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Day 3 at Agribition: Students and international guests gain from show events

REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN – Canadian Western Agribition’s (CWA) Education Program is now in its 28th year and will see more than 6,500 kids representing over 200 classes pass through the show this week. New this year is the chance to meet Dennis Halstead and learn about his job in Rodeo Clown 101. Students will also learn about aboriginal culture and watch local dancers and drummers in the First Nations Pavilion, now in its fifth year.

The new *thinkAG* Career and Education Expo at CWA will allow high school students to explore career and post-secondary education opportunities in agriculture, and learn about modern food production.

International trade at CWA continues to make Regina an agriculture hub of excellence. Guests from Ukraine, Australia, Kazakhstan, China and Kenya have travelled to Regina this year. Tonight, an international reception will be held at 8 p.m. at Casino Regina.

Beef shows and sales start today, along with other exciting events:

- Stewart Stone, CWA President, presents the CWA scholarships to the winners – 9 a.m. in the newsroom
- Sean Finn, CN Executive Vice-President of Corporate Services and Chief Legal Officer, and 4-H CEO Shannon Benner announce a new partnership – 9 a.m. in the newsroom
- Cooking demos by Canada Beef Chef Joyce Parslow (11 a.m. and 2 p.m.) and CJ Katz, host of Wheatland Café (1 p.m.) – Food Pavilion stage, Arena 3
- Amy Nelson (5:30) and the Alley Dawgs (9:45) perform – Pump Roadhouse Stage
- Day 2 of the Indigenous Agriculture Summit
- Day 2 of the Grain Expo and Jeff Fitzpatrick-Stillwell (McDonald’s) presenting on Innovation in Response to Consumer Expectations
- Chore team events – 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. in the Brandt Centre
- Trainer’s Challenge – 12 p.m. in the Brandt Centre
- Canadian Heavyweight Horse Pulls Finals – 1:30 p.m. in the Brandt Centre

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Canadian Western Agribition (CWA), located in Regina, Saskatchewan, is the best beef show on the continent and the largest livestock show in Canada. The show is anchored by beef cattle and features horses, bison, sheep, goats and an extensive agribusiness trade show. CWA continues to promote the expansion, development and interest in agriculture. The 45th edition of CWA will be held November 23-28, 2015.

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