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## 65 Amazing Years and Counting.....the show is back and better than ever!

SUBMITTED BY: TODD CHAMBERLAIN, RFT, ILA GENERAL MANAGER



**65 years!** 65 amazing years of serving our members and the Interior Logging Association's 65th Annual AGM and Convention! This years' show will be held on May 4th, 5th and 6th, 2023 with accommodations available at the Coast Hotel Kamloops, as well as the Wingate by Wyndham Kamloops.

We are very pleased to be offering a full event this year for the first time since COVID, with the Interior Safety Conference on Thursday, our Meet and Greet Thursday night, Friday morning Breakfast, afternoon Luncheon, and evening Dinner and Dance, the Log Loader Competition Friday and Saturday and on site chainsaw carving!

We invite and encourage all of our Members to be in attendance at the ILA Annual General Meeting at the Coast Hotel Kamloops on Friday, May 5th from 8:30am to 10:00am. We are also pleased to announce that our guest speaker at our Luncheon this year will be Minister of Forests, Bruce Ralston. The Luncheon will be on Friday May 5th, from 11:30am to 1:30pm and will be a cost of \$65 per person. Spaces are selling quickly for this event, so please fill out and return the form on [page 13](#) if you would like to attend.

We are looking forward to welcoming back all of our Vendors again to the Kamloops Powwow Grounds with both outside and inside displays, and we even have some limited space remaining for new Vendors. If you would like to attend as a Vendor, please fill out the form on [page 13](#) of the newsletter. This is an excellent opportunity for everyone to display their products, come and see what's new, reconnect with Vendors, Suppliers, and each other.

For all the details of the weekend agenda, please click [here](#). For a direct link to both forms mentioned above click [here](#).

We want to sincerely thank all of the Sponsors, Vendors, Members, and individuals who have contributed to this show over the last 65 years. Without your dedication and continued support of the Interior Logging Association and the industry as a whole, events like this would not continue to be possible or feasible. Last but not least, I would like to thank our amazing Office Administrator, Nancy Hesketh for all of her hard work putting together the show, and our resident Consultant, Meagan Preston, for her assistance again this year.

Happy Spring to all of you, we look forward to seeing you all in just a few weeks!

Regards,

*Todd Chamberlain, RFT*

General Manager, Interior Logging Association



EMBRACING A SUSTAINABLE BRAND NEW DAY FOR TIMBER HARVESTING

**ABOUT OUR LUNCHEON SPEAKER, HONOURABLE BRUCE RALSTON**  
**MINISTER OF FORESTS, LANDS, NATURAL RESOURCE OPERATIONS AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT**



Forests and Minister Responsible for the Consular Corps on Dec. 7, 2022.

His appointment follows his previous cabinet appointments, serving as Minister for Energy, Mines and Low Carbon Innovation following his role as Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology.

He was first elected as an MLA for Surrey-Whalley in 2005 and was re-elected in 2009, 2013, 2017, 2020.

Ralston's current focus is on revitalization of the forest sector, where First Nations are partners in forest management, and increased value is realized through expanded diversification in manufacturing.

His priorities also include the sustainable management and conservation of B.C.'s old growth forests in the face of climate change and other pressures, while

ensuring a competitive and sustainable future for communities, Indigenous Peoples, workers and companies.

Ralston was born in Victoria and grew up in Vancouver. He has degrees in law from the University of British Columbia and a degree in history from the University of Cambridge in England.

The cost for this event is \$65 per person and includes lunch. You can find a digital copy of the registration form attached to this newsletter by clicking [HERE](#), as well as in the discussion section of our Facebook Event.

Don't delay on registering for this event! Spaces are limited and typically sell out fast!

If you require more information, please contact us at [info@interiorlogging.org](mailto:info@interiorlogging.org) or call us at (250) 503-2199.

To directly link to the 65th Annual and Trade Show event on Facebook click on the Facebook icon below!



Or you can follow this link to the event page:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/414905500463252>

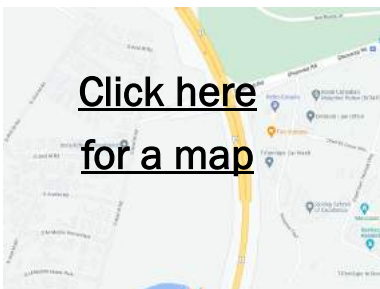


On Friday May 5th, 2023 at 11:30am we will be holding our Annual Luncheon at the Coast Kamloops Hotel as part of the 64th Annual AGM and Trade Show.

This year we are very pleased to announce that our guest speaker is the Honourable Bruce Ralston - Minister of Forests. This will be your opportunity to meet in person and hear first hand the developments in the forestry industry.

A little about our guest speaker, Minister Ralston: Bruce Ralston was sworn in as B.C.'s Minister of

**Location of the Interior Logging Association 65th Annual AGM and Convention**



**[Click here for a map](#)**

**Kamloops Powow Grounds**  
**345 Powwow Trail,**  
**Kamloops, BC**



OUR RETURNING DINNER AND DANCE EVENT WITH AMAZING MUSIC

PERFORMED BY SHAWN LIGHTFOOT BAND



There will be music at the show again this year according to the ILA General Manager Todd Chamberlain!

“We are very excited to announce that the return of our Friday night Dinner and Dance with live entertainment being provided by The Shawn Lightfoot Band.”

*THE SHAWN LIGHTFOOT BAND* is one of the Okanagan’s most popular must-see live cover bands.

Shawn Lightfoot Band is a 4-piece high-octane powerhouse that will take you on an energy-packed musical journey you won’t soon forget. The band is highly acclaimed for pumping out high-energy hits all night long.

The band has played on the big stage opening for headlining acts such as Platinum Blonde and Big Sugar. Performing a vast and diverse range of hits covering Rock to Country to Pop, the group has become renowned for creating an authentic and

engaging musical experience.

As one of the most intensely charismatic live acts, this is a show you don’t want to miss.

“The Shawn Lightfoot Band” features veteran performers Shawn Lightfoot (Vocals/ Guitar), Dennis Marcenko (Bass/Vocals), Roman Picco (Keyboards/Vocals) and Kevin Lane (Drums/Vocals).

Known for “exceeding expectations” with a “large repertoire” and having “something for everyone” we know they will be an excellent addition to this returning event!

Get ready for an inspiring and memorable live show!

This years Dinner and Dance will be held on Friday May 5th

from 6pm to 11pm at the Coast Kamloops Hotel.

Tickets are \$85 and on sale now. You can find a copy of the Ticket order form by clicking here or download the brochure with ticket order form on our website by clicking here.

Check out a preview of his music by clicking [HERE](#) or head to their website:

<http://shawnlightfootband.com/>

Show Attendees Confirmed At Time of Press

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CHAIRPERSON'S NOTE FOR THE SHOW

SUBMITTED BY: RON VOLANKSY



I would like to start by welcoming all of our Interior Logging Association Members, Delegates and friends back for the 65th ILA AGM and Convention! We are so happy that we can once again run this amazing event as we used to with more opportunities to network as in past years!

This years' event will once

again feature inside and outside displays, located together on the Powwow Grounds. As always, all displays are open to the General Public and **NO ALCOHOL** will be permitted on grounds. It is important to note that speed zones are in effect on school days.

We will also be offering many opportunities for networking events and gatherings. With COVID restrictions no longer in effect, this years show will look a little more familiar with our Meet and Greet, Breakfast, Luncheon, and Dinner and Dance events on our agenda.

We are also pleased to welcome back this year the Interior Safety Conference put on by the BC Forest Safety Council as part of our event. We ask that you please register directly with them, the information is included in the Weekend Agenda panel of this pamphlet.

For all ILA Members, please plan to attend our Annual General Meeting on Friday, May 4th, 2023 from 8:30am to 10:00am at the Coast Kamloops Hotel.

On behalf of the Interior Logging Association Board of Directors and our Staff, I would like to thank all of the Co-

Sponsors and Suppliers' for their continued participation in our event year after year. We are very happy to back to normal in our event planning and celebrating 65 amazing years!

Last but not least, please know that we appreciate your support and attendance at this years' event. We look forward to seeing all of you in Kamloops!

Yours Truly,

*Ron Volansky*

Ron Volansky  
ILA Chairperson



*Come out to the show this year and see on site chainsaw carving by local B.C.*

*Artist Tyler Welfing!*



**Not an Interior Logging Association Member yet?**

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# ILA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Date: Friday, May 5th 2023  
Time: 8:30am - 10:00am  
Coast Kamloops Hotel

**\*\*ILA Members Only\*\***



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ASSOCIATION**

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**EMBRACING A SUSTAINABLE BRAND NEW DAY  
FOR TIMBER HARVESTING**

READY TO SEE SOME SKILLS? COME SEE THE LOG LOADER COMPETITION!

SUBMITTED BY: RYAN BREMNER



There will be some good entertainment at the 65th Annual ILA AGM and Convention this year with a log loading competition happening on the show grounds!

The 2023 log loader competition is sponsored by Brandt Tractor Ltd. in partnership with Northface

Grapple Tips.

This event will be held on Friday May 5th from 11 am - 3 pm and on Saturday May 6th from 10 am - 2pm at the Powwow grounds in Kamloops BC during the 65th Annual ILA AGM and Convention.

The equipment supplied by Brandt Tractor Inc. for this

competition will be a John Deere Log loader.

Prior to the event taking place you will need to register by signing up at the Northface Grapple Tips Booth, located across from the Brandt Tractors Booth on the Powwow grounds during the show.

Eligibility to Compete

In order to be eligible to compete you must be:

- Employed by a logging company or the owner of a logging company
- You must have prior log loader experience

\*There is NO entry fee required to participate.\*

There will be a maximum of 24 competitors per day on Friday and Saturday.

Cash prizes for the top 3 competitors will be based on a combination of smoothness, speed and completion requirements.

Please be sure to register prior to the event in order to ensure the event is able to remain within the time frame required for competition.

This will be a fun event for both participants and spectators, and we invite everyone to come out and watch and cheer on your favorite operators!



## ILA SILENT AUCTION—GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY

SUBMITTED BY: INTERIOR LOGGING ASSOCIATION



The Interior Logging Association, it's Staff and Board of Directors have always tried to ensure they are contributing to the community, either through our scholarship funds, sponsorships, advertising, or by volunteering in the community. This year, we are excited to announce the return of our Silent Auction after a couple of years hiatus during the COVID-10 pandemic restrictions.

With the help of many of our sponsors, vendors and partner companies we have managed to accumulate an amazing variety of silent auction items which will be available at this year's show.

The auction items will be available for viewing and bidding at the Coast Hotel and Convention Center from Thursday May 4th 6pm to 10pm and Friday May 5th 8am to 11pm.

This year we are pleased to announce we have chosen

the Ty Pozzobon Foundation as our partner for the Silent Auction. For those of you who are not familiar with this cause, here is an excerpt from the site:

"Ty Pozzobon, A.K.A. Pozzy was born to be a cowboy. He was born on November 9, 1991, and grew up in Merritt, British Columbia. Ty had a dream of mastering extreme sport animals. Eight seconds of domination, rewarded with gold buckles, glory, and fame. The young bull rider saw his childhood dreams come true. By the age of 25, Pozzobon was a three-time Canadian Finals Rodeo (CFR) qualifier. He was crowned the 2016 Professional Bull Riders (PBR) Canadian Champion. In 2016 Ty posted five event wins. He also made Canada proud by finishing fourth in the PBR Built Ford Tough World Finals in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Professional Bull Riding is a dangerous sport. The young phenom sustained his fair share of injuries. Bumps, bruises, and broken bones

were not uncommon. More notably, Ty suffered several concussions in the rodeo arena. The damage these caused was sadly irreparable. Ty took his own life, January 9th, 2017. An autopsy confirmed that he suffered from Chronic traumatic encephalopathy (CTE). The first confirmed case identified in a bull rider. Ty's life ended far too early. In his honour, the Ty Pozzobon Foundation was formed. Its ultimate goal is to prevent CTE from taking the lives of any western lifestyle participants, ever again.

Ty Pozzobon Foundation was established in February of 2017. Tanner Byrne and Chad Besplug were two of Ty's closest friends and western lifestyle participants. They were instrumental in starting the Ty Pozzobon Foundation. Chad Besplug stated, "we want to break the stigma and start the conversation about mental health". No one should have to battle this demon on their

own. Bull riders would share advice on how to stay on top of a bull. Now they are sharing advice on how to stay on top of life."

The Pozzobon family has a long-time connection to the Forest Industry, Ty's grandparents Fred and Carol Lowe were a mainstay of the Logging Community in Merritt for over 50 years. Fred just recently retired from driving truck at the "young" age of 78. Ty's Aunt Laura and Uncle Lorne have a successful trucking company in Merritt and both his mother Leanne and father Luke are well established names in the Forest Industry. Leanne has become a strong advocate to ensure the safety of all participants in the world of rodeo and we are very proud to be able to assist her in her efforts.

We invite everyone to come down and view all the amazing donations this year and bid generously as partial proceeds of this silent auction will be donated to the Ty Pozzobon Foundation.

Thank you to all the generous donators and to you the bidders in advance for making this a success!

To learn more about this cause go to:

[www.typoazzobon.com](http://www.typoazzobon.com)

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**"Supporting our Members...65 years Strong!"**

**65<sup>th</sup>**

**Annual AGM and Convention  
May 4th, 5th and 6th, 2023**



**Events at:**

**Coast Kamloops Hotel & Conference Centre  
1250 Rogers Way, Kamloops BC**

**&**

**Powwow Grounds (Inside and Outside Displays)  
100-345 Powwow Trail, Kamloops BC**

**WEEKEND AGENDA**

**Thursday, May 4th, 2023**

**Interior Safety Conference—BC Forest Safety Council**

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

For the full agenda and pre-registration visit: <https://www.bcfestsafe.org/news-events/safety-conferences/>

**Set Up Inside & Outside Displays**

8:00 am - 10:00 pm Powwow Grounds

**Convention Registration**

4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

**ILA Directors Meeting**

4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

**Meet & Greet**

**\$60.00**

6:00 pm — 10:00 pm—Coast Kamloops Hotel

**Friday, May 5th, 2023**

**Breakfast**

**\$35.00**

7:30 am — 9:30 am—Coast Kamloops Hotel

**ILA Annual General Meeting**

*(ILA Members Only)*

8:30 am — 10:00 am Coast Kamloops Hotel

**Inside & Outside Displays**

**No Charge**

9:30 am — 4:30 pm Powwow Grounds

**Log Loader Competition**

**Ongoing**

**Convention Registration**

10:30 am - 4:00 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

**Friday Luncheon**

**\$65.00**

11:30 am — 1:30 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

**Luncheon Guest Speaker: Minister of Forests—Honourable Bruce Ralston**

**Friday Night Dinner and Dance**

**\$85.00**

6:00 pm to 11:00 pm Coast Kamloops Hotel

**Guest Band: Shawn Lightfoot Band**

**Saturday, May 6th, 2023**

**Inside & Outside Displays**

**No Charge**

9:30 am — 3:00 pm Powwow Grounds

**Log Loader Competition**

**Ongoing**

**3:00 pm End Of Event on Powwow Grounds**



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**REGISTRATION FORMS FOR EXHIBITORS AND TICKETS**  
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**2023 ILA AGM and Trade Show  
Ticket Registration Form**

**Company/Individual Information:**

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Company Name

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Contact Name

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Address

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Credit Card Number

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Expiry date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email address for credit card receipt

**Event & Cost:**

- Thursday Meet and Greet** \_\_\_\_\_ x \$60.00/ticket
- Friday Breakfast** \_\_\_\_\_ x \$35.00/ticket
- Friday Luncheon** \_\_\_\_\_ x \$65.00/ticket
- With guest speaker—Minister of Forests*
- Friday Dinner and Dance** \_\_\_\_\_ x \$85.00/ticket

Order Subtotal = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

+ 5% GST = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

GST # 107510125 **Total** = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**Register Online:** www.interiorlogging.org

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**2023 ILA Conference and Trade Show  
Exhibitor Application Form**

**Exhibitor Information:**

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Company Name

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Contact Name

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Address

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City Province Postal Code

**Method of Payment:**

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Expiry date

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Signature

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Email address for credit card receipt

**Display Space Requested & Cost:**

8' x 10' Inside Display \$800.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

15' x 30' Outside Display \$600.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

+ 5% GST = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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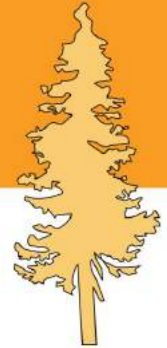
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THE INTERIOR SAFETY CONFERENCE (ISC) RETURNS TO KAMLOOPS ON MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>

SUBMITTED BY: THE BC FOREST SAFETY COUNCIL



# Interior Safety Conference



The Interior Safety Conference, an annual industry-driven safety conference specific to the BC forest sector, is returning on Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> in Kamloops as part of the Interior Logging Association Conference.

After two years hiatus due to the pandemic, this FREE, in-person conference is back with forestry-related safety topics focussing around this year's theme - *Lead From Where You Are*.

**INTERIOR SAFETY CONFERENCE**

**Date:** Thursday, May 4, 2023

**Time:** 9:00am - 4:00pm  
(Registration opens at 8:00am)

**Location:** Coast Kamloops Hotel & Conference Centre  
1250 Rogers Way, Kamloops

The full-day, in-person conference includes refreshments and lunch for conference attendees and features a variety of speakers, industry experts and relevant safety information to help you and your company keep safety at the forefront of your daily operations. There is also a trade show with targeted safety products and services which will be held at the Powwow Grounds located at 100-345

Powwow Trail in Kamloops BC.

This year's keynote speakers include former NHL goaltender and mental health advocate, Corey Hirsch, mental health expert, Amenda Kumar from WorkSafeBC and "the Brain Guy" Terry Small, master teacher and Canada's leading learning skills specialist.

**The Save of My Life: My Journey Out of the Dark:**

Come and hear Corey Hirsch's captivating presentation on his personal journey battling debilitating mental health struggles.

**Mental Health in the Workplace:**

Learn how to identify and manage mental health in the workplace with valuable tools and resources presented by therapist and WorkSafeBC OHS consultant Amenda Kumar.

**Healthy Brain Resilient Mind - 5 Steps to a Calmer, Happier, Sharper You!:**

Get an in-depth look from Terry Small, Canada's leading learning skills specialist, into how our brains function

and what we need to do to keep them healthy and resilient in the current state of the world.

**Online registration** – Spaces are limited so register online today to save your spot. Registration deadline is April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

If you have questions regarding registration or sponsorship, contact the ISC Coordinator by email: [tcarruthers@bcforestsafecouncil.org](mailto:tcarruthers@bcforestsafecouncil.org) or call 1-877-741-1060.

**Keynote Speakers**



**Corey Hirsch**  
Mental Health Advocate



**Amenda Kumar**  
WorkSafeBC



**Terry Small**  
the Brain Guy



EVENT LOCATIONS, HOTELS AND OTHER INFORMATION

**Suggested Hotel Accommodations**

**Coast Kamloops Hotel**

1250 Rogers Way, Kamloops BC V1S 4R9

Phone: 250-828-6660

\*Use code "ILA2023 Delegate" when booking your room\*



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With respect to the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc Band **NO ALCOHOL** is permitted on Powwow grounds.

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### ILA Forestry Scholarships will be offered again in 2023!

#### Forestry Scholarships

The ILA awards four scholarships annually to students preparing for a bright, beautiful future in BC's forest industry. We offer the following:

- **\$2,000 FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIP**
- **\$1,000 MEMBER SCHOLARSHIP**
- **\$1,000 MEMBER TRADES SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP**
- **\$1,000 ASSOCIATES SCHOLARSHIP**
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**Applications will close July 31, 2023** Applications postmarked later than July 31 will not be considered.

The Fine Print Scholarships are awarded as soon as possible after the closing date of July 31. Payment will be made upon confirmation of registration in a full-time program of studies. In the event that no candidate has reached an acceptable standard in any or all scholarship categories, the scholarship committee may elect not to make an award. They may also, at their discretion, make lesser awards to more than one candidate in a category.

Download your [ILA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM](#) by clicking on the link.

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