

General Information

Campers and House Trailers

While a City of Toronto by-law states that no house trailers for dwelling use will be permitted in Exhibition Place during The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, the RAWF has arranged for a limited number of spaces on a first request basis. There will be no advanced booking. All campers will be accommodated when they arrive. Drain connections are not available. Electrical hook-up is an additional charge. It should also be arranged for at time of arrival. These services may be obtained at the Exhibitor Services Order Desk located at the South End of the West Loading Docks (new building). Camper enquiries should be directed to (416) 263-3064. Vehicles pulling trailers may be subject to an additional parking charge

Hotel Information

The Westin Harbour Castle is the official hotel for the RAWF.

For more hotel information please see AgriTour's website at www.agritourscanada.com

Parking Violations

The RAWF will not be responsible for payment of parking violations incurred by any person(s) prior to, during or after the RAWF.

Livestock Trailer Parking

Exhibitor trailers can be parked OFF Exhibition grounds at no charge during the RAWF. A map to allocated parking locations will be provided upon arrival.

Shuttle Service

A shuttle will operate between the Direct Energy Centre/RICOH Coliseum Buildings and the Ontario Place Parking Lot on a regular basis. There will be no charge for this service.

Ontario Hydro Safety Regulations

The Ontario Electrical Safety Code Rule 2-022, requires that all electrical equipment must be approved before it may lawfully be advertised, displayed, offered for sale, sold, or otherwise disposed of or used in this Province. It is, therefore, the responsibility of each exhibitor to ensure that all electrical equipment in, on or about his/her booth comply with the above regulations. This includes electrical merchandise as well as lighting and display equipment.

Should any of this equipment not comply, it is recommended that you request temporary permission to exhibit while the necessary electrical approvals certification is being sought:

Electrical Safety Authority
Attn.: Provincial Code Engineer
155 Matheson Road West
Mississauga, ON L5R 3L5
Telephone: (905) 712 - 5363

Failure to comply could result in the equipment being refused connection to the source of electrical supply and may even be ordered removed from display.

ELECTRICAL POWER: The electrical power in all buildings is 60 cycle. The outlets in most buildings have three openings. All electrical appliances used in buildings where such outlets have been installed must be equipped with cords having three-pronged grounded plugs.

COOKING APPLIANCES: No cooking units shall be allowed in the buildings. All electrical appliances used must be equipped with cords having three-pronged grounded plugs.

ELECTRICAL SERVICES: All exhibitors must use the services of the in-house electrical company to be named later.

Attention United States and Foreign Exhibitors

Payment of Fees

1. All fees must be paid in Canadian Funds.
2. In order to obtain maximum premium on US funds, (1) pay by credit card - VISA or MASTERCARD accepted or (2) purchase a Canadian Dollar Draft or Money Order at your Bank or Post Office.
3. ***Do not*** send cheques drawn on US Banks marked - PAYABLE IN CANADIAN DOLLARS - as we are unable to negotiate same. International exhibitors MUST pay the HST charges on their entries, as the service is being served in Canada.

Customs

Exhibits from the United States or any other foreign country will be admitted in bond without collection of duties, if returned within ninety days from date of importation. Exhibitors from outside Canada should contact the RAWF's designated custom broker, Livingston Event Logistics (formally Mendelssohn), 40 University Avenue, Suite 400, Toronto, ON, M5J 1T1. Tel 416-863-9339 or Fax 416-863-5149. Livingston Event Logistics have offices at most Ports of Entry to Canada. It is suggested that exhibitors contact Livingston Event Logistics well in advance of entry to Canada.

U.S. Livestock Exhibitor - Import permits are necessary for temporary entry to Canada. Please refer to the Large Livestock Competition Book for detailed permit instructions and requirements for Breeding Cattle Imported from the United States to Canada on temporary status.

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair Endowment Fund

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair has an established Endowment Fund which exists to provide reserves for responsible financial management, and also to provide a source of funding for initiatives deemed critical to advancing the objectives of The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair. Enriching The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair Endowment Fund is an important responsibility shared by those who are committed to the future of this great Canadian institution. The demands today are significant, and the dreams for tomorrow limitless – and we all have the ability to contribute either directly or indirectly.

If you would like more information about The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair Endowment Fund, including details as to how to make a contribution, please contact the Chief Financial Officer, Royal Agricultural Winter Fair at 416-263-3400.