



CITY PARK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

CPCA

As a non-profit community association, we plan events in hopes of fostering a sense of community in City Park.

At our meetings we openly discuss anything that may be of impact to residents of City Park and try our best to endorse the interests of those living in and around the community.

Monthly meetings

We meet on the second Thursday of each month at City Park Collegiate, and welcome anyone to come join and share their questions or concerns. Follow our Facebook page for updates/changes to meeting times.

Stay in touch

We want to hear from you!

Be sure to connect with us when you have events, news, pictures, etc. to share with our neighbourhood residents! Contact us on social media, or see the Executive contact list.



President's Message

Colleen Steele

Happy almost spring City Park! The year is flying by and we are in need of some new volunteers. We are currently seeking volunteers for Newsletter Coordinator, Treasurer, Vice President, and Event Co-ordinator positions. If you are interested in volunteering with the community association, please contact us through the website or on Facebook. We would love to add some new faces and ideas to our board.

Our programming got off to a great start in the fall and winter. If you haven't visited the City Park Toy Library yet, make it a priority in 2019. There is an incredible selection of toys to borrow and visiting the library provides an opportunity to connect with other families. In the spirit of connection, have you ever considered hosting a winter block party? We have toolkits available to help make your party a success and can assist in the permitting process. If you'd like to host a block party or have any suggestions for programming, please let us know. We always appreciate feedback.

We Need YOU!

We are grateful for the members who have kept our Community Association active in relevant city issues and hosting events that promote a sense of belonging in our neighbourhood.

In the last couple of years, the CPCA executive has seen many long time members step back from their respective roles and allow for new members to take a more active role in the association... but heres the thing... we need new blood!

If you are wanting an easy way to engage with your community with a small commitment level, consider joining the CPCA executive. We currently have the following positions open:

- **Treasurer**
- **Newsletter editor**
- **Programs**
- **Soccer Coordinator**
- **Event Coordinator**

We also would love to have you as a member as large if thats more your speed.

Lastly, our Rink Coordinator John can always use a helping hand shovelling the rink when it snows. Contact John at johnholgate@gmail.com or just go ahead and shovel when it snows!

This year we've had a couple of issues brought to our attention by residents. Increased traffic in the neighbourhood and along Spadina continues to be a concern. We will be working with neighbouring community associations to engage with the city and seek possible solutions to these issues. We've also heard concerns about Montessori school lottery process and encourage residents to contact the Saskatoon School Board with these issues. Garbage reduction and the proposed Pay-As-You-Throw (PAYT) system has been a topic city wide and we hope everyone in City Park contacts our city councillor, Darren Hill, to let him know what you think.

We had another successful Rink Day in February despite the windy weather. Thank you to all the people that came out to enjoy a hot dog and a cookie. The next events we have planned are include Jane's Walk, Movie in the Park, and SUM Theatre. Further information on these events can be found on our website and Facebook page.

Our ultimate goal as a community association is to bring people together and build community. If you have any suggestions for how we can better achieve this goal, please let us know. Or better yet, join the board!



Spring Programs

Report Suspicious Activity

Reports are still being made that mail is being stolen from City Park Residents mailboxes. Items have included packages, cards, and credit card applications with personal information.

If you notice anything out of the ordinary or someone going through mailboxes, please contact the Saskatoon Police Service at 306-975-8300

Jane's Walk - May 2019

We plan to apply to host Jane's Walk this year in City Park and are looking for interesting stops along our route. Do you know some fun facts about City Park you think others would find interesting? Or perhaps you live in a historic home that has a story to be shared?

If so, contact Don Greer with your ideas before the end of the March.

dwgarchitect@gmail.com

We are excited to offer the following programs this Spring:

Mondays: All Levels Yoga 7:30 - 9pm (\$50)

April 1 - May 13

Wednesdays: Men's Basketball 8pm to 9:30 pm (\$50/yr)

April 3 - June 12

Thursday - Family Badminton/Pickleball 6pm to 8 pm (\$5/each or \$20/ family)

April 11 - June 13

Thursday - Intermediate Yoga 7pm to 8:30 pm *held at North Park Wilson Library (\$100)

April 4 - June 13

Registration night to sign up for the programs will be:

Wednesday March 20th 6-7 pm at City Park Collegiate

Any questions or inquiries can be directed to our Programs Coordinator Rebecca Koskie at cityparkprograms@gmail.com



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CITY PARK TOY LIBRARY

OPEN TO ALL SASKATOON RESIDENTS

A toy lending library that houses over 200 good quality toys suitable for children ages six months to six years. Three toys per family may be borrowed for up to one month. Membership fee: \$20.00/family.

Join us for play, coffee and tea and community building!

Facebook: "City Park Toy Library"
Email: cptoylibrary@gmail.com

A City Park Community Association Program

Got any ideas?!

What events or services would you like to see from your community association? Some ideas we've thought of are:

- Small off-leash dog park
- Neighbourhood-wide garage sale
- Date nights (we babysit and you go on a date!)
- Neighbourhood clean ups

Let us know if you think these are something we should pursue, or if you have any other ideas!


Contact us:

cityparkcommunityassocaition@gmail.com


RKM ROOFING

Spring is on its way and with that, it's time to start thinking about home improvements!

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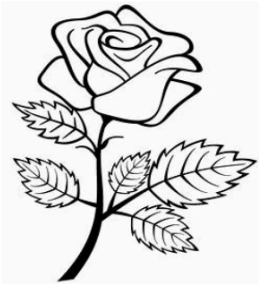
LOTTERIES

We aim to promote a sense of community in City Park and one way to achieve this is to focus on connecting to each other block by block. We've developed Block Party Toolkits to encourage you to plan your own! Toolkits are available to anyone in the city who'd like to host a block party.

Check out our website cityparksask.com for more info!

Spring Pruning & Yard Work in City Park

Now is the time for Spring Pruning of fruit trees, shrubs, roses, raspberries, etc. If you need help with pruning, compost work, lawn care & sodding, other garden work or yard design ideas.



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March 22nd
2 - 4 PM

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