



BREVOORT PARK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER
FEBRUARY 2016

Shinny Shenanigans

March 5, 12:30 pm – 4 pm

Brevoort Park School Large Gym and
Grounds

Families: Come out and have fun with a bounce obstacle course, crafts, snow painting, snow shoes, and snowman building! All activities are free of charge & facilitated. Parents: come & socialize!



Seniors: Join the fun, & register for our inaugural Cribbage tournament! Please contact Morag & Lisa at events@brevoortpark.ca or call 306-281-8161 to register.

Shinny Day in the Park

Family Fun for Everyone!
Saturday, March 5th



Brevoort Park Rink

Shinny Tournament Games 10:00am - 5:00pm

Burgers and Concession available by the rink

12 Teams maximum - \$20.00/player

(Players Must Wear Helmets)

**For information about the Shinny Tournament
or to enter a team,
contact Richard at 306-230-0931 or
rgryschuk@gmail.com**

**Enjoy the day in the Park!
Come and cheer on your
favorite team and neighbours!**

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Brevoort Park Community Association

<https://www.facebook.com/brevoortpark>

NEIGHBOURS NIGHT OUT

Invite your neighbours, invite your friends, invite everyone to attend an evening out including dinner, socializing and playing casino games.

Saturday, March 5th

Nutana Legion Hall, 3021 Louise Street

Cocktails: 6:00 – 7:00pm

Dinner: 7:00 – 8:00pm

Casino Night: 8:00 – 11:00pm

Prizes: 11:30pm

Tickets: \$30.00/person

Present ticket at door for admission and free play money

Casino Games

Blackjack

Craps

Horseraces

Over-Under

Roulette

Crown & Anchor

For tickets contact:

Leanne at 306-370-0366 or Chantelle @ 306-227-3008

Cash Bar - No Minors

Prize donations gratefully accepted

Funds raised will be used for future Community Events
and maintenance of Brevoort Park Rink

Organized by the Brevoort Park Community Association

THANK YOU!

Thank you to **George Rathwell**, long-time Brevoort Park Community member, for donating a healthy number of Chili's gift cards for use by the BPCA for events and thank you gifts. Support Chili's at 1730 Preston Ave.

Community Updates to your Computer! The community's e-mail distribution serves as a means of notifying residents of safety/crime issues and upcoming events and opportunities. If you have not yet signed up to receive e-mail notifications, please send a request to: info@brevoortpark.ca

BREVOORT PARK SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2016/2017

All parents of children who will be five by January 31st, 2017 are invited to register. Registration forms are available at our front office. Please bring proof of birth (birth certificate, passport). The earlier you register, the more likely we can guarantee you your choice for morning or afternoon Kindergarten (providing we register 24 students). For more information home 683-7110.

ECOLE ST. MATTHEW KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2016/2017

If your child will be 5 years of age by January 31st, 2017, he or she may begin Kindergarten in September, 2016. Please contact the school to register your child or drop in for a visit. Please share this information with neighbors who have Kindergarten age children. For more information, please call 659-7410 or check our website at blog.scs.sk.ca/mat

Collegiate Open Houses

Join us at any of our upcoming collegiate open houses.
Discover the many learning opportunities we offer
and choose *your* school.

ADEN BOWMAN COLLEGIATE

Thursday, February 4
7:00 pm

BEDFORD ROAD COLLEGIATE

Thursday, February 11
7:00 pm
SAGE Open House 7:45 pm

CENTENNIAL COLLEGIATE

Thursday, February 4
7:00 pm

EVAN HARDY COLLEGIATE

Monday, February 8
7:00 pm
SAGE Open House 8:30 pm

MARION M. GRAHAM COLLEGIATE

Thursday, February 4
6:30 pm

MOUNT ROYAL COLLEGIATE

Wednesday, February 3
7:00 pm

SASKATOON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Thursday, February 11
6:00 pm

TOMMY DOUGLAS COLLEGIATE

Wednesday, February 10
7:00 pm

WALTER MURRAY COLLEGIATE

Tuesday, February 9
7:00 pm
SAGE Open House 6:00 pm

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Sidewalk Snow Clearing

During the winter months, snow and ice on sidewalks can seriously impair the ability of people to get around safely - especially the elderly and those with mobility restrictions. For that reason, the City of Saskatoon has a bylaw in place requiring owners or occupants of property to clear sidewalks of snow and ice to prevent injury or inconvenience to pedestrians.

The Sidewalk Clearing Bylaw, 2005 (No. 8463) requires that:

- Residential sidewalks must be clear of snow and ice within 48 hours of a snowfall.
- Sidewalks in designated commercial/suburban areas must be clear of snow and ice within 24 hours of a snowfall. The areas to which this Bylaw applies are outlined on maps in Schedule A (starting on page 8) of the **The Sidewalk Clearing Bylaw, 2005 (No. 8463)**.

To report an unsafe sidewalk, please wait 48 hours after a snowfall in residential areas, and 24 hours in designated commercial/suburban areas. If it's still not cleared, call the Public Works Customer Service Line at 975-2491.

During grading, crews push snow into ridges (windrows) along the curbs. Every effort is made to keep driveways and disabled zones clear, but sometimes already cleared sidewalks and driveways get covered. Call the Snow & Ice Hotline at 975-2491 to report a snow ridge left on a sidewalk by graders, and the City will come and check it out. If it's a problem, the City will either clear the snow ridge with a sidewalk plow or come back later and clear it with a grader.

Refer to <http://www.gscs.sk.ca/> for information on Greater Catholic School Board's Open House schedule.



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Brevoort Park School

The staff and all 238 students are so grateful to the Community Association for the rink this year. Our students and teachers are making good use of the milder weather and good ice surface at recesses and for physical education. Winter weather does not stop us from having fun. The grade 6/7 French class is making plans for a Saskatchewan version of Carnaval Francais on February 12th. I hear it is quite possible that Bon Homme will make an appearance. We are hosting a ReadSaskatoon family literacy evening planned for January 21 which will take families on a Saskatchewan Odyssey. Please take note of the dates and times of the Kindergarten Open House and Collegiate Information nights as they are open to all parents.

Doug Boyd
Principal
Brevoort Park School



Community Rink Rules and Supervised Times

- Use the rinks at your own risk.
- Prevent injury by using protective equipment.
- Do not bring breakable containers on the ice.
- Do not leave shovels or scrapers on the ice.
- Share the ice surface and nets. They are intended for everyone's enjoyment.

Failure to follow the above guidelines may result in your being asked to leave.

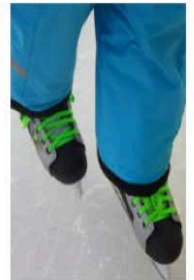
Supervised Rink Times*

Fridays	7:00pm to 9:00pm
Saturdays	2:00pm to 4:00pm
Sundays	2:00pm to 4:00pm

*During these times, sticks are not permitted on the ice.

Times may be cancelled due to wind chill or temp below -26 C.

Help to maintain the rink by reporting maintenance or safety concerns to rink_maint@brevoortpark.ca



Community volunteers operate and maintain the rink.
Please respect the time and effort put into it!

Be a Snow Angel!

If your neighbour is elderly, has health concerns or mobility restrictions, lend a hand by clearing their sidewalks. *And when clearing sidewalks, please exercise caution and care, especially during extremely cold weather.*

And if you receive help from your neighbour, nominate them as a "Snow Angel." Email the [Snow Angels Program](#) or write your story to Public Works, City of Saskatoon, 222 – 3rd Avenue North, Saskatoon SK S7K 0J5, along with the name and address of your Snow Angel.

The City will send an anonymous thank-you to the Snow Angel, and enter them into monthly prize draws made this winter. The City will send an anonymous thank-you to the Snow Angel, and enter them into monthly prize draws made this winter.

École St. Matthew School



Where has the time gone? Time flies when you are having fun! As this newsletter hits your mailbox, we will be more than half done the academic year and more than likely the season of Lent will have started. This part of the year will be a busy and exciting time for École St. Matthew School students, staff and community members. The month of February will see our grades 6-8 student return to the completed construction project. Although some final details on both the inside and the outside of the facility will continue, our entire student body will once again be under one roof. There are no words to describe how much this means to our community. As we continue to celebrate École St. Matthew School's 50th anniversary this year, we want to make all community members aware of the 50th anniversary evening planned for April 15th from 6:00pm to 8:30pm. There will be a short formal program as well as time for visitors to tour the new facility and share memories of their time as a student, staff member, parent or community member. All are welcome to attend. Kindergarten registrations are well underway and we are welcoming many new members to our St. Matthew family. Parents wishing to register their children are invited to call the school (306-659-7410) or drop in for a visit. We look forward to the upcoming months.

Ecole St Matthew school" Kindergarten registration is opened for 2016/2017 year..." Rather than is open starting Jan 4.

God Bless

François Rivard -
Principal François Rivard
Directeur/Principal École
St. Matthew School

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Coffee with a Cop



March 9 @ 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Inspector Shalovelo, Inspector for East Division, will be at the March Brevoort Park Community Association meeting. The meeting will be held in the Library at BrevoortPark, located at 2809 EarlyDrive, and begins at 7:00 pm on March 9, 2016.

The purpose of this program is to enhance the relationship between the police and the portion of the community who rarely have interactions with the police. It is an effort to let people get to know officers on a more personal level and not just see a uniform in a patrol car.

Come on out to meet and chat with BPCA members, people from your community and Inspector Shalovelo over a cup of coffee!!

Brevoort Park Community Association Executive

President	Nelson Fraser
Vice-President	vacant
Treasurer	Loise Wiebe
Secretary	Kathy O'Brien Andrea Duncan
Indoor Coordinator	vacant
Rink Maintenance	vacant
Supervised Rink Time Coordinator	vacant
Newsletter	Liv Marken Karen Wooller
Block Captains	Dee Young Paula Coutts-Hills
Brevoort Park School Liaison	Dee Young
St. Matthew School Liaison	Danielle Campbell
Soccer Coordinator	Carla Ranson
Basketball Coordinator	Andra Thorstad
Softball Coordinator	Vacant
Social Events Coordinator	Morag Embleton Kimpton Lisa Fraser
Website/Communication	Teresa Herd
Membership Coordinator	vacant
Member at Large	Celeste Bodnaryk Jessamy Foulds Carla Fox
Community Consultant	Carrie Hutchison

To sign up for community news updates, email: info@brevoortpark.ca For information on community indoor programming, email: indoorcoordinator@brevoortpark.ca

Volunteers Wanted!

Brevoort Park Community Association is looking for volunteers in a few areas:

- Members-at-Large
- Rink Coordinator
- Rink Supervision. We need volunteers to supervise the rink shack during public skate times in order to keep it open!

Contact

parkcoordinator@brevoortpark.ca.

- Baseball Coordinator
- Indoor Coordinator
- Rink Maintenance Coordinator
- Vice President

Would you like to advertise in our newsletter?

Our newsletter is published approximately four times a year, in February, May, late August/early September, and early December. It is delivered to over 1,000 residences. Our next deadline is **April 15th** for a **May newsletter**.

Rates

Business Cards	\$25
1/6 page	\$50
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1/2 page	\$100
full page	\$150

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We always welcome new members. Please consider becoming a part of the Brevoort Park Community Association executive. Use your time and talents to make this an even better place to live. We meet the second Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Brevoort Park School Library (no meetings in July or August). Anyone in the community is welcome to attend meetings.

The Next Big Shred!



Join the McClure Place Foundation on Saturday, May 2 from 9 AM -12 Noon for The Big Shred! Bring those old bank / utility statements, tax files (2007 and earlier), etc. to the parking lot of McClure United Church at 4025 Taylor St. Watch as your old private, personal or confidential paper goes into the Shred-It company truck's shredder! The service is by donation (suggested \$10 per box, or \$5 per shopping bag) and all the funds collected will assist in paying down the mortgage at Amy McClure House, the on-site personal care home for up to 23 residents built in 2005. Help your family prevent identity theft and get rid of that unwanted yet personal material!



2016 OUTDOOR SOCCER REGISTRATION



Registration Night – Thursday, February 25, 2016

6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Brevoort Park School Library

Season Length: 8 weeks: Monday, May 2, 2016 to Thursday, June 30, 2016

Age Groups	Born in...	Fees	Game Days (1 game/week; 6pm or 7pm)
Future Stars	Born 2012 or 2013	\$40.00	TBD
U6 (Timbits) Co-Ed	Born 2010 & 2011	\$70.00	Mon and/or Tues and/or Fri
U7 Co-Ed	Born 2009	\$80.00	Wed and/or Thurs and/or Fri
U8 Co-Ed	Born 2008	\$90.00	Wed and/or Thurs and/or Fri
U10 Boys	Born 2006 & 2007	\$100.00	Mon and/or Wed and/or Fri
U10 Girls	Born 2006 & 2007	\$100.00	Tues and/or Thur and/or Fri

Please note there will be a late registration fee of \$10.00 with all registrations received after March 1, 2016

All registrants must provide a \$25 uniform deposit (a cheque postdated June 30, 2016, written to BPCA).

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Did you know??

BPCA offers funding assistance to those where program cost is a barrier to participation.

To inquire, please contact the Indoor Coordinator at indoorcoordinator@brevoortpark.ca



Save the date!

Feb.25th:
Soccer
Registration
6-7:30

March 5th: Brevoort Park Annual Shinny Tournament and Shinny Shenanigans. Evening: Neighbours' Night Out.

March 9th: Coffee with a Cop

April 15th: St. Matthew's School 50th Anniversary