

Check out what's happening in Saskatoon Willowgrove and throughout the Province!

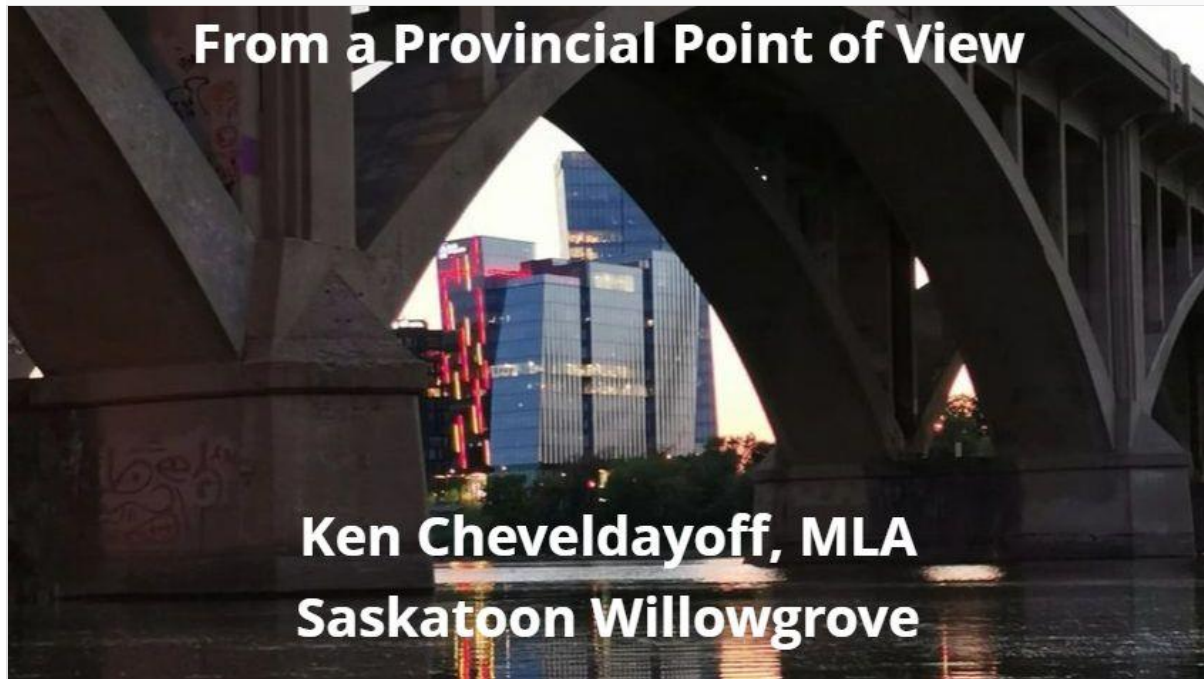


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**WISHING THOSE GRADUATING AND CONVOCATING ALL THE
BEST**



Each year it is such a pleasure to have the opportunity to send a congratulatory letter to every grade 8 and grade 12 student in our constituency. Congratulations 2023 grads! We commend you for your hard work and dedication to your studies.

As grade 12 students transition into the workforce, I encourage them to take advantage of the Graduate Retention Program. It offers up to \$20,000 in income tax credits to post-secondary graduates who continue to live and work in Saskatchewan.



Learn more: www.saskatchewan.ca/grp

SPECIALIZED CARDIAC PROCEDURE NOW OFFERED IN SASKATCHEWAN



Specialized Cardiac Procedure Now Offered in Saskatchewan



The provincial government is providing new funding of \$330,000 in 2023-24 to establish the Transcatheter Mitral Valve Repair (TMVr) program, a first of its kind in the prairie provinces. Health Minister Paul Merriman was joined by Intervention Cardiologist, Dr. Janine Eckstein, at the Royal University Hospital (RUH) to announce the launch of the program for performing the specialized cardiac procedure in Saskatchewan.

"We are very pleased this investment makes it possible for patients to receive this highly-specialized procedure here at home, under the care of the cardiac care team in Saskatoon," Merriman said. "This will

save patients and families the time and expense of having to travel out of province for this medical service."

The procedure is performed to repair a leaking mitral heart valve that can damage the heart and lead to congestive heart failure if left untreated. This is a minimally-invasive, lower-risk procedure with quicker recovery time compared to the alternative, open heart surgery.

[Specialized Cardiac Procedure Now Offered In Saskatchewan | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

ART IN THE GARDEN - JUNE 10



If you're looking for a great activity this weekend, be sure to attend the fourth annual Art in the Garden Music & Art Festival on Saturday, June 10.

Celebrate local Saskatchewan talent at a cultural celebration of Saskatchewan musicians, artists, and talent in a beautiful garden environment. This festival brings the artistic and creative community together for a fun-filled day for all ages. You will see unique art, inspiring music, great local food and beverages, local vendors with beautiful handmade art and jewelry. Something for everyone to enjoy.

Tickets are on sale now! [Art in the Garden Festival 2023 Tickets, Sat, 10 Jun 2023 at 11:00 AM | Eventbrite](#)

BURSARY FOR FINAL CLINICAL PLACE AVAILABLE



Bursary for Final
Clinical Placement
Available for Eligible
Health Disciplines

Apply before
September 30, 2023

saskatchewan.ca/HHR

Saskatchewan

If you are a student in an eligible health discipline starting your final health clinical placement between April 1 and Sept 30, 2023, you may qualify for Ministry of Health's Final Clinical Placement Bursary.

Apply by Sept 30, 2023. See more at <https://bit.ly/3luUou6>.

ARBOR CREEK SPRAY PARK OPEN



Good news! The Arbor Creek Spray park's maintenance is complete and it's open! Enjoy!

JUNE ACTIVITY

Joyful June 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
			1 Decide to look for what's good every day this month	2 Say positive things in your conversations with others	3 Re-frame a worry and try to find a helpful way to think about it	4 Take a photo of something that brings you joy and share it
5 Think of 3 things you're grateful for and write them down	6 Get out into green space and feel the joy that nature brings	7 Do something healthy which makes you feel good	8 Find joy in music: sing, play, dance, listen or share	9 Ask a friend what made them happy recently	10 Bring joy to others by doing something kind for them	11 Eat good food that makes you happy and really savour it
12 Write a gratitude letter to thank someone	13 Take a light-hearted approach. Choose to see the funny side	14 Share a happy memory with someone who means a lot to you	15 Look for something to be thankful for where you least expect it	16 Speak to others in a warm and friendly way	17 Take time to notice things that you find beautiful	18 Look for something good in a difficult situation
19 Get outside and find the joy in being active	20 Rediscover and enjoy a fun childhood activity	21 Send a positive note to a friend who needs encouragement	22 Watch something funny and enjoy how it feels to laugh	23 Create a playlist of uplifting songs to listen to	24 Bring to mind a favourite memory you feel grateful for	25 Show your appreciation to people who are helping others
26 Make time to do something playful, just for the fun of it	27 Be kind to you. Do something that brings you joy	28 Notice how positive emotions are contagious between people	29 Share a friendly smile with people you see today	30 Make a list of the joys in your life (and keep adding to it)		

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**ANGUS REID'S POLLING NUMBERS SHOW PREMIER SCOTT
MOE WITH THE HIGHEST APPROVAL RATING IN CANADAT
APPROVAL IN THE COUNTRY**

Premier Approval June 2023

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I appreciate any opportunity to make a positive difference in our constituency.

*Your phone calls, letters, and emails make a big difference in keeping me informed
on the issues that matter to you.*

*If you would like me to recognize anyone or have your event mentioned in this
newsletter, please don't hesitate to call or email me.*

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the **UNSUBSCRIBE** option at the bottom.*

**SASKATCHEWAN PROCLAIMS JUNE AS PARKS AND
RECREATION MONTH**



Recognized nationally, the Province of Saskatchewan has partnered with the Saskatchewan Parks and Recreation Association to proclaim June as Parks and Recreation Month and celebrate here at home.

"Recreation is so important, it helps strengthen volunteer networks, builds community pride and engages residents in community development across the province," Parks, Culture and Sport Minister Laura Ross said. "Saskatchewan has so many wonderful outdoor recreation areas and parks to enjoy, and we want to encourage residents to make the most of the summer weather and enjoy."

[Saskatchewan Proclaims June as Parks and Recreation Month | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

SASKATCHEWAN SEES RECORD BREAKING EXPORTS



For the First Time in Saskatchewan's History Global Exports Surpassed \$52 Billion in 2022

Today, Saskatchewan Trade and Export Partnership (STEP) and the Government of Saskatchewan released their annual State of Trade report for Saskatchewan. The report notes that the total value of Saskatchewan exports to the world reached a record breaking \$52.6 billion in 2022. This marks the highest figure ever recorded in the province's history and 42 per cent higher than the 2021 record of \$37 billion.

As an export driven province, the economy of Saskatchewan is directly tied to the ability to compete and thrive in the international marketplace. The world needs the resources the province produces, and Saskatchewan is taking a leading role in ensuring it remains in a competitive global position.

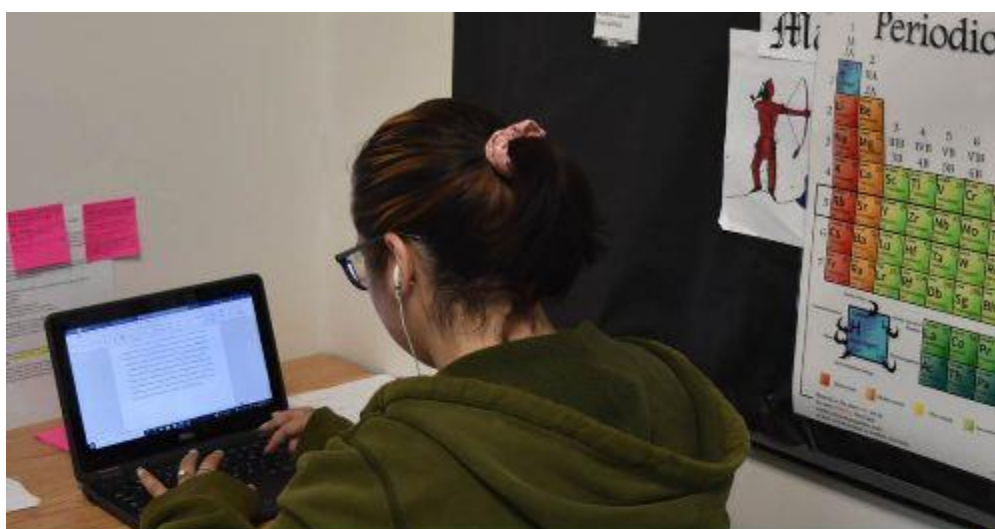
"Saskatchewan exporters are among the best in the world, and our province continues to prove that we have the food, fuel and fertilizer the world needs," Trade and Export Development Minister Jeremy

Harrison said. "These record exports show that businesses and industries in our province continue to be a dependable supplier of sustainable resources our partners need."

"Saskatchewan businesses are among the most knowledgeable and sophisticated exporters in the world," STEP CEO Chris Dekker said. "Given a level playing field, we can compete with anyone on the international stage."

[Saskatchewan Sees Record Breaking Exports | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

COURSES AVAILABLE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS



Individual Courses Available for High School Students

Students will have access to a number of part-time course options, allowing more flexibility in their education.

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The [SaskDLC](#) offers flexible learning opportunities for high-school students that can help meet their unique, individual needs. Whether you are a part-time worker, student-athlete, or someone who requires flexibility in their schedule, check out the [SaskDLC](#) for part-time courses offerings.

To learn more, visit <https://bit.ly/45ECVZA>

SURVIVALISTS, BEARS AND THE STRENGTH TO SURVIVE: MAJOR TV SERIES FILMED IN NORTHER SASKATCHEWAN PREMIERS ON THE HISTORY CHANNEL



It is considered one of the toughest tests of human will and survival. And it comes to you straight from northern Saskatchewan's wilderness.


Season 10 of the popular nonfiction survival series *Alone* airs this Thursday, June 8, on The HISTORY Channel (A+E Network). Produced by the award-winning media company Wavelength Entertainment, in collaboration with ITV and Creative Saskatchewan, the show follows ten survivalists who were dropped off last fall in undisclosed, remote locations near Reindeer Lake, approximately 220 kilometres northeast of La Ronge.

Welcomed by the Woodland Cree First Nation, Peter Ballantyne Cree Nation, and the Government of Saskatchewan, shooting *Alone* landed the participants in an extremely rugged location. Equipped with just a few survival tools, and camera gear to self-document their experiences, contestants fight to survive in the harsh, unforgiving conditions - the last remaining contestant who endures these conditions wins a \$500,000 grand prize.

"We are thrilled to be able to support productions that are filmed in Saskatchewan," Parks, Culture and Sport Minister Laura Ross said. "The benefits of projects like this are numerous and cast a wide net in terms of the positive economic effects to our province."

[Survivalists, Bears and the Strength to Survive: Major TV Series Filmed in Northern Saskatchewan Premiers on The HISTORY Channel](#) | [News and Media](#) | [Government of Saskatchewan](#)

NURSING RECRUITMENT CONTINUES



*Growth That Works
For Everyone*

Nursing Recruitment Continues

More than 82% of
Saskatchewan's
400 spring nursing
graduates are seeking
a career with the
Saskatchewan Health
Authority.

**Saskatchewan
Party Caucus**

Progress continues on the four pillars of Saskatchewan's Health Human Resources (HHR) Action Plan to recruit, train, incentivize and retain more healthcare professionals including nurses. Since December 2022, the SHA has hired 338 grad nurses from the province and across Canada.

Health Human Resources Action Plan

- 338 grad nurses have been hired from across Canada by the SHA
- 121 \$50,000 incentive packages have been approved for newly hired health care workers
- 72 family physicians and 106 specialists have been recruited from outside the province in the last 20 months



Premier Scott Moe

Saskatchewan's Health Human Resources Action Plan continues to make strong progress! Local, national and international health care workers are choosing to work in Saskatchewan as our ambitious plan continues to recruit, retain, incentivize and train health care workers in our province.

HAVE YOU HEARD OF THE PROVINCIAL AMBIENT AIR MONITORING NETWORK?



This is a network of six permanent stations across the province that monitor our air quality. Data from these air monitoring stations, which is provided on a live map, is used to report on progress for achieving air quality objectives; measure representative pollutant concentrations and; to determine long term trends on air quality across the province!

On top of that, we have two air quality stations that can be moved to different locations throughout the province. Pictured is our Mobile Air Quality Station (or as we like it call it, MAQS).

If you're interested in Saskatchewan's air quality and our monitoring programs, visit <https://www.saskatchewan.ca/.../air-quality-monitoring>

BECOME A PARAMEDIC IN SASKATCHEWAN



Build your career as a paramedic in a fast-paced work environment. Be a leader and a teammate in a career that is personally rewarding and fulfilling.

You can train close to home by enrolling in an accredited paramedic program at:

[Carlton Trail College](#)

[Cumberland College](#)

[Parkland College](#)

[Saskatchewan Polytechnic](#)

Visit their websites to learn more.

LEARN MORE ABOUT GOATS!



Goats can be an effective way to get rid of invasive plant species, such as leafy spurge.

Leafy spurge, an aggressive weed that is native to Central and Eastern Europe, produces toxins that stop germination of other plants, choking them out. It also produces a milky liquid called latex that is an irritant to most animals including cattle.

But the latex doesn't bother the goats who typically snap the tops off of weeds first, keeping them from going to seed. And all this while doing minimal damage to existing prairie!

Interested in learning more about the goats, grazing and invasive plant species, don't forget to check out [#saskparks](#) program this weekend:

Did you know 250 goats are taking a bite out of invasive species at White Butte Trails Recreation Site June 7-16. These hungry goats will help protect the ecosystem by chomping down on invasive leafy spurge. To keep them safe, they will be joined by two herding dogs, one livestock guardian dog and two shepherds.

14 *On June 10 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., residents are encouraged to join Park Interpreters as they share information about the goats and invasive species while you check out the goats at work.*

We aren't kidding!

Visitors can find the goats at Southwest Entrance (Secondary Entrance) of the trail. Located here: <https://bit.ly/43pbyS3>

Please note: Visitors must keep a safe distance from the electrical fence and keep dogs on leash.

ENTER TO WIN WHILE SUPPORTING BRAYDEN OTTENBREIT CLOSE CUTS FOR CANCER



Enter to win today and support cancer initiatives in Saskatchewan thru the [Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan](#) and [Brayden Ottenbreit Close Cuts for Cancer](#) 🧡

50/50 also available!

We will have the Close Cuts Charity Charger at various car shows throughout the summer 🏁

Raffle tickets available now with draw made in Saskatoon at the cruise weekend on August 20th at 2pm!



SEE THE CAR! TOUR SCHEDULE		
Date	Show Name	City/Town
April 29-30	Mojettes 500 Annual Car Show	Regina, SK
June 4	7th Annual 99% Vets and Regina Police Service Show 'n Shine	Regina, SK
June 10	ToT Radio 24th Annual Show 'n Shine	Estevan, SK
June 17	Sedline Cruisers Car Club	Weyburn, SK
June 18	Timez Guy's Car Club Show 'n Shine	Moose Jaw, SK
June 24	Cars in the Hills 2023	Cypress Hills, SK
July 2	Cruise the Spirit 18th Annual Show 'n Shine	Good Spirit Lake, SK
July 21	Rolling Thunder Cruisers Cruise Night	Winkton, SK
August 12	Klance Kravetz's Kai Klub Mattman Light Cruisers 1st Annual Show 'n Shine	Prince Albert, SK
August 19	Southwinds Showdown Cruise Weekend	Saskatoon, SK

Your chance to win here:

cancerfoundationsask.ca/charitycharger

FINANCIAL INCENTIVES FOR HEALTH CARE STUDENTS



Did you know there are financial supports and incentives available to help you start your health care career in Saskatchewan?

The [Government of Saskatchewan](http://www.saskatchewan.ca) has a number of programs available for students, including:

- up to \$20,000 in loan forgiveness for Nurses/Nurse Practitioners;
- up to \$20,000 in Graduate Retention Program tax rebates; and
- up to \$50,000 in rural and remote incentives.

See if you're eligible: <https://www.saskatchewan.ca/.../incentives-for-healthcare...>

TAKE PRECAUTIONS WITH HOT TEMPERATURES OUTSIDE

When is hot, too hot?

Ignoring these serious symptoms can lead to coma or death

Heat Stroke
high body temp, absence of sweating, headache, red/flushed dry skin, rapid pulse, difficulty breathing, strange behaviour, hallucinations, confusion, agitation, disorientation, and/or seizure
Call 911

Heat Exhaustion
nausea, vomiting, fatigue, pale skin, weakness, headache, muscle cramps, aches, and dizziness
Get out of heat immediately, drink fluids (avoid caffeine or alcohol) and apply cooling measures (ice or fans)

- Drink plenty of cool fluids, but avoid caffeine and alcohol.
- Avoid being outdoors during the middle of the day, when the sun is at its strongest.
- Work and exercise in brief periods. Take frequent breaks in a cool or shaded area.
- Dress in light, loose clothing. ...
- Wear sunscreen with a high sun protection factor (SPF) to protect your skin from sunburn.

WANUSKEWIN KIDS DAY CAMPS



Are you looking for a family adventure or to spend time with your partner?

There are so many opportunities happening at Wanuskewin!

Kids Camps - Summer Camps are Back at Wanuskewin!

Join them for another season of our Kids Day Camps to connect to the land and traditional teachings and learn about Wanuskewin.

Bookings available now! <https://wanuskewin.com/.../wanuskewin-kids-camps-save.../>

LOTS TO DO AND SEE AT THE ZOO!

Look what's new at the Zoo!



Kunekune Pigs



Pallas's Cat



**Ring-tailed
Lemurs**



COME OUT AND SEE THE NEW ANIMALS!

Haven't been to the Zoo lately? So many new things to see!

**SASKATCHEWAN AGRI-FOOD EXPORTS UP 75 PER CENT IN
FIRST QUARTER OF 2023**



Saskatchewan's agri-food exports are surging in 2023 to an estimated \$6 billion in the first quarter of 2023, up 75 per cent from the same period in 2022. This increase solidifies Saskatchewan's position as a major player in global agricultural trade and demonstrates our commitment to meeting global food security.

Leading Saskatchewan exports continue to be canola oil, canola seed, non-durum wheat, durum and lentils.

"Increased export numbers demonstrate the strength and resilience of our agri-food sector," Agriculture Minister David Marit said. "Trade statistics like these reinforce Saskatchewan's sustainability story internationally, showing global investors that Saskatchewan producers are in an excellent position to feed the world today and in the future."

[Saskatchewan Agri-Food Exports Up 75 Per Cent in First Quarter of 2023 | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

\$14 MILLION BEING INVESTED IN SASKATCHEWAN PROVINCIAL PARKS THIS YEAR



The Government of Saskatchewan is investing \$14 million in provincial park facility and infrastructure improvements in 2023-24.

"We are always looking at how we can help make our provincial parks more beautiful, welcoming and accessible for everyone," Parks, Culture and Sport Minister Laura Ross said. "Investing in our facilities, along with the many activities and events available, gives our visitors so many ways to make lasting memories."

[\\$14 Million Being Invested in Saskatchewan Provincial Parks this Year | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

LEARN MORE ABOUT AGRICULTURE



Interested in Learning More About Agriculture?

There are 13 courses available for Fall 2023, including Ag Production - Cow/Calf 10, 20, and 30!

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Saskatchewan is known worldwide as a consistent and reliable supplier of safe, high-quality grains, oilseeds, pulses, livestock and agri-food products. The SaskDLC has over 13 courses available involving different aspects of agriculture in Saskatchewan that can help you learn about sustainable food production and field crops, how to care for cattle and horses, and servicing and maintaining agricultural equipment.

Check out full course descriptions at www.saskdlc.ca

**SOME EVENTS FEATURED IN PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS. LET
US KNOW IF YOU HAVE AN EVENT YOU WOULD LIKE
INCLUDED**

UPCOMING EVENTS

EVENTS IN PAST NEWSLETTERS

Cookies & Crafts



When: June 8

Where: John Dolan School

ZOOGALA



When: June 9

Where: Saskatoon Forestry Farm and Zoo

Tickets: <https://saskatoonzoofoundation.ca>

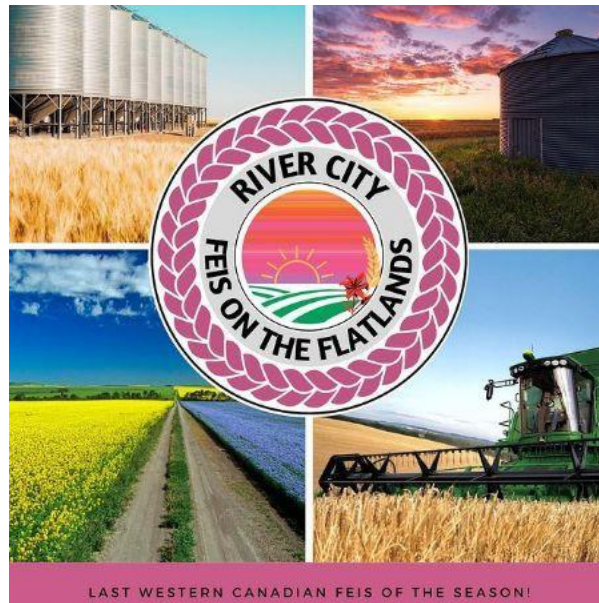
47TH ANNUAL CIVIC PANCAKE BREAKFAST



When: June 15

Where: by City Hall

River City School of Irish Dance – Feis in Saskatoon



LAST WESTERN CANADIAN FEIS OF THE SEASON!

When: June 17 & 18

Sponsorship Opportunities or information: Megan Martin at 306.715.2452.

Jazz Festival

Full Schedule: saskjazz.com

When: June 30 – July 9



JUNE 30 - JULY 9

FREE PROGRAM LINEUP

#SASKJAZZ2023

JOE RAINEY THE OSTARA PROJECT MAZACOTE MALIKA TIROLIEN
GARRET T. WILLIE APOLLO SUNS BREKKY BOY BARBRA LICA
KATE WYATT QUARTET LOWDOWN BRASS BAND CAITY GYORGY
JOANNA DUDA & KSAWERY WOJCINSKI MARY ANCHETA QUARTET
JEFFERY STRAKER CHARLY HUSTLE THE NORTHERN AIR
LOST HIGHWAY NAVIGATORS BROCK FEHR WOLF WILLOW
HEIDI MUNRO & THE REAL GROOVY BAND GRAHAM TILSLEY
SASKATOON'S LEGENDARY RHYTHM & BLUES REVUE
SASKATOON JAZZ ORCHESTRA FOOTNOTES BIG BAND
SASKATOON YOUTH JAZZ ORCHESTRA APOLLO CRUZ
THE PRAIRIE ROOTS ENSEMBLE WITH PEACE AKINTADE
HOT CLUB SASKATOON THE LOST KEYS WIRES & WOOD
GILLIAN SNIDER TRIO CARTER POWLEY & THE CHOP SHOP TRIOJAZZ
LEWIS & SALKELD STONE FRIGATE BIG BAND FIYIN OBAYAN
RORY LYNCH QUARTET LEWIS & SALKELD TRIO JOEL GRUNDAHL TRIO
LATIN CONNECTION THE WHISKEY JERKS SONS OF DJANGO
LAST BIRDS BRIAN BAGGETT LYSSA & THE TRY-TONES WINSOME KIND
FUNKJOINT NICK FAYE & THE DEPUTIES MATT REMENDA ENSEMBLE

FOR THE FULL SCHEDULE VISIT SASKJAZZ.COM

More details to follow

GRAHAM NICHOLSON MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT



Graham Nicholson
Memorial Golf Tournament

Friday, June 16, 2023
1:00 p.m.
Moon Lake Golf & Country Club

\$150.00 per person for golf and dinner.
\$50.00 per person for dinner only.
\$25.00 per child for dinner only.

Dinner: 6:00 p.m.
Live Auction at 7:30 p.m.
Silent Auction at 8:00 p.m.
50/50 Draw at 9:00 p.m.

Registration opens: Monday, May 15, 2023

The Graham Nicholson Memorial Golf Tournament will raise funds for the Hospice at Glengarda, Saskatchewan's first free-standing residential Hospice located in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan on Treaty Six Territory and the traditional homeland of the Métis.

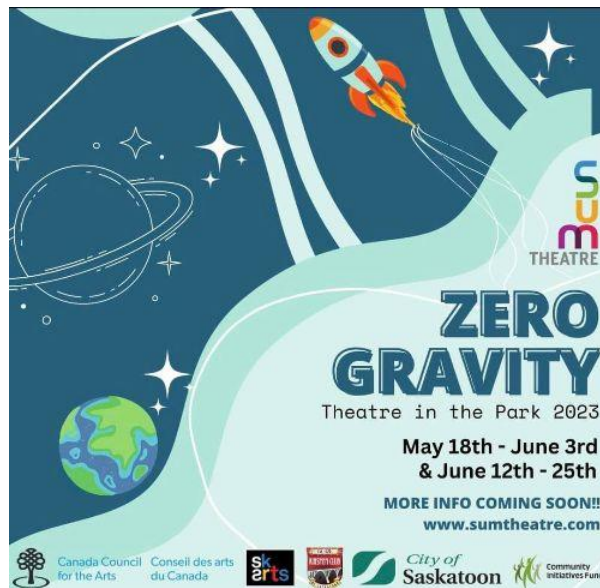


When, June 16, 1 PM

Where: Moon Lake Golf and Country Club

Register now!

Sum Theatre – Theatre in the Park 2023



www.sumtheatre.com Information:

Where: Silverspring Park & Forest Grove Les Kerr Park– 7 pm

When: June 12 – 25

ADDITIONAL GOVERNMENT NEWS RELEASES



[Ministry of Social Services Expanding Trusteeship and Money Management Services | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

[Financial Regulator Introduces New Online Dispute Resolution Tools for Saskatchewan Consumers and Businesses | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

[Four New Affordable Homes Open In Prince Albert To Support People Experiencing Mental Illness | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

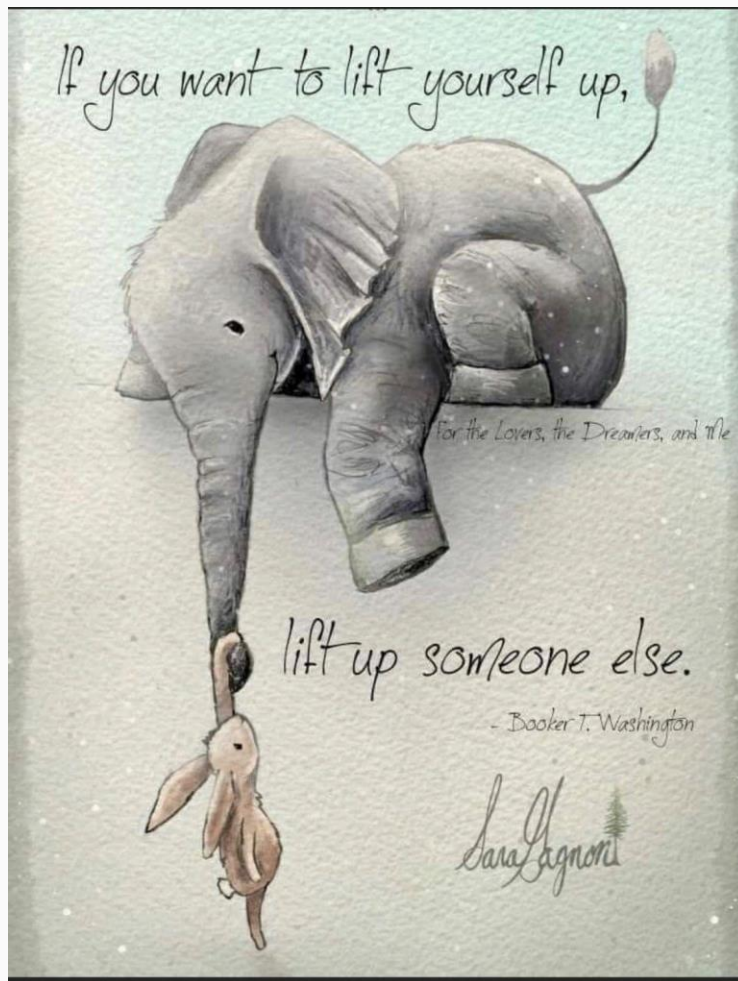
[Saskatchewan Reports Continued Progress And Investment In Addressing Missing And Murdered Indigenous Women And Girls | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

[Saskatchewan Continues to Strengthen Ties with United Arab Emirates | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

[Financial And Consumer Affairs Authority Marks World Elder Abuse Awareness Day On June 15 With Webinar Event | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

[Early Planning Underway for the Quill Plains Centennial Lodge in Watson | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

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