



MEDIA ADVISORY

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Monday, April 21, 2008

SUN'S 34TH ANNUAL MEETING

<<Regina>> This is to advise you that **SUN's 34th Annual Meeting** will be held at the Prince Albert Exhibition Grounds in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan from **April 23-25, 2008**.

Media are welcome to attend. Please see the attached agenda.

NOTE: SUN members may request an in-camera session to discuss negotiations following the Negotiations Committee Report, in which case media will be asked to be excused during that time.

Additionally, on **Friday, April 25th at 12:00 noon** on the grounds of the **Prince Albert Exhibition Building in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan**, members of SUN are **holding a rally** to voice their disappointment in SAHO's regressive proposal package that has been tabled in the 2008 SUN/SAHO negotiations.

In attendance, to show their support, will be Linda Silas, Canadian Federation of Nurses Unions (CFNU) President, and Larry Hubich, Saskatchewan Federation of Labour (SFL) President, as well as members from other local Prince Albert labour unions.

Please visit our website to see what registered nurses across the province are saying in response to SAHO's proposals at www.sun-nurses.sk.ca - **"SAY NO TO SAHO."**

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To speak to a SUN Representative, contact Rosalee Longmoore, SUN President, at 539-6162 (cell phone).

34th SUN Annual Meeting Agenda

April 23, 24, 25, 2008

PA Exhibition Grounds, Prince Albert

Membership Policy 012-M-2007 – Business and banquet rooms at all SUN functions/meetings shall be maintained as smoke free and fragrance free environments.

- Agenda Notes** • Urgent Resolutions will be accepted until the end of business day, April 23, 2008.
- Speakers and special presentations may be announced at a later date and appropriate amendments to the agenda made at the Annual Meeting.
 - Membership Policy 023-M-2007 governs deadlines for submission of nominations for vacancies. As there are no vacancies this year, those deadlines will not apply.

Tuesday, April 22, 2008

1900 – 2100 Early Registration

1900 – 2200 Welcome Reception

Wednesday, April 23, 2008

0730 – 0830 Registration

0815 – 0845 Constitution, Bylaws and Resolution (CB&R) Committee – New Member Orientation

0900 Call to Order

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Announcements

Greetings from Host City

Appointment of Credentials Committee and Scrutineers

Introductions: Board of Directors, SUN Staff, Planning Committee, Guests, Parliamentarian, Verbatim Secretary

Credentials Committee Report

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

Business Arising from Minutes

Disposition of 2007 Resolutions

President's Report and Address

New Policies Adopted by the Board of Directors

1030 – 1045 Refreshment Break

First Vice President's Report

Auditor's Report

1130 – 1300 Lunch

Executive Director's Report

Director of Operations Report

Lifetime Membership Presentations

1445 – 1500 Refreshment Break

1500 Committee Reports

 Constitution, Bylaws and Resolutions Committee

 Negotiations Committee

 Program Committee

 Nominations Committee

1600 Adjournment

1830 Banquet – Prince Albert Exhibition Grounds

Thursday, April 24, 2008

0730 – 0830 Registration
0900 Call to Order, Announcements
Credential Committee Report
Linda Silas, CFNU President
Constitution, Bylaws and Resolutions – CB&R Committee
1030 – 1045 Refreshment Break
Constitution, Bylaws and Resolutions (continued)
1145 – 1315 Lunch
Larry Hubich, SFL President
Constitution, Bylaws and Resolutions (continued)
1445 – 1500 Refreshment Break
Constitution, Bylaws and Resolutions (continued)
1700 Adjournment

Friday, April 25, 2008

0800 – 0830 Registration
0830 Call to Order, Announcements
Credentials Committee Report
Panel: Professional Practice – Everyone's Responsibility
Candle lighting in recognition of members who have lost their lives over the past year – Presented by Denise Dick, Region 4 Rep.
1015 – 1030 Refreshment Break
Unfinished Business
1145 – 1315 Lunch
1200 - Rally
New Business: Items submitted for Open Forum Discussion
1445 – 1500 Refreshment Break
New Business: Items submitted for Open Forum Discussion (continued)
Announcement of 2009 Annual Meeting – Date and Location
Election Results: Introduction of New Board of Directors – Nominations Committee
Presidential Address
1600 Adjournment

AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.