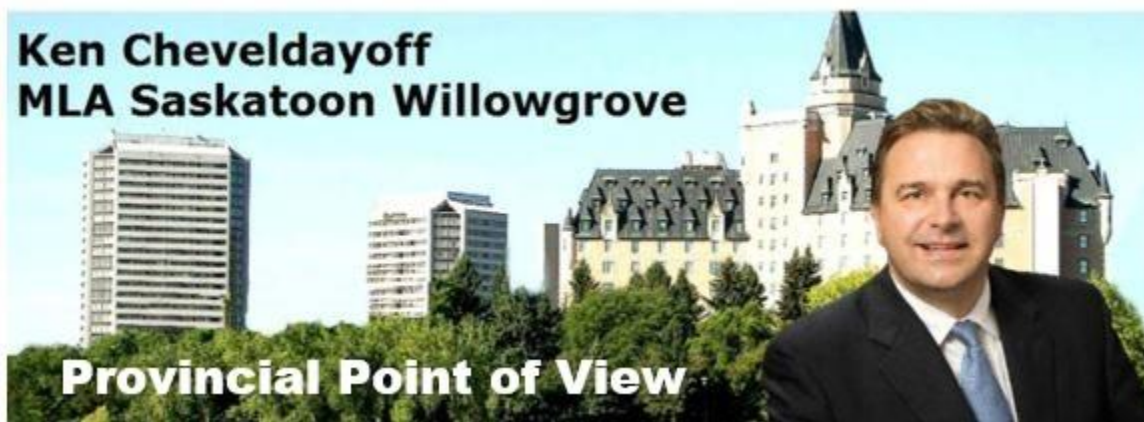


Check out what's happening in Saskatoon Willowgrove and throughout the Province!



WESTERN PREMIERS' CONFERENCE IN SASKATCHEWAN



Over the next few days Saskatchewan will host premiers from western Canada for the 2022 Western Premiers' Conference.

In response to the growing challenges facing all of our healthcare systems, the Canada Health Transfer will be a priority item of discussion as we unanimously agree that a significant long-term increase to healthcare funding from the federal government is required so provinces can continue to meet the needs of our citizens.

Premier Scott Moe, "I look forward to collaborating with premiers over the next few days as we work towards creating opportunities and improving the quality of life for residents across our great provinces"

KEEP IN TOUCH



We're here to help
you navigate provincial
government programs
and services.

Ken Cheveldayoff
MLA for Saskatoon Willowgrove

Please reach out, we look forward to hearing from you.
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Thank you.

I appreciate the many opportunities I have to make a positive difference in my 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.

"From a Provincial Point of View" is an electronic message from Ken Cheveldayoff, MLA Saskatoon Willowgrove. Your opinions are important and your letters, emails, and phone calls on any issues relating to the provincial government are welcomed.

CONSTRUCTION KICKS OFF ON NEW KINDERGARTEN TO GRADE 12 SCHOOL IN BLAINE LAKE



It was an exciting day in my hometown of Blaine Lake Friday, May 20. Premier Scott Moe joined officials from Prairie Spirit School Division to break ground on a new K-12 school to replace Blaine Lake Composite School.

The province is investing \$13.6 million into the facility which will be able to accommodate 150 students once completed.

Congratulations to the students, staff and community of Blaine Lake on reaching this exciting new milestone!

[Construction Kicks Off On New Kindergarten To Grade 12 School In Blaine Lake | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

ERINDALE & ARBOR CREEK GARAGE SALE MAY 28TH!



The community and volunteers have worked hard to organize this garage sale. I encourage everyone to attend and take advantage of great finds!

The map of garage sale addresses for Saturday has been sent for printing. Check out the EACCA facebook page as they will share a Google link to the map and EACCA board members will be set-up by Egnatoff school on Saturday from 8:30am-10:30am to hand out printed maps and coffee. They invite you to come and say hello.

If you were one of the nearly two dozen households that emailed to have their address added to the Erindale Arbor Creek Community Garage Sale this Saturday, May 28th, this post is for you! Here are some tips for garage sale day:

- Have some change on hand and make sure to have enough coins and small bills on hand to make change for your customers.
- Make it appealing. If you really want your stuff to sell, you've got to make it look nice. Before you try to sell those things that have been collecting dust, actually clean them off! Fill bicycle tires and basketballs with air. Scrape the mud out of your kid's old soccer cleats.
- If something needs batteries to run, have some on hand so the buyer knows the item works. Keep an extension cord handy for buyers to test out appliances that need an outlet. And place a mirror near the clothing and accessories. It might seem silly, but going the extra mile can really be the difference in making a sale and losing one.
- Position your stuff. The morning of the sale, get up early and do a little setting up. Make sure whatever


you're selling looks attractive. Put your more interesting items closer to the street so people know you're selling more than just T-shirts, costume jewelry and old coffee mugs. For everything else, keep it organized, clearly priced and easy to sort through. Stock your checkout area with plastic grocery bags and newspaper to wrap up fragile items. Those small touches will go a long way!

- Last but not least, figure out what to do with unsold items ahead of time. Everyone has leftover stuff after having a garage sale. You will too. If you're sick of looking at it and don't want to haul it all back inside, it's time to donate. Ask a friend with a truck to help you haul the items to a local thrift store or charity.

K+S ANNOUNCES MAJOR EXPANSION

Just Announced
K+S Announces Major Expansion at its Bethune mine

The new long-term growth plan will focus on a sustained increase of potash production with a target of **doubling the current production output** of the Bethune mine.



Premier Scott Moe

May 25, K+S announced a long-term growth plan which will see operations at the Bethune mine double, as they move towards producing 4 million tonnes of potash per year.

Back in March, I met with K+S officials in Germany to discuss how Saskatchewan can play a vital role in continuing to supply sustainably produced potash to global economies for decades to come.

This announcement is welcome news as increases in production at the Bethune mine directly translates to an increase in jobs and opportunities for communities and families in Saskatchewan.

PROTECTION ALERT



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Investor alert! This unregistered entity has obtained money from at least one resident of Saskatchewan. If you have invested with Infinity4x contact the FCAA's Securities Division. This organization is not registered to sell securities or derivatives in the province.

Learn how to protect yourself: <https://fcaa.gov.sk.ca/consumers-investors.../investors>
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CELEBRATING DISABILITY SERVICE PROFESSIONALS

The Government of Saskatchewan has proclaimed May 23 to 27, 2022 as Disability Service Professionals Week to recognize and celebrate the important work that people across the province do to support people with disabilities.

Building strong, inclusive communities for people with disabilities remains a focus for our province, which can't be done without the work of the disability service sector. In Saskatchewan's 2022-23 Budget, \$256.8 million was invested into disability sector third-party service providers, including \$4.9 million in new funding, affirming this commitment.

"Disability service professionals provide essential services and have the direct connection with clients," Social Services Minister Lori Carr said. "We value our community partnerships with disability service providers as they consistently work with professionalism to ensure people are safe and supported with the services they need."

[Celebrating Disability Service Professionals | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO ASK



Red Flags? Gut Feeling?
You have the right to ask.
You have the right to know.

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If you are noticing red flags about your partner or the partner of a loved one, you have the right to ask and know about their history.

By making a Clare's Law application with the RCMP or your local police service, you can find out if a current or past partner has a history of violence or abuse.

If the signs are there or you have a gut feeling, don't wait until it is too late.

Learn more at <https://bit.ly/3Mqfl8W>

CROP REPORT FOR THE PERIOD OF MAY 17 TO MAY 23, 2022



Seeding progress climbed throughout many regions in the past week, despite a storm that brought snow and rain to parts of the province. Fifty-two per cent of the 2022 crop is now seeded, up from 33 per cent last week. This is still behind the five-year average (2017-2021) of 78 per cent for this time of year. The rainfall received over the past week in drier areas will help improve soil moisture conditions and establishment of early seeded crops.

The west central region is the farthest along with 81 per cent of the crop seeded. Seventy-six per cent of the crop is seeded in the northwest, 73 per cent seeded in the southwest, 44 per cent seeded in the southeast, 22 per cent seeded in the northeast and 21 per cent seeded in the east-central region of the province.

[Crop Report for the Period of May 17 to May 23, 2022 | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

LAKE LIFE: 25 FUN FACTS ABOUT SASKATCHEWAN'S SUMMER OBSESSION



A great article in the Saskatoon StarPhoenix. Saskatchewan residents love life at the lake in the summer. Read about some fun facts about Saskatchewan's obsession with making the most of the precious summer days.

[Lake life: 25 fun facts about Saskatchewan's summer obsession | The Star Phoenix](#)

ROAD CLOSURES MAY 28TH FOR THE SIKH PARADE



It is another busy weekend in Saskatoon. I look forward to attending the Sikh Parade.

Please note, the City of Saskatoon has notified us that Attridge Drive will be closed between Nelson Road and McOrmond Drive on Saturday, May 28 at 10:00 a.m. for the Sikh Parade.

Detours will be in place guiding motorists around the area. This event is expected to take three hours. Please obey all signs and detours.

UPDATE ON SASKATOON TRANSIT FROM ZACH JEFFRIES



Starting Sunday, May 29, 2022, three Saskatoon Transit routes will experience changes to provide improved reliability and connectivity to the system.

➡ Route 1 - Exhibition

Route 1 will incorporate a part of Route 20, which includes Brand Road, Melville Street and South Industrial. With this extension of service, regular frequency and service throughout the day will become available to the Auto Mall Village and South Industrial.

➡ Route 20 – South Industrial

The South Industrial portion of the Route 20 will be replaced with the Route 1 extension.

➡ Route 13 - Avalon / Lawson Heights

From July through to August, Route 13 is expected to be impacted at 12th Street and University Drive due to summer construction. A planned detour will move Route 13 to 8th Street and Clarence Avenue. Route 13 will continue to service Broadway Avenue south of 8th Street, with additional frequency along Clarence Avenue.

Transit customers are encouraged to learn about the route changes by going to the website, calling the Transit Customer Service Centre at 306-975-3100 or using the transit app to plan their trip.

Riders are encouraged to plan their trip in advance and review the updated schedules before travelling.

Riders can pin the routes they use most often in the transit app to get push notifications of service alerts.

A NEW LOOK BUT THE SAME GREAT SERVICE!



Heading out to a Saskatchewan provincial park this weekend? You might notice that some officers patrolling the parks have a new look this year!

Previously identified as seasonal conservation officers, the Park Enforcement Officers are ready for the 2022 season.

Having just completed training in Prince Albert, this year's group of new officers is the largest in recent memory. Thirty-one individuals will be starting their first summer as provincial park enforcement officers – part of the 50 seasonal officer positions in Saskatchewan parks.

Even though they have a new name and uniform, these officers will continue to do the same job with the same authority as always. A new look, but the same great service!

CHANGES TO PST WILL BENEFIT FARMERS AND AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY



Amendments to the Provincial Sales Tax (PST) regulations will provide greater clarity to farmers and help ensure that PST is applied fairly and consistently to farming and agricultural goods and services.

"After speaking with agricultural organizations in our province, we heard concerns that PST was inconsistently applied to farming and agricultural activity," Deputy Premier and Finance Minister Donna Harpauer said. "The changes to the PST regulations will be more equitable, consistent and protect farmers against perceived 'PST creep' in farming activity."

Effective April 1, 2022, new PST exemptions were made through regulation changes. These exemptions include:

- prefabricated wind breaker panels for use in the protection and handling of livestock
- insulators for electrified livestock fences
- certain farm equipment attached to a registered vehicle
- on-farm dugout excavation and for trenching (in specific circumstances related to farming)

Additionally, it was clarified that the following products are also exempt from PST and are retroactive to April 1, 2016:

- water storage tanks used in spraying or irrigating crops
- storage tanks for weed control chemicals, insecticides, fungicides, herbicides, liquid fertilizer
- adjuvants that improve their efficacy or application

- portable seed cleaners used on-farm by farmers in preparing their crop for storage or market (farmers in the business of seed cleaning must pay PST on their seed cleaning equipment)
- farm tractors

"While inflation and operating costs have been rising the last couple of years, cattle producers, and all farmers, simply cannot pass along higher costs including taxes," Saskatchewan Cattlemen's Association Chair Arnold Balicki said. "The recognition of this by the Government of Saskatchewan when it comes to PST on several important farm related goods and activities is appreciated by Saskatchewan's cattle producers. Keeping this tax out of the industry helps keep it on a level and fair playing field, making us more competitive in the long run."

The estimated, annual cost of these changes is about \$1 million. The Ministry of Finance is also beginning discussions about modernizing the agriculture and farming section of PST legislation, to potentially be considered in future budgets.

CARE FOR KIDS BY WIEGERS - GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!



An all-inclusive Dr. Seuss themed hilarious comedy and fun-filled cabaret featuring Seuss-themed food stations, drinks, and incredible entertainment from comedian Kelly Taylor and Saskatoon's own Turn the Dial band featuring Topher Mils!!

It's the must-attend event in Saskatoon this year!

Do Not Delay, Tickets Will Sell Out, So Get On Your Way!

Saskatoon's FUNNEST Fundraiser!

<https://careforkidsbywiegiers.ca>

LET US KNOW IF YOU HAVE AN EVENT TO INCLUDE IN THIS
NEWSLETTER!



Teddy Bears Anonymous BBQ

When: May 28

Time: 11 am - 3 pm

Where: Saskatoon Coop - Circle & 8th St.

**Every hotdog sold
gives a sick child a
teddy bear 🐻**

**Teddy Bears Anonymous BBQ for
Bears Cook-Off
Saskatoon vs Regina
Regina has challenged Saskatoon to
a BBQ Cook-OFF
Raise \$2,500.00
May 28th 11-3 PM at the Saskatoon
Coop Circle and 8th St.
May 28th 11-4 PM Regina Sherwood
Co-op Food Store 5875 Rochdale
Blvd.**



Erindale & Arbor Creek Annual Community Garage Sale

When: Saturday, May 28th from 9 am - 3 pm

Information: erindlearborcreek.org



Quinn Stevenson 18U Memorial Baseball Tournament

When: May 27-29

Contact: Carla @ 306.717.7458



Alzheimer Society of Saskatchewan Annual Walk

When: May 28

Where: River Landing Park at the Amphitheatre

Information: events@alzheimer.sk.ca.

**IG WEALTH
MANAGEMENT**

**WALK FOR
ALZHEIMER'S**

ZOOGALA

When: Friday, June 10

Where: Saskatoon Zoo

Information on tickets & sponsorship:

[Saskatoon Zoo Gala is Saskatoons Premier Anual Fundraising Event
\(saskatoonzoofoundation.ca\)](http://saskatoonzoofoundation.ca)



THOUGHT OF THE DAY

We can't heal
the world today,
but we can begin
with a voice of
compassion,
a heart of love,
and an act of
kindness.



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