

Canadian Baseball History Conference 2017

Schedule

Saturday, November 18th

- 8:00 – 9:00 Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 – 9:15 Welcome and Special Announcement
- 9:15 – 9:45 Stephen Dame: [Batted Balls and Bayonets: Baseball and the Canadian Expeditionary Force 1914-1918](#)
- 9:45 – 10:15 Miriam Wright, Heidi Jacobs, Dave Johnston: [Researching Early Canadian Baseball: "Boomer" Harding & the Chatham Coloured All-Stars](#)
- 10:15 – 10:30 Break
- 10:30 – 11:00 David Matchett: [What is a Canadian?](#)
- 11:00 – 12:00 Panel discussion: [What is a Canadian?](#)
Panelists: Bill Humber, Scott Crawford (for Larry Millson)
Moderator: David Matchett
- 12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 – 1:30 Bill Humber: [Canadians Inventing Baseball: Port Hope's Bob Addy](#)
- 1:30 – 2:00 Fred Toulch: [Montreal Royals Vignettes](#)
- 2:00 – 3:00 Michael Murray: [Canadian Baseball: A Pictorial Quiz](#) (Answers [here.](#))
- 3:00 – 3:15 Break
- 3:15 – 3:45 Jerry Amernic: [Babe Ruth's Canadian Connections](#)
- 3:45 – 4:30 Robert K. Barney and Barbara Weis: [A Further Nail in the Coffin of the Doubleday Myth: Johann Christoff Friedrich Guts Muths and the Diffusion of 'Base-Ball' to Europe, pre-1796](#)



Sunday, November 19th

8:00 – 9:00 Breakfast and chit-chat

9:00 – 9:30 John Cairney: **A brief history of the 3-pitch inning in Major League Baseball**

9:30 – 10:00 Bill Young: **Redemption: Baseball's Mexican Jumpers, Quebec and the Reserve Clause**

10:00 – 10:30 Chip Martin: **The Winning Ways of William Watkins**

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45 – 11:15 Martin Lacoste: **The Drive of '85 - The 1885 Canadian League**

11:15 – 12:15 Warren Campbell: **Baseball and Entertainment**