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THUNDER BAY, ON, Dec. 15, 2016 /CNW/ - [Premier Gold Mines Ltd.](http://www.premiergoldmines.com) (TSX:PG) ("Premier", "the Company") is pleased to announce it is hosting an Investor Day presentation at 10:00am EST on Thursday, January 12, 2017 at the Toronto Board of Trade, 1 First Canadian Place, Toronto, Ontario. A live webcast will also be available from the company's website www.premiergoldmines.com.

The Investor Day will be a comprehensive review of the Company's significant 2016 production and exploration results as well as its strategy and direction for 2017.

"In 2016 Premier transitioned into becoming a gold and silver producer from two mines and achieved several key exploration and development milestones," stated Ewan Downie, President & CEO of Premier. "We intend to continue this momentum in 2017 by utilizing our existing balance sheet to advance our next development project, McCoy-Cove, as well as our portfolio of prospective exploration opportunities."

Premier remains focused on building its business to reach the status of a mid-tier gold producer. In addition to its two producing mines, South Arturo and Mercedes, the Company is evaluating a potential underground test mining plan at the 100%-owned McCoy-Cove Property in Nevada and the ongoing mining permit process to allow for the future development of the Hardrock Project in Ontario (Greenstone JV). With a strong treasury, Premier is committed in 2017 to the organic growth of its attractive portfolio of projects and in addition, remains active in exploring and assessing new opportunities for growth.

Premier Gold Mines Limited is a gold producer and respected exploration and development company with a high-quality pipeline of precious metal projects in proven, accessible and safe mining jurisdictions in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

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