

Hello all,

You will find numerous documents as part of the package for the upcoming AGM to be held on October 14-15, 2017 at the Victoria Inn.

You will notice the Saturday Agenda is full of training sessions, plus we are pleased to announce the return of the Cadet Leadership Symposium. An additional highlight is early afternoon on the Saturday will be a feature Panel of some amazing speakers that you will NOT want to miss.

The Sunday will feature the AGM proper being the business portion of the meeting, including the budget, committee reports and elections.

We made the decision to focus multiple sessions specifically designed for those new to the system, and to those that have been around for a while, (that should cover just about everyone). The SSC/Liaison/CO training session should provide much needed information to ensure the smooth relationships that so many CIC staff and SSC have, and that we hope for all squadrons in Manitoba.

You will see on the agenda that there are three Saturday sessions entitled “Best Practices”. We know that every squadron probably has ideas for every one of these sessions but what we are looking for is diversity. Each session has some city and some rural squadrons identified. We would ask that each squadron prepare something for the session that their squadron is associated with. We would of course prefer to have the presentation submitted in advance but either way, that a representative be prepared to speak for a couple of minutes or have it read by the moderator of your session. We believe that this cross-pollination of squadrons will provide ideas and concepts that will benefit all squadrons throughout the province. We will be combining all the thoughts presented at each session into a package for you, so these can be taken back to your squadron and put into place to enhance your program.

Together we are here to continue to make Air Cadets the best youth programme in the province. This is a team effort and our hope is that you will join us to make our team stronger.

We need to know your intention to attend, so please email us back at [Secretary@aclmb.com](mailto:Secretary@aclmb.com), so that we can be ready to help you advance your squadron.

*The people that are invited are specifically the SSC Chair, but Treasurer's and any other member of the SSC/Parents committee are always invited to attend as well. We are also asking that the CO and or DCO also attend along with any other officers they desire to bring along. The only limitation we put on is the number of senior cadets per squadron cannot exceed 2.*

Sincerely,

Vern Toews  
Vice-Chair,  
Air Cadet League of Canada (MB) Inc.