



ARCHIVES WEEK 2008 – CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Confirmed events as of 31 January 2008

PROVINCE-WIDE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4

CBC Radio Saskatchewan, “Blue Sky” program, 1:00 p.m. – phone-in program about archives in Saskatchewan. SCAA Executive Director Carey Isaak and City of Saskatoon Archivist Jeff O’Brien will be the guests.

REGINA:

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Spotlight on the Past:

Celebrity Readings from Archives in Saskatchewan

Saskatchewan Archives Board, 3303 Hillside Street, Regina

7:00 p.m.

Celebrity Readers will include:

- Honourable Christine Tell (Minister of Parks, Culture, Tourism and Sport)
- Fred Clipsham (Regina City Councillor)
- Tex Emery (Musician and 2007 Western Canadian Music Awards heritage award winner) with Paul McCorriston (The Rusty Augers)
- Jennifer Gibson (host of CBC Radio's Blue Sky)
- Gursh Madhur (Access Communications Community Programming Manager)
- Ruth Smillie (Artistic Director, Globe Theatre)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Saskatchewan Archives Board Film Night

Theatre, Royal Saskatchewan Museum, Regina

7:00-10:00 p.m.

Showing of four short films from SAB holdings: *Reflections* by Richard Diener; *Roger Ing's Utopia* (Spiral Film Productions Ltd.); *Home Town* by Brett Bell; *Riders '89* (CBC)

Free admission. Popcorn and snacks will be served and a cash bar will be available

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Roadmap to Your Past: Genealogy Open House at Saskatchewan Archives Board

Saskatchewan Archives Board Reading Room, Main Floor

3303 Hillsdale Street, Regina

1:00 to 4:30 p.m.

Come and discover some of the many genealogical resources and services at Saskatchewan Archives Board to help you piece together your past, including:

- Land, school, church and court records
- Personal diaries, voters lists and directories
- Maps, photographs and newspapers
- Many records on display are rarely seen, recently-opened documents, dating back more than a century.
- Displays and presentations by some of our genealogical partners including Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan and Saskatchewan Genealogical Society.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4 TO SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

University of Regina Archives and Special Collections

- “Celebrate Archives Week in Saskatchewan” Exhibit, Main Floor, Archer Library

SASKATOON:

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Spotlight on the Past: Celebrity Readings from Archives in Saskatchewan

Frances Morrison Library, 311 23rd St. E. (Theatre), Saskatoon

7:30 p.m.

Baseball tips from Ty Cobb; author Wallace Stegner’s defence; ideas for a new social order; the allure of the Temperance Colony; and “the brightest, happiest social life in Western Canada.” All this and more can be found in your local archives!

Join us for an evening of archival readings and discover Saskatchewan’s past – both frivolous and foundational.

With Readings By: Lieutenant Governor **Gordon Barnhart**, former Premier **Allan Blakeney**, writer and performer **Brenda Baker**, author and historian **Don Kerr**, CFQC news anchor **Rob MacDonald**, and author **Yann Martel**

Presented by the Saskatchewan Council for Archives and Archivists and the Saskatoon Public Library.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

“Archives Road Show” at the Saskatoon Heritage Festival

Western Development Museum, Saskatoon

12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m.

Representatives from a few of Saskatchewan's archival organizations will be at the festival to assist visitors with questions about archival research, resources available at local archives about visitors' research topics, taking care of personal and family archives, and archives in general. Institutions represented will include the Provincial Archives, City of Saskatoon Archives, University of Saskatchewan Archives, Local History Room, Diefenbaker Canada Centre and the Saskatchewan Council for Archives and Archivists. They will have a variety of research tools as well as samples of their collections. The public is invited to take advantage of this panel of specialists to have any questions answered, or just come and look at the exhibits.

HUMBOLDT:

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Open House at the **Archives of the Humboldt Museum and Gallery**, afternoon. Free coffee and snacks will be available; with a presentation at 2:00 pm on “the visual history of Humboldt.”

LLOYDMINSTER:

Lloydminster Regional Archives volunteers will be in early 1900s period costume with an exhibit about the Archives:

- At the Co-op Marketplace on **Tuesday, February 5** and
- At the Lloydminster Mall on **Thursday, February 7 and Friday February 8**
 - * Thursday: Watch for a TV interview on Newscap News at Night

YORKTON:

Yorkton Archives Exhibit - Main Floor, Yorkton City Hall, February 4-10

FREE ADMISSION TO ALL EVENTS

The Saskatchewan Council for Archives and Archivists gratefully acknowledges ongoing funding from the Saskatchewan Lotteries Trust Fund for Sport, Culture and Recreation through SaskCulture Inc. and from the federal government through the Canadian Council of Archives.

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