



ATLANTIC SOCIETY OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
BIOLOGISTS

AGM Information

The 48th Annual Meeting
St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, Nova Scotia

October 26-27, 2011

Abstracts for Papers/Posters due **by October 10**;
please send abstracts to Mark Pulsifer at
pulsifmd@gov.ns.ca

Accommodations:

All accommodation choices are within a 5-10 minute walk of campus and the Charles V. Keating Conference Center.

To receive these rates reservations must be made **by October 15th**

Greenway Claymore Inn (www.claymoreinn.com)
137 Church Street, Antigonish, NS

Rate for double room: \$107.00 + tax/night. When booking state that you are with the ASFWS conference. **Please note that this is the venue for the Wednesday evening banquet and early registration.**

Contact Information: Tel: 902-863-1050
Email: greenway.inn@ns.sympatico.ca

Homeward Inns of Canada (www.homewardinnscanada.com)

41 James Street, Antigonish, NS

Rate for double room: \$89.95 + tax/night. When booking state that you are with the ASFWB conference.

Contact Information: Toll Free 1-800-251-0008/ Local 1-902-863-4212

Maritime Inns and Resorts (www.maritimeinns.com)

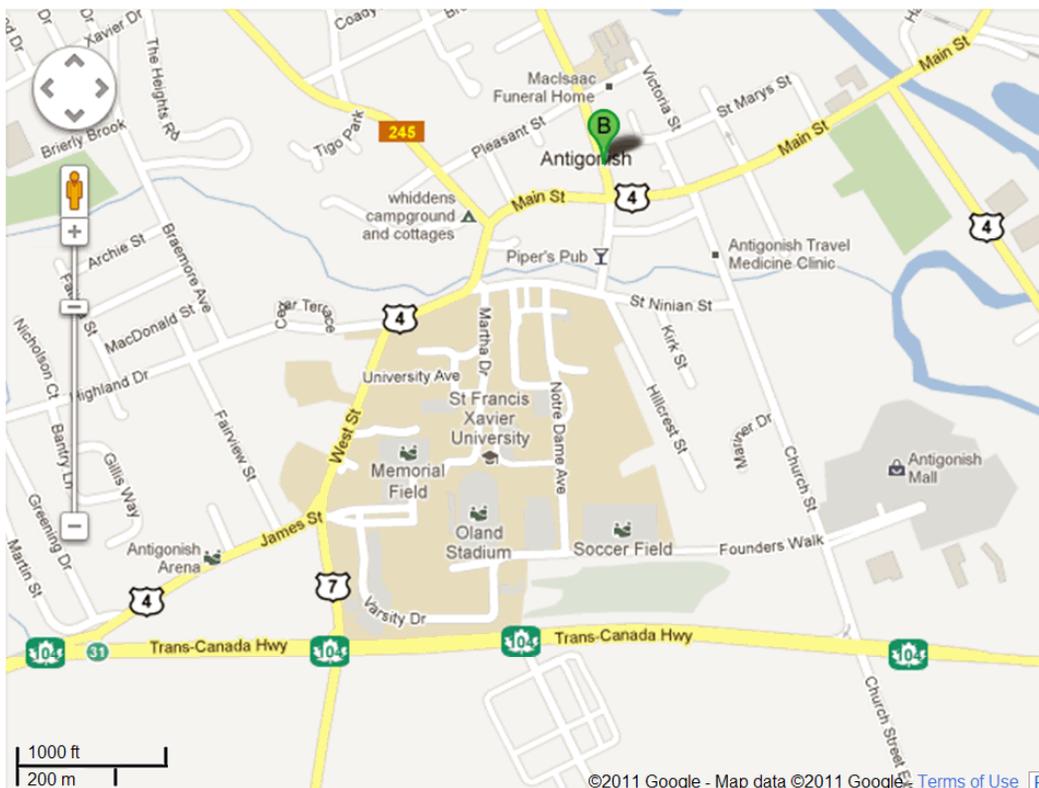
158 Main Street, Antigonish, NS

Rate for double room: \$119.00 + tax/night

Contact Information: antadmin@maritimeinns.com

Tel: Toll Free 1-888-662-7484/ Local 1-902-863-4001

How to get here:



For those who have not been to Antigonish before, St. Francis Xavier University is located adjacent to the TCH 104 between New Glasgow and the Canso Causeway. The map above shows the campus in relation to the general locations of the accommodation choices included here. The Greenway Claymore Inn is at the Antigonish Mall property, Homeward Inns in on James Street, and the Maritime Inn is on Main Street. All these locations can be found on the map.

Oral Presentations:

A schedule will be posted once finalized. Presentations will be 15 minutes in length, with 5 minutes extra for questions. Please put your Microsoft PowerPoint presentation on a compact disk or USB memory stick and give it to one of the meeting organizers before 9am or 1:00pm the day of your presentation (depending on the session in which you present). Presenters using slides or overheads need to inform us well in advance.

Poster Presentations:

Posters and displays will be displayed at the meeting. Please bring items to hang or mount your poster if possible.

*****New CASH awards of \$200, \$100, & \$50 are available for the TOP THREE student presentations! *****

Registration:

The registration cost will be **\$40 for non-students**, and **\$20 for students**. Registration will begin on Tuesday night (October 25th) at the Greenway Claymore Inn from 7-10 pm. Participants may also register before the meetings begin on October 26 at the Charles V. Keating Conference Center on campus.

The registration fee includes nutrition breaks, refreshments and lunch on Wednesday (soup, salad, sandwiches, sweets and tea/coffee) and Thursday (pizza, salad, sweets, and tea/coffee).

Banquet:

The annual banquet will be held on Wednesday night (October 26) from 7-10 pm at the Greenway Claymore Inn

The banquet cost is **\$40 for non-students** and **\$30 for students**. The banquet meal is a roast turkey dinner with rolls, green salad, potato and vegetables,

dessert, coffee and tea. There is a stir fry option for vegetarians. You must purchase tickets during registration. A cash bar will be available.

Please notify the conference coordinator of your intention to attend the banquet or not, and your preferred meal choice no later than Wednesday October 19th.

Silent Auction

Our annual silent auction will also be held during the banquet in order to raise funds to support the Scholarship Program. Please bring to the banquet any items you believe people would like to bid on. This event is a lot of fun and we usually raise a considerable amount each year.

On behalf of the ASFWB executive we are looking forward to seeing you there.