCFT would like to recognize the following companies for their donations:

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Also, on behalf of the BCFT Executive, we would like to thank Sandy Conroy and Tom Chan for organizing the Golf Tournament and Banquet. Every year, this event is fantastic. **Sandy and Tom, Thank You!**



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Now is the time to take your IFT volunteer involvement to the next level. You have an opportunity to nominate yourself or a colleague for President-Elect or for a position as a Member of the 2008-09 Board of Directors. Visit the Committee page of www.IFT.org to access our IFT Leadership Brochure to learn more.

Beginning Thursday, August 30, it is quick and easy to submit a nomination online. Visit www.IFT.org and login to "Member Center" to complete the Volunteer Leadership Nomination Form. A form can also be requested by contacting Heather Lang in the IFT Executive Office at hmlang@ift.org. Deadline is October 11, 2007, so be sure to submit your nomination today!




BCFT Website

Please check out the BCFT website at www.bcft.ca for:

- Up to date information about upcoming BCFT events,
- Job Postings, for those companies needing a hard working food technologist,
- Job Seekers, for those hard working food technologist needing a company,
- Book your table at Supplier's Night using our online registration.



If you have any feedback or events that you would like posted, please email Nancy Ross at webmaster@bcft.ca.



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