



**Medicine Hat Branch  
Mary Ann Byrd, P. Eng.  
Branch Chair  
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***BRANCH ACTIVITY REPORT TO COUNCIL, November 2002.***

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It has once again been a busy and successful year for the Medicine Hat branch. We have seen the successful implementation of new activities in the branch and have held several joint liaison activities helping to ease the workload for our executive members. We look forward to another year of activity in the region and anticipate lots of change within the executive membership as this completes the second year of service in our two-year commitment to holding a branch executive position.

***Branch Activities:***

- The Teacher Award recognition dinner for our area is taking place on Saturday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>. The late date for the celebration due to scheduling conflicts of those participating.
- The Medicine Hat Branch co-hosted a Family Science Olympics with Praxis at Medicine Hat High School on Saturday, Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> as part of NS&TW 2002. The event was a success with over 125 people participating. APEGGA provided some of the prizes. An APEGGA booth was also set-up and manned to promote career choices in engineering and the geosciences. Photographs from the event are being added to the branch web site.
- A plant tour of Wittke Waste Management facilities was held jointly with ASET on held October 23<sup>rd</sup>. As the number of participants was limited to 20 and the event was quite popular, a second tour is being scheduled. A date at this time has not been confirmed.

***Upcoming Activities:***

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- A branch executive meeting is scheduled for November 25<sup>th</sup> to plan for the president's visit, NEW 2003 and the Branch AGM.
- The final activity for 2002 will be a presentation by Dr. David Irvine-Halliday, P. Eng. of the Light Up the World Foundation, scheduled for December 9<sup>th</sup>. In keeping with the spirit of the season, our notice to members will include a food bank donation request.