

**3<sup>RD</sup> NATIONAL ABORIGINAL GAMBLING AWARENESS CONFERENCE  
JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup> – 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2007**

**AGENDA AT A GLANCE**

<b>TIME</b>	<b>Tuesday, June 5, 2007</b>		
7:30 – 8:30 AM	Registration & Trade Show Booths Open		
8:45 – 9:30 AM	<b>Conference Opening</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-Emcees – Ron Linklater &amp; Alice Marchand</li> <li>• Welcome &amp; Opening Prayer – Eli Beardy (Conference Chairman for NAGAC)</li> <li>• Greetings</li> </ul>		
9:30 – 10:30 AM	<b>Plenary Speaker – Harold Wynne, Ph.D. (Wynne Resources)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “The Horns of a Dilemma: Establishing Gambling in Aboriginal Communities”</li> </ul>		
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Health Break and Networking – Exhibit Booths Open		
	<b>Track A Gambling Research</b>	<b>Track B Responsible Gambling, Community Based Prevention</b>	<b>Track C Treatment of Problem Gambling</b>
<b>Session 1 11:00 – 12:15 PM</b>	<b><i>Gambling &amp; Problem Gambling in First Nations Communities: Treaty Three</i></b>  James Henderson Jill Oakes Linda Bird Comegan	<b><i>“You Can’t Beat Randomness”</i></b>  Val Charlette	<b><i>The Treatment of Problem Gambling in the Aboriginal Population</i></b>  Ken Akan
12:15 – 1:30 PM	Lunch		
<b>Session 2 1:30 – 2:45 PM</b>	<b><i>Pathological &amp; Problem Gambling among Native North Americans: Recommendations for Action</i></b>  Durand Jacobs (150 mins.)	<b><i>Gambling Addiction is Not Part of My Heritage</i></b>  Sharon Reynolds	<b><i>Symbolic Representation of Gambling within Family Systems</i></b>  Ruth Ann Linklater
2:45 – 3:15 PM	Health Break and Networking – Exhibit Booths Open		
<b>Session 3 3:15 – 4:30 PM</b>	<b>Exploring Gambling &amp; Problem Gambling in Urban Aboriginal Communities in Ontario</b>  Sharon Reynolds	<b>Gambling: what It Costs &amp; What You Need to Know</b>  Alan Daly	<b>Holistic Treatment for Problem Gambling Awareness &amp; Education (Mobile &amp; in House)</b>  William Crowe-Buffalo
<b>EVENING EVENT 7 – 9 p.m.</b>	Sharing Circle		

TIME	Wednesday, June 6, 2007		
9:00 – 9:15 AM	Ron Linklater & Alice Marchand (co-emcress) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening Prayer</li> <li>• Introductions</li> <li>• Announcements</li> </ul>		
9:15 – 10:30 AM	Plenary Speaker – Mark Anielski (Anielski Management Inc.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Measuring the Genuine Well-being Impacts of Gambling on First Nations”</li> </ul>		
10:30 – 11 AM	Health Break and Networking – Exhibit Booths Open		
	<b>Track A</b> <i>Gambling Research</i>	<b>Track B</b> <i>Responsible Gambling, Community Based Prevention</i>	<b>Track C</b> <i>Treatment of Problem Gambling</i>
Session 4 11:00 – 12:15 AM	<i>Investigating the Socio-Economic Costs &amp; Benefits of Gambling in Aboriginal Communities</i>  Cheryl Currie	<i>Juggling the Cosmos: Aspects of Aboriginal Traditional Gambling</i>  Brenda Daily	<i>Responsible Gambling to Responsible Play among Aboriginal People</i>  Randy Keeshig Macleod Brenda Jenkins
12:15 – 1:15 PM	Lunch		
Session 5 1:30 – 2:45 PM	<i>Anishinaabe &amp; Indigenous Ceremonies: Connecting our Ways of Understanding with Addressing Problem Gambling – from our origins to today</i>  Tobasonakwut Kinew (150 mins)	<i>Sharing Indigenous Traditions &amp; Knowledge on Gaming</i>  AMC Elders Council (150 mins)	<i>Gambling: Is There A Connection to Cultural Games</i>  Vi Meck
2:45 – 3:00 PM	Health Break and Networking – Exhibit Booths Open		
Session 6 3:15 – 4:15 PM	<b>Current Trends in Gambling Research</b>  Jackie Lemaire	<i>Casinos Regina &amp; Moose Jaw: A Unique Approach to Responsible Gaming</i>  Laurie Norman	<i>Prevention, Outreach, Community Partnership: A Saskatchewan Experience</i>  Bill Ursel Shauna Altrogge
7:30 – 9:30 pm	Evening Event		

<b>TIME</b>	<b>Thursday, June 7, 2007</b>
9:00 – 9:15 AM	Ron Linklater & Alice Marchand (Co-emcees) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening Prayer</li> <li>• Introductions</li> <li>• Announcements</li> </ul>
9:15 – 10:30 AM	Plenary Speaker – Lorna Dyall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>“Kanohi ki te Kanohi: A Maori Face to Gambling”</i></li> </ul>
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Health Break and Networking – Exhibit Booths Open
10:45 – 11:30 AM	TBA
11:30 – 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Closing ceremonies and pass the dice!