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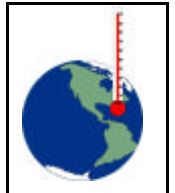
Historical Climatologist

# Whither the Weather?

## Global Cooling and Canadian Agriculture



Tim Ball would not speak publicly about global climate change if the differences were small, that is academic. To him, academic has come to mean irrelevant to the real world. The actual differences between what the government and many others are putting out and the known science are huge. How can governments say they know what is happening and will happen with global climate when they essentially ignore the sun, the sole source of energy for the atmosphere and water vapour that is 97% of the greenhouse gases? All the 'predictions' of global warming are based on computer models that we know don't work to a great extent because they cannot include the effect of clouds that are a function of the amount of water vapour in the atmosphere. The entire focus is on warming, but evidence suggests we are heading for cooling, a much greater threat to Canadian



agriculture. For agriculture it is equally important to know what will happen with precipitation but only vague comments are made about precipitation such as the threat of more severe droughts on the Prairies. Again we hear nothing about precipitation because it requires the ability to deal with water vapour. It is like examining a tractor that is running poorly and ignoring the engine and the transmission and looking at one wheel nut on the right rear wheel. Join us for another provocative lunch on climate change to mark the coolest year in Winnipeg's recorded history. Seating is limited and the price includes lunch. Please reserve your seat now.

**Tim Ball** has an extensive science background in climatology, especially the reconstruction of past climates and the impact of climate change on human history and the human condition with additional experience in water resources and areas of sustainable development, pollution prevention, environmental regulations, the impact of government policy on business and economics. He is a regular contributing writer for Country Guide Magazine and a researcher/author of numerous papers on climate, long range weather patterns, impacts of climate change on sustainable agriculture, ecosystems, historical climatology, air quality, untapped energy resources, silting and flooding problems.. He had a long academic career at the University of Winnipeg until he moved to Victoria in 1996. He has a BA from the University of Winnipeg, an MA from the University of Manitoba and a PH.D (Doctor of Science) from the University of London England.

**Time:** Friday, November 5, 11:45 a.m. **Place:** Millenium Suite, Winnipeg Convention Centre

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