

TRANSPORTATION MAINTENANCE & TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATION WATERLOO REGION



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It is through the collaborative relationships that we build with one another that we transform challenges into opportunities.

February 2016

January Meeting:

The January meeting was hosted by Safety Warning Systems, Darryl Selman presented the requirements in warning light design and how their product achieves or excels in independent laboratory testing.

February Meeting:

Team Truck Centres are sponsoring the February 4th meeting and are pleased to have representatives from Freightliner Canada and Detroit Components joining them to present on multiplexing and spec'ing for fuel economy as it relates to GHG17 regulations. Team Truck Centres is expanding their commitment to the Waterloo region transportation industry by building a new state of the art facility in Cambridge. Team Truck Centre's staff invite you to come out and hear how this will address sales, parts and service for current and potential customers across all industry segments.

New Members:

Please welcome Stephen Lowes from Kinsdale Carriers, Chase Fox and Samuel Kleinschroth from Home Hardware, Paul Fairminer from Cottrill Heavy Equipment and Gord Koreck from Krown Rust Control.

Sponsorship:

If anyone would like to sponsor a meeting or know of any **product** or **company** that would benefit from sponsoring, please contact any of your Executive members. Contact information can be found at www.tmta.co.

College of Trades:

To stay in touch with the progress and activities of the Ontario College of Trades go to their website and sign up for the OCOT E-Newsletter www.collegeoftrades.ca As always you can also direct your questions to Jim Pinder.

Special Notes:

The **Canadian Fleet Maintenance Summit** will be held April 13, 2016 preceding **Truck World 2016**, April 14, 15 and 16, both at the International Centre, Toronto. All members of the TMTA will receive a \$100 discount at the time of registration for the **Summit** by using the promotional code **TMTAVIP**. The registration includes meals, access to panels, industry networking, ticket to the kick off breakfast for Truck World (\$49.00 value) and unlimited access to Truck World.

The partnership with Conestoga College and the TMTA (SSP) creates the possibility of Federal or Provincial Training Incentive Funding with guidance from the Conestoga Career Centre, representatives will be at the Feb. 4th meeting.

From The Kitchen Staff:

For our enjoyment, roast beef, herb roasted mini potatoes, vegetables and salads with an assortment of deserts.

Meeting Information:

MEETING PLACE:

Holiday Inn, Kitchener

MEETING DATE:

February 4, 2016

DOORS OPEN:

5:30 pm

DINNER AT:

7:00 pm