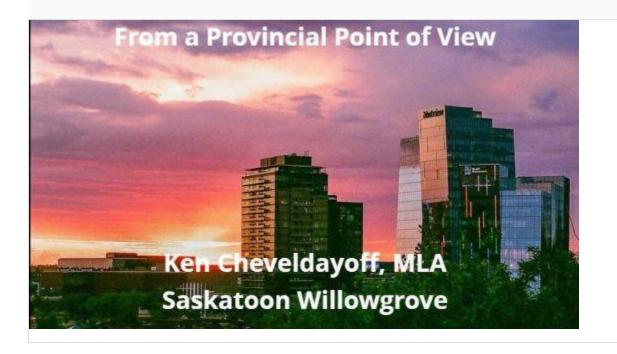
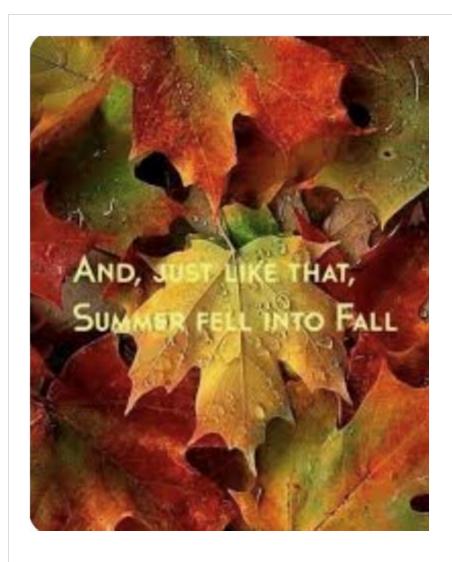
Check out what's happening in Saskatoon Willowgrove and throughout the Province!





NEW PROVINCIAL FUNDING SUPPORTS YEAR-ROUND HOMELESSNESS DROP-IN SERVICES IN SASKATOON



The Government of Saskatchewan is providing an additional \$3 million in annual funding to provide drop-in homelessness services 365 days per year for people who need it in Saskatoon.

"Our government is responding to rising needs in Saskatoon by providing predictable and consistent annual funding and continuity of year-round service delivery to support people experiencing homelessness," Social Services Minister Terry Jenson said. "Annual funding will also support better coordination between the Province, City of Saskatoon, and Indigenous and community partners as we continue to tackle this very complex issue together."

New Provincial Funding Supports Year-Round Homelessness Drop-In Services in Saskatoon | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan

GREAT GAME AS THE U OF S HUSKIES HOSTED THE REGINA RAMS



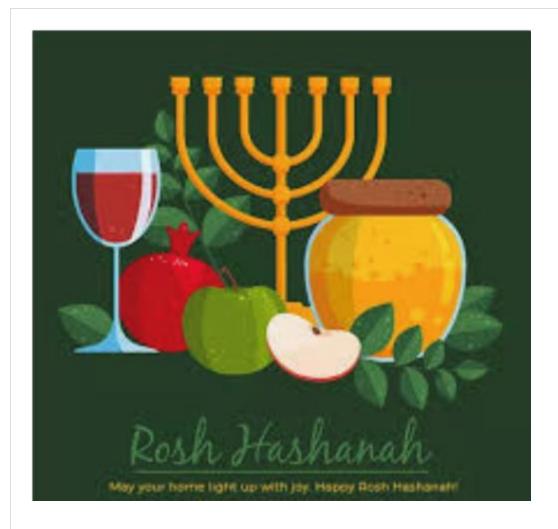
It was such a delight to join President Keshen, U of R, and President Peter Stoicheff, U of S, along with several fans from Saskatchewan in attendance last Friday Griffith's Stadium Nutrien Park as the University of Saskatchewan Huskies hosted the Regina Rams.

The Dogs took on the Rams for the first time since their 2024 Hardy Cup matchup in last Friday's U-Prairie Challenge presented by @saskmilk. The rematch everyone had been waiting for. Both teams provided fans with an excellent game. The final score resulted in a Huskies Win 22-20. Congratulations to coaches and players.



The Vanier Cup was also on display!

ROSH HASHANAH 2025 / רֹאשׁ הַשָּׁנֶה



Rosh Hashanah, literally meaning "head of the year," is much more than just a calendar change. It's considered the Day of Judgment when, according to Jewish tradition, G-d evaluates each person's deeds from the past year and determines their fate for the coming year.

**Key themes of Rosh Hashanah include:** 

Reflection and Repentance: A time for honest self-examination and commitment to personal growth

Renewal: The opportunity for a fresh start and spiritual renewal Kingship: Acknowledging G-d's sovereignty over the universe Community: Coming together with family and community for prayer and celebration

Rosh Hashanah 2025 began at sundown on Monday, September 22, and continued through Wednesday, September 24. These two days marked the start of the Jewish year 5786.

Both days of Rosh Hashanah are considered full festival days (Yom Tov) when observant Jews refrain from work and focus on prayer, reflection, and celebration.

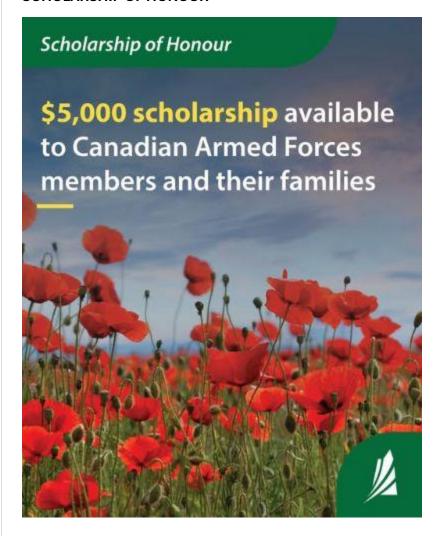
#### HIS EXCELLENCY IDDO MOED



I had the privilege of meeting with His Excellency, Iddo Moed, the Ambassador representing the Government of Israel. We engaged in a productive discussion highlighting Saskatchewan's world-leading agriculture sector, focusing on sustainability and production in grains and oilseeds. As Minister of Advanced

Education, we discussed mutual opportunities and the importance of Advanced Education, including NRGene, an Israel-based genomics and AI company.

#### **SCHOLARSHIP OF HONOUR**



Are you a Canadian Armed Forces Member or the family of a member? You may be eligible for a \$5,000 scholarship to help fund your studies!

The Scholarship of Honour is for current Canadian Armed Forces Members and the spouses and children of fallen members or members with a disability. It offers a one-time award to support their post-secondary education journey.

**Learn more and apply today:** <a href="https://www.saskatchewan.ca/.../saskatchewan.scholarship....">https://www.saskatchewan.ca/.../saskatchewan.scholarship....</a>

#### MEETING WITH THE GOVERNOR OF THE BANK OF CANADA



I had the pleasure of joining Premier Scott Moe for a meeting with Tiff Macklem, Governor of the Bank of Canada this past week.

The Premier and the Governor spoke at a luncheon sponsored by Saskatchewan Trade and Export Partnership (STEP) and the Greater Saskatoon Chamber of Commerce at TCU in Saskatoon, which drew a sold-out crowd.



The conversation centered on Saskatchewan's impressive GDP growth and low unemployment rate. The country needs more Saskatchewan!

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR THE 2025 SASKATCHEWAN VOLUNTEER MEDAL

# Nominations are Open



# The Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal

Deadline: October 31, 2025

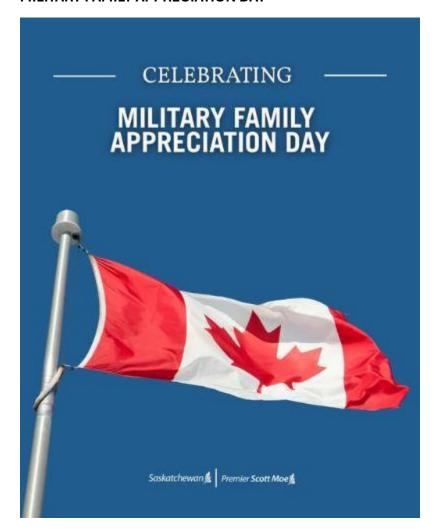


Nominations are now being accepted for the 2025 Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal.

"For decades I have had the pleasure of working alongside dedicated and enthusiastic volunteers," Lieutenant Governor Bernadette McIntyre said. "No matter what the cause or event, right across the province, Saskatchewan volunteers step up. Things get done, and our communities flourish because of volunteers. A role this important deserves recognition. When someone stands out among a province of remarkable volunteers, that person deserves a truly prestigious honour - and that honour is the Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal."

Nominations Now Open for the 2025 Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan

#### **MILITARY FAMILY APPRECIATION DAY**



September 19th, we recognized Military Family Appreciation Day.

Premier Scott Moe, "Behind every soldier is a family that serves alongside them—sacrificing time together, facing challenges with courage, and providing unwavering support.

On behalf of Saskatchewan, thank you to our military families for the strength, love, and resilience you bring to our communities and our country."

22ND ANNUAL SASKATCHWAN SPORTS HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CEREMONY



I was delighted to attend the 22nd Annual Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony, which took place at the Conexus Arts Centre in Regina last weekend. The ceremony recognized the achievements of two teams and five individuals.

It was an honour to bring greetings on behalf of Premier Scott Moe and Minister of Parks, Culture and Sport, Alana Ross. It was pleased to share the podium with Her Honour, Bernadette MacIntyre, and be joined by former WHL Commissioner Ron Robison.

It was great to have my colleague, MLA Barrett Kropf attend along with Trent Wotherspoon, Nicole Sauer, Joan Pratchler, and Brent Blakely, as well as MP Andrew Scheer.

The Government of Saskatchewan is proud to provide support to the Sports Hall of Fame through Sask Sport and the Saskatchewan Lotteries Trust Fund.

SASKATCHEWAN CELEBRATES ANNUAL SUPPLY CHAIN WEEK



Province's Resilient Supply Chain Drives Economic Growth

The Government of Saskatchewan has proclaimed September 21 to 27, 2025 as Supply Chain Week. This proclamation shows Saskatchewan's commitment to strengthening domestic production, responding to global trade challenges and supporting professionals who keep goods and services moving across the province and beyond.

"In Saskatchewan, we export nearly 70 per cent of everything we produce and it is imperative that we get our goods to customers throughout Canada and around the world as seamlessly as possible," Trade and Export Development Minister Warren Kaeding said. "A strong, reliable supply chain and the people who keep it running are crucial to our economic prosperity and livelihood. We are committed to working with our partners to create opportunities that will drive economic growth, improve job security, and increase trade competitiveness for generations to come."

Saskatchewan Celebrates Annual Supply Chain Week | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan

#### SASKATCHEWAN'S ECONOMY SET TO OUTPERFORM THE NATION AS WHOLE IN 2025



Saskatchewan has the strongest economy in Canada. That was confirmed again today in TD Bank's latest economic forecast that says we will lead the nation in economic growth this year.

Strong growth in mining, construction and public services, paired with the lowest unemployment rate in Canada, shows the strength of our province.

With major projects underway and global demand for our resources rising, Saskatchewan is well positioned for long-term growth and opportunity.

#### PLEASE KEEP IN TOUCH

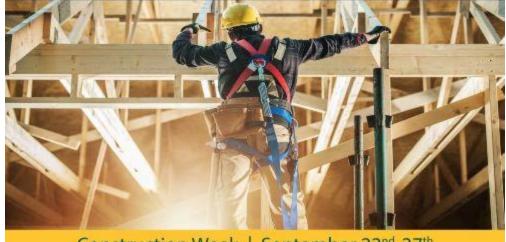


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I appreciate the opportunity to make a positive difference in our constituency. Your phone calls, letters, and emails make a big difference in keeping me informed on the issues that matter to you.

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.

**CELEBRATING THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY** 



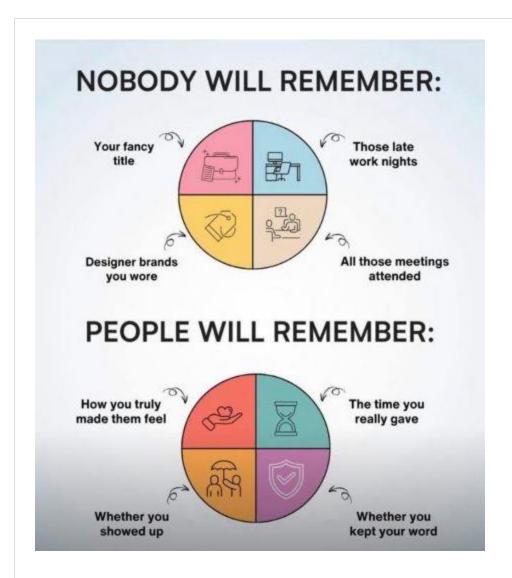
Construction Week | September 22<sup>nd</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>

# Celebrating the Construction Industry

Thank you to the over 51,000 people in the sector who are building our province and growing our economy.

This surge shows more people are choosing to call Saskatchewan home which means more jobs, opportunities, and greater affordability for the citizens of our evergrowing province.

Housing starts measure the number of new homes under construction. For more information visit InvestSK.ca.



**SASKATCHEWAN KEEPS GROWING** 



Saskatchewan's population continued to grow in the second quarter of 2025, reaching an all-time high of 1,266,959 on July 1, 2025 according to new Statistics Canada population estimates released today.

Saskatchewan grew by 19,091 people or 1.5 per cent over the past year, third highest in Canada and well ahead of the national rate of 0.9 per cent. The population grew by 2,422 in the second quarter of 2025.

Saskatchewan has the strongest economy in Canada and the provincial government is working to meet both the opportunities and the challenges of a growing province.

OVERDOSE OUTREACH TEAM TO SHARE RESOURCES AND SAVE LIVES



Multiple agencies came together with the Overdose Outreach Team to share resources and save lives this year.

An increase in overdoses this year in Saskatoon created challenges to health care delivery and calls for help.

The team, which operates in both Regina and Saskatoon and typically provides postoverdose support, needed to change how they responded to helping people.

Read more about how the team responded to the surge of

referrals: <a href="https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca/.../overdose-outreach...">https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca/.../overdose-outreach...</a>

NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH & RECONCILIATION SEPTEMBER 30TH



September 30<sup>th</sup> is the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. This day is meant to recognize the devastating impact that residential schools and other government policies have had on Indigenous People's lives and the ongoing impact it still has today. This day is a vital component of the reconciliation process and is meant to honour and acknowledge the Survivors of residential schools and those who are no longer with us, and the families and communities impacted by the tragic and painful history of residential schools.

Truth and Reconcilition Day honours the past, heals the present and inspires the future. It is intended to raise awareness of the individual, family, and community inter-generational impacts of residential schools, and to promote the concept of "Every Child Matters". People are encouraged to wear the orange shirt to honour the residential school survivors and symbolize the stripping away of culture, freedom, and self-esteem experienced by Indigenous children over generations.

**FALL YARD CLEANING TIPS** 



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Happy autumn! While the beauty of autumn is undeniable, it's also the perfect time to prepare our homes and yards from potential wildfire risks.

Dry leaves, grass clippings, branches and dead twigs act like fuel for fires. A single spark or ember can ignite them.

- imes Trim and tidy: Cut back branches, weeds, and overgrown grass.
- Rake and remove: Clear dry leaves, pine needles and other debris within 1.5 metres of your home. Don't let them pile up; dispose of them properly.
- Store Firewood Safely: Keep firewood piles, trailers, and other combustible materials at least 10 metres away from your home.

A little cleanup now helps keep your home and community safer all season long. For more information, visit: <a href="https://firesmartcanada.ca/">https://firesmartcanada.ca/</a>

#### 2025 SASKATCHEWAN POLICE & PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL







# Sunday • September 28 • Regina

The public is invited to join us along the parade route and in front of the Legislative Building

## Parade of Officers 10:30 a.m.

All peace and police officers, active and retired, are invited to participate
Royal Saskatchewan Museum – College Avenue and Albert Street
(Parade will proceed south on Albert Street to the Legislative Building)

# Wreath Laying Ceremony 11:00 a.m.

At the Legislative Building (front steps)



#### For more information contact:

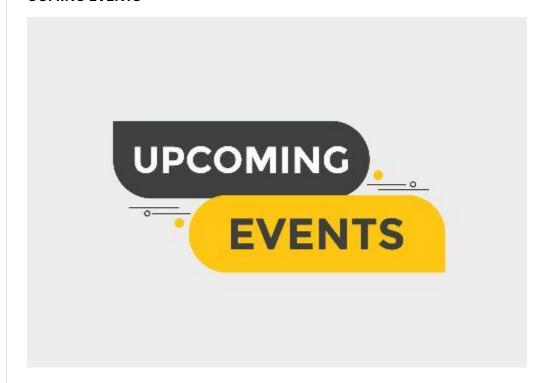
Casey Ward at 306-533-5482 or CWard@reginapolice.ca Mikael Ziola at 306-220-1924 or mikael.ziola@police.saskatoon.sk.ca



#### News Release 2025-0616: Saskatchewan Police and Peace Officers'

Memorial <a href="https://saskatoonpolice.ca/news/2025616">https://saskatoonpolice.ca/news/2025616</a>

#### **COMING EVENTS**



**ABEX AWARDS** 



Who's in the room at ABEX? The leaders, innovators, and entrepreneurs driving Saskatchewan forward. Be part of the connections that matter.

🧦 September 27, 2025 | TCU Place, Saskatoon, SK 🧦

Get your tickets today at abex.saskchamber.com

#### **FAMILY FUN SASKATOON PUMPKIN SEASON!**



Pumpkin Patches are starting to open, and we've got the lowdown on some of the best ones to visit from all our Family Fun cities. Why visit a pumpkin patch? It's a great opportunity to get that picture-perfect moment for your Christmas cards or capture an Instagram-worthy moment. Pumpkin patches are a fantastic opportunity to get out with your family, let your kids explore the pumpkins, and pick the best pumpkins to take home. Pumpkin Patch visits with your kids will leave them with amazing memories and a love of this season. Find out where you can find pumpkin patches across Canada here: <a href="https://www.familyfuncanada.com/pumpkin-patches-across.../">https://www.familyfuncanada.com/pumpkin-patches-across.../</a>

Family Fun Canada Family Fun Halifax Family Fun Toronto Family Fun Calgary Family Fun Edmonton Family Fun Vancouver

#### **NSBA LESSONS I'VE LEARNED**



Introducing our first speaker for the 19th Annual Lessons I've Learned presented by Travelodge Saskatoon, Jana Ellis, former owner of Bill's House of Flowers "I have "worked" my whole life at Bill's House of Flowers; from filling water picks and floral food packages at the young age of 5 or 6, to delivering flowers at the busy holidays or taking care of invoicing during my years at university...it feels like I have always been at the shop in some capacity. After the passing of my father Bill Ellis in 1999, I took on the role of manager and in 2007 bought the business from my mom. Owning a business was not the path I had envision but have enjoyed the past 26 years here and looking forward to some new adventures as I will be selling my business to my employee of 18 years, Chantel Pulak."

Learn from Jana's and our other speakers' experiences on October 7th! Do not miss out on this one-of-a-kind event.

# Get your tickets today using the link below:

https://nsbasask.com/.../nsbas-19th-annual-lessons-ive.../

#### **CELEBRATE FALL IN SASKATOON**



Fall is just around the corner, and Saskatoon is ready to shine in the season's golden glow! Our newest blog, Celebrate Fall in Saskatoon: A 24-Hour Itinerary, is your guide to cozy cafés, crisp outdoor adventures, and unforgettable autumn moments.

ז The perfect read to plan your fall weekend, just in time for the first day of Fall

👉 Check it out here: https://www.discoversaskatoon.com/.../celebrate-fall-in...

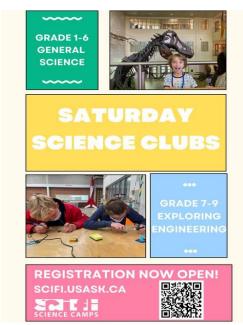
#### OCTOBERFEST HOSTED BY THE GERMAN CLUB



Oktoberfest being hosted by the German Canadian Club Concordia of Saskatoon Inc. and the Nutana Legion on October 4th. Check it out if you want great food, entertainment, dancers, interactive displays and contests and balloon art and facepainting for kids of all ages!

For information: check germancanadianclubconcordia.wilapricot.org under events

#### **SATURDAY SCIENCE CLUB**



Saturday Science Clubs at the University of Saskatchewan will have children engaged in science fun as they attend the weekly sessions. They will have fun, meet friends, be challenged to learn more, and will love telling you about the new activities. Youth from grade one and up will have hands-on science and engineering projects and activities every Saturday. If you want to learn more about SCI FI Saturdays at the <u>University of Saskatchewan</u>,

SCI FI Saturday Science Clubs | Family Fun Saskatoon

#### **OCTOBERFEST ON THE PRAIRIES**



The ultimate Oktoberfest on the Prairies celebration is coming up! Mark October 3 & 4 on your calendar for a weekend of vibrant culture, delicious food, and fantastic

entertainment!
Get your tickets today at Shorturl.at/ldcFp

#### **COMEDY TOUR**



Bored Teachers "The Struggle is Real" will be a win-win with a night out and a night of laughter. The hilarious comedy tour, brought to you by Outback Presents, is coming to Saskatoon in October. If you have an educator in your life or want to get BIG brownie points with your child's teacher, make sure to grab them tickets now!

#### CLICK THE LINKS TO READ THE LATEST GOVERNMENT NEWS RELEASES



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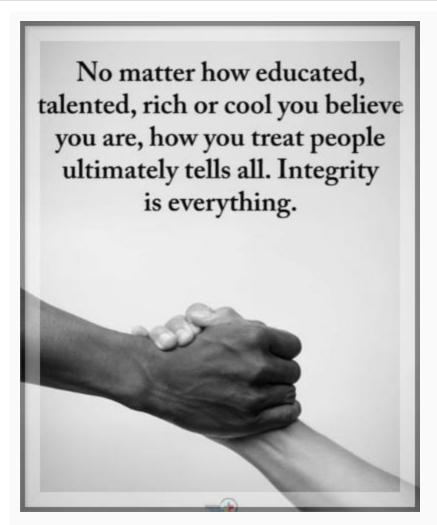
\$100,000 Short Line Railway Pilot Safety Project Announced During Rail Safety Week | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan



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**THOUGHT OF THE DAY** 



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