

# SAASE News

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## SAASE Convention in Swift Current Full of Highlights

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The SAASE Convention and Annual General Meeting took place in Swift Current March 1 - 2. Tracey Stevenson, her staff and a great group of volunteers from the Swift Current Ag & Ex. did an excellent job of making everyone who attended feel at home. As was the case all winter - the weather, with a blizzard warning certainly had an impact on the convention, as we had to wrap up a little early on Saturday afternoon to give everyone a chance to get home.

The convention began with the Consumer Protection Ecoli workshop on Friday. Marla Calico from the International Association of Fairs and Expositions (IAFE) led the workshop. The workshop was generously supported by the Saskatchewan

Ministry of Agriculture.

Friday night featured the SAASE business session and Venture Project reports from the Agricultural Societies receiving funding this year. It was during the presentations that the announcement was made that Tourism Saskatchewan would be supporting the program by adding an additional \$50,000 for 2013. The Swift Current Ag & Ex then held a casino night for their host evening which was a big hit with everyone. Throughout the evening the Living Sky Casino supplied a shuttle service back and forth from the hotel.

Saturday kicked off with an inspirational keynote address from Marla Calico

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## President's Message: Lisa Haynes

My first year as your President has been very rewarding, and I look forward to the upcoming year. We have an excellent board with a wide range of experience. The executive is made up of our Past President – Dave Young from Prince Albert, Vice President Vern Bexson from Lloydminster, Director at Large – Susan Kuzma from Saskatoon Prairieland Park. The remaining board members are Brenda Patton from Agrifood Canada, Ron Monette from the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture, Ray Wiman from Mortlach, Neal Keefe from Weyburn, Shaun Morin from Yorkton, Ken Taylor from Regina EVRAZ Place, Jackie Watt representing Tourism Saskatchewan, Jocelyn Ritchie from Battlefords and Wade Jensen from Swift Current. Ken Taylor is replacing Rob O'Connor - a big thanks goes out to Rob for all his work on the board the last few years. Welcome to Ken Taylor from EVRAZ Place and Jocelyn Ritchie from Battlefords - we look forward to your input and working with you this year.

The SAASE convention held in Swift Current was a great success, with those attending having a great time. As has been the case all winter, the weather unfortunately had an effect on the convention, but everyone got home safely. Thanks to everyone for supporting the convention and thanks to the staff and volunteers of the Swift Current Ag & Ex for all their hard work. We look forward to seeing everyone in Melfort next year. I encourage all Agricultural Societies to really consider sending a representative to the convention. The workshops and speakers are very informative but the working relationships that are built with other communities through meeting at the convention are the real benefit. Not very often can you get that much history and experience in one room, and be able to bounce ideas off all those people.

Your board of directors is working very hard on your behalf to develop new opportunities, programming and partnerships. We finished up the first year of partnering with the Ministry of Agriculture on Farm Safety Days. 9 Farm Safety Days are scheduled for 2013. If you are interested in hosting a Farm Safety Day talk to the office before July 15. It is a great opportunity to promote farm safety within your community, as well as providing an excellent program. Take a look at the farm safety articles in the newsletter.

The Venture Project program provides seed money for new events, as well as enhancing existing events. It was announced at our convention that Tourism Saskatchewan will be adding an additional \$50,000 for 2013. If your agricultural society has an idea for a new event I would encourage you to contact the SAASE office and work with Glen on applying for the program.

SAASE members have accessed money for small capital projects through the Community Investment Fund (CIF) - Community Vitality Program over the past number of years. Take a look at the article in the newsletter to see the different projects that are being funded. There is only one funding deadline left, - October 1 - so make sure that if you have any work that needs to be done on your fair grounds that you get an application in.

The SAASE Clark and Anne Lewis/Dalgliesh Family Scholarship program continues to help out young people throughout Saskatchewan. This year's application deadline has been extended to June 30. There are 4 scholarships available - two \$1,500 and two \$1,000 - these scholarships are available to high school graduates entering their first year of post secondary education. The Dalgliesh Family Scholarship is supported through West Coast Amusements - thanks to Bob and Wendy Hauser for their support of SAASE's scholarship program.

We are entering fair season and I hope that the weather co-operates for everyone. I wish everyone all the best - talk to you in the fall.

*Lisa Haynes - President*

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**Contributions to SAASE Newsletter are welcome and will be included as space allows.**

**The SAASE Office is located in the Canada Centre complex at EVRAZ Place (Regina Exhibition Park) grounds, next door to the Saskatchewan Livestock Association office on the 2nd floor. Visitors are always welcome—give Glen a call at 306-565-2121 and drop in.**



## Tourism Saskatchewan Adds \$50,000 to SAASE Venture Project Program for 2013



Tourism Saskatchewan's new CEO - Pat Fiocco announced that Tourism Saskatchewan would be supporting the SAASE Venture Project Program in 2013 by adding an additional \$50,000 to the program - bringing the total amount available for new events, enhancing existing events, community development and the development of new Agricultural Societies. Over the last number of years the program has been instrumental in getting new events, festivals, programs and new Agricultural Societies up and running.

"The Venture Project Program has demonstrated its value many times over for its knowledgeable and in-depth understanding of how best to support rural development at the community level. The events that will arise out of this support will celebrate the Saskatchewan spirit and is found all throughout our great province," said Pat Fiocco. SAASE would like to thank Tourism Saskatchewan for their continued support of this important program, and looks forward to all the great new community programs and events that will come



# SAASE Members Approved for Vitality Funding

Over the past 3 and 1/2 years the Community Vitality small capital project program has assisted many Agricultural societies in funding small capital projects. SAASE members have received over \$300,000 in funding to help out with upgrades to their grounds and facilities. In the latest round of funding the Moose Jaw Exhibition received money to help out with renovations to the Saskatchewan Burrowing Owl Interpretive Centre, and the Melfort Agricultural Society received funding to fix their floor in their office and display building. The program was extended to the end of 2013, with October 1, 2013 being the final deadline. If your Agricultural Society is looking at any kind of a small capital project you should read the press release below, as well as take a look at the Community Initiatives website for information on how to apply.

## CIF Awards Almost \$5 Million to Saskatchewan Communities And Over \$100 Million To Date!

The Community Initiatives Fund (CIF) today announced approval of 464 grants totaling \$4,911,259 in support of Saskatchewan communities. CIF programs contribute to locally led



**Melfort Agricultural Society Hall and Offices**

projects that enhance the quality of community life through leadership, development, inclusion, physical activity, facility improvements and celebrations in Saskatchewan communities.

The CIF is also celebrating its own milestone of accomplishment. Cumulative since its inception in 1996, the CIF has granted over \$100 Million to Saskatchewan communities! Today through the Community Grant Program,

the CIF announced 349 grants totalling \$3,263,045 in support of the well being of children, youth, families and community. This includes 204 summer grants for projects totalling \$941,254 and 145 program grants totaling \$2,321,791. Grant approvals through the Community Vitality Program total \$971,635 for 92 grants that help to improve infrastructure and community facilities or support significant milestones and cultural community celebrations. The CIF also approved 22 grants totalling \$616,579 through its Physical Activity Grant Program, helping to encourage more physical activity for all Saskatchewan residents and increasing its support of local initiatives. The CIF also approved one grant under the Problem Gambling Prevention Program for \$60,000.

“This is extraordinary, a significant accomplishment in the history of the Community Initiatives Fund demonstrating our overwhelming support for Saskatchewan communities.” says Darlene Bessey, chairperson of the CIF Board of Trustees. “Our Board is proud to be a part of this significant one hundred million in grants milestone!”

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**Moose Jaw Exhibition Burrowing Owl Interpretive Centre**



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followed by a presentation by Perry Cramer from Foster Park Basket Insurance on what we need to look for as far as risk management with our volunteers. Rudy Friesen - Manager of the Lethbridge Exhibition - led a workshop on a unique program that the Lethbridge Exhibition has been working on to get more youth engaged with their programming. Because of bad weather moving in, the SAASE annual meeting was moved up and held before lunch.

The SaskEnergy Volunteer Champion Awards Luncheon was then held. Leslie Gosselin - Manager of Community Relations for SaskEnergy - presented the awards during the luncheon. After lunch Joy Turner - Manager of Markets, Advertising and Media for Tourism Saskatchewan hosted an informative session on the programs and opportunities available for SAASE members through Tourism Saskatchewan.

the new SAASE Board of Directors was announced. The following are the SAASE Board of Directors for 2013:

- President - Lisa Haynes - Biggar Agricultural Society
- Vice President - Vern Bexson Lloydminster Exhibition
- Member at Large - Susan Kuzma Saskatoon Prairieland Park
- Past President - Dave Young - Prince Albert Exhibition
- Ray Wiman - Mortlach Agricultural Society
- Jocelyn Ritchie - Battlefords Exhibition
- Ken Taylor - Regina EVRAZ Place
- Shaun Morin - Yorkton Exhibition
- Wade Jensen - Swift Current Ag & Ex
- Neal Keefe - Weyburn Agricultural Society
- Jaqueline Watt - Tourism Saskatchewan
- Ron Monette - Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture - Advisor
- Brenda Patton - Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada - Advisor

huge success, as the support that was received from both those bringing items and purchasing items was tremendous. Between the auction proceeds and the money from the 50/50 draws over \$2,500 was raised for the SAASE Scholarship program. Thankyou to everyone who donated, purchased items and supported the 50/50 draws. Everyone at the convention was asked to fill out an extensive survey, and thanks also go out to those who took the time to do it. Your feedback is very important.

Next year's convention will be held in Melfort and hosted by the Melfort Agricultural Society. The dates have yet to be set, but everyone looks forward to going to Melfort in 2014. Thankyou to everyone who attended this year's convention, our sponsors, as well as the staff and volunteers from the Swift Current Ag. & Ex. for making the 2013 SAASE convention such as success. The invitation has gone out for everyone to join us at the SAASE Convention in Melfort in 2014.

During the SAASE Annual Meeting The silent auction was once again a

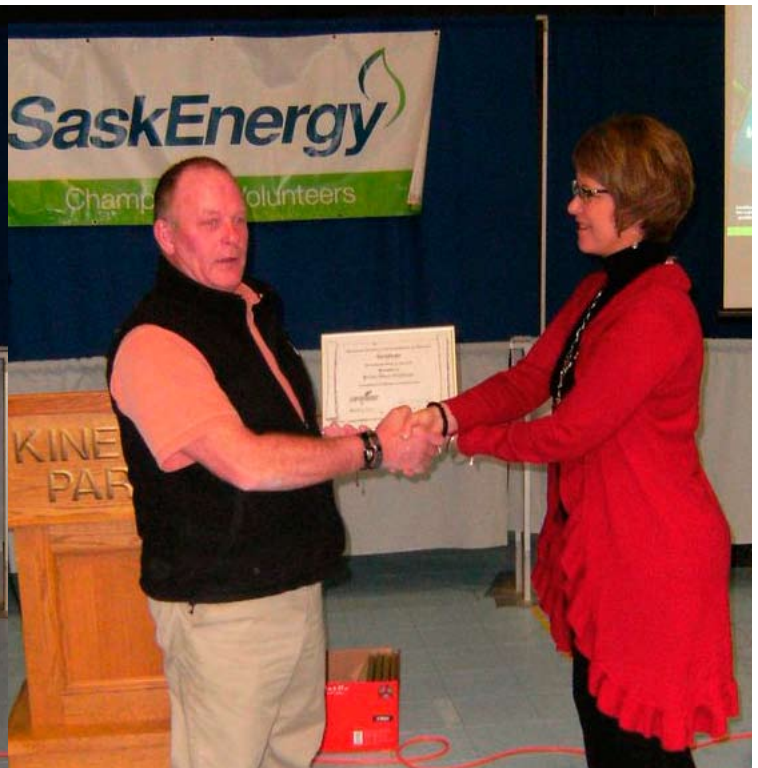
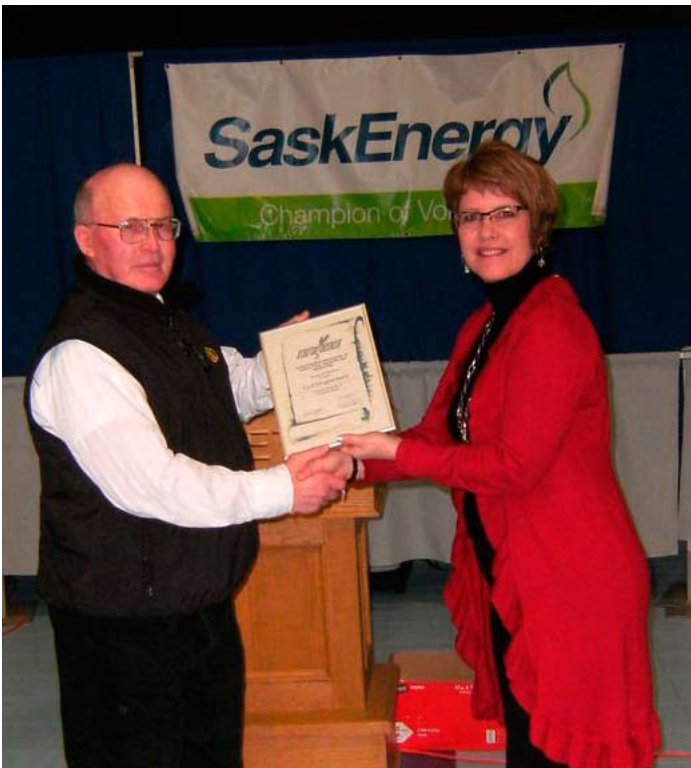


**Marla Calico from IAFE leads the Consumer Protection workshop at the SAASE Convention**

# SaskEnergy Volunteer Champion Awards



The SaskEnergy Volunteer Champion Awards took place at the SAASE convention in Swift Current on March 2. SaskEnergy has been an important partner with the awards over the last 3 years, and a supporter of the SAASE convention for a number of years. Leslie Gosselin - Manager of Community Relations for SaskEnergy - was on hand to make this year's presentations. This year's Volunteer of the Year went to Swift Current's Bryce Burnett. Bryce's award was presented to him by SAASE President - Lisa Haynes - at the Friday night Host night. Bryce was unable to make the Awards Luncheon on Saturday because he was.....volunteering. Leslie presented two Honourary Life Memberships - in the lower left picture the award was presented to Cecil Douglas Smith of Swift Current, and in the lower right corner - Dave Young accepted the Honourary Life Membership on behalf of Roger Mayert of Prince Albert. The Prince Albert and Yorkton Exhibitions each celebrated their 130th anniversaries. The Battlefords Agricultural Society celebrated their 125th. Swift Current Ag & Ex's Frontier Days celebrated its 75th anniversary and Yorkton Exhibition's Harvest Showdown celebrated its 25th. The SaskEnergy Volunteer Champion Awards celebrate the accomplishments of all the volunteers who are the heart and soul of our Agricultural Societies and communities. A big thanks goes out to Leslie Gosselin and SaskEnergy for their continued partnership on the SAASE Awards program.





# Farm Safety Day

## SAASE Members Host Farm Safety Days

SAASE is currently in the second year of a three year partnership with the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture on having our Agricultural Societies host Farm Safety Days. Five Farm Safety Days have already been hosted this year, with 4 other ones scheduled. To date Farm Safety Days have taken place in Swift Current, Prince Albert, Biggar, Yorkton and Lloydminster. Each of the Safety

Days were tremendously successful with Swift Current having 450, Prince Albert having 650, Biggar having 160, Yorkton 250 and Lloydminster 550 students go through the Safety Day program. The following is an article which appeared in the May issue of Agriview on the Farm Safety Days:

### Farm Safety Days: Teaching Children to be Safe on the Farm

The Saskatchewan Association of Agricultural Societies and Exhibitions (SAASE) is partnering with local Agricultural Societies and the Ministry of Agriculture to host 9 Farm Safety Days in 2013. The goal of Farm Safety Days is to provide education to make farm life safer and healthier for children, their families and communities.

Agricultural Societies are well suited to host Farm Safety Days because they are already heavily involved in their communities in agricultural education and have the facilities to host such events. Farm Safety Days are made up of farm safety related stations which educate the children on a variety of farm safety topics.

SAASE is also working with the Progressive Agriculture Foundation and the Canadian Agricultural Safety Association on the Farm safety Days. Working with those organizations provide the farm safety day coordinators with the most up-to-date resource material and teaching aids for farm safety. By training groups and people across the province on how to run farm safety days, a great

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network will be developed which can be used for farm safety days in future years.

### The Farm Safety Days for 2013 are scheduled as follows:

Swift Current - April 19  
 Prince Albert - April 23/24  
 Biggar - May 10  
 Lloydminster - May 15  
 Yorkton - June 11  
 Saskatoon - July 6  
 Kelvington - August 2  
 Vanscoy - September 17  
 Weyburn - September 26



## July 15 Deadline for 2014 Safety Days

Any Agricultural Society interested in hosting a Farm Safety Day for 2014 must let the SAASE office know by the beginning of July. SAASE works with the Progressive Agriculture Foundation and has to make application to them by July 15 for the dates for 2015.

SAASE will be entering the third year of our three year partnership with the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture for delivering the Safety Days in 2014. This is a great opportunity for your Agricultural society to really make a difference in your community.

By working with our various partners SAASE is able to offer you everything that you would need to make the Safety Day a success.

Within our partnership with the Ministry of Agriculture there is seed money to help you out with the day - the amount will be determined when we know how many Safety Days there will be in 2014. Through the Progressive Agriculture Foundation you will have access to some great teaching resources, as well as take home bags for the kids and T-shirts. Progressive Agriculture will also be doing



a Farm Safety Day coordinators workshop in Regina in September. SAASE will be hosting that and all Agricultural Societies interested in having a Farm Safety Day should have at least one person trained on how to be a coordinator. SAASE will pay for the registration cost, as well as the hotel cost - you just have to get to Regina.

The Canadian Agricultural Safety

Association (CASA) has some tremendous hands on resources that can be booked for your safety day. If you are interested in hosting a Farm Safety Day for 2014 get hold of Glen at the SAASE office for more information. SAASE would like to thank the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture for their continued support of this important program, and look forward to working with all our partners in 2014.



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# Record Crowds Attend Saskatchewan Equine Expo

In excess of 10,000 horse enthusiasts passed through the doors at Saskatoon Prairieland Park for the second annual Saskatchewan Equine Expo in Saskatoon, February 15-17, 2013. The three-day event presented in partnership with the WCVN and the SHF, featured educational seminars presented by the Western College of Veterinary Medicine, clinician Paul Dufresne, 11 breeds on display, an industry trade show, demonstrations by the Saskatchewan Hunter Jumper Association, the Alberta Donkey and Mule Association, Trainers Challenge, Friday and Saturday evening Equine Extravaganza that thrilled a standing room only audience. New to the event this year was Canada's Ultimate Cowhorse competition where participants from across the provinces showcased their best horses in three components for the Champion buckle and prize money.

The Trainer's Challenge, sponsored by NAERIC, showcased the talents of three outstanding horse trainers; Dale Clearwater from Hanley, Saskatchewan, Clint Christianson from Bracken, Saskatchewan and Jesse Lussier from Ste. Rose du Lac, Manitoba. All three amazing horsemen thrilled the crowd during each session with their individual skills. At the end of the event, hometown favorite Dale Clearwater was awarded the Championship title for the second year in a row.

A clinic presented by Paul Dufresne from Pritchard, B.C. was a big hit with spectators and pre-registered participants alike. Paul also presented exhibition performances at the Extravaganzas on Friday and Saturday nights.



The industry trade show, once again exceeded expectations with vendors indicating they will be back next year. Expanding the trade show space by an additional 13,000 square feet, was much appreciated indicated Prairieland Park Agriculture Manager, Lori Cates.

A show highlight was the Equine Extravaganza held two evenings, both Friday and Saturday. The crowd that gathered in the Prairieland Park Ag Centre was overwhelming and adding the additional evening performance enabled more spectators

the ability to witness the shows. The event demonstrated the diversity of different horse breeds and disciplines. The audience was amazed by the professionalism of Paul Dufresne and his Andalusian horses, the fence work component of the Cowhorse competition and the diversity of the Miniature Horses as well.

"Standing room only, once again confirms that Saskatchewan people really appreciate that we are showcasing the equine industry right here in Saskatoon," said Brenda Sapergia, Livestock Manager.



# Discover the Farm: A Farm Facts Experience Swift Current Poultry & Exotic Animal Sale

The Second Annual Swift Current 'Discover the Farm: A Farm Facts Experience, and Poultry and Exotic Animal' sale occurred on April 19th, and 20th of 2013. Invitations were sent out to all Swift Current and Southwest area schools to attend this event. Educational materials were provided by various organizations which are associated with Saskatchewan Agricultural industries including the Swift Current Ag & Ex, the provincial program Ag in Classroom, and SAASE.

The goal of this project was to invite various agricultural groups, particularly the exotic chickens, birds and other specialty animals raised by local breeders into one site for school students and the public to learn, observe, and interact. Presentations for the students included exotic birds and animals, beef, dairy cows, poultry, crop growing and care, safety, Saskatchewan Agriculture in the Classroom, and SAASE provided interactive computer programs. The new areas added this year were the Agrium Seed Trailer, safety topics that included those of equipment safety, power safety, ATV safety and First Aid provided by local presenters from SaskPower, St. John Ambulance, and the RCMP.

This project was important for several reasons.

1. "Discover the Farm School Tour": displays set up with presenters that provided information. The majority of participants were from Grades 1 through to grade 6 although we also had Special Education students from the Comprehensive High School and up to Grade 8 from the Hutterite schools. Interactive groups were set up to visit each of the 12 different stations during the two hours set aside for the school tours. Presenters gave introductions and functional understandings of basic agricultural and safety principles. The computers that were set-up brought forward important introductory and factual curriculum suitable for the age groups of the students - primarily about Poultry, Beef, Pork, and Dairy.

Each of the 24 groups (12 in the morning, 12 in the afternoon) were also provided with time to visit animals and birds, and take a class photo by the 'barn', and search for a class prize in the 'needle in a haystack' (a small farm animal with seed packs hidden in shredded paper). A total of 98 students participated the first year. This, the second year of the event, over 400 participated.



2. Various exotic breeders had a place to come together. They were able to offer their animals and birds to the public in one venue. An opportunity was offered to families for gathering and discovering what is available agriculturally in the Swift Current area.

3. Interactive hands-on experiences were provided for all ages both days. Students on Friday, the public on Saturday. They were invited to intermingle with a variety exotic birds (chickens, chicks, roosters, geese, etc.) and animals (donkeys, alpaca, rabbits, miniature cows etc.) as well as actually milk a 'life-like' dairy cow, and given the opportunity to grow their own sunflower.

4. The various Swift Current and surrounding areas (including some from southern Alberta) producers' products were made readily accessible to the public. Many were interested in buying, making contacts,

and gathering information. All of this was made available in one venue: the Stockade Building at Kinetic Exhibition Park.

This project provided learning and working environment connecting the Southwest area rural producers. Public interest was strong: the community was offered the opportunity to observe and learn about the growing agricultural and ranching community. This was the second annual event to take place in Swift Current, and the feedback received was very positive with 100% reporting that they will return. Exhibitors, producers, and presenters from various organizations were impressed with the growing educational interest regarding agriculture, ranching and the added sessions on safety. All responses proved the event is worthy of continuing and expanding for 2014.

Submitted by: Swift Current Ag & Ex





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"The government of Saskatchewan is proud to support our partners who foster community growth and activities for all ages," says Parks, Culture and Sport Minister Kevin Doherty. "The CIF makes Saskatchewan a better place to live. Every single one of these initiatives makes an impact on residents in our growing province."

"There is outstanding leadership in all Saskatchewan's communities," says Tracey Mann, executive director of the Community Initiatives Fund. "The CIF is proud to support the pride, creativity and resilience of Saskatchewan people as they strive to enhance the quality of life of their fellow citizens."

The CIF is a Special Purpose Fund created through The Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation Act and governed by a volunteer board appointed through the Ministry of Parks, Culture and Sport. Grant recipients, their projects, and more CIF information is at [www.cifsask.org](http://www.cifsask.org)



## New CAFE Program

# Bits & Bites

- Judging entry tags are once again available from the SAASE office. There is no cost for the entry tags.. If you need tags give the SAASE office a call and let Glen know how many you need and he will get them shipped out to you.
- Applications continue to come in for the Clark and Anne Lewis/ Dalglish Family scholarships. A total of 4 scholarships are available - 2 @ \$1,500 and 2 @ \$1,000. The deadline this year for applications has been extended to June 30. Over the last number of years many great young people have been supported. If your Agricultural Society has not done so - nominate a high school graduate entering a Saskatchewan post secondary institution today.
- If your Agricultural Society has any small capital projects it is looking at completing, or will be celebrating a significant milestone, make sure you take a look at the Community Vitality Program. Check out the article with the successful agricultural societies from the last application. The new deadline is October 1. Go to [www.cifsask.org](http://www.cifsask.org) for more information. This program is an excellent opportunity to access funding for those smaller projects that will have a huge impact for both agricultural societies and their communities.



***CAFE is searching all Canadian Fairs for the unheralded "Champions" of our industry. We are looking for everyday people who make or made a difference at your fair, event or association. Do you know that special person who should be recognized? NOMINATE NOW!***



The program is open to anyone involved in the Fair Industry in Canada.

In each year of the program, Three Winning Nominations, chosen by an independent committee, will be honored at the Annual CAFE National Convention.

Travel and Accommodation will be provided by CAFE.

Deadline for Nominations is September 30<sup>th</sup>.

Nominations can be mailed to: CAFE Champions Program 854C Boyd Ave, Ottawa, ON. K2A-2E1 or online @ [www.canadian-fairs.ca](http://www.canadian-fairs.ca) and follow the link to "Fair Champions" Call 613-233-0013 for more information

C.A.F.E. is a non-profit organization established in 1924 and funded primarily by its members. The organization represents a broad spectrum of fairs from small community rural fairs to large urban exhibitions. In addition, the membership includes provincial associations that represent agricultural societies from across the nation, industry service providers and affiliate associations who have a direct interest and link with the Canadian fair industry.

# Coming Events

## June 2013

15	Rumble in the Dirt	Estevan
16	Harness Racing	Yorkton
15-16	Antique Days	Arcola
17-19	Estevan Fair	Estevan
19-21	Canada's Farm Progress Show	Regina
21	Harness Racing	Yorkton
21-23	Hanley Agricultural Fair	Hanley
21-23	Moose Jaw Hometown Fair	Moose Jaw
22-23	Team Roping and Barrels Jackpot	Bengough
27-30	Frontier Days Fair & CCA Rodeo	Swift Current
28	Harness Racing	Yorkton
30	Regional 4 H Light Horse Show	Weyburn

## July 2013

1	Canada Quilt Show	Grenfell
1-3	Weyburn Ag Society's Exhibition	Weyburn
3-6	Yorkton Exhibition Summer Fair	Yorkton
4-8	Prairieland Junior Ag Showcase	Saskatoon
6	Harness Racing	Yorkton
6	Saskatoon Berry Festival	Mortlach
6	Ogema Ag Society's Summer Fair	Ogema
6	Stoughton Daze	Stoughton
7	Doc's Town Cowboy Poetry	Swift Current
7	Stoughton Float & Jr Exhibits	Stoughton
7-8	4H Beef Show & Sale	Melfort
9-11	4 H Cattle Show & Sale	Estevan
10-13	Colonial Days	Lloydminster
10-14	SK Quarter Horse Show	Moose Jaw
12	Harness Racing	Yorkton
14	Doc's Town Heritage Village A Country Dance	Swift Current
15-17	Nipawin Exhibition	Nipawin
17-19	Cowtown Pro Rodeo	Maple Creek
19-21	Melfort Sumer Fair	Melfort
19-21	Annual Fair Days	St. Walburg
19-21	Shaunavon Old Time Country Fair	Shaunavon
19	Harness Racing	Yorkton
19-21	La Ronge Fair	La Ronge
19-21	Dean Latimer Horse Clinic	Moose Jaw
20-21	Weyburn CCA-MRCA Rodeo	Weyburn
20	Biggest Little Summer Fair	Creelman
21	Doc's Town Heritage Village Antique Tractor Show	Swift Current
25-28	Youth Equestrian Game	Moose Jaw
25	Maryfield Ag Society Fair	Maryfield
26	Abernethy Ag Society Exhibition	Abernethy
26	Harness Racing	Yorkton
26-27	Perdue Agricultural Fair	Perdue
27-28	Connaught 98th Annual Fair	Connaught

27	Glenavon Summer Fair & Sports Day	Glenavon
27-28	Town & Country Fair	Rosthern
28	Redvers Agricultural Fair	Redvers
28	Doc's Town Down on the Farm	Swift Current
30-3	Summer Fair	Prince Albert
31-4	Queen City Ex	Regina
31-1	Rough Stock Rodeo	Yorkton

## August 2013

1-4	SK Cutting Horse Show	Moose Jaw
2	Kelvington Farm Safety Day	Kelvington
2-4	Agricultural Fair & Race Meet	Kelvington
2	Harness Racing	Yorkton
3	Farmers Market	Assiniboia
3	Nokomis Ag Society Annual Fair	Nokomis
4	Doc's Town Hymn Sing	Swift Current
6-11	Prairieland Exhibition	Saskatoon
9-11	Radisson 92st Annual Fair	Radisson
9	Harness Racing	Yorkton
10	Farmers Market	Assiniboia
10	Moosomin & District Annual Fair	Moosomin
10	4H and SR. Competitions	Turtleford
10-11	Invermay Fair & Horticulture Show	Invermay
10-11	Shaunavon Horse Show	Shaunavon
10	Doc's Town Jam Session	Swift Current
11	Alameda Flower Show	Alameda
12	Territorial Days Parade	North Battleford
13-16	Territorial Days	North Battleford
14-18	Lloydminster CPCA Finals & Cabaret	Lloydminster
14	Shand Fair	Shand
16-18	Ranch Horse Versatility Clinic	Moose Jaw
16-17	Truck and Tractor Pulls	Yorkton
17-18	Sheepdog Classic	Shaunavon
17-18	Vanscoy Summer Fair	Vanscoy
17	Toyota Harness Racing	Yorkton
18	Doc's Town Arts & Craft Sale	Swift Current
23-25	Polkafest	Prince Albert
23	Harness Racing	Yorkton
24	Farmers Market	Assiniboia
24	Border Country Rodeo	Maple Creek
25	Pipestone Valley 4 H Achievement Day	Kelvington
25	Doc's Town Day at School and Country Church	Swift Current
26-31	Western Canadian Diary Classic	Moose Jaw
30	Harness Racing	Yorkton
31-1	Doc's Town Harvest Festival	Swift Current

If you have any events you would like to add to our list, please contact the SAASE office at 306-565-2121 or email [gduck.saase@sasktel.net](mailto:gduck.saase@sasktel.net)

