

# TURTLECONCEPTS

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**CANAB**

**2008**

MODEL PACKAGE

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## Model Application Form

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### Personal Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Ontario Health Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

First Nation Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Pant/Waist Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Shoe Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Workshop Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Where/When: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Additional Information

Are you currently enrolled in school?

Elementary/Secondary/Post Secondary (please list, but be aware that it is not mandatory)

Do you have a letter from your school allowing you to be absent (**November 2008**) based on your grades and attendance?

Do you have a chaperone for the event? (if under 18)

Do you have the money to cover your travel, rooms, meals and incidentals?

Do you have the money to cover the mandatory fees listed on the next page?

Do you agree to sign a contract of responsibility outlining your duties/roles/obligations during your time representing Turtle Concepts?

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### **ALL MODELS FOR CANAB MUST HAVE COMPLETED A TC WORKSHOP**

All applicants must send in a recent photo and two reference letters (one from school; the other from a local community member) with their application by **Friday November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2008** to be considered.

**ABSOLUTELY NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED**



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## Model Participation Contract for CANAB 2008

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\* This is a mandatory contract all models must sign in order to participate

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby agree to voluntarily participate in the Canadian Aboriginal Festival 2007, as well as the Aboriginal Music Awards under the direction of Turtle Concepts. I am aware and fully understand that the dates for the Festival are **November 28<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008** and the Canadian Aboriginal Music Awards (CAMA) are on the evening of **Friday, November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2008**.

Travel dates are suggested for **Wednesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008** to ensure I can attend the meeting on **Thursday, November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2008 for 6:00 PM** at the Rogers Centre (formally known as the Skydome) in the Renaissance hotel lobby and mandatory travel is for **Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008** to ensure safe journeys home.

As an invited model, I am aware and accept that I may be referred to as a "Turtle" or "TC Model" and will represent Turtle Concepts to the best of my ability. I agree to participate fully with all press-related events and be a good spokesperson. I am aware and accept that this event will differ from the workshops I have participated in with Turtle Concepts.

ALTHOUGH TURTLE CONCEPTS ACTIVELY PROMOTES "INCREASING SELF-ESTEEM" DURING ITS WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS, THIS EVENT IS NOT SOLELY FOR THAT PURPOSE.

I am aware:

- Of the responsibility and the "job" that I have been asked to do
- My conduct needs to be extremely professional at ALL TIMES (INCLUDING AFTER HOURS)
- That it is my responsibility to be "up on time" and be at the locations assigned
- That the "uniform" is to be worn at all times unless otherwise advised
- That "free time" will be announced and only then will I be able to have a break
- That "healthy meals" should be eaten to ensure positive energy
- That TC has a "no Turtle Connections" rule, meaning you are not to exchange any personal information (including: e-mail(s), phone number(s), etc.) with other Turtles and/or fashion pavilion audience members. Also, I respect that this rule applies due to situations from previous years.

I am aware of the magnitude of this opportunity as I have been chosen from all of the youth of Canada and those who have participated in a Turtle Concepts related event. If I should begin to pose a problem for any of the Turtle Directors or Dave Jones, I understand that a ZERO TOLERANCE RULE WILL APPLY and I will be asked to return to my home/community without confrontation or to not participate if my behaviour is deemed inappropriate.

I agree to be a team player throughout the aforementioned dates, and agree to have a whole lot of fun for the benefit of all the Turtles attending. I am fully aware that my conduct can and will affect the remainder of the Turtle Team and I will maintain a positive outlook without forgetting that I am only human.

I have reviewed and agree to the terms of this contract, and respectfully sign as my intention and commitment to adhere to this contract in its totality.

I have reviewed and fully understand and agree to these terms and am fully aware that Turtle Concepts accepts no responsibilities for any injuries, damages or libelous claims while at this event. It is the sole responsibility of the signed individual in the event of an accident.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant Signature  
Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Print Name

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Print Name

# TURTLECONCEPTS

## Female Model Checklist

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Throughout the weekend, each participant will be representing themselves, their families, their First Nation, their culture and Turtle Concepts. This is important to remember because you will be a **ROLE MODEL** for the weekend. This will be TC's 12<sup>th</sup> year participating in this event and we have found the following items are essential to the event. Models will be expected to have these items in order to be in uniform with all other models and ensure the proper fit of the garments.

### PRE CANAB:

- Funds secured for CANAB
- Application filled out and sent to Turtle Concepts (application, reference letters & photo)
- Start exercising! Anything to firm up (sit ups, push ups, lunges, jogging, etc)
- Drink lots of water (8 glasses daily recommended)

### AT CANAB HAVE:

- Stiletto shoes of your own (we provide shoes for shows - \$45 rental fee)
- Black comfortable dress shoes (to be worn as uniform outside of shows)
- Acrylic nails (done before or after arrival in Toronto – you can also purchase press-on's)
- Fake eyelashes
- 2-5 pairs of nude underwear thongs (for senior models)
- 1 nude 5 way bra (or just strapless)
- Black dress pants or skirt (properly hemmed)
- Black dress shirt/turtle neck
- 2-5 pairs of black socks
- 2 pairs of nylons (1 black, 1 nude)
- No Hickies!
- TC t-shirt (mandatory \$25 fee)
- Basic black t-shirt
- Blue jeans
- Personal hygiene items (toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, tampons, soap, face wash, shampoo, conditioner, etc)
- Razor and shave gel or Nair (for senior models)
- Mousse for long hair

Your uniform for the weekend will be black pants, shoes, TC t-shirt with the logo: "Confidence it's coming". This is what you are to wear everyday unless otherwise advised. It's important to remember you will be away from home for at least 4 days... be sure to pack enough undergarments, socks, pants and shirts to last you that long. There are no washer and dryers! **NO LOGOS ON ANYTHING UNIFORM**

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## Male Model Checklist

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Throughout the weekend, each participant will be representing themselves, their families, their First Nation, their culture and Turtle Concepts. This is important to remember because you will be a **ROLE MODEL** for the weekend. This will be TC's 11<sup>th</sup> year participating in this event and we have found the following items are essential to the event. Models will be expected to have these items in order to be in uniform with all other models and ensure the proper fit of the garments.

### PRE CANAB:

- Funds secured for CANAB
- Application filled out and sent to Turtle Concepts (application, reference letters & photo)
- Start exercising! Anything to firm up (sit ups, push ups, lunges, jogging, etc)
- Drink lots of water (8 glasses daily recommended)
- Eat & Stay Healthy

### AT CANAB HAVE:

- Black dress shoes
- Black dress pants
- Black dress shirt/turtleneck
- Basic black t-shirt
- Blue jeans
- 5 pairs of black socks
- Robe (mandatory \$65 fee)
- TC t-shirt (mandatory \$25 fee)
- No facial hair
- Personal hygiene items (toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, soap, face wash, shampoo, conditioner, etc)
- Razor and shave gel (for senior models)
- Mousse for long hair

Your uniform for the weekend will be black pants, shoes, TC t-shirt with the logo: "Confidence it's coming". This is what you are to wear everyday unless otherwise advised. It's important to remember you will be away from home for at least 4 days... be sure to pack enough undergarments, socks, pants and shirts to last you that long. There are no washer and dryers! **NO LOGOS ON ANYTHING UNIFORM**

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## Financial Planner

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I. Mandatory Non-Refundable fees per participant payable to Turtle Concepts by **November 2008**

		Female	Male
Organizational Fee		100.00	100.00
Make Up	(Female \$25 x 3 days; Males \$10 x 3 days)	75.00	30.00
Hair	(Female \$25 x 3 days; Males \$10 x 3 days)	75.00	30.00
T-shirt		25.00	25.00
Shoes	(\$15 x 3 days – Rental)	45.00	
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$320.00</b>	<b>\$185.00</b>

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2. Estimated costs per participant when seeking sponsorship for attendance

Chaperones are responsible to make necessary arrangements and to handle all participant(s) monies.

Meals	(\$50.00 x 5 days)		250.00
Incidentals	(\$15.00 x 5 days)		75.00
Accommodations	(secured by chaperone/model)		
	<b>Total:</b>		<b>\$325.00</b>

NOTE: Book rooms at the hotel of your choice. Tell them you are a participant at the Canadian Aboriginal Festival for a potential discount. ROOM SHARING IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED TO CUT COSTS.

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3. Travel Costs per participant paid by model/sponsor

Sponsor Donation \_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsor Donation \_\_\_\_\_

**Total:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Add totals of all 3 sections together**

**Grand Total:** \$

**NOTE:** Turtle Concepts is NOT responsible for handling any participant's monies for rooms, meals or incidentals. Models must secure rooms with their own credit cards (or parents/guardians).

**NOTE:** Chaperones/Models are responsible for making all necessary arrangements for travel, accommodations, meals, incidentals, etc.