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2016 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

General Meetings at the Sarnia Golf & Curling Club
March 28, 2016

Annual Awards Night
May 30, 2016

District 13 DLC
April 29 - May 1, 2016

Sarnia ISA Golf Tournament
Friday, June 3rd 2016 @ Mooretown Golf Club

DINNER MEETING NOTICE

MONDAY, March 28th 2016

SARNIA GOLF & CURLING CLUB

500 ERROL ROAD WEST, SARNIA | PHONE: 519.336.2201

COCKTAILS 5:00 PM ►►► DINNER 6:00 PM

Guest Speaker

MP Marilyn Gladu

Topic

The Next 4 Years

Menu

Thai Noodle Salad TM
Grilled Salmon Dilled Lemon
Apple Butter Cheese Cake

MEMBERS \$15
GUESTS \$25

Please RSVP before Thursday, March 24th 2016 by contacting Terri Bell at 519.337.2773 or email terri.bell@intertec-inst.com
For special dietary needs, contact the Sarnia Golf & Curling Club three days prior to the meeting.

NOTE: ALL Members and Guests are requested to reserve in advanced.



PRESENTATION



March Speaker



Marilyn Gladu Bio:

Marilyn Gladu was elected as the Member of Parliament for Sarnia-Lambton during the 2015 Canadian Federal Election. Subsequently, Marilyn was named as a member of Her Majesty's Official Opposition Shadow Cabinet to the position of Science Critic by Interim Leader of the Conservative Party of Canada, Rona Ambrose. Marilyn has also been elected by her Colleagues to serve as the Chair for the Parliamentary Committee on the Status of Women. In addition, the Railway Association of Canada has selected Madame Gladu to serve as "Co-Chair" of the Rail Caucus, a special non-partisan parliamentary group dealing with all matters of rail-related issues in Canada. Prior to these new roles in Canada's Parliament, Marilyn was a professional engineer who worked for Dow Chemical for 21 years in a variety of roles locally, nationally and globally.

Marilyn later served as Engineering Manager and subsequently the Director of Engineering at Suncor before taking a consulting and business development role at Worley Parsons in Sarnia, Ontario.

During her career, Marilyn was the chair for the Canadian Society of Chemical Engineers and the National Director of Science and Industrial Policy for the same organization. She has been on the Dean's Advisory Council for the Faculty of Engineering at Queen's University. Marilyn is also the first ever Female Engineer elected to Canada's House of Commons.

Gladu is a Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do. She is also a youth leader, Camp Director and Sunday school teacher. She has a passion for music, reading, spending time with her family and doing other community-minded work.

From a political perspective, Marilyn has been an active member, advisor and director of the Conservative associations in Sarnia-Lambton both provincially and federally for close to 10 years. Prior to becoming the Member of Parliament herself, Marilyn supported current Member of Provincial Parliament Bob Bailey and former Federal MP Pat Davidson in the last 3 campaigns as part of their campaign team.

Constituents of Sarnia-Lambton are encouraged to contact their MP at marilyn.gladu@parl.gc.ca



NOTICES



River Cruise

Please note the upcoming General Meeting and Annual Awards Night on May 30th. This dinner meeting will be a cruise of the St. Clair River on the Duc d'Orleans. Sign up is required, as well as a passport or Nexus card.



2016 Reference Guide is available for distribution and can be picked up at the following locations:

Lakeside Process Controls | 581 Vidal St. South | 519.332.2300
 WIKA Instruments | 1355 Confederation St. | 519.344.1339
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



March Message

Dear Friends,

Seems like winter spared us this year!! I know some people are disappointed, I am certainly not, I enjoy warm weather and think we needed a break especially after a harsh winter last year.

Well, our ISA year is winding down very fast, we have only 2 more meetings remaining in this year, March & May. This month's dinner meeting will be on Monday, March 28 and will feature Sarnia-Lambton Member of Parliament, Marilyn Gladu as guest speaker. Her topic will be "Next 4 Years". I am sure it will be interesting to hear a political perspective of development happening in our area and in generally in Canada, so come out in big numbers and attend.



Our May dinner meeting will be a cruise on St. Clair River. May meeting will also be our Annual General meeting where we will be electing new executives for year 2016-2017 so please come out and attend. Treat this message as formal "Notice of Election" to all

members and if you are interested in any of our 5 Elected Executive Positions, please contact me. You will need a passport or Nexus card to board the cruise boat, please contact Rob Dickson, our section's Membership Chair person, robd@specsarnia.com for more details on the cruise.

Every year in April, Lambton County Science Fair (LCSF) committee organizes a Science Fair at Lambton College, this year the fair is on April 8 & 9. The fair provides an opportunity to all Lambton County students from grade 3 to 12 to learn more about science and participate by preparing & displaying projects in the field of physical sciences, life sciences, computer & engineering, or earth & environmental sciences. ISA Sarnia section is a big supporter of this event and award prizes & donate money to LCSF committee. I request you to support this event by publicizing to your network and encouraging students you know to participate. This is an entirely volunteer run event and relies on sponsorship from generous donors from this area so you may consider soliciting donations from your work place or other organization you belong to. Contact me if you need more information.

We are looking for volunteers to serve on our section board and I request you to contact me or any of our committee members if you are interested. Looking forward to a chance to talk with many of you in person at the next dinner meeting.

Cheers everyone

Kalpen Vachharajani
 President – ISA Sarnia Section



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