



Schedule at a Glance

Friday, April 19, 2024	
5:30 pm to 9:00 pm	Welcome Night and Reception
6:00 pm doors open 7:00 pm films begin	Banff Mountain Film Festival Presented by the Badlands Amphitheatre, showing at the Napier Theater (discounted tickets had to be pre-purchased by April 12 th)
Saturday, April 20, 2024	
8:30 am	Opening Ceremonies
9:00 am	Dawn Wambold, University of Alberta <i>The Search for the Métis in Southern Alberta</i>
9:30 am	Sean Pickering, Bison Historical Services Ltd. <i>Meanwhile Back at the Ranche: Recent Archaeological Investigations at the Cochrane Ranche Site</i>
10:00 am	Keren Giering, Royal Alberta Museum <i>Havens to Horseshoes: Highlights of Recent Field Work at Writing-on-Stone/Áísínai'pi</i>
10:30 am	15-minute Coffee Break
10:45 am	Dale Boland and Laureen Bryant, Stantec & Calgary Parks <i>Stirring Up Memories: An examination of foodways at the Chinese Market Gardens in Calgary's Inglewood Bird Sanctuary</i>
11:15 am	Peter Dawson, University of Calgary <i>"Undeniably, We Lived in Fear": The Importance of Digitally Preserving Alberta's Surviving Indian Residential School Buildings</i>
11:45 am	75-minute Lunch Break
1:00 pm	Sheila McDonald, Archaeological Survey of Alberta <i>The Evolution of Archaeological Site Data in Alberta</i>
1:30 pm	Larissa Lazette, University of Calgary <i>An Investigation into Manifestations of Food Stress Among the Blackfoot People (1790-1890)</i>
2:00 pm	Josh Read, Stantec <i>The Things We Cannot See: An Overview of Excavations at EgPo-161</i>
2:30 pm	15-minute Coffee Break
2:45 pm	Patrick J. Rennie, Montana <i>Little Prickly Pear Canyon and Its Role In Obsidian Dissemination</i>
3:15 pm	Dean Wetzel, Alberta <i>New reflections on Lodge Burials, Subgroup 4 Medicine Wheels and Sites with Many (100+) Small Cairns</i>
3:45 pm	15-minute Coffee Break
4:00 pm	Archaeological Society of Alberta Annual General Meeting
5:30 pm	Reception / Open Poster Session
6:00 pm	Banquet and Silent Auction Closes
7:00 pm	Heinz Pyszczyk <i>Beckoning the Horn of the Ram: Perceptions of Space by an 18th Century Trader and a Siksika Chief.</i>



Sunday, April 21, 2024

9:00 am	<i>North Field Trip</i> – Includes a trip to Rumsey Medicine Wheel and Effigy, Tolman Bridge, and Dry Island Buffalo Jump.
9:00 am	<i>South Field Trip</i> - Includes visiting the Atlas Coal Mine and various effigies.