

Bathurst

4th Poverty Summit An Economy for Everyone!

Wednesday, October 17, 2012



**Knights of Columbus Hall
(near the Cathedral)**

**355 Douglas Avenue
Bathurst, NB**

Organized by the N.B. Common Front
for Social Justice Inc.

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Objectives of the Summit

- 1 – To understand how economic decisions affect people living in poverty;
- 2 – To analyze the impacts of the growing income gap between the rich and the poor;
- 3 - To create an opportunity where participants can propose solutions that would reduce poverty.

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9:00 a.m. **Registration**

10:00 a.m. **Opening**

10:45 a.m. **Political Trivthon I**
Quiz on topics to be addressed by the speakers.

11:00 a.m. **New Brunswick's
Economy for Whom?**
Speaker: Raymond Léger,
historian and researcher.

Questions/Comments

Noon **Lunch**
Time to network

1:30 p.m. **Political Trivthon II**

Simultaneous interpretation available

1:45 p.m. **The poverty situation before and during the “Equal Opportunity for All” of the Robichaud-Hatfield era as well as presently.**
Speaker: Denis Doucet,
lecturer at Université de Moncton and Social Worker.

Questions/Comments

2:30 p.m. **Nutrition Break**

2:45 p.m. **Political Trivthon III**

3:00 p.m. **Increasing income inequalities in our society — what needs to be done?**
Speaker: Anne-Marie Gammon, social activist and City Councillor.

3:30 p.m. **Open microphone**
What actions can we take to reduce income inequalities?

4:30 p.m. **Closing remarks**

Registration fee

\$20 (including lunch)

Free for people living in a poverty situation

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