

# BC BROILER HATCHING EGG COMMISSION

# MARCH 2017 NEWSLETTER

## INDUSTRY STATISTICS

### Current Hatchability

83.28%

### Average Lay Cycle End

59 weeks 4 days

### Average Breeder Price

Female: \$9.30

Male: \$11.43

### 2017 Audit Stats

Premises to Audit: 72

Premises Completed: 2

Corrective Actions: 1

2016 Corrective Actions: 7

## BC POULTRY CONFERENCE

A final reminder to all Producers that the BC Poultry Conference is being held from today (March 1, 2016) to March 3, 2016 at the Sheraton Wall Centre in Vancouver. Producers are encouraged to attend the educational seminars as well as our Annual General Meeting. If you would like to register or view the Conference agenda please visit the address below. BCBHEC Staff will be in attendance.

<https://bt.conexsys.com/bcpoultry2017/default.htm>

## PUBLIC OUTREACH AT THE BCPC

Last year at the BC Poultry Conference the Poultry Industry ran a public outreach program in Downtown Vancouver. The program, with the help of Triple-O's, gave farmers and consumers a chance to interact. The program was so successful that we will be running it again this year. Producers are encouraged to volunteer their time to hand out breakfast sandwiches to consumers on Friday March 3, 2016. If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information please contact Sandra Jansen at

[association@bcbhec.com](mailto:association@bcbhec.com)

**Are you attending the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual BC Poultry Conference?**

## BC POULTRY SYMPOSIUM

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual BC Poultry Symposium is being held Thursday May 18, 2017 at the Quality Hotel & Conference Centre (formerly the Ramada) in Abbotsford. See the attached invitation for registration and event details.

Join us for  
breakfast and get  
to know your  
consumers at the  
BCPC Public  
Outreach Event!



### Pricing Orders

Period	Live Chicken	Hatching Eggs	Saleable Chicks	Day-Old Broiler Chicks
A-138	162.59¢/kg	528.51¢/doz	55.05¢/chick	73.98¢/chick
A-139	164.67¢/kg	530.79¢/doz	55.29¢/chick	74.22¢/chick
A-140	159.17¢/kg	518.25¢/doz	53.98¢/chick	72.91¢/chick
A-141	158.02¢/kg	518.58¢/doz	54.02¢/chick	72.95¢/chick
A-142	158.51¢/kg	528.73¢/doz	55.08¢/chick	74.01¢/chick

### Production Cycles

Period	Start Date	End Date
A-138	July 10, 2016	Sept. 3, 2016
A-139	Sept. 4, 2016	Oct. 29, 2016
A-140	Oct. 30, 2016	Dec. 24, 2016
A-141	Dec. 25, 2016	Feb. 18, 2017
A-142	Feb. 19, 2017	April 15, 2017
A-143	April 16, 2017	June 10, 2017
A-144	June 11, 2017	Aug. 5, 2017



# BCPS

**Discovery  
Innovation  
Solutions**

## ***BCPS - Discovery Innovation Solutions***

***Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup> 2017***

(Open To All Poultry Industry Stakeholders)

We are excited to announce the third annual **BC Poultry Symposium (BCPS)**. Producers, allied trades, service persons, nutritionists, poultry scientists, veterinarians and other industry professionals are invited and encouraged to attend this meeting.

*'Discovery, Innovation, Solutions'* will cover a large range of the most important issues facing the poultry industry today. The meeting agenda will allow for people to share their knowledge and experience regarding poultry health and management with the poultry industry in a presentation format.

Please find below your registration information as well as a call for presentations. This will be held at the Quality Hotel and Convention Centre at 36035 North Parallel Road in Abbotsford, BC. The registration fee for **BCPS-DIS** is \$10.50 (\$10.00 + \$0.50GST). A working lunch is sponsored for meeting attendees. We look forward to seeing you this May.

**To register please go to our website [www.canadianpoultry.ca](http://www.canadianpoultry.ca) and follow the BCPS link or please use the following direct link:**

<https://www.regonline.ca/BCPS-BCPoultrySymposium2017>

We would ask that you please register as soon as possible as spaces will fill up quickly. The registration deadline is April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Please also see the attached **"Request for Scientific Case Reports and Presentations"** at the bottom of this invite package.

### **LOCATION**

Quality Hotel & Conference Centre

36035 North Parallel Rd, Abbotsford, BC V3G 2C6

Pinnacle 2/3/4

Telephone: 1-888-411-1070

## REQUEST FOR SCIENTIFIC CASE REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS

BCPS would like to encourage you to submit a case report or presentation. Please e-mail [admin@canadianpoultry.ca](mailto:admin@canadianpoultry.ca) or call 1-877-449-3447 as soon as possible to have a case report or presentation slot reserved or please request a presentation slot online using the registration link above. Please also include the presentation title in your e-mail/phone call as soon as possible.

The case report/presentation time allotment is 15 minutes, however longer presentation times can be requested. There will be a 5 minute question period after each case report/presentation.

In order to have the program run as smoothly as possible we would ask that all presenters forward a copy of their PowerPoint presentation to [admin@canadianpoultry.ca](mailto:admin@canadianpoultry.ca) at their earliest convenience. If you are having any problems forwarding this by e-mail please contact 604-854-6600 and we can arrange for a secure file transfer.

Please provide us with an abstract suitable for publication on the BCPS website or permission to use your original presentation.

We look forward to seeing all of you in Abbotsford. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

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