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## Register now for artsVest™ Workshop

Registration Deadline May 26, 2014

10:00-4:00 p.m. Melville Community Works 800 Prince Edward Street, Melville, SK

This full-day Sponsorship Training Workshop provides valuable tools to help small and mid-sized arts and heritage organizations secure and nurture long-term, mutually beneficial partnerships with local businesses. It also covers artsVest application procedures and guidelines and is an integral component of the program. **For organizations intending to apply for the program, workshop attendance is required (including participants from 2013/14 program).** Light lunch will be served. To learn more about the artsVest program in advance of the workshop, please visit [www.artsvest.com](http://www.artsvest.com) or call Colleen Ostoforoff, artsVest Saskatchewan Program Manager at 306-361-2312.

## Saskatchewan Lacrosse Association - Spring/Summer Programming

Throughout the upcoming spring and summer, the Saskatchewan Lacrosse Association (SLA) will be offering the Lacrosse FITS program to educate and introduce rural and urban Saskatchewan communities to the sport. Communities can access this program at limited to no cost, and there is flexibility on dates that the program can be offered.

To learn how this program can be implemented in your community, please contact Chris Lesanko - SLA Program Coordinator at (306) 780-9216 ext. 4, or by e-mail at [programs@sasklacrosse.net](mailto:programs@sasklacrosse.net).

## June is Recreation and Parks Month Launch Event Host Wanted

SPRA is seeking a host community for the June is Recreation & Parks Month Launch Event. Launch Events can include community events that are already being planned or newly planned events. The event must be held in early June. The host community will receive a \$500 allowance to assist with event expenses. If you are interested in hosting the 2014 JRPM Launch Event, contact Andrew Exelby, Consultant - Parks and Open Spaces at 306-780-9262 or [aexelby@spra.sk.ca](mailto:aexelby@spra.sk.ca).

### BE A SIT DISTURBER at the OFFICE

- Instead of calling or emailing a colleague, walk over to talk to them
- Build your core and back muscles by simply sitting tall and maintaining good posture all day



Upcoming Events:

**Parkland Valley SCR District Annual General Meeting**

Wednesday, June 11, 2014

Convention A—Gallagher Centre, Yorkton, SK

6:00 p.m. Registration

6:15 p.m. Supper

7:00 p.m. Annual Meeting

8:00 p.m. Guest Speaker: Kevin Power, SaskCulture Animateur

AGM packages were mailed to all communities the end of April. If your community/recreation board/RM did not receive a package contact Sheila at (306) 782-3353 for more information or to register. **Registration Deadline is Wednesday, June 4, 2014**

**Jane's Walk is May 2 - 4, 2014**

Jane's Walk is a movement of free, locally led walking tours inspired by Jane Jacobs. Jane Jacobs was an urbanist, well known for her community-based approach to city building. From May 2 - 4, 2014, Jane's Walk will be taking place world-wide. This festival of locally led walking tours, not only celebrates Jane Jacobs, but gets people exploring their communities by foot and connecting with neighbours.

Take part! Find out more details, plan a walk in your community or see what walks are happening in Saskatchewan by visiting the Jane's Walk web site at [www.janeswalk.org](http://www.janeswalk.org)

**Bike Safety week May 12-18**

**Coaches week in Sask May 24-31**

**KidSport Month**

Grants/Funding Training Opportunities:

**Parkland Valley Initiatives**

The next deadline for PV Initiatives is June 15, 2014. Applications available on our web site at [www.parklandvalley.ca](http://www.parklandvalley.ca) or call Kacie at 306.786.6585

**RBC Learn to Play Program Grants**

The RBC Learn to Play Project will provide grants to local organizations and communities in support of building the physical literacy of Canada's kids and youth. For more information and to see what opportunities are available, please visit [www.rbc.com](http://www.rbc.com)

**Mosaic Company Community Investment Application Deadline: June 27, 2014**

Visit [www.mosaico.com/community/how\\_to\\_apply.htm](http://www.mosaico.com/community/how_to_apply.htm)

**Coaching Association of Canada—Tip of the Month**

“Visit [www.coach.ca/eng/nutrition/index.cfm](http://www.coach.ca/eng/nutrition/index.cfm) for tip sheet and more information.

If you would like us to attend a meeting of yours, contact either Sheila at 306-782-3353 or Kacie at 306-786-6585. Recipients are encouraged to forward the PVSCRD Update to other members of their organizations.

*Parkland Valley Sport Culture and Recreation District is a non profit voluntary organization working with communities building capacity and creating a strong network of support through sport, culture and recreation.*



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