

The Hamilton Leather
Guild
invites you to the

75th Annual

Convention Weekend
for
**The Canadian
Society for
Creative
Leathercraft**

May 9 & 10, 2025

The
Convention will be held at
the:
**VISITORS INN
HOTEL Hamilton**

**Visitors Inn
Mailing Address:**

649 Main St. West (Hwy 8 & 403)
Hamilton, Ontario, Canada L8S 1A2
Phone/Fax: (905) 529-6979
Toll Free: 1-800-387-4620
Email: reservations@visitorsinn.com

Rates per night are approximately:
\$159 Double Occupancy/night, Same
as two years ago

plus applicable taxes
add \$10 for a kitchenette

Please book your rooms prior to

April 11 to insure your room
Please indicate that you are a CSCL
Member when booking, as a block of
rooms are being held for us.

Dinner options will be a prix fixe at the
The Hungry Traveller
\$30 per person

Demos & Workshops

Materials Fee T.B.D.
Friday Afternoon & Saturday

Saturday
Trips to Tundra Leather
will be on Saturday. Van
and driver will be
ferrying to and from
10:30 – 12 sign up early
for your tour.
\$5 fee for transportation

Friday May 9

Meeting room Available 8 am
Branch's set up tables all day long
Sharpening Workshop starts at 1 pm
Executive Meeting 6:30 p.m. (Executive only)
Workshop Activity. All afternoon
Dinner on your own

Judging starts 9:00 pm

Saturday May 10

Tea & Coffee and Registration 8:30 a.m.
Annual Meeting 9:00 a.m. to 10:00
Turning the edge –10:00 to 12:00
Tour of Tundra 10:30 – 12:00
Lunch at Hungry Travelers 12 - 1pm
Draw Ticket Sales 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.
Turned Edge card case –1:30 - 4:30
Coffee Break 2:30

Draws 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.
Visitors to View Displays 1:30 to 5:30 p.m.
Dinner at Hungry Travelers 6 - 7 pm.
Draws after Dinner – President Draws
Ribbons and Awards Presentation
Breakdown the Tables and pack up

Ribbons and Awards

Craftsman Ribbons - for outstanding craftsmanship,
Salon Ribbons - for unique, original work
\$50 Prize for Winner of these:
Irra Ford Memorial Award - for molded work, Robert
Muma Memorial Award - for tooling or colour work
Best in Show – selected by Fellows
Best Fellow Member Piece
Best Associate Member Piece
Best General Member

Weston Trophy
Judging April 25th, 2023
Must have three Items from three
Members in Good Standing

Fellow and Associate

If you are putting in for Fellow and Associate let the Branch Presidents know in advance.

Must be paid up

Member to enter Competition

Please go to the Web site to see the Judging requirements for Fellow and Associate Members
http://canadianleathercraft.org/index.php?main_page=page&id=2

Annual Dues

Your Annual Dues are payable by **March 31st**, Members must be paid up to have their items Judged.

Barb Chynoweth Membership Chairman
Send Membership dues to Della Chynoweth
csclmembership@outlook.com

Non-Members

Non-Members are welcome to attend the Annual Meeting and demo/workshops on payment of registration fee and Material Fees plus \$30 non Members will not have voting power.

Non-Members may attend the banquet paying the banquet fee.

Draw Tables – President's Table Bring \$\$

There will be Antique Tools,
Veg Tanned Hides, Leather, Estates Items
Don't forget to bring your donation(s) for the
White Elephant draw table.

Special Display from the
Larmor Library and the
Archived Materials

If the Item was in the Virtual Competition bring it along so we can see the past work and compare it (not judge it) in person

Friday
Sharpening Workshop

Bring your Edgers, Knives, Scorpis, Compass Race, Gougers, Box tools, Carving Tools, etc. we will sharp them up for the

Saturday Morning
Edge Turning Workshop

Learn some different ways to turn an edge and glue it down

Saturday Afternoon
For the Turned Edge Card

Case Workshop
Get a project ready to stitch (at Home)
By Skiving, Gluing and preparing a three part Card Case

Registration for the
Convention
Registration Fee

\$65.00 per General Member, Associate, Fellow
\$40.00 per Student
\$95 per non Member

\$ _____

\$5 Transportation to Tundra \$ _____

Materials fee TBD and paid at door \$ _____

Saturday Dinner \$30 \$ _____

Total enclosed \$ _____

Name:

Telephone No.:

Branch:

Send Registration Form and fees to:

Lauchlan Harrison
lharrison3@cogeco.ca

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deposited