

## NEW DIAGNOSTIC TRAINING SEATS AT SASKATCHEWAN POLYTECHNIC



More students can now train to become Medical Laboratory Technologists (MLT) and Medical Radiologic Technologists (MRT) at Saskatchewan Polytechnic this fall.

The Government of Saskatchewan has provided funding for 10 additional MLT seats and eight additional MRT seats in Saskatoon to help meet the need for these specialized services.



"Expanded training opportunities will help more students find rewarding health care careers right here in Saskatchewan," Advanced Education Minister Gordon Wyant said. "Our government continues to work with post-secondary institutions to support students who want to train for these in-demand careers in our growing province."

New Diagnostic Training Seats at Saskatchewan Polytechnic | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan

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Do you have any suggestions or ideas to make this newsletter better?

We invite your feedback.

Please let us know by emailing ken.cheveldayoff.mla@sasktel.net

MORE STUDENTS CHOOSING USASK



The <u>University of Saskatchewan</u> achieved record enrolment this fall welcoming students from around the world to campus!

More students are choosing USask to learn, to grow as leaders, and to make new knowledge as innovators and researchers.

As of the first day of classes, on Wednesday, Sept. 6, enrolment at the University of Saskatchewan has increased by almost three per cent compared to the first day of fall classes last year.

Included in that is a 1.8 per cent increase in self-declared Indigenous students, as well as a six per cent increase in international student enrolment. The number of new students beginning their studies at USask has also increased by nine per cent compared to last year.

"It's great to see more students choosing USask," said Dr. Jerome Cranston (PhD), vice-provost, students and learning. "We are committed to creating a teaching and learning environment that is welcoming and inclusive so all students can succeed academically and socially."

USask reaches record enrolment - News - University of Saskatchewan

## NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR THE 2023 SASKATCHEWAN VOLUNTEER MEDAL



Nominations are now being accepted for the 2023 Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal.

"Saskatchewan people are known for our volunteerism and our community-minded approach," Lieutenant Governor Russ Mirasty said. "Thousands of our citizens go out of their way to help others every year. It is important that we recognize the dedication and selfless acts of our province's volunteers. We can make that happen by nominating outstanding individuals in our communities."

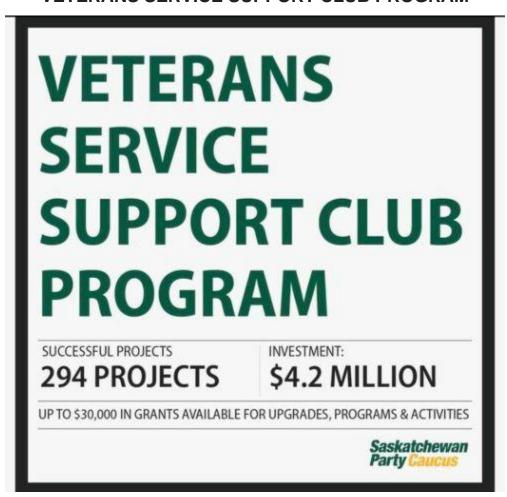
The Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal was established in 1995 to formally recognize the selfless devotion of the province's volunteers, and as a way to present role models to Saskatchewan citizens.

Individuals or groups are encouraged to nominate current or former long-term residents of Saskatchewan who go above and beyond for their community through acts of volunteerism.

Nominations will be received until October 31, 2023. Online nominations are encouraged, but nominations will also be accepted by mail, courier or in-person.

For more information on the award, or to nominate someone for the Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal, visit saskatchewan.ca/honoursawards.

#### **VETERANS SERVICE SUPPORT CLUB PROGRAM**



We are proud to continue supporting the veterans who have done so much for our province and our country through the Saskatchewan Veteran Service Club Support Program.

With a \$4.2 million investment this program has funded 294 successful projects across Saskatchewan since its inception in 2019.

## SASKATCHEWAN DELEGATION PREPARING FOR NATIONAL HEALTH CARE WORKER RECRUITMENT



Full-Time Permanent Employment Opportunities And Affordable Living To Help Draw New Recruits

The Saskatchewan Healthcare Recruitment Agency (SHRA) and the Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) will kick off its first National Health Care Recruitment Tour later this month to promote employment opportunities, benefits and incentives available in the province.

"As part of our recruitment efforts, we will continue to promote our province as the great place it is, offering a lower cost of living, excellent wages and benefits, plus strong health care teams and wonderful communities to join," Health Minister Everett Hindley said. "With the health care career opportunities and incentives in place, there has never been a better time to consider a move to Saskatchewan."

Saskatchewan Delegation Preparing for National Health Care Worker Recruitment | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan

CROP REPORT FOR THE PERIOD OF AUGUST 29 TO SEPTEMBER 4, 2023



Producers have crossed the half-way point of harvest this week at 51 per cent complete. This is up from 33 per cent last week, ahead of the five-year average (2018-2022) of 34 per cent and the 10-year (2013-2022) of 33 per cent.

The southwest continues to lead harvest progress at 81 per cent complete, this includes an estimated three per cent of all crops being used as a feed source. Harvest in the west central region is also rapidly advancing with 60 per cent of the crop in the bin. The southeast is close to the half-way point at 49 per cent complete. The northwest has made significant progress this week and is now 21 per cent complete.

<u>Crop Report for the Period of August 29 to September 4, 2023 | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan</u>

**CONGRATULATIONS DR. GIVELICHIAN!** 



Saskatchewan's Jim Pattison Children's Hospital Foundation's (JPCHF) team and Board of Directors would like to extend our sincere congratulations to our Board Chair, Dr. Laurentiu Givelichian for being recognized by Marquis Who's Who Top Doctors for his dedication, achievements, and leadership in the field of health care.

Dr. Givelichian previously served as the Provincial Head of the Department of Pediatrics from 2011 until 2019, and has been Chair of the JPCHF Board of Directors since 2021. He has established himself as a physician of neonatology and pediatric critical care, and has a long list of accomplishments, including the vital role he played with building Jim Pattison Children's Hospital in Saskatchewan.

Dr. Givelichian continues excelling in his profession and serving the children and families of this province. We are grateful for his dedication and commitment to pediatric health care in Saskatchewan!

Read more: https://marquistopdoctors.com/.../laurentiu-givelichian/...

## PROVINCE ADDS 4,600 JOBS OVER LAST YEAR - 2,800 OVER LAST MONTH



Labour Force Hits All-Time High, Unemployment Rate at 5.4 Per Cent

Saskatchewan continues to demonstrate strong labour force growth, with 4,600 new jobs year over year according to newly released labour force figures from Statistics Canada with the labour force climbing to 632,800 an all-time high. Monthly job gains showed 2,800 jobs created, ranking 3rd among the provinces.

"With each month of growth, Saskatchewan gets closer to achieving its Growth Plan goal of adding 100,000 jobs by 2030," Immigration and Career Training Jeremy Harrison SAID. "Investment in Saskatchewan is driving our economic growth, but our strong labour force is critical to Saskatchewan's continued advancement on our goal of making Saskatchewan the best place to live, work and raise a family."

<u>Province Adds 4,600 Jobs Over Last Year - 2,800 Over Last Month | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan</u>

#### A LAUGH FOR YOU!



A FEW SUGGESTIONS - WHAT TO ASK YOUR KIDS

### "HOW WAS YOUR DAY?"

- What made you smile today?
- Can you tell me an example of kindness you saw/showed?
- What did you do that was creative?
- Who did you sit with at lunch?
- Was anyone in your class gone today?
- Tell me something you know today that you didn't know yesterday.
- Did you like your lunch?
- What was the hardest rule to follow today?
- If you could change one thing about your day, what would it be?
- What made your teacher smile? What made her frown?
- If you could switch seats with anyone in class, who would it be? And why?
- What kind of person were you today?

**FUN FACT** 



In 2022, 13,630 post-secondary credentials were awarded to graduates by Saskatchewan's public institutions! This is an increase of 17.9% since 2015.

The full Post-Secondary Education Indicators Report on Credentials is available at saskatchewan.ca, and check out the statistics on Saskatchewan's Dashboard here https://dashboard.saskatchewan.ca/education-learning

**EARLY CHILDHOOD INTERVENTION PRORAM WEEK** 



Thank you to the ECIPs across the province making a difference to children and families.

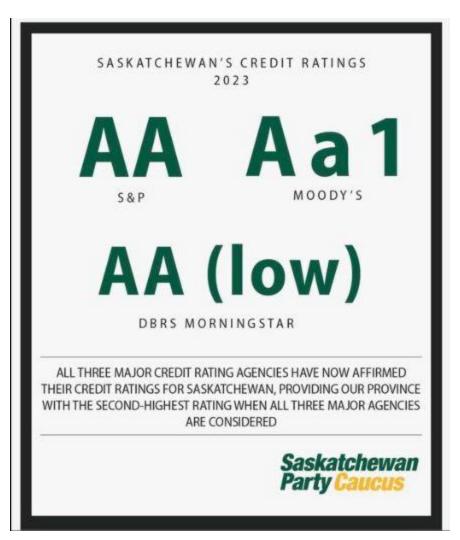
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Early Childhood Intervention Program (ECIP) Week is September 10–16! ECIPs engage families to assist kids to overcome delays and enhance the abilities of children experiencing disabilities.

The programs work to help improve the success of children with disabilities in their transition to school, a priority of the Saskatchewan Disability Strategy.

**SASKATCHEWAN'S CREDIT RATINGS 2023** 



Our government is pleased that all three major credit agencies have now affirmed their credit ratings for Saskatchewan, providing us the second-highest rating when all three agencies are considered. Saskatchewan's financial outlook remains strong as we continue to pay down debt while investing in the programs and services that matter most to you.

**BENEFITS OF SASKATCHEWAN STUDENT AID** 

# Benefits of Saskatchewan Student Aid Your loan is interest-free while you study. You are automatically assessed for grant eligibility. There are repayment options available to fit your needs. Saskatchewan.ca

Are you considering applying for Saskatchewan Student Aid? There are many benefits for #skstudents who choose to take advantage of student aid:

- Your loan is interest-free during your studies.
- ✓ You are automatically assessed for grant eligibility when you apply for student aid.
- ✓ There are a variety of repayment options to fit your unique circumstances, including the Repayment Assistance Plan.

For more information on Saskatchewan Student Aid,

visit https://www.saskatchewan.ca/.../education.../student-loans.

#### **BALANCE SHEET OF LIFE**

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The most destructive habitWorry
The greatest joy Giving
The greatest loss Loss of Self-respect
The most satisfying work Helping Others
The ugliest personality trait Selfishness
The greatest "shot in the arm" Encouragement
The greatest problem to overcome Fear
The most effective sleeping pill Peace of Mind
The most crippling failure disease Excuses
The most powerful force in life Love
The most dangerous act A Gossip
The world's most incredible computer The Brain
The worst thing to be without Hope
The deadliest weapon The Tongue
The two most power-filled words"I Can"
The greatest asset Faith
The most worthless emotion Selp-pity
The most beautiful attire Smile!
The most prized possession Integrity
The most powerful channel of communication Prayer
The most contagious spirit Enthusiasm

LIFE ends, when you stop DREAMING. HOPE ends, when you stop BELIEVING. LOVE ends, when you stop CARING.

**GREAT TOURIST SITES IN SASKATCHEWAN** 



- Legislative Building, Wascana Centre.
- Farming In Saskatchewan.
- **P**Saskatoon Forestry Farm Park & Zoo.
- Northern Lights, Scott Lake Lodge.
- Tourism Saskatchewan, Dave Reede Photography, Thomas Poter, and Chris Hendrickson Photography.

#### CHECK OUT THE EACCA FALL NEWSLETTER



I was pleased to have the opportunity to have a message in the Erindale Arbor Creed Community Association Newsletter.

Check it out: EACCA Fall 2023 (erindalearborcreek.org)

**ROADSIDE INSPECTION OPERATION A GREAT SUCCESS** 



While many of us were enjoying the last day of the August long weekend, Yorkton-area conservation officers and their law enforcement partners were on the job August 7 at a roadside inspection station, keeping the public safe and protecting Saskatchewan waters from invasive species.

During the multi-agency operation that included the RCMP and Saskatchewan Highway Patrol, 601 vehicles came through the check stop on Highway 10 east of Yorkton. Officers inspected 22 watercraft for aquatic invasive species and decontaminated six boats that were deemed high risk. The successful operation also uncovered a variety of violations, including:

- transporting watercraft with drain plug in place;
- transporting fish that can't be identified;
- driving without a valid licence;
- child restraint and seatbelt violations;
- driving while impaired by cannabis;
- possessing cannabis in a vehicle;
- possessing illicit cigarettes;
- exceeding registered gross vehicle weight; and
- improperly securing cargo.

Roadside Inspection Operation a Great Success | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan

#### TRAINING VOUCHER PROGRAM

# Training Voucher Program

Eligible training fees include:

- Tuition fees
- Books
- Supplies
- Other training costs

saskatchewan.ca/saskjobs



Are you looking for training opportunities to help advance or switch your career?

You may be eligible for the Training Voucher Program to help cover tuition, books and other training expenses!

Are you unemployed because of changes in your industry? Our Career Services team can help you identify alternative career and training opportunities.

Book an appointment with SaskJobs Career Services for career counselling and to learn more about the Training Voucher Program: https://bit.ly/44JQUwl

## COMMUNITY AIRPORTS APPLY FOR FUNDING FOR 2024-25 PROJECTS



The Government of Saskatchewan is now accepting applications for the next intake of the Community Airport Partnership (CAP) program for 2024-25. As community airport projects are well underway across the province, focus shifts to intake for 2024-25. The announcement was made in Weyburn by Highways Minister Lori Carr today.

"Communities have expressed the need for more time to tender crucial projects aimed at enhancing their airports, which play a vital role in providing essential transportation," Carr said. "These collaborative investments continue to lead to important upgrades and maintenance for our local airports."

<u>Community Airports Apply for Funding for 2024-25 Projects | News and Media | Government of Saskatchewan</u>



#### **MURAL PARTY**



Confederation is officially unveiling an expansive mural of over 1000 square foot featuring an immersive Augmented Reality experience!

Josh Jacobson, the artist, has partnered with the mall to produce a vibrant, bright, and interactive artwork to demonstrate the value of our community, and will be present at he Mural Launch to celebrate

his work.

When: Thursday, September 14th, from 5PM - 7PM in the Confederation Mall Parking lot near the Bus Terminal for a FREE BBQ, MINI-DONUTS, music and more!\*

## WILLOWGROVE UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION FAMILY FUN DAY THIS SATURDAY!



## Fun Day In the Park

Wallace Park (Behind the Willowgrove Schools) Saturday, September 16th 11 am -2 pm

\*\*Bike Parade Starts at 1 pm\*\*

Bring your decorated bike, scooter or wagon to the parade or decorate with us at the art station in the park

Parade route: Will start at the spray park in Wallace Park

- Invite your friends to participate!
- Treats for participants!
- · Free Yoga starts at 11 am bring your mat or towel
- Bouncy Castles, Face Painting, Hair Braiding
   Free Refreshments
  - Learn More About Upcoming Community Programs, Meet Your Neighbors!

www.wuhca.ca

REGISTER TO ATTEND NEXT SUNDAY'S CLOSING CEREMONY



Closing Ceremonies 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

Registration is accepted until Sunday at 11am <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Closing\_Ceremonies">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Closing\_Ceremonies</a> Location-ForestryFarmPark

SEE FULL LIST OF EVENTS <a href="https://ipsk.ca/event/welcoming-week-calendar-of-events/">https://ipsk.ca/event/welcoming-week-calendar-of-events/</a> 'Turning Here Into Home"

https://ipsk.ca

CAREER FAIRS ACROSS THE PROVINCE



Are you ready to start planning for your future?

Explore potential opportunities at career fairs across the province:

University of Regina Career Day Job Fair: September 25, 2023

University of Saskatchewan Fall Career Day: September 26, 2023

University of Saskatchewan Pharmacy Career Day: October 11, 2023

There is more to come! Check with your institution to learn about career fairs happening on your campus.

**PBR: CANADA CUP SERIES** 



Mark your calendars for October 28th! It's going to be an electrifying night of bull riding action you won't want to miss!

#### Saturday, October 28 at 7 pm at SaskTel Centre

(1) PBR: Canada Cup Series | Facebook



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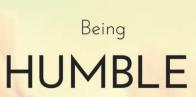
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<u>Link Developments Ltd Selected to Construct Regina General Hospital Parkade Project |</u>
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#### THOUGHT OF THE DAY

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means recognizing that we are not on earth to see how

#### **IMPORTANT**

we can become, but to see how much

#### DIFFERENCE

we can make in the lives of others.

-Gordon B. Hinckley

Soul Talk



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