

How much?

\$150

This Includes:

- Two nights accommodation at St. Michael's Retreat Centre,
- Friday night wine and cheese reception
- All meals on Saturday, plus Sunday morning breakfast.



We have flexible options for those who prefer not to stay overnight and/or share meals.

You'll have the opportunity to stay until Monday morning for an additional cost.

Please note that rooms are on a first come, first served basis.

Questions?

prairiehorizons@gmail.com

Download a registration form at:
www.canscaip.org/ph.html

How do you get there?

St. Michael's Retreat overlooks the beautiful Qu'Appelle valley at Lumsden, Saskatchewan, about 30 kilometers northwest of Regina.

Directions:

Take highway #11 north out of Regina. Follow the steeple logo as illustrated on the "Community Attractions" highway sign just outside of Lumsden.

Turn into Lumsden and follow James Street through the town. Turn right at the "T" intersection, then left across the railway tracks. Turn left onto Qu'Appelle Drive East and follow the road up the hill and out of town. Drive along the top of the hill until you see the Retreat sign and the turn-off into the Retreat. Turn left and follow the road into St. Michael's.

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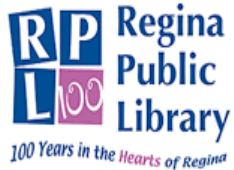


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Who, What, When?

Who is *Prairie Horizons* for?

We welcome children's writers, illustrators, and performers, or those who would like to be. If you aren't already a CANSCAIP member, you can join at a special conference price when you register.

When is *Prairie Horizons*?

Friday, September 18, 2009 at 6 pm to Sunday, September 20, 2009 at 10 am. You may stay until Monday morning, if you wish to let your muse have some quiet time, for an additional fee. (See registration form for details.)

What is *Prairie Horizons*?

It's an opportunity for children's writers, illustrators and performers from the prairies to gather for an inspiring weekend of business, learning, and networking. Plus, our popular open mic session. This doesn't mean that non-prairie folk aren't welcome. Come discover what prairie people have known for a long time. The prairie horizon is good for the artistic soul.

Featured Speakers

The keynote speaker is author **Hazel Hutchins** from Canmore, Alberta. She'll share her wealth of experience after having more than forty picture and chapter books published.

Anita Daher, from Winnipeg, Manitoba. Anita was the 2007 winner of the John Hirsch Award for most promising Manitoba writer. She's also an editor at *Great Plains* and will lead a workshop on editing.

Linda Aksomitis from Fort Qu'appelle, Saskatchewan will share her extensive internet experience from both her years as a teacher and from her own internationally and locally published books.

Panelists **Gillian Richardson**, **Dianne Young** and **Heather Nickel** will discuss how to stay motivated during tough times.

Strumming us into the weekend on Friday evening, with his guitar and kid-friendly lyrics, will be children's entertainer, **Bob King**.