



LAKELAND DISTRICT

for Sport, Culture & Recreation

LDSCR Welcomes New Staff

The LDSCR has recently hired a new Community Development Coordinator to replace Tammy Miller who has decided not to return from her maternity leave. We wish Tammy the best of luck with her future endeavours!

Courtney Johnson is the new LDSCR Community Development Coordinator and will be based out of the Nipawin Office. Courtney's home town is Spalding, Sask. and she comes to us with a degree in Human Services and a diploma in Therapeutic Recreation from Lethbridge College.

Please feel free to contact Courtney by phoning her at 862-2113 or email courtney.ldscr@sasktel.net . We welcome Courtney to the LDSCR team and look forward to working with her!

Upcoming District Events

- Oct 6** Board Development 2 Workshop –Prince Albert
- Oct 7** Board Development Workshop –Tisdale
- Oct 20,21,22** SPRA Conference/AGM –Saskatoon
- Oct 20** SARP AGM –Saskatoon
- Oct 28,29** SaskCulture Conference/AGM –Regina
- Oct 31** Aboriginal Community Sport Grant - Application Deadline
- Nov 18, 19** Youth Summit –Camp Kadesh
- Nov 26** Take the Lead –Adult Coach Training

LDSCR Board of Directors

At the recent LDSCR annual general meeting that was held on June 16 in Prince Albert, the following individuals were appointed to the LDSCR Board of Directors.

Peggi-Lynn Gatin	Prince Albert	Miranda Blaber	Carrot River
Gwen Pearce	Melfort	Sheila Fazio	Prince Albert
Frank MacGregor	Prince Albert	Curtis Olsen	Shellbrook
Marvin C. Sanderson	Muskoday First Nation	Cheryl Bauer Hyde	Christopher Lake

One position remains open on the LDSCR Board of Directors. These are three year terms. If you are interested, please call Lyle Campbell at 953-1623 for additional information.

Useful Websites:

- www.spra.sk.ca
- www.sasksport.sk.ca
- www.saskculture.sk.ca
- www.lakelanddistrict.ca
- www.saskgames.ca
- www.saskatchewaninmotion.ca

Community Initiatives Fund Physical Activity Grant Program

Next Deadline is November 1, 2011

Applications are now being accepted for the Physical Activity Grant Program (PAGP). The PAGP is delivered at the provincial level, with the assistance of the Saskatchewan Parks and Recreation Association, through the Physical Activity Network of Saskatchewan (PANS) Committee.

The PAGP supports strategic **regional** and **provincial** projects and initiatives that will advance the physical activity movement in Saskatchewan and increase the level of physical activity of Saskatchewan people. Guidelines for this program are designed to encourage collaboration among regional and provincial physical activity partners across the sport, culture and recreation networks.

If your organization offers local level projects, please refer to the CIF Community Grant Program or Saskatchewan **in motion** for possible funding.

PAGP application deadlines are November 1, 2011 and February 1, 2012. Program guidelines and an application form are attached. They may also be downloaded at the new Community Initiatives Fund website at www.cifsask.org.

Please share this funding opportunity with regional or provincial organizations that encourage physical activity in your region.

Applications should be sent to Rhonda Newton, CIF Administrator, at:

Physical Activity Grant Program

1870 Lorne Street

Regina, Saskatchewan

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For additional information and examples of successful projects, please contact me by phone at (306) 780-9470, or by email at wmckellar@spra.sk.ca.

Board Development Workshop (for smaller, rural communities) & Board Development 2: Next steps

These 6 hour workshops are ideal for community recreation boards, daycare/after school program boards, service club/sports boards and school community councils board members. There is no fee to attend these workshops, LDSCR will cover the cost of one vehicle/community, lunch will be provided.

Specific topics in this workshop include:

Board Roles & Responsibilities, Codes of Conduct & Ethics, Time & Skills Management,
Effective Meetings, Succession Planning, Strategic Planning, Strategic Thinking,
Planning & Decision Making, Human Resource Development

Board Dev. : Next steps Thursday, Oct 6th 2011 in Prince Albert, SK. Please contact Crystal Clarke at 953-1623

Or

Board Development Friday Oct 7th 2011 in Tisdale, SK. Please contact Courtney Johnson at 862-2113

LDSCR MOBILE PLAYGROUND UPDATE

Our names are Jessy Thompson and Karlee Wiser, and we were the playleaders for the 2011 Summer Mobile Playgroup. It was a very busy and fun summer! The communities we went to were Rosthern, Paddockwood, Candle Lake, Christopher Lake, Naicam, MacDowall, Choiceland, and Marcelin. There were a few communities where there were no more than five children, whereas some had as many as twenty-three. In total we had 152 children attend the playgroup, with 78 girls and 74 boys. All of the community contacts were helpful, and a few in particular really went above and beyond to make sure our program went as smoothly as possible. Thankfully, the weather cooperated with us this summer and we were able to be outdoors quite a bit! All in all, it was a very successful summer for the mobile playgroup.

Generation Action Youth Summit

Saskatchewan *in motion*, Lakeland District for Sport, Culture & Recreation, and the Prince Albert Parkland Health Authority are hosting a Generation Action Youth Summit. And we're looking for idealistic, passionate and creative youth aged 16 to 23, who want to make a difference for physical activity in their community. Are you ready to be a leader and a voice for Saskatchewan youth? Are you ready to speak out and act out for the physical activity levels of Saskatchewan youth? If yes, then we want you!

The Generation Action Youth Summit will take place at Camp Kadesh on November 18th and 19th, 2011.

Together, you and 10 other youth from your community will determine what key issues need to be addressed in order for you and your peers to achieve the required 60 minutes of physical activity every day (and more is better). Once you and your team members have determined the issues, you will then

Participation is key to the success of the summit. Please make sure you are comfortable voicing your opinion and participating in a group discussion.

All meals and transportation expenses will be covered. Participants under the age of 18 will need to travel with a parent(s) or legal guardian.

To register or to find out more information on either Generation Action Youth Summit or "Take the Lead" check out our webpage at www.lakelanddistrict.ca or call Crystal in the LDSCR office at 953-1623 ext 4.

Take the Lead

In the 2010/2011 school year, the LDSCR, in partnership with the Healthy Choices for Kids Committee completed a successful "Take the Lead" pilot project in six schools. The purpose of this SPRA based initiative was to increase physical activity opportunities through increased youth leadership in the communities. The LDSCR & PAPHR are now providing opportunity for more communities and schools to participate in this initiative. If your school or community is interested in the "Take the Lead" program please contact the LDSCR office at 953-1623 for more information.

Components of the program include:

Leadership Coach Training (3 hour session)

Includes: overview of the program, review of the facilitator's responsibilities - and resource kit, and development of an implementation plan.

"Take the Lead!" Youth Leader Training (2x1day session)

Training components: leadership, teamwork, cooperation, communication, fair - play, conflict resolution, decision making, organization and planning, safety awareness, activity sessions, resources, and an implementation plan.

The 2012 Saskatchewan Summer Games are now less than one year away. For a complete listing of the sports and age categories involved, please visit the Saskatchewan Games Council website at www.saskgames.ca. For additional information please call Lyle Campbell at 953-1623.



**Celebrate Museums and
—Express the creative you!!!**

Saskatchewan is celebrating Culture Days September 30th and October 1st and 2nd 2011. If you haven't already done so please register your museum activity. You can do this on the Culture Days web-site:

www.culturedays.ca (There is no fee to register). Many activities are already registered in Saskatchewan so please add your activities to the list and represent the museum community! Join the movement - offer an activity during Culture Days in your region - be it something new or something you already have planned.



Catch the Spirit!



2012 Saskatchewan Summer Games

**July 29- August 4, 2012
Meadow Lake, Saskatchewan**



- Archery • Athletics • Athletics (SO)
- Baseball • Basketball (Female) • Basketball (Male)
- Canoe/Kayak • Equestrian • Golf
- Soccer (Female) • Soccer (Male) • Softball (Female)
- Swimming • Tennis • Triathlon
- Volleyball (Female) • Volleyball (Male)



Saskatchewan Games District Boundary Map



2011 SaskCulture Gathering & AGM

Welcoming in the New Age of Cultural Engagement
Friday & Saturday, October 28 & 29
Travelodge Hotel
4177 Albert Street, Regina, SK

Join us if you are interested and want to lead more about...
-how to develop meaningful ways to engage youth;
-how to use social media tools in your organization;
-and how to manage organizational change!

For more information and registration details visit:
www.saskculture.sk.ca

2011 SPRA Conference and AGM!

October 20-22, 2011
Hilton Garden Inn
Saskatoon, SK

This year's conference theme **RECREATE** speaks to the many fast paced changes occurring in communities in Saskatchewan and our need to recreate our organizations and change challenge some long standing beliefs to adapt.



**Saskatchewan
Parks and Recreation
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*Recreation
An investment for life*



KidSport™ is a children's charity dedicated to assisting children facing financial obstacles to participate in sport.

Allocation Meetings

2nd Tuesday in Feb/Apr/Jun/Sept/Oct/Dec

For more information on KidSport™ or Jumpstart® please call: Kristy Thompson at 953-1623 ext. 3, email: kristy.ldscr@sasktel.net or drop by the Summer Games Building - 99 Terry Simpson Lane - to visit us at the Lakeland District for Sport, Culture & Recreation office.



On behalf of the La Ronge & Prince Albert KidSport™ Committees, we would like to thank the following for sponsoring our **2nd Annual Drivin' North KidSport™ Charity Golf Tournament** proudly presented by **Cameco Corporation!** Gold

sponsor and host: Elk Ridge Resort; Silver Sponsors: Eddie's Sports Bar Nightclub, Rawlco Radio, Kris' Kustom Mechanical, Prince Albert Daily Herald, La Ronge Petroleum, MBC Radio, AREVA, CTV, Flaman Fitness; Bronze Sponsor: SIGA. We'd also like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all of the hole sponsors, teams, donors and numerous KidSport volunteers that helped to make this event such a success!! Our partnering local KidSport™ Committees managed to raise a grand total of over \$11,000.00 during this event on May 27, 2011. We are happy to announce that 100% of these proceeds will be used to provide children of families facing financial obstacles in La Ronge, Prince Albert and area with the opportunity to play their favourite sport. Thank you for helping put a smile on the face of these children!



Canadian Tire Jumpstart®



Strong communities include strong kids. We believe all kids should have the chance to run, skate, play, and grow. Canadian Tire Jumpstart® is a community-based charitable program that helps kids aged 4-18 participate in organized sports and recreation such as hockey, dance, soccer and swimming, so they can develop important life skills, self esteem and confidence.



**Prince Albert Gutter Ball Classic
For KidSport™**

In support of Prince Albert KidSport™

January 2012

Call us at 953-1623 ext.3 to sponsor/ enter a team!

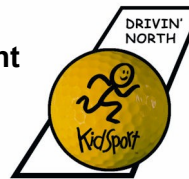
**DRIVIN' NORTH
KidSport™ Charity Golf Tournament**

In support of the Prince Albert

and La Ronge KidSport™ Committees

MAY 26, 2012

Call: 953-1623 ext.3 or email: kristy.ldscr@sasktel.net



Lakeland District Summer Sport Experience Camps

This past summer concluded with 15 sport day camps held in the communities of Rosthern, Carrot River, Prince Albert, Melfort, Tisdale, Mistawasis First Nation & Blaine Lake. Over 200 youth from the ages of 4 - 17 years participated in the camps held throughout July & August. Sports offered included Tennis, Karate, Fencing, Football, Soccer, Boxing, Baton, Field Hockey & Golf. We would like to thank all of the Lakeland District communities and local/Saskatchewan sport organizations for partnering with us. It is with great regret that we had to cancel several camps this year due to weather conditions, flooding and lack of participants so thank you to those sport organizations for being flexible and supportive!

Prince Albert Urban Youth Sport Initiative

The Lakeland District for Sport, Culture & Recreation offers Urban Youth Sport Programs which aim to reduce the barriers of transportation, nutrition, equipment and facilities while providing an introduction to a recreational sport experience for all youth participants. If you are a coach, volunteer or facilities manager and would like to run a specific sport program in Prince Albert for Urban Youth experiencing a financial disadvantage, please contact Kristy Thompson at 953-1623 ext. 3 or email: kristy.ldscr@sasktel.net.

Higher Spirits Youth Soccer League

Youth in Gr. 4 & 5 from the Community Schools in the Prince Albert area will have the opportunity to play each other in this Rec League. Games will be held after school hours outside on school soccer pitches then inside and on the turf at the new Alfred Jenkins Field House. Nutrition and youth mentorship are additional components which help make this league successful from year to year.


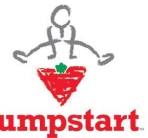

Higher Spirits Learn-To Curling

We have been fortunate in receiving a grant through the 1989 Jeux Canada Games Foundation to offer a 4 week curling experience for each of the eight Prince Albert Community Schools. Thank you to the Prince Albert Golf & Curling Club School Instructional program for providing the instructors and venue to run this program!! We are looking forward to this new & exciting opportunity.



CONTACT US

Children and youth with financial barriers can apply to receive up to \$750 per year to contribute towards cost associated with art and culture participation, which may include registration fees, equipment or supplies. Activities eligible for Creative Kids funding are very wide-ranging, and may include art lessons, dance classes, music instruction, cultural camp, heritage activities, multicultural dance and all other activities that are associated with art, culture or creativity. **For application forms or to donate to Creative Kids Contact Crystal at 953-1623 ext 4.**

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