



Maine Forest Products Annual Membership Meeting 2016

Dear MFPC Member:

This year's annual meeting is all about our future -- where we are and where we're headed as an industry. Starting with our new Maine's Forest Economy report. It's bigger, better and surprisingly upbeat. On June 30, Dr. Mindy Crandall of the University of Maine and James Anderson III, PhD candidate, completed their research on the economic impact of the state's forest products industry and, despite the closures over the last two years, we're an \$8.5 billion industry. If you have questions, Dr. Crandall will be on hand to answer them and you'll be the first to get a copy of the new economy report, which also will highlight sustainability, the industry's contribution to Maine tourism and recreation, and why Maine is still a great place for a forest industry.

Executive Director Patrick Strauch will fill you in on the sometimes rocky path toward creating the "roadmap" we need to, as Dr. Bob Wagner says, "guide us into the new frontiers of the global market." Then we'll explore some of those frontiers, starting with a real game changer – cross-laminated timber, an opportunity that isn't years away but has already arrived. We've got a great line-up of presenters to tell you what's happening and, most importantly, how Maine can catch this wave.

Finally we'll see, hear and touch these new frontiers as we tour UMaine's Advanced Structures & Composites Center (<https://composites.umaine.edu/>) and Process Development Center (<http://umaine.edu/pdc/>).

Don't miss this chance to get so much news that you can use in your business. Sign up today.

Sunday, September 18th - Golf - noon - (Penobscot Golf Country Club) - Enjoy a round of golf at the Penobscot Golf club starting at 12 noon. There will be Tee-Times for each group. Each team player will receive one mulligan and skirt. After golf enjoy a BBQ starting at 6:00 p.m. also at the country club

Sunday, September 18th - BBQ - 6 p.m. (Penobscot Golf Country Club) - BBQ starting at 6 p.m.

Monday September 19 - Breakfast-(Wells Center in Orono) - Breakfast will be served at 7:30 at the Wells Center in Orono

Monday September 19 - Business Meeting, Presentations and Tours - (Wells Center in Orono) Breakfast will be served at 7:30 at the Wells Center in Orono and the business meeting and presentations will start at 8:30

Monday September 19 -Banquet - 5 p.m. -9 p.m. (Hollywood Casino in Bangor)- Happy Hour from 5-6, Auction will start around 5:30 and Dinner at 6:30. The awards will be presented after dinner.

More Details on the MFPC website - soon



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Name _____

Company _____

Award Winning Sponsors	(5 needed)	\$300.00 _____
Golf Sponsorship	(1 needed)	\$400.00 _____
Meeting/Tour Sponsor	(2 needed)	\$400.00 _____
19 th Hole BBQ	(2 needed)	\$400.00 _____
Breakfast	(2 needed)	\$300.00 _____
Lunch	(2 needed)	\$300.00 _____
Banquet Reception	(3 needed)	\$500.00 _____

Auction

Help us make this auction the biggest ever!! Any items you have would be greatly appreciated.



Maine Forest Products Council Registration Form

Sunday – Golf

12:00pm - 18 holes of golf & golf cart @ Penobscot Valley Country Club - Tee times starting at 12 o'clock with 10 min. intervals \$ 70.00

Sunday – 18th BBQ Reception - Penobscot Vally Country Club

6:00 pm -- 19th Hole Reception/BBQ \$35.00
Texas BBQ, salad, cole slaw, potaotes, corn, baked beans, BBQ chicken, Grilled Ribeye Steak

Monday - Breakfast - Wells Center

Farm House Breakfast \$20.00

Monday - Meeting & Tour - Well Center

\$10.00

Monday - Lunch - Wells Center

Buffet lunch - sandwiches and assorted salads \$20.00

Monday - Banquet - Hollywood Casino Hotel & Raceway

Grand Summit Buffet \$45 .00

Overnight Accommodiations: Hollywood Casino Hotel.

Please call (207) 974-3500 or toll free at (877) 779-7771 to make your room arrangements. Please let them know that you are with the MFPC group. King room is \$89 and two queens is \$89 (plus tax)

Name	Golf \$70	BBQ \$35	Breakfast \$20	Meeting/ Tour -\$10	Lunch \$20	Banquet \$45	Total

Questions, please call Sue McCarthy (207) 622-9288 or email (smccarthy@maineforest.org). Make checks out to Maine Forest Products Council and send to 535 Civic Center Drive, Augusta ME 04330