



## **ONTARIO GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION OFFERS ITS AWARD-WINNING SNOW SCHOOL.**

*Maintenance professionals brush-up on their skills as they get winter ready to serve municipalities and battle the elements.*

**Oakville, ON, September 9, 2019** – The Ontario Good Roads Association is offering its renowned Snow School program to operations professionals from all over Ontario. “The leaves are starting to fall and the snowflakes will not be far behind. At OGRA we are well known for our Snow School, the program has won an educational and training award from the Transportation Association of Canada.” said Joe Tiernay, Executive Director, Ontario Good Roads Association.

Snow School provides mechanics, technicians and contractors with a working knowledge of modern solutions to common equipment problems, as well as snow and ice management strategies and materials. “Our Snow School is taught by volunteer industry experts who provide students with theoretical and practical knowledge to apply while on the roads.” continued Tiernay.

“This course is hands on and recognized by The Ontario Association of Certified Engineering Technicians and Technologists (OACETT) and Association of Roads Supervisors (AORS). We’ve been running Snow School for the past 12 years, and this year we have more than 150 people registered to attend. Attendees will be coming from all over the province to hone their skills in winter road maintenance.” commented Rick Kester, President, Ontario Good Roads Association.

Snow School explores topics such as snow and ice control techniques, materials, and plowing techniques. To register or learn more about Snow School, visit [www.ogra.org](http://www.ogra.org)

### **Details:**

**When:** Monday, September 16 8am – 4pm

**Where:** Nottawasaga Inn Resort  
6015 Highway 89  
Alliston, ON

### **About Ontario Good Roads Association**

The Ontario Good Roads Association (OGRA) was founded in 1894 and based out of Oakville, Ontario. OGRA is governed by 16 board members with 17 staff supporting its membership. The mandate of the Ontario Good Roads Association is to advance the infrastructure and transportation interests of its members through training, advocacy and services. OGRA currently has more than 440 members, which includes corporations, municipalities, and First Nations. For more information visit [www.ogra.ca](http://www.ogra.ca)

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