

Automotive Transportation Service
Superintendents' Association
Toronto Chapter (Est. 1938)
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TALE-LITE

March 2013



****Notice of General Meeting ----- Thursday March 14th, 2013****

Guest Admission: First 2 introductory FOC, thereafter \$30.00
Refreshments from 5:00 pm- ----- Dinner served at 6:00 pm
Paradise Banquet & Convention Center - - - - - 7601 Jane Street, Concord

Your Executive, assisted by many volunteers from the membership, has been working diligently over the last few months. Their efforts related to Ladies' Night produced a very enjoyable and successful evening. Remaining on our slate is the upcoming CFMS.

It goes without saying the success of our events would not be possible without the continued, gracious support of our sponsors. Once again, our sponsors came through for Ladies Night and are all extremely committed to the revamped CFMS.

We believe there is a respectable limit to the sponsor support we can ask for and it's with this thought in mind we are without a traditional sponsor for our March Meeting.

After some discussion, the Executive had decided that we will hold our March meeting and use the time normally devoted to our sponsor's presentation to engage the membership in one of our core mandates, that of "thinking safety" with appropriate presentations by our membership. In addition to the professional development aspect of the meeting, it is our hope to "brain storm" the assembled members to look at all aspects of our Association and help us plot the way for our future. We hope you will join us for a worthwhile and productive evening.

The Executive are aware our members are a generous group and it is with this thought we are asking for those that attend the March meeting to consider making a donation to help offset the cost of the meal. Your donation will be collected at the door.

Thank you for your continued support.

!! Registered for the CFMS? April 24th, 2013 www.cfms-atssa.ca 905-302-5470 !!

GENERAL MEETING – FEBRUARY 14th

Our long standing and supportive member [Abrams Towing](#) hosted the evening which was well attended and quite the success as quarterbacked by Joey Gagne, Founder & Operations Manager. Neil Welsh, aided by Wallace Boustead, enlightened us in his usual relaxed and entertaining fashion, on some of their experiences, and the high performance capabilities we can rely upon with Abrams. Abrams “has grown to become Ontario and Canada's largest towing and recovery company”. Has a fleet of over 165 modern towing and recovery vehicles, including hydraulic float trailers, 15 HD 50 ton wreckers including 3 with Rotators. Abrams have secured storage areas, auctions, and are very proud of the charities they subscribe to that includes ‘Sick Kids’, MADD, Heart & Stroke, Canadian Cancer Society, etc. Quite impressive!

Neil and Wallace were ably supported by many of their colleagues that included: Mandi Mayer, Derek Mayer, Peter Colagiovanni, amongst others in the audience.



Thanks again to all at [Abrams](#).

For more information on Abrams call: 1-800.267-4594 or go to: www.abrams.ca

[Abrams Towing](#) also attracted a nice complement of guests, including many invited by Manan Gupta, editor at '[Road Today](#)' magazine. Most welcomed and expect to see all again soon!

There are still some 75th Anniversary lapel pins and calendars available which our ATSSA members can collect at the next meeting.

50/50 Draw: Won by Mandi Mayer of [Abrams](#), who promptly and very graciously turned back in, to add to the house portion which goes to the ATSSA sponsored MAP apprenticeship scholarship fund.

DOWN THE ROAD



- April 24 - **CFMS** – Paradise Center, Concord – (See page 4).
- May 09. – Sponsorship available!! (Call Brian Sibbald at 905-302-5470) **TARGET MARKET!** – Fleet Management - Talk directly to your clientele at the ATSSA! - For an opportunity to participate/advertise through a sponsorship, such as General Meetings, the CFMS, a Charity, Golf, Dance, or other ATSSA social event, please contact Brian Sibbald @ 905-302-5470.

MEMBERSHIP DUES-2013

ATT: Toronto ATSSA Members: The 2013 membership renewals have been sent out with payment due by February 28, 2013. Payment can be made by cheque, credit card, or cash at General Meetings, or by contacting Dave Cook at: 1-519-396-5219. NOTE: Any member in default of dues payment should make payment at the desk; otherwise a \$20.00 guest charge will apply at any General Meeting.



Get a new lease on life!

Attend some of our monthly executive meetings to just observe or to participate. Simply mention to any member (listed below) to facilitate your dinner setting.

ATSSA BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

(All volunteers as elected on a two year cycle)

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*Appointed positions-(All others are elected)

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MAINTENANCE SEMINAR**
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1 DAY SEMINAR & TRADE SHOW

April 24, 2013

Paradise Banquet & Convention Center
7601 Jane Street (Just N. of Hwy. 407)

3 SESSIONS

Are Fault Lights Keeping You Up at Night?

Annual Safety Inspection-Compliant with the NSC?

New Products, Trends & Technician Training

TRADE SHOW

When panel sessions not in progress

Registration @ 8:00 AM

Lunch-Cocktails-Banquet Dinner-Keynote Speaker

Go to www.cfms-atssa.ca, and click "[Registration Form](#)"

Award Presentation

Volvo "Fleet Maintenance Manager of the Year"

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LADIES NIGHT DANCE

From all the reports it would appear that a great time was had by all at the Toronto ATSSA dance held on February 23rd 2013. The crowd was well energized (as usual!) by the six-strong band of "Arden and the Tourists". The TV and Golf outing realized a most appreciated return for our scholarship fund. A great deal of thanks must go again to Brian Sibbald and his entertainment committee. Our sponsors are also owed a great deal of thanks for their contributions.

**2013 LADIES NIGHT DANCE SPONSORS**

<i>Abrams Towing</i>	<i>Accuride Canada Inc.</i>	<i>Bendix Commercial Vehicle Systems</i>
<i>Cooksville Tire Ltd.</i>	<i>CPL Systems</i>	<i>C & R Transmission Service Ltd.</i>
<i>C.D.C CLUTCH DISTRIBUTION CENTRE</i>	<i>Goodyear Canada Inc.</i>	<i>Emergency Road Services of Canada Inc.</i>
<i>Evans Cooling</i>	<i>Carmen Truck & Trailer</i>	<i>Grote Manufacturing Canada Ltd</i>
<i>Fort Garry Industries</i>	<i>Dr. Detail</i>	<i>Harper Truck Centers Inc.</i>
<i>SAF Holland</i>	<i>Haldex Canada Limited</i>	<i>Kal Tire Ontario</i>
<i>KBW Towing & Recovery</i>	<i>J & W Alignment Ltd.</i>	<i>M.T.T. Repair Services Inc.</i>
<i>Midwest Truck & Trailer</i>	<i>Krown</i>	<i>Quality Collision Centre</i>
<i>Quality Collision Centre – East Ajax</i>	<i>Ontario Trucking News</i>	<i>Transit Spring Service</i>
<i>Superior Truck & Trailer Repair Services</i>	<i>Solarteck Auto Glass</i>	<i>Texis Exhaust</i>
<i>Tico Canada</i>	<i>Tallman Truck Centres (Toronto) Limited</i>	<i>Thomson Terminals</i>
<i>Zenith Auto & Truck</i>	<i>Webasto Product North America Inc.</i>	<i>Walsh Truck & Tire Maintenance</i>
<i>Nobleton Lakes Golf Club</i>	<i>Courtyard Marriott</i>	

Please remember to support those who support us!

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ATSSA NEWSLETTER

GET YOUR COPY!

E-mail request to: atssaorg@sympatico.ca

Or

Retrieve from web site: www.atssa.org

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REGISTRATION FORM

COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

BUS. TEL: _____ CELL: _____

FAX NO: _____ EMAIL: _____

NAME OF ATTENDEE: _____

TITLE/POSITION: _____

NAME OF ATTENDEE: _____

TITLE/POSITION: _____

NAME OF ATTENDEE: _____

TITLE/POSITION: _____

	QTY	PRICE	TOTAL
ATTENDEE, includes all activities & meals		\$ 135.00	
		HST 13%	
		TOTAL	

Please ensure your written information is clear and legible

METHOD OF PAYMENT

CREDIT CARD: VISA MASTERCARD

NAME ON CARD _____

CARD NO. _____ EXPIRY (MM/YY) _____

SIGNATURE _____

CHEQUE Payable to "Canadian Fleet Maintenance Seminar"

Mail to: CFMS, 14 Broomfield Crt., Brampton ON L6Z 1T5

Email completed application to dcook@bmts.com or Fax 519-396-5214



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TRADE SHOW BOOTH SPACE RENTAL

COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

BUS. TEL: _____ CELL: _____

FAX NO: _____ EMAIL: _____

	QTY	PRICE	TOTAL
BOOTH 10'X10', incl. one attendee		\$ 400.00	
OUTDOOR EXHIBIT SPACE*, incl. one attendee		\$ 400.00	
ADDITIONAL EXHIBITOR ATTENDEES (each) Please provide attendee names on separate sheet		\$ 100.00	
PROGRAM ADVERTISING electronic media Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (please provide your hi-res digital logo)		\$ 250.00	
		SUB TOTAL	
		HST 13%	
		TOTAL	

*Although the CFMS is providing an after-hours security service, please ensure that all vehicles and display items are adequately insured. The CFMS or Paradise Banquet Hall will not be responsible for loss or damage.

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CFMS TRADE SHOW SETUP

Booth: Size: 10' x 10', includes 1 table and 2 chairs

Participant to supply own power cords and equipment, Wireless internet service available

Outdoor: Booth size: to accommodate one truck or one trailer.

Spaces are limited and will be filled on a first paid, first served basis.

Setup: Tuesday April 23, 2013 from 12:00pm to 9:00pm (the day before the seminar)

Trade Show Times, Wednesday April 24, 2013:

8:00am – 9:45am

11:30am – 1:30pm

2:30pm – 3:00pm

4:30pm – 5:00pm

Trade show will be closed during seminar sessions

Teardown:

Indoor Booth: 5:00pm – 6:00pm or after evening function is over at 9:00pm. OUTDOOR displays can be taken out at 5:00pm. There will be no security overnight if left on lot.

Security:

Overnight security will be provided starting Tuesday April 23 at 8:00pm to Wednesday April 24 at 8:00am. Also security in back parking lot on Wednesday April 24 from 8:00am to 9:00pm.

Cost:

All booths (indoor or outdoor) are \$400.00 plus 13% HST = \$452.00

Cost includes 1 (one) person for all seminar functions, including dinner. Extra persons \$100.00 plus 13% HST - \$113.00

Advertising:

Inclusion in the program's advertising is available at an additional cost of \$250.00 plus 13% HST = \$282.50. Space is limited so it will be on a first come basis. Advertising must be checked off on trade show application and logo in attachment with trade show application. Logo will be put on all flyers, programs and Powerpoint displays.

For further info call 905-302-5470 or email bsibbald@cogeco.ca

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