



September 17th-19th • 2009

POND BOSS

CONFERENCE & EXPO

Big Cedar® Lodge • Missouri

*Your path to the
perfect pond*



 **BIG CEDAR**[®]
America's Premier Wilderness Resort
Image of The Falls Lodge

Why should you attend the 2009 Pond Boss Conference?

“Want to know everything about your pond? Its water, its plants, its fish? **Come to the Pond Boss III Conference & Expo.** It’s not a boring set of lectures. It’s an energetic family reunion of experts and pond owners getting their hands wet, touching, feeling and enjoying the thrill of those living breathing wet spots we all love.

It’s learning at its finest. See how an electrofishing boat works. Understand how the underwater community of your pond works. See aeration and fountains with your best friends. Learn the plants and animals. Learn how to tie a fly and cast to the waiting mouth of a giant fish. And do all these things in the fairy tale setting of Big Cedar® Lodge, nestled in the Ozark Mountains of Missouri. **Register now! It will sell out. See you there!”**

- Bob Lusk, Editor & Publisher
Pond Boss Magazine

A picture-perfect setting for you and your family

Big Cedar® Lodge, a Bass Pro Shops property, is located just 10 miles south of Branson, Missouri on Table Rock Lake. This popular vacation paradise offers outstanding conference facilities, cozy accommodations, delicious dining and first-class service. Guests enjoy amenities typical of a luxury resort, yet this wilderness lodge is anything but typical. From the range of tastefully appointed lodging options to on-site activities for the entire family, Big Cedar® offers the perfect setting and services for the 2009 Pond Boss Conference... and perhaps your next family vacation! To learn more visit www.big-cedar.com. **Note: Conference attendees will enjoy discounted rates on Big Cedar® lodging. Call Big Cedar® directly at 417-335-2777 or 800-225-6343 (select option 2) and ask for the Pond Boss Conference group rates.**

A program you’ll enjoy... information you’ll use

Thursday September 17, 2009

1:00 - 5:00 pm	Fishing Tournament - Call 800-687-6075 to register
2:00 - 5:00 pm	Conference Registration
3:00 pm and after	Hotel Check-in
6:00 - 10:00 pm	Ice-Breaker, Poolside (<i>Light hors d'oeuvres and cash bar</i>)
7:30 - 8:30 pm	Speakers' Dinner (<i>All invited, sign up early, limit 48, ticketed, see registration form</i>)

Friday September 18, 2009

8:00 am	Registration and Expo Opens
9:00 - 10:30 am	Session I - The Nuances of Ponds
10:30 - 10:45 am	Break
10:45 - Noon	Session II - Practical Pond Management
Noon - 1:30 pm	Walking-Talking Lunch in Expo
1:30 - 2:45 pm	Session III - What's New?
2:45 - 3:00 pm	Break
3:00 - 5:00 pm	Outside to the Pond! Hands-on!
7:30 - 9:00 pm	Dinner on the Lawn (<i>Ticketed, see registration form</i>)
9:00 - 10:30 pm	Small groups in Conference Center Foyer or your Lodge

Saturday September 19, 2009

8:00 am	Expo Opens
9:00 - 10:30 am	Panel Discussion & Questions - The pros evaluate Friday's data
10:30 - 10:45 am	Break
10:45 - Noon	Workshops - Aquatic Vegetation; Pond Building; Habitat Management
Noon - 1:00 pm	Box Lunch in Expo (<i>Ticketed, see registration form</i>)
1:00 - 2:45 pm	Session IV - Do-It-Yourself Pond Management
2:45 - 3:00 pm	Break
3:00 - 5:00 pm	Hands-on! Inside
7:30 - 9:00 pm	Banquet (<i>Ticketed, see registration form</i>)

Fantastic planned activities for spouses! Call us at 800-687-6075 to learn more.



Register today!

Call 1-800-687-6075, visit www.pondboss.com or mail (or fax) us the attached attendee registration form.



September 17-19, 2009 • Big Cedar® Lodge • Missouri
 2009 POND BOSS III Conference Attendee Registration Form

We're looking forward to seeing you at the 2009 Pond Boss III Conference & Expo!
 Register in one of the following ways:

1. Complete this form and mail with payment to Pond Boss, P.O. Box 12, Sadler, TX 76264
2. Complete form and FAX with credit card payment information to 903-564-5173
3. Call us at 1-800-687-6075

NOTE: One registration form per attendee. Copy this form as needed. Make checks payable to Pond Boss. All registrations received on or before August 17, 2009 will receive written confirmation.

Registrant Please PRINT information as you want it to appear on name badge and attendee list.

Name: _____ Date _____ Phone (____) _____
 Spouse Name: _____ Cell (____) _____
 Address: _____ FAX (____) _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ First time attendee? Yes No
 E-Mail: _____ Confirmation preference: Mail Email

Conference Registration Registration includes all program sessions and workshops, Expo, Ice-Breaker on Thursday and Walking-Talking Lunch on Friday.

Description	By 7-17-09	After 7-17-09	Price
Single attendee	\$150.00	\$175.00	\$ _____
Couple (Attendee & spouse)	\$200.00	\$225.00	\$ _____
Senior Single (62 yr. and over)	\$135.00	\$160.00	\$ _____
Senior Couple (62 yr. and over)	\$180.00	\$205.00	\$ _____
Student	\$40.00	\$65.00	\$ _____
Single day registration	Call for rates	Call for rates	\$ _____

Meals Per person price includes tax and gratuity

Description	Per person	# meals	Price
Thursday Speakers' Dinner Meet and dine with the speakers	\$45.00	X _____	\$ _____
Friday Breakfast Scrumptious full hot breakfast buffet	\$17.00	X _____	\$ _____
Continental breakfast only	\$13.00	X _____	\$ _____
Friday Dinner on the Lawn A fun and festive outdoor BBQ picnic	\$48.00	X _____	\$ _____
Saturday Breakfast Scrumptious full hot breakfast buffet	\$17.00	X _____	\$ _____
Continental breakfast only	\$13.00	X _____	\$ _____
Saturday Box Lunch Enjoy a tasty lunch at the Expo	\$18.00	X _____	\$ _____
Saturday Banquet South of the border Tex-Mex buffet	\$45.00	X _____	\$ _____
Pond Boss Conference T-Shirt Shirts will be delivered at the Conference Include quantity desired for each size __S __M __L __XL __XXL	\$15.00 ea	X _____ shirts	\$ _____
TOTAL			\$ _____

Payment Method Check Enclosed Visa MasterCard

Name on card _____
 Card # _____
 Card Expires _____ Today's Date _____
 Signature _____

Conference Lodging

Pond Boss Conference attendees will enjoy discounted rates on a range of beautiful Big Cedar® accommodations. Rates range from \$166 to \$261 per night and include Knotty Pine Cottages and beautiful rooms in the Valley View, Spring View, and Falls Lodge facilities.

Call Big Cedar® directly and ask for Pond Boss group rates.

417-335-2777 or

800-225-6343 (Select Option 2)

Reservations MUST be received by Big Cedar® no later than August 17, 2009.



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Activities...Unlimited!

Big Cedar® Lodge offers a wide variety of complimentary activities for you and your family to enjoy. Relax by one of the pools, workout in the fitness center, enjoy tennis, horseshoes, miniature golf, nature and jogging trails, garden tours, canoes and paddleboats... the list goes on. **Big Cedar** also offers Cedar Mountain Stables, Top of the Rock Golf Course, Dogwood Canyon Nature Park activities, spa services, boat and fishing equipment rentals, professional guide services, kayaking, Kid's Club activities and much more. **For rates and information, visit www.big-cedar.com.**

Just 10 miles from **Big Cedar**, you'll find Branson, Missouri. A world-class vacation destination, Branson offers 52 live performance theaters, three pristine lakes, 12 championship golf courses, an international award-winning theme park, dozens of attractions and museums, shopping galore and a full range of dining and lodging options. For more information on Branson, contact the Branson Lakes Area Chamber of Commerce and CVB at 800-296-0463 or www.explorebranson.com.



Air Transportation

Branson is currently served by the **Springfield-Branson National Airport**, located approximately 43 miles from Branson in Springfield, Missouri. In May 2009, the region will welcome the opening of the NEW **Branson Airport**, located approximately 8 miles south of Branson.

Springfield-Branson Airport

5000 W. Kearney Street, Springfield, MO 65803
Phone: 417-869-0300 • Fax: 417-869-1031
www.flyspringfield.com

Branson Airport (Opening May 2009)

Branson Creek Drive, Hollister, MO 65673
Phone: 417-334-7813
www.flybranson.com

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation of Pond Boss III Conference & Expo registration (including meals & other fees) MUST be received in writing. Cancellations received by August 17, 2009 will receive a refund of all fees paid, less a \$20.00 processing fee. NO REFUNDS for cancellations received after August 17, 2009.

*Don't miss this opportunity to learn
about all things "pond" and enjoy
fun, food, fellowship (and maybe a little fishin')
in the process!*

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