Brevoort Park Newsletter June 2022

Helip Your Community Si BPCA Can Helip You Kick Off Your Summer!

Community Associations are non-profit organizations run by volunteers in your neighbourhood. Community Associations offer:

- Affordable sport, culture, arts, and recreation programs for all ages and abilities. Register in the Fall, Winter and Spring for programs offered within your community. Cost as a Barrier funding is available to ensure everyone can play.
- Outdoor rinks. Enjoy free skating at the local rink all winter.
- Community events. Meet your neighbours at community coordinated events: Ice Cream Social, Spring Spectacular, Garage Sale Day, and more!
- Community Advocacy. The community association is operated by a team of volunteers invested in making Brevoort Park the best neighborhood to live in. This includes advocating, and sometimes funding, community upgrades (accessible sidewalk ramps).

Are You Part of The Club?

An annual membership to the Brevoort Park Community Association allows you to register for any number of community based programs. Bonus: our membership is transferable to allow you to participate in programs through other neighborhood's associations.

All proceeds from annual membership sales support local initiative in YOUR community. This includes the rink, social events, children and adult programs, and special initiatives.

Your Chance to Win and Support BPCA

Our popular pre-sale is back! For a limited time, purchase your 2022-2023 Community Association membership (online or cash/ cheque) and receive an additional two months membership along with an entry into our draw for one of three prizes.

- ♦ A backyard pool (12 ft)
- One of two gas cards (\$50 and \$25 denominations)

For only \$10 you will receive a 14 month Community Association membership plus a chance to win one of the prizes above. Please note memberships are non-refundable.

Online purchases can be made online at https://brevoortpark.corsizio.com/. A direct link will be available on the membership page of our website. Cash or cheque purchases can be made using the form on page 7. Presale dates are June 20—July 6. Draw date is July 7.





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Newsletter Ads

Are you interested in purchasing ad space in the newsletter?

Our print newsletters are delivered to 1870 doors. The newsletter is also available digitally on our website.

Business Card- \$25

1/4 Page- \$70

1/6 Page- \$50

1/3 Page-\$95

1/2 Page- \$140

Your advertising helps to off-set costs related to newsletter printing.

Are you interested in a

Are you interested in a subscription? Prepay for the year (4 editions) and receive a 15% discount.

Email for info:

Newsletter@brevoortpark.ca



Spring Spectacular!

Thank you to everyone who came out to enjoy a sunny day at our Spring Spectacular.

This was our first full event since 2020 and it was wonderful to see the families come out for the afternoon! Our day started with a bike parade through the park, families tried their luck with Bloons and Rink-O, jumped in the bounce house, hunted for eggs, enjoyed a BBQ lunch, and played with animals at the petting zoo. We had a successful vendor market with crocheted crafts, metal work, wood work and food items. A special thank you to the Legion for joining us with information about their museum and the vintage car owners who displayed their vehicles for us.

Proceeds from this event will help to keep our community growing by funding for special programs and to assist in replacing our garage. Thank you to the Brevoort Park students, Girl Guides , board members and family and friends who helped to make this day a success!

By the numbers:

Over 1000 people attended 35 vendors at the market

536 burgers and hotdogs eaten Over 40 children in the All Wheels Parade









City Councillor's Report

Hello Brevoort Park, and welcome to summer 2022

It is also construction season and there are many projects underway to improve basic infrastructure in our historic neighourhoods. For more information on construction in your area, go to www.saskatoon.ca/ construction Thank you for your patience as crews work to complete these projects.

Options for the Downtown Event and Entertainment District are expected to be made public in June, and the City will be seeking your feedback. While securing the event centre location is the next step, there will be many more before Council is asked to approve any large capital projects. There are surrounding amenities Happy Summer! to be considered including a public plaza, options for a modern trade and convention centre, parking, coordination with Bus Rapid Transit and the All Ages and Abilities cycling network, and of course a financial plan. Based on examples in other cities similar to Saskatoon, things such as Tax Incremental Financing could go a long way to support the District, alleviating pressure on property taxes. It's hard to believe this journey began in 2016, and we clearly have a long way to go. Still, it is a significant step. Where we decide to locate this future event centre will set in motion many

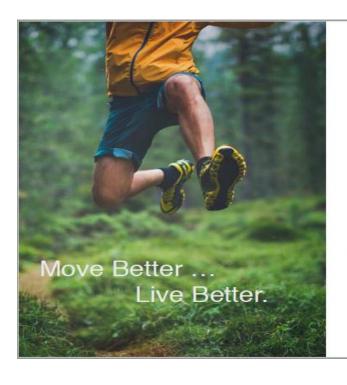
other aspects about how our downtown will evolve and grow. I want to send a shout out to our local Advisory Committee working with the City's technical experts, as they help to guide this process. This is a once-in-a-generation project, and together we will create the District with and for our whole community.

If you would like to weigh in on any civic issues, please reach out to me: cynthia.block@saskatoon.ca Note, I send out a monthly newsletter to update residents on key decisions at City Hall. To subscribe and read previous blog posts go to:

www.cynthiablockward6.com

Cynthia







Still trying to figure out how to deal with your ongoing:

> Headaches and/or neck pain Back pain Rotator cuff strain Tennis elbow Hip and knee pain Jaw pain or Dizziness?

Let us help you out, whether it be for an in-clinic appointment or through videoconferencing.

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Rink Repair Day

Our community rink can't run without you. We rely on volunteers to help make ice, clear show, and complete repairs.

Our equipment requires some maintenance and the rink needs new puck board, paint and love.

Join us **October 1** for a rink workbee.

Free BBQ lunch for volunteers.

Watch our social media pages and the fall newsletter for additional information.

Rink Supervision

Our rink requires an operating grant to run. Part of the requirement for obtaining the grant is supervised rink time. We rely on volunteers to supervise the rink at this time and ensure pucks and sticks staff off the ice.

Unfortunately we have had ZERO volunteers over the last two years, leaving one lone board member to shoulder this burden.

If volunteers do not sign up for short shifts to assist, we run the risk of losing our funding, and consequently our rink.

If your children or family are rink users, please sign up for a shift.

More information:

rink_supervision@brevoortpark.ca

Kindergarten Registration

School kindergarten registration for the 2022/2023 school year has begun. Children who will be 5 years old on or before January 31, 2023 (birthday January 31, 2018) can register for kindergarten for the upcoming school year. Please share this information with neighbors who have Kindergarten age children. We have two options for elementary schools in Brevoort Park.

Ecole St. Matthew School

French Immersion (Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools)

306-659-7410

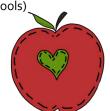
https://www.gscs.ca/mat/page/831/registration

Brevoort Park School

(Saskatoon Public School)

306-683-7110

www.saskatoonpublicschools.ca/brevoortpark



BREVOORT PARK REAL ESTATE NEWS

Average sale price of all sold listings \$384,438 ↑

Average home price per sq. foot of all sold listings \$349 ↑

Average days on the market is 28 days ↑

Current number of homes on the market 7 ↑

Total number of sold listings 9 ↑

Percentage of listings that were listed and actually sold 56% ↑

Percentage of listings that sold for under their list price 56% ↓

Highest sale price of sold listings \$469,500 ↑

Lowest sale price of sold listings \$327,000 ↑

Highest price of current listings \$619,900 ↑

Lowest list price of current listings \$338,000 ↓

All stats are based upon what has happened within the last 90 days of real estate.

All information provided by James Haywood, Realtor with Royal LePage Saskatoon, 306-361-1848, jameshaywood.royallepage.ca

Call for your free, home evaluation. Let's do this!







Join our email list, watch social media or check out our website for registration details. Coming soon!

Email the number of this page to president@brevoortpark.ca

to claim your BP bucks to be used at the games during our AGM on September 9.

AGM info below





A reminder that with the warmer weather, comes an increase in neighborhood crime.

There have been break ins, vandalism, theft, and general suspicious behaviours noted by the neighborhood citizens.

Take precautions to ensure your garages, sheds, homes and vehicles are locked. Do not leave your bikes unattended or other valuables in view.

Most crime of this nature is opportunistic in nature, a grab and go.

Stay vigilant! If you find you are the victim of a property crime, use the links on the left to report the incident to the police services.

You can message BPCA on social medial or email info@brevoortpark.ca to report any safety concerns.



Brevoort Park Mascot Contest

You may have noticed our very popular friend at the Spring Spectacular. This froggy will be joining our association to help keep people smiling in our community. Unfortunately they do not have a name yet!

Kids of Brevoort Park, we need your help!

Submit your name suggestions to newsletter@brevoortpark.ca. Be sure to include your first name and contact information. Submitted names will be voted on over our Facebook page and the winner will receive a little something special!



Why are frogs always happy?

They eat whatever bugs them!



Indigenous History Month

June is Indigenous history month, during which we honour the resilience of our Indigenous neighbours, friends, and family throughout all of Canada, and to take the time to learn about, recognize, and appreciate their culture and history.

There are many ways you can support your Indigenous community and neighbours such as supporting locally owned businesses like She Native (Location: 1101 8 St E #1117, Saskatoon) or Bannock Express (123 Avenue B S).

Pick up a book by Indigenous author at the library, like *The Break*, a novel set in Winnipeg by Katherena Vermette or a book for all ages, like *I Am Not A Number* by Jenny Kay Dupuis and Kathy Kacer. Or stir up a traditional Indigenous recipe like Bannock or a warm and hearty Three Sisters Soup.

Recipes for Bannock, also known as "fry bread" will often spark a good-humoured debate about the proper method, the best recipe, or who is makes it the best. For now, here is a recipe that uses beloved saskatoon: berries.https://www.cbc.ca/life/food/deep-fried-bannock-with-saskatoon-berries-a-crispy-doughy-syrup-drenched-dream-dessert-1.5416754

- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 2 tbsp + 1 ½ tsp baking powder
- 1 tbsp + 1 ½ tsp granulated sugar
- 1/4 tsp salt
- 1 ½ cups water, at room temperature

Whisk together the flour, baking powder, sugar, and salt in a mixing bowl until well combined. Gradually add the water, blending it in with your hands. Be careful not to overwork the dough — it should just hold together. It will be a wet, shaggy dough but really resist overmixing it — at this point, you might think "this can't be right," but it is. Cover the bowl with a wet tea towel and set aside at room temperature for 30 minutes to rest.

While the dough is resting, preheat a deep-fryer or fill a deep pot with about 3 inches of oil and heat to 350°F.

With floured hands, divide the dough into 2 oz portions — about the size of a large egg — and shape into ovals.

Using your thumb, poke two holes into each portion of dough and then gently drop the dough balls into the hot oil. Fry, flipping as necessary, until golden brown all over, about 2 minutes. Using a wire-mesh scoop or slotted spoon, transfer the fried dough to a plate lined in paper towel.

To serve, cut each piece of bannock in half or quarters, drizzle with warm syrup or honey, and top with a spoonful of sweetened berries.

Submitted by Michael Kuttai Seib



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2022-2023 Community Association Membership Purchases

Memberships can be purchased online through Communibee. Download the app or sign in on the website and head to the BUY HERE tab. New to Communibee? Find the direct link at www.brevoortpark.ca/ memberships/

BPCA 2022-2023 Annual Membership

Name:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

2022-2023 BPCA Membership + draw entry. Total \$10.00

Cheques should be made out to BPCA. Cheques or cash can be mailed or dropped off at 1529 Early Drive.

LISA LAMBERT



Summer Soccer Camps & Programs



HappyFee Ages 2-5: HappyFeet Program - 4 Sessions



Ages 5 - 17: Summer Programs, Skill Sessions, Positions specific Training, 4v4 Leagues

Adults: 4v4 Leagues

Check us out at www.AstraSoccer.ca and www.HappyFeetSask.ca







BREVOORT PARK RINK

Hotdog supper Games Door Prizes

SEPT 9TH -- 6PM- BBQ BEGINS 6:30PM- ANNUAL AGM

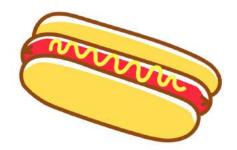
*BBQ IS FREE FOR BPCA MEMBERS OR \$5.00 FOR NON-MEMBERS.

MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE ON SITE

*DOOR-PRIZE DRAW TO FOLLOW. ALL WINNERS MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE.







Your Brevoort Park Community Association

Meet the board members of your BPCA. These are the tireless volunteers who have ensured our rink operates, programs run, information gets out, and we have some fun together. All of these individuals have jobs/ are in school and have families yet volunteer their free time to make our community a great place to be. Thank you to everyone!

If you are interested in joining our team, reach out or come to our AGM. All of our positions can be shared so bring a friend or meet a new one and offer to team up with an existing board member.



President	Lorraine F.	
Vice President	***VACANT***	
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