

# **2017 Alberta Producer Meeting**

Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup> Strathmore, Alberta Travelodge, 1150 350 Ridge Road

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

## 9:30 REGISTRATION Lunch will be provided

### **PROGRAM**

#### Using Novel Technologies to Optimize Pig Performance, Laurence Maignel, CCSI

• Keeping on top of new technologies is critical for businesses to remain competitive and profitable. What are the newest technologies that producers can expect to benefit from?

#### Pain control and enrichment: What's in it for producers?, Jennifer Brown, Prairie Swine Centre

• Changes to the Code for the Care and Handling of Pigs have resulted in a change of some onfarm management practices. How can producers maximize the benefit to their operations through these changes?

#### Pig Tales, Health from a Pig's Point of View, Leanne Van De Weyer and Dennis Stevenson, Zoetis

• Getting the most out of your vaccination and treatment protocols

#### Housing Density for Weaned Pigs, Ravneet Kaur, Prairie Swine Centre

• The current space allowance requirements are largely based on research performed on growerfinisher pigs. However, comparatively little is known on the effects of space allowance on nursery pigs. What have we found and what's the impact to producers?

#### Capturing Genetic Potential at Slat Level, Steffen Klenk, PIC Canada

• We have seen significant advancement recently in the productivity of modern genetics, both on maternal output and grow/finish efficiency. What has contributed to this steep improvement trend and what do we need to do as producers to capture the opportunity this provides?

#### 25 Years at PSC: How has the Pork Industry Benefited, TBD, Prairie Swine Centre

• In 2017 Prairie Swine Centre is celebrating 25 Years. We will take a walk through this period and examine the greatest accomplishments that benefits producers.

To register for this seminar, please contact: Phone- 1-800-661-1543 Email- erin.schinkel@genusplc.com





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