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## Clark and Anne Lewis Scholarship Winners Announced

The Saskatchewan Association of Agricultural Societies and Exhibitions has chosen this years recipients of the Clark and Anne Lewis Scholarship. The 2009 winners are Brandon Wilson and Brooklyn Lemon. Brandon was nominated by the Creelman Agricultural Society, and Brooklyn was nominated by the Maryfield Agricultural Society. This is the fourth year for the scholarship, and as usual the selection committee had a very difficult task in choosing the winners, because of the outstanding applications that were received.

#### **Brandon Wilson**

Brandon Wilson was nominated by the Creelman Agricultural Society. He is 18 years old and has graduated from the "33" Central School in Fillmore. He lives in Creelman and has attended the school in Fillmore from Kindergarten right through to grade 12.

Brandon has been very involved not only with the Village of Creelman, but also the Creelman Ag. Society. Over the past 5 years he has been volunteering for the Creelman community dinner theatre, and over the years has convinced his entire basketball team to help out. The cemetary is mowed and maintained entirely by volunteers and Brandon has also helped out there, as well as volunteering in the maintennee of the park.

Brandon participates yearly in the Terry Fox run in Creelman, as well as being active in the Remembrance Day services and essay competitions. He has helped out with the Creelman fair over the last



few years. This has included helping out in the barns, working to get the grounds ready, as well as helping set up the Beach Volleyball site.

Brandon not only is heavily involved with his community, but he is also involved in numerous extracurricular activities at his school. He participates in all the sports that are available, and as a result has been on the volleyball, basketball, badminton and curling teams. He was captain of the basketball and volleyball teams, and was skip for the junior boys curling team that won the District Championships. He has volunteered at many junior tournaments, by helping out with officiating, timekeeping as well as doing the lines. In his grade 12 year he coached the junior boys basketball team.

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## President's Message: Dave Young

I hope that the fair season has been good for everybody. I know that the weather has been pretty tough in a lot of areas, but hopefully everyone has made it through OK. You are probably wondering why I am now listed as the president. Don Kunkel had a situation arise that meant he could no longer continue on the SAASE Board. As a result Don has resigned from SAASE, and I have taken over as President. A big thanks to Don for all his hard work with SAASE over the years. He has really helped as far as moving SAASE along. Thanks again Don.

The SAASE board has been very busy and there are a lot of things to report. We are still working with the Ministry of Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport on SAASE's new funding agreement. We are also working on the SAASE convention that wil be taking place March 12 - 13 in Moose Jaw. It is still early, but keep that weekend open.

A big congratulations goes out to this year's winners of the Clark and Anne Lewis Scholarship. Once again our selection committee had a very tough task as all of the nominees are exceptional young people. This year's winners are Brooklyn Lemon nominated by the Maryfield Agricultural Society, and Brandon Wilson -nominated by the Creelman Agricultural Society. Thanks to all of the Agricultural Societies that submitted applications. The future of our province is certainly in good hands given the quality of youth that we have around the province.

The AG-EXperience Provincial Display has been all over the province this year and has gotten some great feedback. A seeds and crops module will be added to it for next summer so I would encourage all Ag. Societies to take a look at booking the display. If you have any questions about it give Glen a call..

Once again SAASE will be partnering with the Ministry of Agriculture on regional meetings and workshops that will take place in the fall of 2009 and early in 2010. These meetings have been very successful in the past and your Ag. Society should take a look at hosting one. If you are interested or have any questions give Glen a call.

There is an article in the newsletter regarding the SaskTel Community Investment Program. With sponsorship being a real challenge these days it is important to try and access any funding that may be available. SaskTel has helped out many Ag. Societies and Exhibitions, as well as SAASE at the annual convention. If you haven't applied for any money though this program you should certainly take a look at their website. On another note - Glen is always looking for articles for the newsletter. If you have had an event that you want the whole province to know about get Glen the article and pictures and he will do his best to get it in the next newsletter.

This year has once again been a banner year for Venture Projects. The Swift Current Exhibition's Southwest MarketPlace was a great success, Prairieland Park introduced a new module to the AG-EXperience at their fair, and the Yorkton Exhibition introduced a Chuckwagon Program to the City of Yorkton. The Venture Project Program is a great way to kickstart a new program within your community and I hope that all of our Agricultural Societies take advantage of the program. That's about it for now - hope everyone has a great harvest.

Dave

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In 2004 he was selected as a member of the Zone One boys basketball team for the Saskatchewan Summer Games.

Even with all his community, Ag. Society and extracurricular activities, Brandon has still been able to maintain an average of at least 85% throughout his school years. Brandon has been accepted and by the University of Saskatchewan into first year Engineering. Trent Berling - Principal of the "33" Central School in Fillmore - has this to say about Brandon - "In our school community of Fillmore we are blessed with many individuals of sterling character. In my opinion Brandon raises the bar, even for the best of them." SAASE is very proud to add Brandon Wilson to our list of Clark and Anne Lewis Scholarship winners.

#### **Brooklyn Lemon**

Brooklyn Lemon is the second recipient of the Clark and Anne Lewis scholarship for 2009. Brooklyn was nominated by the Maryfield Agricultural Society. Brooklyn is very well known throughout her community. She eagerly helps out with many community events. As well as exhibiting at the Maryfield fair she has also helped out by volunteering at the fair. Brooklyn is a leader in the sport of curling and has used her personal success to help out the community.

Even though Brooklyn is a very rounded individual with many interests and activities her big love is for curling. This past year she skipped her high school team to become provincial champions. Her junior womens team also won the provincials and then went on to compete at the Canadian National Junior Womens Championship. She has taken her success and used that to help out others. She started and organized a Kid's curling program in 2007, and has continued to run the program in 2008 and 2009. Her goal is to encourage young people to be

involved in curling and to make sure that curling stays active within her community. Cindy Thompson from the Maryfield Rec Board has this to say about Brooklyn -"Brooklyn has single-handedly recreated interest in our local youth for curling by hosting a clinic after school 2 days a week during the winter months to teach any child the fundamentals of the sport." - she continues - "Brooklyn has a calmness that makes her a great teacher. She has had a lot of success and is very modest about it. As a Rec Board, we owe Brooklyn the credit for 2 youth spiels held this year. She will be the reason our rink continues on, as we now have a large number of youth interested in the sport of curling." She has done all this while also curling with a team out of Regina.

She has also been very active in other school actiivities. Brooklyn has been a member of the Maryfield Students Council and was vice president in 2007 and president in 2008. In addition to curling she has also participated in volleyball, badminton and track and field. She has been assistant coach for the junior girls volleyball team. She has been very active in the school's public speaking competitions. She has been involved since grade 7 and was the winner in her age categroy in 2007 and 2009. Brooklyn has also had major roles in musical productions over the last number of years. This past year her Rememberance Day essay was the winning entry for the Province of Saskatchewan.

As if this isn't enough Brooklyn has also found time to work for the Village of Maryfield, a local restaurant, as well as this year working for a dentist in Moosomin. She also helps out at the family farm by assisting with sorting, tagging and feeding cattle, driving machinery, and helping out with the yard work.

Brooklyn has been accepted at the

University of Regina this fall and will be working towards a degree in Human Justice. She would like to eventually work in the R.C.M.P.

Finally Barbara Swallow - Principal of the Maryfield School had this to say about Brooklyn - "The leadership she shows in her daily approach to life whether it be in the classroom, in a club, or in a sports venue, will bring Brooklyn success in her future endeavors. I commend her for her commitment to youth, as well as for the enthusiasm and determination which she approaches everything she does. She will be one of our future leaders." SAASE is proud to name Brooklyn as our other Clark and Anne Lewis scholarship recipients.

All of the individuals who were nominated for the Clark and Anne Lewis scholarship desrve congratulations. They all exhibit the high ideals for which Clark and Anne would have been proud. With the tremendous number of great young people in our province we know there is great leadership for Saskatchewan in the future.





## **AG-EXperience Tours the Province**

The SAASE AG-EXperience provincial dispaly has been very busy making the rounds to Saskatchewan fairs and Ag. Societies this summer. To date the display has been in 12 different locations around the province including - Prince Albert, Biggar, Lloydminster, Alameda, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Turtleford, Battlefords, Glenavon, Melfort, Perdue and Ogema. There are 2 more stops to make on this years tour - in Unity and Melville.

The display has been very well recievied in all the locations it has been in and has been seen by thousands around the province. The real advantage is that it is very easy to set up, and for the most part Ag. Societies have been using students or teachers from the local school to man the display.

The display currently has 4 separate modules. There is beef, dairy, poultry and pork. Along with the signage the display comes with laptop computers that have the interactive games for each station. The display also comes with a hosting guide, coloring/activity books, as well as a teachers guide. There are 3 sets of the 4 modules. The space available and number of people expected to go through the display will determine how many of the sets the Ag. Society would need.

Saskatoon Prairieland Park has made available the copy of the signage, as well as the interactive games that have been instrumental in getting the program up and running. The Ag. Council of Saskatchewan, as well as Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada have helped out with the funding.



This past year Prairieland Park has been working on a new module for the AG-EXperience and unveiled it at the recent Saskatoon Exhibition. The module is a seeds and grains module, and SAASE helped out with some of the funding through the Venture Project Program for the new module.

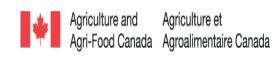
SAASE is currently working on adding the new module to the AG-EXperience Provincial display. The hope is to have the new module ready for the spring of next year. Along with Priarieland Park SAASE is also looking for other partners to assist in the funding for the new module.

The program is very exciting and all Ag. Societies are encouraged to book the display for their event. Information on the display is currently up on the SAASE website - www.saase. ca. If there are any questions or you want to book the display for next year contact the SAASE office. It is booked on a first come first served basis, and we have already started accepting bookings for 2010.



The AG-EXperience at the Lloydminster Exhibition









# Prairieland Parks Hosts Provincial 4-H Judging



Back Row Left to Right: Brittany Wimmer, Katie MacMillan, Jade Richards, Nathan Trowell, Carissa Watson, Samantha Sentes, Rena Hordos, Mitch Day. Front Row: Tami Lynn Friesen, Sarah Underwood, Siera Sparrow, Kayla Hordos.

The Saskatchewan Provincial 4-H judging competition was hosted this year at the Saskatoon Prairieland Park Ag Centre on Saturday, August 22. There were 35 competitors from the six regions in the province. The competitors judged; Heavy Horse, Beef, Dairy, Light Horse and Sheep.

Here is the Saskatchewan Team that will be competing at Agribition:

1.	Mitch Day	Lacadena, SK
2.	Rena Hordos	Raymore, SK
3.	Samantha Sentes	Raymore, SK
4.	Carissa Watson	White Fox, SK
5.	Nathan Trowell	Saltcoats, SK
6.	Jade Richards	Vanguard, SK
7.	Katie MacMillan	Saskatoon, SK
8.	Brittany Wimmer	Torquay, SK

A special thanks to all of the volunteers, livestock suppliers and judges that took time from their busy schedules to help put on this event.

# Moose Jaw to Host 2010 SAASE Convention

The 2010 SAASE Convention and Annual Meeting will be held in M oose Jaw from March 12 - 13. The Convention will be hosted by the Moose Jaw Exhibition, with the host hotel being the Moose Jaw Heritage Inn. The SAASE Board of Directors are busy working on this year's convention program, and it is sure to be an excellent one.

Coming off the successful convention that was held in Prince Albert and hosted by the Prince Albert Exhibition, it is sure to be a challenge to make this one better. The Moose Jaw Exhibition and the SAASE convention committee will be up to that challenge, and this year's convention will be one that you won't want to miss. The official convention package will not be out until sometime in December, but you can keep checking with the SAASE website for updates. Keep March 12th and 13th of 2010 open because you will not want to miss this year's SAASE convention.





## **SaskTel Community Investment Program**

The SaskTel Community Investment program is an excellent way for Agricultural Societies and Exhibitions to get SaskTel involved with their local community events. The SaskTel Community Investment Program supports non-profit and charitable organizations based in Saskatchewan, and assists more than 1,600 organizations annually.

SaskTel has been a big supporter of SAASE and it's members over the years, with the Community Investment Program helping out the SAASE convention on an annual basis. As far as our Ag. Societies and Exhibitions SaskTel has sponsored the following through the Community Investment Program in 2009 - Swift Current, Vanscoy, Melfort, Battlefords, Abernethy, Nokomis, Lloydminster, Turtleford and Maryfield.

There are a number of areas that SaskTel can help out with sponsorship. The

program provides broad support to events' programs, activities and projects directly linked to the following four areas:

#### **Technology**

Initiatives that showcase communications and e-based technology.

#### **Diversity**

Organizations or events that represent a visible minority, women in non-traditional roles, persons with physical or mental disabilities and Aboriginal peoples.

#### Youth

Requests that support young people.

#### Rural Life

Groups located in or events associated with rural Saskatchewan.

SaskTel accepts sponsorship requests in 3 different ways:

• Monetary donations for one-time or

- annual fundraising events.
- Cellular phones for use during your event.
- Donations of merchandise for draws, raffles or prizes.

#### How to Apply for Sponsorships

SaskTel receives thousands of requests annually for the program so SaskTel urges all applications for sponsorships to be submitted online at least three months before your organization requires assistance. The online application process provides quick access to the eligibility criteria and allows SaskTel to process requests in a timely manner. Go to www. sasktel.com and under "About Us" view the "Community Involvement" section. For more information call (306)777-2248 or email at: community.relations@sasktel. sk.ca. This program is an outstanding opportunity for Ag. Societies to get SaskTel involved with your event.



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one and all.

SaskTel is committed to helping both rural and urban people in Saskatchewan. In addition to providing one of the best communications networks in the world, SaskTel is proud to support many community groups and events across the province.







## Swift Current Southwest MarketPlace

Southwest MarketPlace 2009 was a Venture Project put together by the Swift Current Exhibition. The objective was to connect the local consumer with the local producers and create exposure and new markets for those in the region whose service area may currently be limited. Ultimately the goal was to have consumers in the Southwest support small businesses and producers in the Southwest region.

Project partners fot Southwest MarketPlace 2009 included the Swift Current Exhibition, Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture, SAASE, Southwest Enterprise Region and Swift Current Tourism.

The Southwest MarketPlace was held at the Swift Current Ag. and Ex Frontier Days from June 25th - 28th in the Stockade Building. The project was put togeher fairly quickly so there





were some merchants and producers who were unable to make the show. There were a total of 22 business and producers who registered. The show offered flexibility with a variation of full and half days meaning that the booths/tables changed by the half day. Businesses attending included art, jewellery, Saskatoon berries, alpaca products, authors, photographers, remote helicopters, wind turbines, handmade quilters, as well as other local producers. The feedback that was received was very positive and that this was an excellent event. Southweest MarketPlace will certainly be included and expanded for 2010. If your Ag. Society has an idea regarding a new event or new show, take a look at the Venture Project Program to help get it off the ground. If you have any questions give the SAASE office a call.



## Ogema Ag. Society Celebrates 95th Anniversary

Then-Now and Always the theme of the 95th annual summer fair of the Ogema Agricultural Society was held on the weekend of July 10 and 11, 2009. This is the beginning of the count down to the 100th anniversary of the Ogema Agricultural Society and plans are underway for a much larger and better celebration. Once again the fair was a huge success even though other events within the province were held on the same weekend. The weekend started on Friday evening with registration at the Ogema Dew Drop In. Seniors welcomed visitors who registered and reminisced about old times over coffee and snacks. Saturday morning commenced with the annual pancake breakfast in the CPR Park organized by members of the Deep South Pioneer Museum. The horse show got an early start at eight o'clock and events were well attended during the day. This year the horse show and barrel races were under a new and younger committee and the Society recognizes their efforts and work for a great show with many participants. The parade started from the east side of Ogema, commenced down railway avenue to Main Street where crowds of people cheered and the children scurried for candies that were thrown by the various floats and dignitaries. One special entry this year was the 'Big Bike' for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. This bike holds 29 participants and the community of Ogema once again showed their ability to support a worth while charity raising well over the \$50 per rider. One seat was vacant in memory of a true friend and supporter of our community, Faye Bell who died just before Christmas 2008.

The exhibits opened at 11:00 a.m. with over 1300 exhibits to look at with over 400 people taking time out of their busy lives to put their entries into our fair. Along with the many exhibits there were six vendors and four displays which included the SASSE AGEXperience. This display was visited by many young people and from reports received was well received and educational especially our new residents from the Philippine Islands.

At the official opening of the 95th summer fair, president. Myrna Owen welcomed our guest dignitaries as well as our nine Century Farm Awards. Arlene Johnson-Noga was welcomed back to Ogema as she presented



Dustin Duncan, MLA Weyburn-Big Muddy; Noreen and Lawrence Gable recipients of 'Century Farm Award'; Rick Dunn Reeve of RM Key West #70; Ed Komarnicki, MP Souris Moose Mountain

Wayne Peterson with a photo of the Regina Govins ladies baseball team, of which she was a player, to be put into the Ogema Sports Hall of Fame. Arlene Johnson-Noga was born and raised in the Ogema district and the Ogema Grandstand bears a plaque honouring Arlene for her contribution to our community. The cutting of the anniversary cake took place with former president Lorne Dunn and a long time member of the Ogema Agricultural Society, Helen Clark doing the honours.

During the events of the day; a number of School reunions were taking place and the Deep South Red Coat Road & Rail held their tenth anniversary celebrations in the CPR Park. Many of the Government officials that were instrumental in the founding of the Red Coat Road and Rail, were present for this the anniversary celebration. This is the result of another project undertaken by the people of this community as well as the surrounding communities.

The Ogema Colts fastball team played one of their league games in front of the Grandstand against the team from Plentywood, Montana. Other ball games were of teams that enjoy the sport of playing ball, all in all the crowd in the stands were delighted.

The horse show was another huge success with competitions on Saturday and barrel racing on Sunday. The show arena received a great deal of work this year and the committee is looking to improve it further for next year's events. The 'Kids Korner' kept our young participants busy and the students of Ogema School donated their profit to the Lindgren family. During the day old time music entertained the many people who took advantage of sitting for a time of reminiscing and enjoyed the anniversary cake. The day ended with a cabaret inside the complex.

The kitchen staff and the grandstand concession booth were kept busy during the day keeping the crowd pleased by serving beef on a bun at noon; cold drinks, hot burgers and dogs were available during the day and into the early evening hours. A beer garden was available for those who wanted to cool their thirst with a refreshing cold drink.

The 'Clean Team' students of the Ogema School did a remarkable job of keeping the grounds clean and tidy. This year the members of the agricultural committees did not have to spend hours cleaning the grounds. Thank you to the students of Ogema School and their teacher Cathy Webb. Now that the fair has closed for another year, work behind the scenes is still continuing as plans continue for next year's fair.

Article submitted by Ella Frank - Ogema Ag Society



**SAASE Welcomes Lancer as New Ag. Society** 

At the latest meeting of the SAASE Board of Directors an application for a new Agricultural Society in Lancer was approved. The Village of Lancer is located on Highway #32, close to the Great Sandhills and in the heart of the Canada Goose flyway - 103 kms northwest of Swift Current. Lancer

At the latest meeting of the SAASE has a total population of 60 people.

The major event of the Lancer Agricultural Society is the Annual Chokecherry Festival. festival is held every year on the Thanksgiving Weekend and began in the Homecoming year of 1971. This year's festival is the 39th and is being held from Friday October 9 -Sunday, October 11. The Chokecherry Festival is an activity-packed family weekend which highlights the area's cultural and agricultural background. The money that has been generated from the festival was initially used to help build the 600 seat Community Hall, and since then has been used to upgrade and maintain it. Money that is generated from the festival this year will go towards replacing both the furnaces, as well as putting metal cladding on the roof.

The weekend is jammed full of all types of activities. Below is a schedule of events:



Celebration Kick-Off

#### Saturday October 10

- Morning Goose Shoot
- Pancake Breakfast
- Registration and coffee
- Blacksmithing demonstration
- Craft Sale
- Lancer Museum
- P.A.L.S. 4H Show
- Parade
- Kids Carnival
- Food Fair
- Horseshoe Tournament
- Tractor Pull
- BBQ at Lancer Hotel



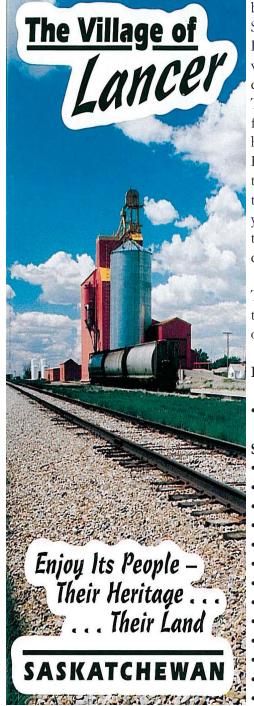
The World's Largest Chokecherry

• Dine and Dance at the Community Hall

#### Sunday October 11

- Interfaith Church Service
- Potluck Dinner
- Trophy Presentation & Raffle Draw
- Trap Shoot
- Talent Show Community Hall

For more information on the Lancer Chokecherry Festival contact Ag. Society Secretary Eileen Hartman at 689-2908.





## **EFFE News** Kennedy Ag. Society

## **SAASE Welcomes Back the Kennedy Ag. Society**

To continue with the many exciting things happening in the province and with SAASE - SAASE is proud to welcome back the Kennedy Agricultural Society as a member. Kennedy has run the Moose Mountain Pro Rodeo for the past 77 years, but has not been a member of SAASE since 2001. Kennedy made some changes and added a fair component to their rodeo and requested that their membership be renewed. New members and the welcoming back of old ones will make SAASE a much more dynamic organization. With the changes that were made as well as the addition of new events this year's Rodeo and Fair weekend were a tremendous success. Below ia an article that appeared with the Canadian Professional Rodeo Association - CPRA.

#### Moose Mountain Rodeo Stirs Up Community Spirit and a Side of Homemade Pie

For the last 77 years, the annual Moose Mountain Rodeo has been an integral part of the community for the folks of Kennedy, Sask. and area, and this year is no different. "This year, all our proceeds from the rodeo are going into a couple of different projects within the community. We've got some rink repairs that need to happen for the roof, and we also have a health foundation that's trying to raise money for the new hospital that's going up," says Howard Floyd, president of the Moose Mountain Pro Rodeo and Fair Association.

"Over the past six years, I think we've given in excess of \$20,000 to the health foundation. For a community of 300 people, I'm pretty proud of what we've accomplished," he says. Floyd is on the committee of eight that volunteer throughout the year to make the twoday rodeo happen and says that, in addition to the contributions to the



community at large, they've also made a few improvements to the rodeo grounds, something they strive to do every year to make everything that much better for stock, contestants and fans.

"We're doing some restructuring of some of our back pens so that we've got better facilities for the timed event cattle. We had a bunch of bleachers that needed repair, and we've done some general painting and tidying up," he explains. On average, 1,800 to 2,200 visitors visit Kennedy over rodeo weekend, which runs July 18 and 19.

"We put on as good a show as you're going to find anywhere. And it's an entire family weekend. You can bring your entire family to it and they can participate

in everything that's going on in a relaxed atmosphere and have a good time," Floyd encourages would-be spectators and rodeo fans. "There are two demolition derbies and two rodeo performances," he says, adding, "and this year we have brought back our old-time fair, so we we've got people that are entering crafts, displays and baked goods that are going to be judged. "I'm still trying to get on that committee," he laughs when asked if he gets to judge some of the pies that are entered. For those that aren't on the baked goods judge's panel, Saturday kicks off with a free pancake breakfast.

SAASE welcomes Kennedy back and wishes their committee comtinued success



## Western Canada Fairs Convention October 22 - 25

The 2009 Western Canada Fairs Association conention will be held October 22 - 25 at the Delta Bessborough Hotel in Saskatoon. Note the change of hotel location. Western Canada Fairs is an organization of fairs, exibitions and rodeos, an umbrella association which provides assistance with entertainment routing, date and midway co-ordination as well as legal consultations regarding contracts and negotiations.

The executive has spent considerable time planning a convention which is sure to educate and entertain all delegates. Workshops have been planned on a variety of topics that will be pertinent to all sizes of fairs and exhibitions. Showcasing of entertainment acts will again play a major part of the convention, as will the trade show of service members and agencies. All delegates are encouraged to take the time to visit the trade show booths and to attend the showcase opportunities. There will also be a silent and live auction, with delegates being encouraged to bring items to the convention.

Convention registration fees are as follows:

- \$190 postmarked prior to Sept. 20th
- \$205 postmarked after Sept. 20th
- \$230 at the convention

The convention fees include all workshops and meetings, trade show and showcasing, three breakfasts, two luncheons, two evening meals, daily coffee breaks and one social evening with food service, entertainment and prizes.

Convention delegates are encouraged to book their rooms at the Delta Bessborough Hotel early. Rooms are being held until September 10 at the rate of \$130 or \$150 plus taxes. After the 10th rooms will be released to the general public. For more information give Joyce Walter a call at 692-7357.





## **Coming Events**

#### September 2009

4 - 7	Moose Jaw Harvest Gold AQHA/SQHA Show	Moose Jaw
4 - 7	Prince Albert Chuckwagon Finals	Prince Albert
4	Yorkton Exhibition Harness Racing	Yorkton
5 - 6	CAS True Grit Team Roping and Barrel Racing	Carnduff
11 - 13	SRCHA Cowhorse Futurity and Derby	Moose Jaw
12	Maple Creek Ranch Country Horse Sale	Maple Creek
12 - 13	Melville Fair	Melville
12 - 13	Melville Parimutual Horse Racing	Melville
18 - 19	Saskatchewan Arabian Horse Assoc. Show	Moose Jaw
19	Maple Creek Chriiba Sale	Maple Creek
19 - 20	Melville Parimutual Horse Racing	Melville
19 - 20	Prince Albert Mud Mania	Prince Albert
25	Broadview Fall Fair	Broadview
25 - 27	Saskatchewan Paint Horse Assoc. Show	Moose Jaw
26	Grenfell Fall Fair	Grenfell
26	Grenfell Trade and Craft Sale	Grenfell
26	Lloydminster Rare and Exotic Fall Sale	Lloydminster
26	Yorkton Fall Flea Market	Yorkton
27	Swift Current Ranchmen's Ridin and Recitin	Swift Current

#### October 2009

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2 - 4	Sask. Riding Club Assoc. Show	Moose Jaw		
2 - 3	Unity & District Trade Show and Fair	Unity		
9 - 11	Sask. Appaloosa Horse Show	Moose Jaw		
9 - 11	Lancer Chokecherry Festival	Lancer		
17 - 18	Kevin Pole Reining and Horsemanship Clinic	Moose Jaw		
22 - 25	SRHA Stakes and Futurity Horse Show	Moose Jaw		
22 - 25	Western Canada Fairs Convention	Saskatoon		
24	Creelman Annual Pumpkin Festival	Creelman		
24	Denzil Trade and Fall Fair	Denzil		
24	Perdue MarketPlace	Perdue		
25	Radisson Pumpkin Contest	Radisson		
30 - 1	Band City Kennel Club Agility Trials	Moose Jaw		

#### November 2009

1 - 5	Lloydminster Stock Dog Trials	Lloydminster
5 - 7	Lloydminster Stockade Roundup	Lloydminster
7 - 8	Battlefords Mistletoe Craft Show and Sale	Battlefords
7 - 8	Golden Mile Ranch Roping Competition	Moose Jaw
7	Lloydminster UFA Roudup Ranch Horse	Lloydminster
)	Carnduff Country Christmas	Carnduff
L2 - 14	Yorkton Harvest Showdown	Yorkton
l3 - 14	Lloydminster Golden Feather & Fur Sale	Lloydminster
l3 - 14	Yorkton Rodeo	Yorkton
L4 - 15	Reining and Horsemanship Clinic	Moose Jaw
l7 - 21	CAFE National Convention	Charelottetown
18	Prince Albert AGM and Volunteer Appreciation	Prince Albert
18	Radisson Potluck Supper	Radisson
L9 - 21	Saskatoon Fall Fair	Saskatoon
23 - 28	Canadian Western Agribition	Regina
28	Vanscoy Turkey Bingo	Vanscoy

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<u>3</u>	Swift Current Doc's Town Christmas	Swift Current	
5 - 6	Kevin Pole Reining and Horsemanship Clinic	Moose Jaw	
6	Prince Albert Small Business Christmas	Prince Albert	
12	Battlefords Christmas Bake and Gift Sale	Battlefords	
19	Prince Albert Small Business Christmas	Prince Albert	





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