

# Manitoba Beef Producers' 47<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting Agenda

## Day One – Wednesday, February 11, 2026

**2:00** Delegate registration opens (coffee service, trade show open)

**2:30 – 4:30 Concurrent Industry Knowledge Sessions**

- Two one-hour calving workshops with Dr. Allison Pylypjuk of the Beausejour Animal Hospital and *Clover*, the life-size calving simulator
- Dr. Mary-Jane Orr from Manitoba Beef & Forage Initiatives will do updates on MBFI's research projects

**4:30 to 8:30 Beverages, Bites and Networking with Trade Show Exhibitors and Delegates**

- This is your chance to network with exhibitors and delegates, and MBP food expert Anna Hymers will be available to answer your beef cooking questions.

## Day Two – Thursday, February 12, 2026

**8:00 – 9:00** Coffee service, trade show opens, delegate registration

**9:00 -- 9:45** Keynote speaker

- Brett Gardiner, western sports announcer, broadcaster, speaker and advocate  
<https://www.brettgardiner.com/>

**9:45 – 10:15** Coffee Break and Opportunity to Visit Trade Show

**10:15 – 11:20** Roundtable Updates and Q&A With National Beef Organizations

- Canada Beef – Gina Teel, Director, Stakeholder Communications
- National Cattle Feeders' Association – Jon Vaags, MBP rep to NCFA's board of directors
- Canadian Cattle Association – Dennis Laycraft, Executive Vice-President

**11:20 – 12:00** Market Update

- Canfax – Brenna Grant, Executive Director

**12:00** Lunch

**12:45** Screening of *Homes on the Range* video

### Manitoba Beef Producers Annual General Meeting

**1:00 – 1:10** MBP General Manager Carson Callum calls AGM to order

**1:10 – 1:30** Greetings from Elected Officials

- Hon. Heath MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food
- Hon. Ron Kostyshyn, Minister of Agriculture
- Obby Khan, Leader of the Official Opposition

**1:40 – 2:25** Business Portion of the Annual General Meeting

- Approval of Agenda
- Report from the President

- Report from the General Manager
- Report from the Finance Chair
  - Review of MBP's audited financial statement
  - Appointment of MBP auditor for the upcoming fiscal year
- Introduction and ratification of MBP directors

- 2:25 – 2:50**      Industry Updates
- Beef Code of Practice
  - Livestock inspection services
  - Traceability and movement reporting
- 2:50 – 3:20**      Coffee break and opportunity to visit trade show
- 3:20 – 3:45**      Resolutions Debate
- 3:45 – 4:30**      Virtual Guest Speaker – Topic: Investing In Yourself
- John Haskell of Ranch Right LLC, and the Ranchonomics podcast
- 4:45**              Cocktail Hour
- 5:45**              MBP President's Dinner
- A. Opening Remarks from the MBP President
  - B. Dinner and dessert
  - C. Greetings from Premier Wab Kinew
  - D. Presentation of Manitoba's Environmental Stewardship Award (TESA)
  - E. Recognition of retiring directors Mike Duguid, District 10 and Mark Good, District 12
  - F. Recognition of special guest
- 7:30 to 9:00**      Mix and Mingle
- Wind up the evening mixing and mingling with your fellow delegates.