

5th Annual Manitoba Business Adventurers' Banquet



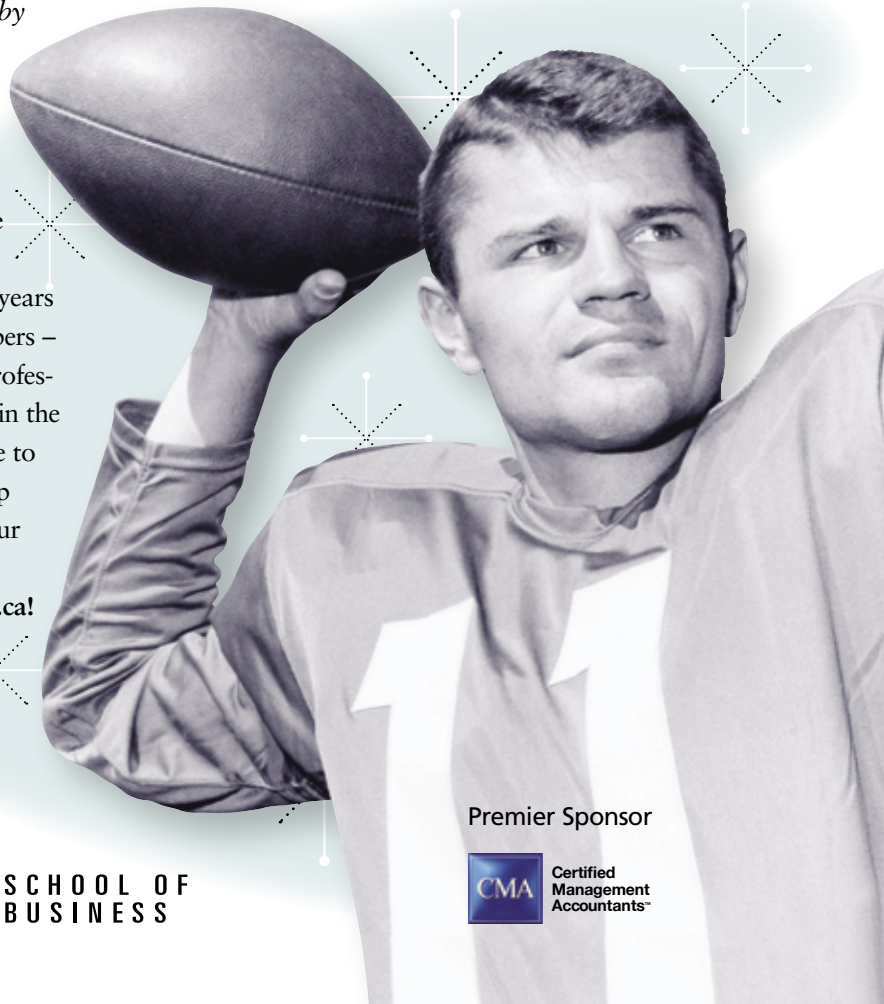
Mark Saturday, April 17, on your calendars, and be ready to "replay" 1960 and the glory years of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers!

As 2010 is Manitoba's Homecoming year, this edition of the Adventurers' Banquet will salute one of our most recognized community institutions – the Winnipeg Blue Bombers.

*The Bombers, whose origins date back to 1880, were officially born as the **Winnipegs** in 1930! The **Winnipegs** won their first **Grey Cup** in 1935, and the following year acquired their present name – **Blue Bombers** – following a triumphant match against the University of North Dakota. Fueled by the exciting play of quarterback Jack Jacobs, the team's growing popularity was rewarded in 1954 by a move into a new home – today's **Canad Inns Stadium**. **Bud Grant** joined the team as a player in 1953, becoming its head coach in 1957. During **Grant's** coaching tenure the Bombers were regulars in the **Grey Cup** final between 1958 and 1962. The glory years, as they are often called, were made possible by the likes of **Kenny Ploen, Ernie Pitts, Leo Lewis and Ed Kotowich.***

This year's Banquet will go back to the height of the Glory Years – 1960 – to recognize and celebrate 80 years of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers – both as a ballclub, and a professional enterprise. Plan to join the celebration. It's your chance to

see the Grey Cup up close, so reserve your space early through [aspermba@umanitoba.ca!](mailto:aspermba@umanitoba.ca)



Saturday, April 17, 2010

6:00 pm – Reception

7:00 pm – Dinner

Guest Appearances – the Grey Cup and other notables

**Grand Ballroom
Fort Garry Hotel
222 Broadway**

**Black Tie or
Period Costume**

\$120.00 per person

The MBA Banquet is hosted by the Asper School of Business to highlight leading historical figures and organizations from Manitoba's proud business past.



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