



PAPTAC Atlantic Branch Meeting
November 12-13-14, 2024
Maritime Inn Port Hawkesbury
717 Reeves St (Highway 104), Port Hawkesbury (NS) B9A 2S2
902-625-0320
Group Code: Port Hawkesbury Paper

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, November 12th:

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm – **Curling** -- 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.
No additional fees, included in the registration

Strait Area Community Curling Club
15 Macquarrie Drive Extension
Port Hawkesbury, NS B9A 3A3 (902.625.1824)

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm – **Executive Committee Meeting** (*executive committee members only*)

Wednesday, November 13th:

8:30 am - 9:00 am – Registration
9:00 am - 11:30 am – Welcome & Technical presentations
11:30 am - 1:30 pm – Lunch - *on your own*
1:30 pm - 4:15 pm – Technical presentations
5:30 pm - 10:00 pm – Reception (5:30-6:00 pm) / Banquet (6:00-10:00 pm)

Keynote Speaker: Invited Guest – TBC

Thursday, November 14th:

10:00 am-12:00 noon – Mill Tour – **Port Hawkesbury Paper**
**** Safety boots recommended, open-toed/sandals are not permitted.**
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PROGRAM

*All presentations and breaks will be held at the
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Wednesday, November 13th :

- 8:30 am – 9:00 am** – **Registration Check-in and Morning Coffee Break**
- 9:00 am – 9:15 am** – **Welcome from Atlantic PAPTAC**
- 09:00 – 09:10** - **Geoff Clark - Port Hawkesbury Paper**
Director of Sustainability and Economic Development
- 09:10 – 09:15** **PAPTAC Atlantic Branch Committee Welcome**
- 9:15 am – 9:35 am** – **Presentation #1: Improve paper machine runnability and end-user performance through better wet-end operations**
(20 min) **Frédéric Parent, FPInnovations**
- 9:35 am – 9:55 am** – **Presentation #2: Minimizing Fresh Water Consumption by Maximizing Reuse**
(20 min) **Kemira**
- 9:55 am – 10:15 am** – **Presentation #3: Chip Silo Fire Investigation**
(20 min) **Jeff Woolsey, Port Hawkesbury Paper**
- 10:15 am – 10:45 am** – **Networking & Break**
- 10:45 am – 11:05 am** – **Presentation #4: Adityabirla Presentation *(title forthcoming)***
- 11:05 am – 11:30 am** – **Presentation #5: Revisiting the development of fiber properties in mechanical pulping**
(20 min) **Zhibin (Ben) He, UNB**
- 11:30 am – 1:30 pm** – **Lunch** (on your own)



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| 1:30 pm – 1:50 pm (20 min) | – | <u>Presentation #6:</u> | Pressurewave+ Technology Overview <i>Denise Lévesque, GE Vernova</i> |
| 1:50 pm – 2:10 pm (20 min) | – | <u>Presentation #7:</u> | Review Nanobubbles Technology and Applications in P&P <i>Louis Morimanno (P.Eng), NGT Canada</i> |
| 2:10 pm – 2:30 pm (20 min) | – | <u>Presentation #8</u> | Investigation of Port Hawkesbury Paper’s Wood Furnish <i>Meaghan Woolsey, Port Hawkesbury Paper</i> |
| 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm | – | <u>Networking & Break</u> | |
| 3:00 pm – 3:20 pm (20 min) | – | <u>Presentation #8</u> | TBC |
| 3:20 pm – 4:00 pm | – | <u>Roundtable discussion -- all participants</u> | |
| 4:00 pm – 4:15 pm | | Closing Remarks | |
| 4:15 pm – 5:30pm | – | Personal Time | |
| 5:30pm – 10:00pm | – | <u>Reception & Group Dinner</u> | |

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