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

Provincial Point of View

July 12, 2016
Our thoughts are with the communities facing flooding challenges

REMINDER - BOSTON PIZZA DAY FOR CAMP EASTER SEAL TOMORROW, JULY 13TH



Boston Pizza Restaurants, BP's Lounges and the Saskatchewan Abilities Council are holding the 4th Annual Boston Pizza Day for Camp Easter Seal. Boston Pizza and the Saskatchewan Abilities Council are once again partnering to send Saskatchewan kids living with disabilities to Camp Easter Seal.

I'm looking forward to supporting the "Boston Pizza Day for Camp Easter Seal" TOMORROW, Wednesday, July 13th. I'll be volunteering and visiting with customers as we assist with selling Camp Cards. What a great opportunity to work together to make a huge difference for Saskatchewan families. Boston Pizza will donate \$4 from any small, \$6 from any medium, and \$8 from any large pizza sold on July 13th to Camp Easter Seal!

From June 13 to July 13, Boston Pizza guests can also write a Camp Card message to someone special by purchasing a Camp Card for a \$2 donation. Stores will post the Camp Cards throughout the restaurant to literally fill the walls with support for Saskatchewan kids living with disabilities to attend summer camp. Contributions collected from the Camp Cards will also be donated to Camp Easter Seal, through the Boston Pizza Foundation, which raises funds for a variety of local, regional and national charities across Canada, including the Heart & Stroke Foundation of Canada, Kids Help Phone and Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.

INVITING CHILDREN TO JOIN ME TO PARTICIPATE IN THE EXHIBITION PARADE!



The Exhibition Day Parade will be held Tuesday, August 9th at 10:00 am. Once again, Saskatoon Willowgrove will have an entry in the parade. We will be riding on an antique fire truck owned by Ken Sawatsky and this is your invitation to join me!

The parade is always a lot of fun for the kids as they wave to the hundreds of people that line the streets.

If your children are interested in riding along with me, please email ken.cheveldayoff.mla@sasktel.net with your contact information and we'll get back to you with details. Please note, space is limited.

RFP OPEN FOR FIRST FIVE RETAIL LIQUOR STORE PERMITS



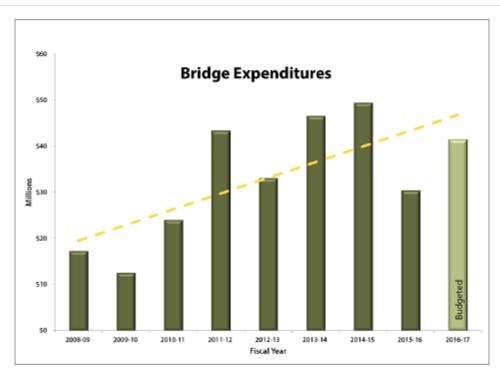
RFP for Permits in Regina and Saskatoon Closes August 8 - Timeline Released for Remaining RFPs

The application process for retail liquor store permits in the communities of Regina and Saskatoon began today. Successful proponents will be selected through a Request for Proposal (RFP) process. There are two opportunities available in Regina and three in Saskatoon.

"This is a big first step as we transition to an expanded private retail liquor system," Minister responsible for the Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority Don McMorris said. "Today's announcement covers the first of 50 retail opportunities available in communities throughout Saskatchewan."

Click here to read more about the deadline to apply.

GOVERNMENT TO INVEST MORE THAN \$40 MILLION INTO BRIDGES



Released on July 7, 2016There are 36 bridge replacements and rehabilitations budgeted for in the 2016-17 fiscal year, totalling more than \$40 million. This is in addition to the 212 bridge projects completed since 2008-09.

"Our commitment to enhance infrastructure in our growing province reaches far beyond roads," Highways and Infrastructure Minister Nancy Heppner said. "We've increased our budget for bridges by almost 76 per cent since 2008, reaching a total investment of more than \$250 million."

For the link to the photo gallery featuring current work and to read the entire news release, click here.

CANADIAN TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS AND OFFICIAL
SELECTION TRIALS FOR THE 2016 RIO OLYMPIC AND
PARALYMPIC GAMES HELD IN EDMONTON LAST WEEKEND



The best of Canada descended on Edmonton from July 7-10, 2016 as they competed for the prestigious honour of being crowned Canadian champions as well as earning a place on the Canadian National Team for the Olympic & Paralympic Games in Rio de Janeiro.

I was thrilled to be in attendance to watch our son Carter compete along with many talented athletes. What a great experience for members of the University of Saskatchewan Track and Field team.

All the best to those that made the Olympic teams.

NEW ONLINE SYSTEM FOR SASKATCHEWAN BUSINESSES

A new online system will make it easier to register and maintain a business in Saskatchewan. The province's modernized Corporate Registry system is now available to the public online.

"Along with being far more user-friendly for our business community, the new system eliminates many of the labour intensive, paper-driven tasks that existed before," Justice Minister and Attorney General Gordon Wyant said. "I'd like to thank Information Services Corporation for their work on this major initiative."

Click here to read the entire news release.

SASKATCHEWAN UNEMPLOYMENT RATE SECOND LOWEST IN CANADA



1,000 New Jobs Created in June

Saskatchewan's unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted) was 6.1 per cent in June 2016, tied for the second lowest among provinces and lower than the national unemployment rate of 6.8 per cent. In June 2016, there were 582,200 people employed in Saskatchewan. There has been an increase of 1,000 jobs (seasonally adjusted) in Saskatchewan between May 2016 and June 2016.

"Saskatchewan's labour market continues to feel the impact caused by low resource prices," Immigration, Jobs, Skills and Training Minister Jeremy Harrison said. "However, we are optimistic as forecasters predict our economy will begin to recover in the coming year, and seeing month over month gains in employment shows our economy is on the right track."

To read additional June highlights, click here.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR ANOTHER GREAT COMMUNITY EVENT IN OUR CONSTITUENCY!



PROVINCIAL PARKS TO CELEBRATE SASKATCHEWAN'S
PARKS WEEK



The Government of Saskatchewan has once again proclaimed July 10-16, 2016 as Saskatchewan Parks Week. Parks Week is the perfect time to explore all that Saskatchewan's provincial parks have to offer.

"Saskatchewan's provincial parks are the jewels of our province," Parks, Culture and Sport Minister Mark Docherty said. "We know that access to recreational opportunities and nature are two things that make the quality of life in Saskatchewan so enviable. Each of our provincial parks offers something special for visitors to discover."

Provincial parks will be celebrating Parks Week with a variety of activities. Visitors to parks can experience archaeology, astronomy, canoeing, hiking, rope-making, tipi-building and more. Many partner organizations will visit parks this week as well, including Saskatchewan Express who will perform in eight different parks.

To read more, click here.

<u>LITTLE BADGER AND THE FIRE SPIRIT THEATRE IN THE</u>
PARK - IN OVER 20 DIFFERENT PARKS AROUND SASKATOON!



July 4 - 29, 2016 in over 20 different parks around Saskatoon. Evening shows at 7. Sunday matinees at 2.

Theatre in the Park is Saskatchewan's first FREE live professional outdoor theatre. Suitable for all ages. Everyone welcome. FREE of charge. Come an hour early to do a free craft with the Children's Discovery Museum! This is a fantastic program. SUM builds strong communities by creat6ing and producing innovative and exciting live professional theatre experiences. Their work is driven by passion, integrity, inclusivity, and a sense of humour. They are always pursuing new ideas, partnerships and adventures!

Please click here to see dates and parks where you can attend this great show!

LOOKING FOR THINGS TO DO? CHECK OUT THE EVENTS BELOW

<u>IF YOUR GROUP OF ORGANIZATION HAS AN EVENT YOU</u>
<u>WOULD LIKE INCLUDED, PLEASE LET ME KNOW!</u>

2nd Avenue Sidewalk Sale

When: July 7 - 9

Where: 2nd Avenue from 20th to 23rd Streets, and 21st Street between 1st and 2nd Avenues

Click here for additional information

Hands On Golf Tournament

When: July 11

Where: Willows Golf & Country Club

For additional information email: info@handsonoutreach.ca

Boston Pizza Day for Camp Easter Seal

Where: At any Boston Pizza of your choice

When: Wednesday, July 13

A great day to raise funds for Camp Easter Seal!!

Upcoming Car Shows in and around Saskatoon

July 16 - Warman Home Centre Show & Shine, Saskatoon

August 15 - Mopar Mania 18, Dodge City Show & Shine, Saskatoon

August 21 - Rock 102 Downtown Saskatoon Show & Shine

September 10 - Martensville A & W Show & Shine, Martensville

September 11 - Circle Drive Alliance Church Show & Shine (Free lunch/ice cream), Saskatoon

September 17 - Nu Fab Builders Show & Shine, Saskatoon

For information contact Al Kirchgessner at alk-gwl@hotmail.ca

A Taste of Saskatchewan

When: July 12 - July 17 Where: Kiwanis Park

To view the menu and the performance schedule, click here

Community Garage Sale

When: July 23, 8 am - 2 pm

Where: Erindale Alliance Church, 310 Perehudoff Cres.

Saskatoon Exhibition

When: August 9 - 14

Where: Saskatoon Exhibition Grounds

Click here for information

Quinn Stevenson 3rd Annual Golf Tournament

When: August 13

Where: Willows Golf and Country Club

To register online go to https://goo.gl/Vb19D4 or email gs16golf@gmail.com for additional information

2016 Popcorn & Entrepreneurship Series

When: August 31, 5 pm

Where: Remai Arts Centre, 100 Spadina Cres. East

Registration deadline is August 22, click here for information

2016 Abex Awards

When: October 22 Where: TCU Place

For information, click www.saskchamber.com.

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DOUG KELLN TO RETIRE AS SASKENERGY PRESIDENT AT THE END OF 2016

PUBLIC SAFETY, CUSTOMER GROWTH, AND CORPORATE EFFICIENCY INITIATIVES HIGHLIGHT

SASKENERGY'S 2015-16 ANNUAL REPORT

MORE THAN 74 MILLION IN SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING STRENGTHENS

COMMUNITIES AND GROWS THE ECONOMY IN SASKATCHEWAN

CROP REPORT FOR THE PERIOD JUNE 28 TO JULY 4, 2016

WEAR FALL PROTECTION TO STAY SAFE AND AVOID FINES

THOUGHT OF THE DAY

In the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years.

Abraham Lincoln

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KEEP IN TOUCH

I appreciate the many opportunities 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 a weekly message from Ken Cheveldayoff, MLA Saskatoon Willowgrove. Your opinions are

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