

SOURCES OF KNOWLEDGE FORUM 2012

CLIMATE CHANGE: WHAT MIGHT THIS MEAN FOR THE BRUCE?

Saturday April 28, 2012

<i>Plenary Session</i>		
Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 - 9:15	Welcome	Dr. Gordon Nelson (SOK) Mayor Milt McIver (Municipality) Ms. Kim St. Claire (Parks Canada) Mr. Scott Parker (Session Chair)
9:15 - 10:30	Climate Change, Ecosystems and Parks	Dr. Barry Smit University of Guelph / Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)
10:30 - 10:45	Break	
10:45 - 11:15	Prospects for the Bruce Peninsula in an Era of Rapid Climate Change	Dr. Chris Lemieux Wilfred Laurier University
11:15 - 11:45	Climate Change & Tourism in Central Ontario – Changing How We Play	Dr. Brenda Jones Parks Canada
11:45 - 12:15	Evidence of Climate Change on the Bruce Peninsula.	Mr. Bill Caulfeild-Browne Local Climatologist
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch	
1:15 - 1:45	Ontario's Approach to Climate Change	Mr. Gary Nielsen Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources
1:45 - 2:15	Sustainability: Building Resilience to Climate Change.	Dr. Steve Murphy CASIOPA and University of Waterloo
2:15 – 2:30	Break	
2:30 – 3:00	Communicating Science	Dr. David Pearson Laurentian University
3:00 - 3:30	Great Lakes Climate Adaptation Survey	Dr. Patrick Doran The Nature Conservancy
3:30 - 4:00	Closing remarks	Student / Dr. Mike Laing Bruce Peninsula District School

<i>Dinner Event and Speaker</i>	
6:00 – 9:30 Dinner at Tobermory Community Centre (catered by The Green Door Café)	
Natural Solutions to Climate Change: The Role of Protected Areas	Dr. Stephen Woodley International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN)

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<i>Workshops: Parks Canada Visitor Center</i>		
9:00 – 11:30	Community Response to Climate Change Workshop hosted by the Peninsula Transition Group	Ms. Terri Munn and Ms. Betsy Burrows Transition Peninsula
1:00 – 3:30	Climate Change Film Festival Parks Canada Visitor Centre Theatre, Tobermory	Dr. Stephen Scharper University of Toronto

PLUS: Exhibitor Displays and an Art Show
“Changing Weather”
Featuring Bruce Peninsula Artists