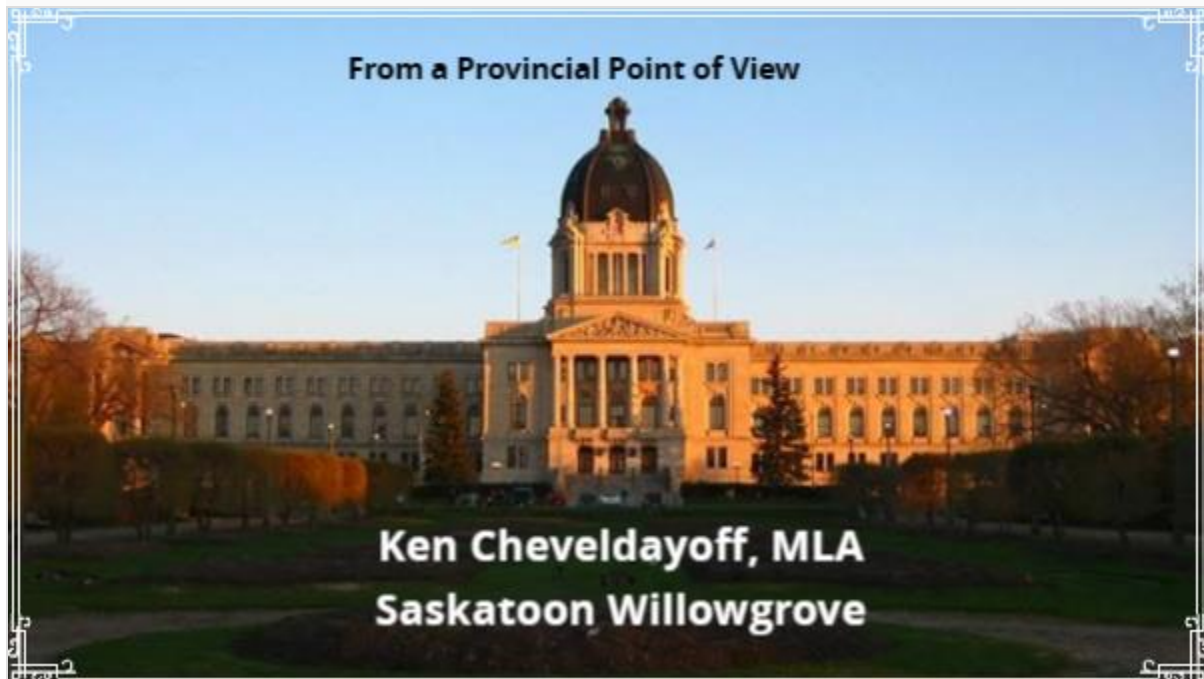


Check out what's happening in Saskatoon Willowgrove and throughout the Province!



REMEMBERING FORMER MLA, CABINET MINISTER, FRIEND AND COLLEAGUE, HERB COX



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Former Premier Brad Wall, "It was truly an honour to serve with Herb. He was a great MLA and Cabinet Minister and an even better man. Tami and I extend our condolences to Herb’s family and friends.

Jeremy Cockrill, MLA for the Battlefords honoured Herb Cox with a heartfelt tribute in the legislature. "He served our community and our province well and I was honoured to call him a friend. He left his community and his province a better place."

Watch here: [\(7\) Facebook](#)

HONOURED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING WITH PREMIER MOE, MINISTER REITER, AND FEDERAL FINANCE MINISTER FRANCOIS-PHILIPPE CHAMPAGNE



November 21 - Premier Scott Moe, "Yesterday, I was pleased to join Minister Cheveldayoff and Minister Reiter to meet with Federal Finance Minister François-Philippe Champagne.

Saskatchewan remains committed to working with the federal government through the development of nation building infrastructure and energy projects, so Canada may become a global energy superpower.

SASKATCHEWAN COMMEMORATES HOLODOMOR

REMEMBERING MILLIONS WHO DIED DURING THE 1932-33 FAMINE IN UKRAINE



During a special service at the Legislative Building today, Provincial Secretary Jamie Martens and members of the legislative assembly joined with members of the province's Ukrainian community to commemorate the millions who died during the 1932-33 famine in Ukraine.



"More than nine decades have passed, yet the memory of Holodomor remains etched in the soul of Ukrainian people," Martens said. "Across Saskatchewan, and around the world, Ukrainian descendants and members of the wider public come

together to commemorate Holodomor, honouring the millions who suffered and perished during one of history's darkest chapters."

[Saskatchewan Commemorates Holodomor | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

2025 LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S POST-SECONDARY TEACHING AWARD RECIPIENTS ANNOUNCED



Four of Saskatchewan's leading post-secondary educators have been recognized with the Lieutenant Governor's Post-Secondary Teaching Award, celebrating their excellence in teaching and dedication to providing innovative, high-quality learning experiences for students.

"Congratulations to the 2025 recipients on this special recognition," Lieutenant Governor Bernadette McIntyre said. "Excellence in teaching prepares students to become successful leaders in their communities. These talented educators are nurturing individuals who will help our province to prosper in the future."

The 2025-26 recipients are:

- **Dr. Neil Chilton, University of Saskatchewan - Distinguished Teaching Award;**
- **Dr. Carly Priebe, University of Saskatchewan - Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Teaching Award;**
- **Dr. Kurtis Boyer, University of Saskatchewan - Indigenous Teaching Excellence Award; and**
- **Dr. Paula MacDowell, University of Saskatchewan - Innovative Teaching Award.**

"This award is an opportunity to honour the remarkable educators and leaders who are shaping the future of post-secondary education in Saskatchewan," Advanced Education Minister Ken Cheveldayoff said. "We are grateful for their mentorship and unwavering commitment to student success."

[2025 Lieutenant Governor's Post-Secondary Teaching Award Recipients Announced | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

YOUR LEGISLATIVE REPORT



Across Saskatchewan, we are seeing positive change in our communities as we work to meet the needs of a growing population. From strong economic numbers and continued initiatives in health care to improvements in education and more, our government is focused on building a strong, safe and secure Saskatchewan where families and communities feel supported.

A growing economy allows us to provide families with safe and affordable housing. Saskatchewan topped the charts in housing starts, with an increase of 50.8 per cent in the first ten months of 2025 compared to the same period last year. Housing starts are an important economic indicator because they represent real people and families who are choosing to build their futures in Saskatchewan.

With more people calling our province home, we remain committed to expanding access to primary care. Our government is pleased to introduce 19 new Nurse Practitioners (NPs) who will provide publicly funded primary care services in communities where residents need them most. The number of NP contracts is expected to grow in the coming months, with up to 30 available. We remain committed to improving access to quality care for every patient, no matter where they live. This initiative supports our broader strategy to ensure that everyone in Saskatchewan has access to a primary health care provider by the end of 2028.

Education infrastructure is essential to our neighbourhoods, helping to welcome families and support children's learning. That's why our initiatives are evolving to meet the needs of our growing population. Our government has introduced the Building Schools Faster Act, new legislation designed to accelerate school construction in communities experiencing rapid growth. The legislation is expected to be passed in spring 2026. Through this, we are helping ensure students get the best start in modern learning spaces.

Supporting safe and secure communities through targeted policing initiatives is also a priority for our government. While \$7.8 million is being invested in policing initiatives in Saskatoon and \$6.8 million is being directed toward strengthening local police services in Regina, our government has supported police services across the province through the Municipal Police Grants Program since 1998. Today, the program funds 160 specialized police positions in nine communities provincially. These investments enhance the ability of our communities to stay ahead of safety concerns and challenges. This work supports our effort in creating safe places to live, work and raise a family.

- ✓ Moose Jaw – \$836,000
- ✓ Prince Albert – \$3.69 million
- ✓ North Battleford – \$833,000
- ✓ Meadow Lake – \$833,000
- ✓ Regina – \$6.8 million
- ✓ Weyburn – \$418,000
- ✓ Estevan – \$656,000
- ✓ Yorkton – \$357,000
- ✓ Saskatoon – \$7.8 million

Work to expand programs that prevent homelessness and enhance support services for individuals experiencing homelessness is also underway through the Provincial Approach to Homelessness (PATH). We are investing up to an additional \$20 million over three years. Since PATH was announced in 2023, we have invested more than \$98 million in homelessness services. We look forward to continuing our partnerships with service providers, municipalities, the federal government, and with Indigenous and community organizations. Together, we are helping people in need transition to stable housing, remain successfully housed and achieve a better quality of life.

These initiatives reflect our government's commitment to improving quality of life across Saskatchewan. By maintaining a strong economy that enables strategic investments in health care, education, public safety and social supports, we are laying the foundation for stronger communities today and for generations to come.

Representing our community in the Legislature is an honour. I remain committed to advocating for our community, listening to what matters most to you and keeping you informed about the work happening across Saskatchewan. For questions, ideas or any concerns, please contact my constituency office at ken.cheveldayoff.mla@sasktel.net or call 306.651.7100.



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and services.

Ken Cheveldayoff
MLA for Saskatoon Willowgrove

Please reach out, we look forward to hearing from you.
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THE BUILDING SCHOOLS FASTER ACT

The Building Schools Faster Act

*New legislation introduced to
accelerate the construction of new
schools in growing communities.*



Our government is building schools to support the growing number of families calling Saskatchewan home and helping give students their best start. The Building Schools Faster Act will bring greater predictability to school planning and development in communities that are quickly expanding.

PREMIER RETURNS FROM TRADE TALKS IN WASHINGTON



Premier Scott Moe returned from a mission to Washington D.C. where he met with United States (U.S.) elected and government officials. During his meetings, the Premier discussed tariffs, trade, and how Saskatchewan and the U.S. can move beyond current trade challenges.

"As an export-based economy, it is vital that we get Saskatchewan products to market, which includes our largest partner - the U.S.," Moe said. "I am pleased that we were able to meet with many American policy and decision makers, and I am committed to keeping these lines of communication open so we can protect our integrated economies."

While in Washington, Premier Moe met with U.S. Trade Representative Ambassador Jamieson Greer, Secretary of Treasury Scott Bessent, Secretary of Commerce Howard Lutnick and U.S. Representatives.

The province continues to use its voice at the federal table to advocate for businesses and protect jobs. Saskatchewan businesses are caught in the middle of a much larger global trade dispute, which makes it all the more important for the Government of Canada to get down to serious discussions on how to resolve this situation.

"I impressed upon the members of the U.S. administration how tariff-free trade with Canada lowers the cost of living for Americans and how tariffs are driving up inflation," Moe said.

The U.S. is Saskatchewan's largest and most important trading partner. About \$40 billion worth of imports and exports cross the border every year. Canada and U.S. are much stronger when operating in a tariff-free environment. In 2024, Saskatchewan's top exports to the U.S. were crude oil (\$12.5 billion), potash (\$4.2 billion), and canola oil (\$2.9 billion). Agri-food products represented 21.9 per cent of total exports.

Tariff free Saskatchewan exports lower the cost of living for millions of Americans and result in thousands of jobs on both sides of the border.

The delegation left on Monday, November 17th, and returned Wednesday November 19th.

**APPLICATIONS OPEN FOR SASKATCHEWAN'S SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISE
INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT**

Strengthening Our Economy



Small Medium Enterprise (SME) Investment Tax Credit

Trade and Export Development Minister Warren Kaeding announced that applications are now open for the Small and Medium Enterprise (SME) Investment Tax Credit, a new program designed to help Saskatchewan businesses attract investment and expand operations.

"This new tax credit supports Saskatchewan's growing manufacturing sector by making it easier for small and medium-sized businesses to access the capital they need to expand," Kaeding said. "It encourages investment right here at home, helping companies purchase new equipment, upgrade facilities, and create good jobs for Saskatchewan people."

The SME Investment Tax Credit is a three-year pilot program offering a 45 per cent non-refundable tax credit to individuals and corporations that invest in an eligible Saskatchewan-based small and medium-sized manufacturing enterprise.



[Applications Open for Saskatchewan's Small and Medium Enterprise Investment Tax Credit | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

SASKATCHEWAN HOUSING STARTS TOP THE CHARTS



First in Housing Starts

Saskatchewan's housing starts
increased by 50.8% in the first 10
months of 2025.

The Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation's new figures show Saskatchewan's housing starts increased by 50.8 per cent in the first ten months of 2025 compared to the same period in 2024. This ranks first among the provinces. In October 2025, urban housing starts increased by 71.0 per cent compared to October 2024, ranking second among the provinces.



"Housing starts are an important economic indicator because they represent real people and families who are choosing to live in Saskatchewan," Trade and Export Development Minister Warren Kaeding said. "This is a positive sign for a growing economy, as new homes lead to more jobs and more money flowing into the province. This means more resources for the programs and services Saskatchewan people count on."

[Saskatchewan Housing Starts Top the Charts | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

SASKATCHEWAN RECOGNIZES INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK 2025



As Minister of Advanced Education, I was pleased to recognize International Education week last week. We celebrate the global connections and contributions of international students and researchers who help strengthen our communities, economy, and workforce.

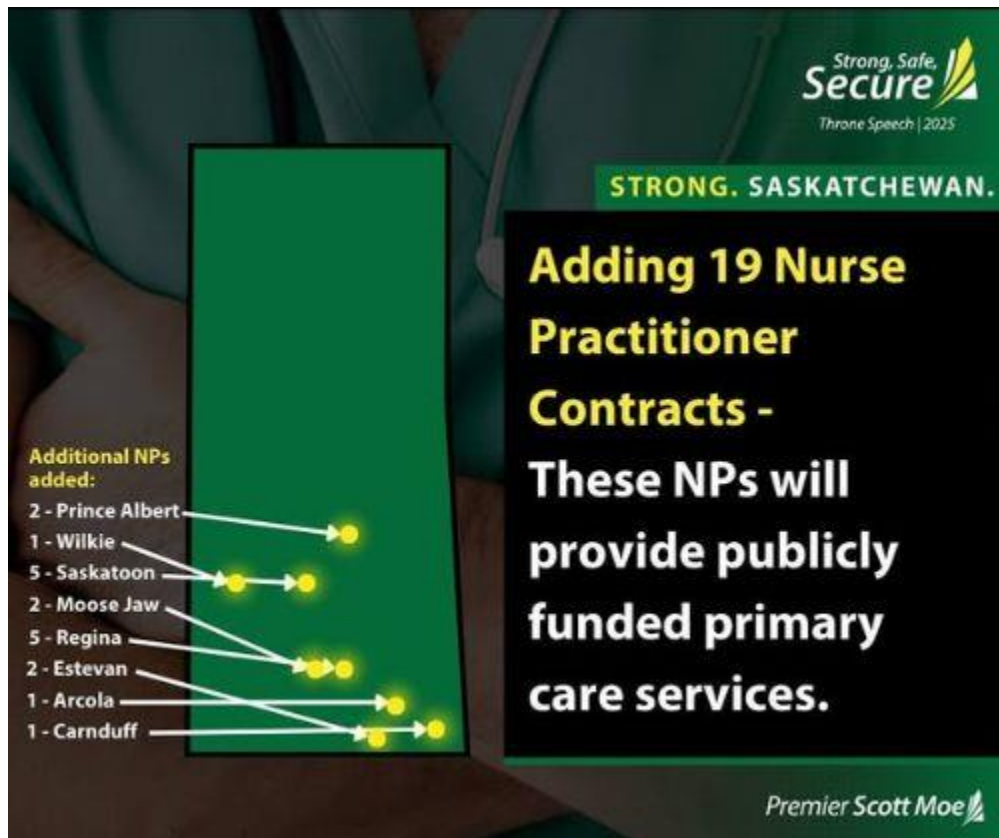
Learn more about how Saskatchewan is supporting international education: <https://bit.ly/49kpsdW>

The Government of Saskatchewan proudly recognizes International Education Week from November 17 to 21, 2025. Celebrated annually by governments and post-secondary institutions across Canada, this week recognizes the value of welcoming students and researchers who bring global perspectives to our classrooms and communities.

"Saskatchewan is ready and willing to welcome new international students and researchers to study at our exceptional post-secondary institutions," Advanced Education Minister Ken Cheveldayoff said. "They bring valuable cultural diversity and fresh perspectives to Saskatchewan's post-secondary classrooms, enriching the learning experience for everyone."

[Saskatchewan Recognizes International Education Week 2025 | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

SASKATCHEWAN EXPANDS PATIENT ACCESS TO PRIMARY CARE WITH 19 NURSE PRACTITIONER CONTRACTS



Expanding access to primary health care means more Saskatchewan residents will have a primary care provider by 2028.

To mark this progress, Minister of Health Jeremy Cockrill and leaders from the [SANP - Saskatchewan Association of Nurse Practitioners](#) visited the [NPower+ Health](#) clinic in Regina to highlight the expansion of publicly funded nurse practitioner contracts

across the province.

Learn more at <https://bit.ly/4oVgAjR>



The Government of Saskatchewan is delivering on its commitment to expand access for patients to primary care by signing 19 Nurse Practitioners (NPs) to contracts to provide publicly funded primary care services. This number is expected to continue to increase over the coming months with up to 30 contracts available.

“These new Nurse Practitioner contracts put patients first by expanding access to publicly funded primary care services, helping more Saskatchewan families to get the care they need sooner and closer to home,” Health Minister Jeremy Cockrill said. “Our government is committed to improving access to quality care for every patient, no matter where they live.”

This initiative, developed in close partnership with the Saskatchewan Association of Nurse Practitioners (SANP), is part of a broader strategy to ensure that everyone in Saskatchewan has access to a primary health care provider by the end of 2028. NP contracts are helping to deliver on this commitment.

[Saskatchewan Expands Patient Access to Primary Care with 19 Nurse Practitioner Contracts | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

VANIER CUP HELD SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22



Regina hosted the U Sports Vanier Cup championship for the first time in the event's 60-year history.

The Vanier Cup represents the pinnacle of Canadian university football—a chance for teams to compete for national glory. It's a great reminder of the many ways sport enriches our lives, from building lifelong skills and friendships to inspiring healthy, active living.

Huskies savour shot at historic Saskatchewan football championship trifecta in 60th Vanier Cup

By JC Abbott - November 21, 2025



Photo courtesy: Electric Umbrella/Liam Richards

Congratulations to our USask Huskies football team for providing us with great entertainment all season. You've done your University, City and Province proud! It was a fantastic weekend celebrating the Vanier Cup held in Regina. The organizing

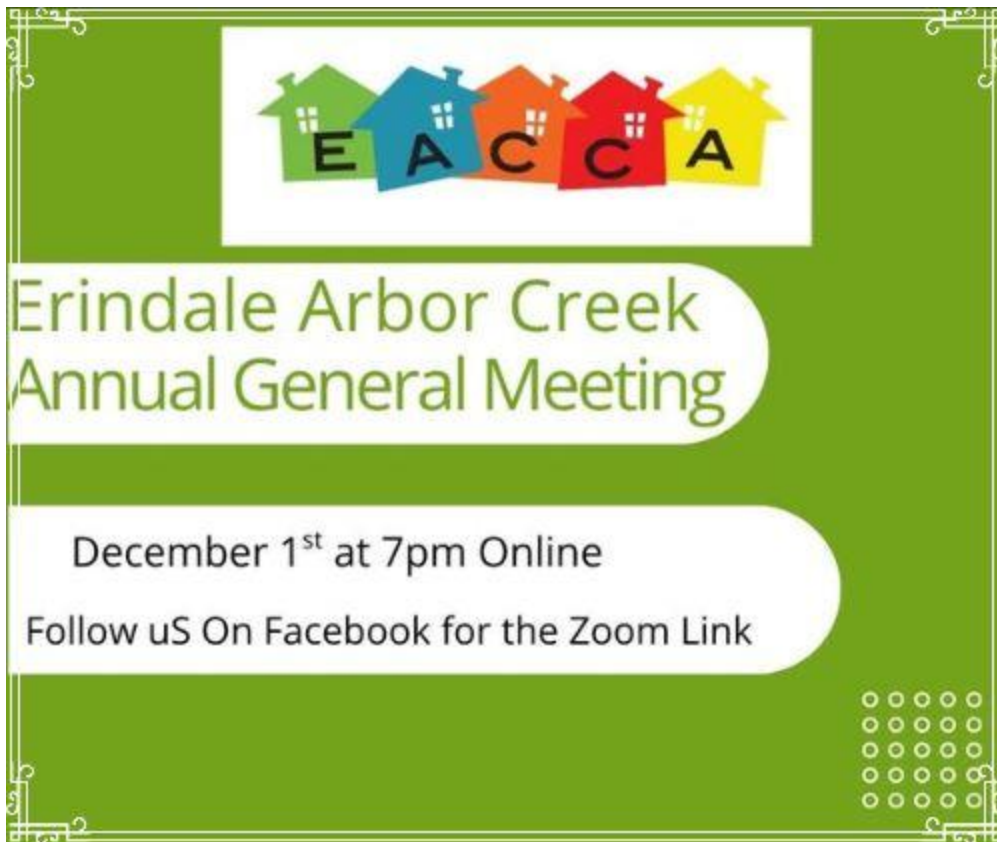
**committee and volunteers did an outstanding job making this a memorable event.
Congratulations!**



**REMINDERS - PLEASE GET INVOLVED IN YOUR COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS IN OUR
CONSTITUENCY OF SASKATOON WILLOWGROVE**



 Erindale Arbor Creek Annual General Meeting



 **Date: December 1st**

 **Time: 7:00 PM**

 **Location: Online via Zoom**

Join the Annual General Meeting!

To get the Zoom link, simply follow our page and stay updated on all the details.

 **Please consider getting involved in this excellent community organization. They are looking to fill the following positions:**

President

Vice President

Website Coordinator

Newsletter/Sponsorship Coordinator

They look forward to seeing you there!

Let's make 2025 a fantastic year for our community. 

WILLOWGROVE UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION



📣 Exciting Volunteer Opportunities at Our Community Association! ☀️

Are you passionate about bringing people together and fostering a vibrant community? Look no further! WUHCA has fantastic openings for key volunteer positions within our association, and they're eager to welcome talented individuals like you.

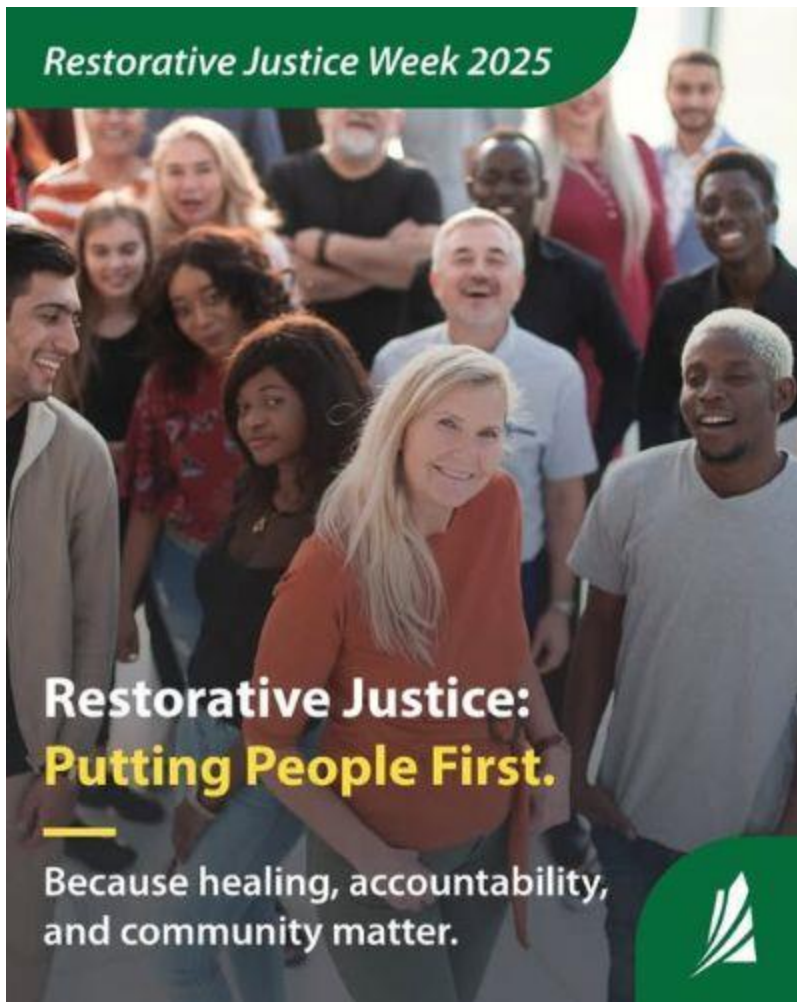
- Vice President
- Newsletter & Advertising Coordinator
- Assistant Soccer Coordinator
- Events Coordinator
- Softball Coordinator

📧 How to Volunteer:

If you're ready to embark on an incredible journey of community engagement, please contact us at contact@wuhca.ca if interested. We can't wait to hear from you!

💡 Help them spread the word by sharing this post with anyone who might be interested. Together, you can help build a thriving and connected community that we can all be proud of!

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Restorative justice is a victim-centered, flexible, and inclusive approach to justice. It fosters accountability, healing, and an opportunity to repair harm for victims, offenders, and communities.

Learn more at <https://bit.ly/4oLXBIB>

GOVERNMENT EXPANDS PROVINCIAL APPROACH TO HOMELESSNESS



The Government of Saskatchewan is building on the Provincial Approach to Homelessness (PATH), investing up to an additional \$20 million over three years to expand programs to prevent homelessness and enhance support services for individuals experiencing homelessness.

"Through the ministries of Social Services, Health, and Corrections, Policing and Public Safety, we have invested more than \$98 million in homelessness services since the foundational PATH investment was announced in 2023," Social Services Minister Terry Jenson said. "This additional provincial investment is building on programs and services already in place to provide multi-year funding for community-led responses to homelessness, expand emergency shelter capacity, and support transitions to supportive housing."

[Government Expands Provincial Approach to Homelessness | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

SASKATCHEWAN SCHOOL DIVISIONS RECEIVE FUNDING THROUGH NATIONAL SCHOOL FOOD PROGRAM



November 21, Legislative Secretary for Education Barret Kropf and Secretary of State, the Honourable Buckley Belanger, on behalf of Secretary of State (Children and Youth), the Honourable Anna Gainey, announced the next phase of the National School Food Program in Saskatchewan, which will provide funding to school divisions across the province to expand existing or develop new food programs.



Earlier this year, the Governments of Saskatchewan and Canada signed a \$15.8 million three-year agreement under the National School Food Program. Through the agreement, the Government of Saskatchewan is providing \$6.4 million of federal funding to school divisions in the 2025-26 school year to support programs that are responsive to the needs of students attending urban, rural or northern schools.

"The National School Food Program investment will help us further achieve our goal of providing a better quality of life for Saskatchewan students, families and communities," Education Minister Everett Hindley said. "Enhanced school food programs can provide immediate relief to families' household budgets and significantly increase access and reach for students."

[Saskatchewan School Divisions Receive Funding Through National School Food Program](#)
[| News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

THE "FROM MANY PEOPLES, STRENGTH" ACT



Recognizing Saskatchewan's Heritages

The "From Many Peoples, Strength" Act

Enshrining into law the days, weeks, and months that celebrate the unique heritages of Saskatchewan's many peoples.

Parks, Culture, & Sport Minister Alana Ross was pleased to introduce in the assembly The Heritage Recognition (From Many Peoples, Strength) Act to celebrate the heritages of Saskatchewan's many peoples.



This legislation, titled after our provincial motto “from many peoples strength” will ensure that significant cultural days, weeks, and months will be automatically recognized each year once proclaimed by the Provincial government.

Saskatchewan has the strongest economy in Canada and continues to be a land of opportunity for people to live, work, and raise a family.

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Find support at: <https://abuse.sk.211.ca/>

FEEL THE MAGIC OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON - LET US KNOW IF YOU HAVE AN EVENT YOU'D LIKE US TO INCLUDE

FESTIVAL OF TREES



Get into the holiday spirit at the @festivaloftreessk in Saskatoon! 🌲

Explore stunning displays of decorated Christmas trees, wreaths and gingerbread creations at the @wdm.ca.

Every visit supports the Saskatoon City Hospital Foundation.

 November 21 - 29, 2025

 Western Development Museum

 Grab your tickets now 🙌 <https://www.festival-of-trees.com/hours--admission.html>

BHP ENCHANTED FOREST HOLIDAY LIGHT TOUR



It's that time of year again, Saskatoon's most magical traditions, the [BHP Enchanted Forest Holiday Light Tour!](#) 🌲💡

Bundle up, hop in the car, and take in over a million twinkling lights as you drive through one of Canada's most spectacular holiday displays. 🌲🚗

Whether it's your first visit or an annual family tradition, the magic of the Enchanted Forest never gets old.

 **NOW** - January 4, 2026

 **Saskatoon Forestry Farm Park & Zoo**

 **Tickets available now at the gate!**

SASKATOON FAMILY FUN CHRISTMAS EVENT GUIDE



did you know you can find all your holiday events in one place? Family Fun Saskatoon add to their event calendar daily, and it is filling up with seasonal fun! Make sure you check it out here:

<https://www.familyfuncanada.com/saskatoon/calendar/>

PRAIRLAND PARK HOLIDAY SHOPPING



Get ready for incredible markets filled with handmade goods, festive cheer, and local charm. Come find the perfect gift and soak up the spirit of the holidays! ❤️

🎄 Merry Makers Market at Glow Saskatoon – Nov 27–Dec 28

🛍️ Kith & Kin Holiday Market – Dec 13 & 14

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[Illegal Possession and Transport of Timber Nets Almost \\$10,000 in Fines | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)



[New Funding will Support Victims of Crime and Build Community Safety in West Central Saskatchewan | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan](#)

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