

PROGRAM Guide

SUMMER 2022
May - Aug

visit the library this
summer



**SASKATOON
PUBLIC LIBRARY**

ALL PROGRAMS ARE

FREE

ALL OF OUR PROGRAMS ARE FREE.

That's a fact, not fiction!

saskatoonlibrary.ca/programs

All programs are drop in unless indicated that registration is required.

Registered Programs

Registration opens at 10:30 am four weeks before each program unless otherwise specified.

IN PERSON

Visit your local library.

BY PHONE

[Call](#) the number listed or any library.

ONLINE

Find the program on the [online program calendar](#).

All library programs are subject to change without notice. In the event that a registered program has been cancelled, we will attempt to notify you about the cancellation.

Drop-in Programs

Free tickets can be picked up 30 minutes before the program start time, as space is limited. Groups and daycares can send representatives to pick up tickets at 10 am.

Notes to Parents & Caregivers

Parents and caregivers of kids under 10 are required to remain in the library.

Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult during programs.

ZOOM ETIQUETTE

for Program Attendees

Some programs are held via Zoom, an online audio and video conference platform. Attendees do not need to have a Zoom account to participate.

For the enjoyment of everyone participating, attendees are required to abide by the following guidelines for programs hosted on Zoom:

1. Attendees with screen names that are potentially offensive or contain language not appropriate for all audiences will not be admitted to the program.
2. Attendees must use language that is respectful of all participants.
3. When joining a program, microphones should be on mute. Please unmute only when asked by the program leader.
4. If your video is on, please have a fairly neutral background to help avoid distractions.
5. While your video and/or audio are on, please avoid loud and distracting activities such as eating, typing, having noisy devices on in the background on and having side conversations during the program.

Those who do not follow the above guidelines may be removed from the program. Thank you for helping ensure everyone can enjoy library programs during these challenging times.



EXPLORE THE DIGITAL LIBRARY

Access ebooks, eAudiobooks , movies, music, magazines, learning tools and more for free on your computer, tablet or phone.



Libby by OverDrive

Read thousands of free ebooks, audiobooks and magazines.



Hoopla Digital

Stream movies, TV and music.



TumbleBooks

A wide selection of ebooks and animated books for children.



Kanopy

More than 30,000 indie films, documentaries and classic titles.



PressReader & Flipster

Hundreds of magazines, local newspapers and international newspapers.



LinkedIn Learning

Learn business, software, technology, and creative skills with educational videos.



Mango Languages

Offers language learning for over 70 different languages.



Ancestry Library Edition

Find out your family's history.

For a full list of digital resources visit
saskatoonlibrary.ca/collections/digital





ART & CRAFTS

The Gallery

Showcasing emerging and established local artists.

**Frances Morrison Central Library
Second Level**

Visit saskatoonlibrary.ca/gallery for information.

Jul 4 – Aug 4

PEST

Karlie King

This exhibition seeks to explore our contradictory, ambiguous, problematic, relationship and understanding of certain insects known as ‘pests’.

Reception

Thursday / Jul 7 / 7–9 pm

2022 Masters of Fine Arts Graduating Class

The Department of Art & Art History at the University of Saskatchewan will be presenting works from the 2022 Masters of Fine Arts graduating class. Artists conclude their degree with an exhibition that demonstrates the depth of their research and practice over two years and as a celebration of their accomplishments and connections in the community.

In this era of pervasive racial and social injustice, global climate crises, political unrest and a loss of a sense of community informed by a global pandemic, art re-emerges as a necessary point of connection.

Aug 11 – Aug 20

Traces

Emily Conlon

Reception

Thursday / Aug 11 / 7–8:45 pm

Aug 25 – Sep 7

AIRIE

Rod Goertzen, Emily Conlon,
Louisa Ferguson, Jesse Fulcher
Gagnon & Chelsea Brant

Reception

Thursday / Aug 25 / 7–9 pm

AUTHORS & WRITING

Sage Hill Teen Writing Workshop

Teens (ages 14–18)

Develop your creative writing skills with a professional writer as your instructor. Upload a short sample of your writing and write a few sentences about why you would like to participate.

The application deadline is Jun 5.

Rusty Macdonald Library

Monday–Friday / Aug 8–Aug 12 / 10:30 am–4:30 pm

Visit sagehillwriting.ca/teens to apply.



Writers' Open Mic Night

Adults recommended

Writers and non-writers are invited to an informal evening of homegrown talent. Read your work or just listen. You'll meet a community of friendly, supportive, like-minded people with whom to share and develop your craft.

All readers are entered into a draw for a McNally Robinson gift card.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Select Thursdays / May 12 & Jun 9 / 7–8:30 pm

In partnership with



Writer in Residence Programs

Power Up Your Poetry

Teens recommended

Are you interested in exploring innovative and experimental poetry writing? Join Di Brandt to learn about sound poetry, surrealism, expressionism and graffiti poetry. Roll up your sleeves, dust off your sense of adventure and creativity, and let's go.

Zoom

Sunday / May 15 / 1–4 pm

Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library.

13 Ways to Say Farewell

Adults recommended

Join us for a celebration of good literary fun, featuring new writing by SPL Writer in Residence Di Brandt and some of the Saskatoon writers she has met with during her term.

Zoom

Wednesday / May 25 / 7–8:30 pm

To join please visit, zoom.us/j/86514871378



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for the Arts du Canada

Di Brandt is a multiple-award winning poet from Winnipeg. She recently served as Winnipeg's inaugural Poet Laureate, where she developed, among other things, the public poetry installation *Winnipeg Words*, in collaboration with the Winnipeg Arts Council's Public Art program.

The Writer in Residence acts as a mentor to writers in the community, reviewing manuscripts and providing advice about publishing. The Writer offers individual consultations, group workshops and programs, author readings and participates in other special events during their residency.

Her term as Writer in Residence runs Sep 1, 2021–May 30, 2022. At the start of her term, Di will meet with writers remotely from her home in Winnipeg. She is available to meet with adults and teens who want feedback and advice about a writing project.

Writer in Residence

306.975.7598 / writer@saskatoonlibrary.ca
saskatoonlibrary.ca/wir

Due to COVID-19, all consultations will be held remotely.

Mondays / 12–4 pm / 5–8 pm

Wednesdays / 12–4 pm / 5–8:30 pm



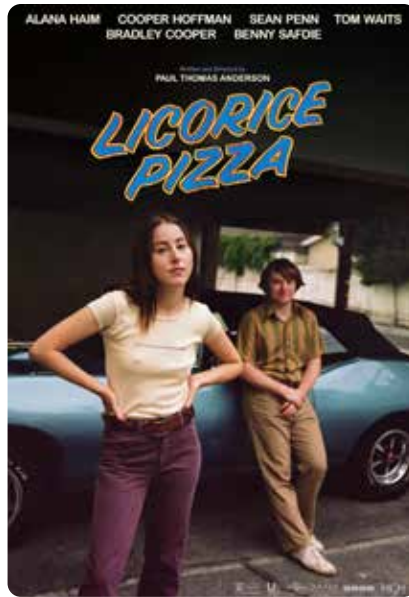
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Canada Council Conseil des arts
for the Arts du Canada





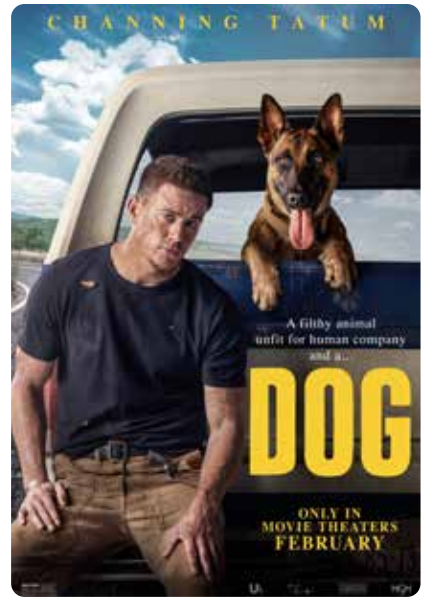
DVD

Treasure hunter "Sully" recruits street-smart Nathan Drake to help him recover a 500-year-old lost fortune.



DVD

Alana Kane and Gary Valentine grow up, run around, and fall in love in California's San Fernando Valley in the 1970s.



DVD

With a dog named Lulu by his side, Army Ranger Briggs races down the Pacific Coast to make it to a soldier's funeral on time.

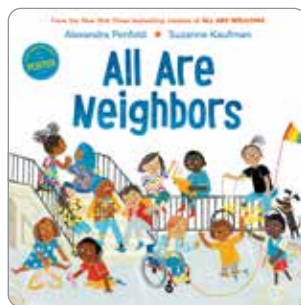
COMING SOON

Many of these titles will also be available via SPL's [digital library](#).



KIDS

This picture book illustrates the many different forms that kindness can take.



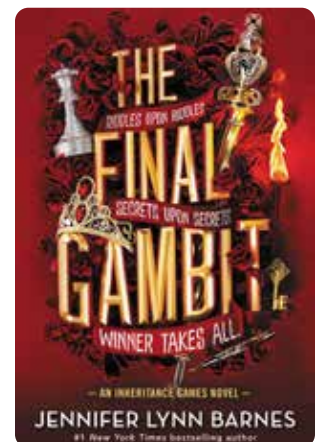
KIDS

When a new family moves in, the whole neighborhood comes together to celebrate their diverse community.



TEEN

Be sure to keep your friends close . . . and your secrets closer.



TEEN

The third book in the popular series that began with *The Inheritance Games*.



XBOX

Features legends from Capcom's competitive arcade gaming history, reproduced to play just like they did back in the arcades.



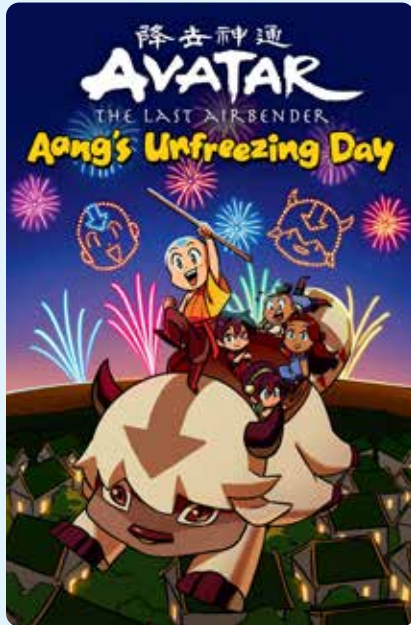
NINTENDO SWITCH

When the Gozareans attack, two retired pilots realize their trusty vintage fighter planes are the only means of combating the alien's powerful weapon-nullifying technologies.



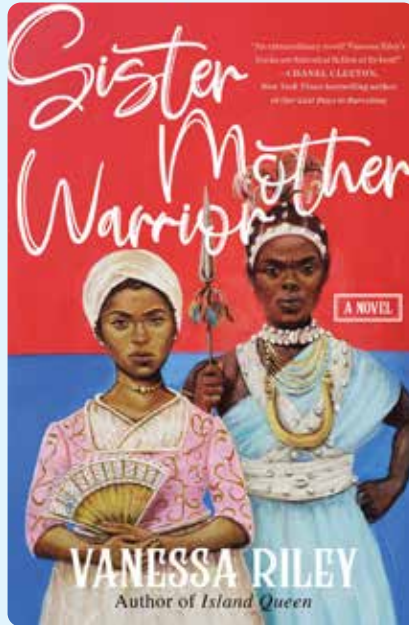
PS4

A fighting game based on characters of the blockbuster Dungeon Fighter Online franchise.



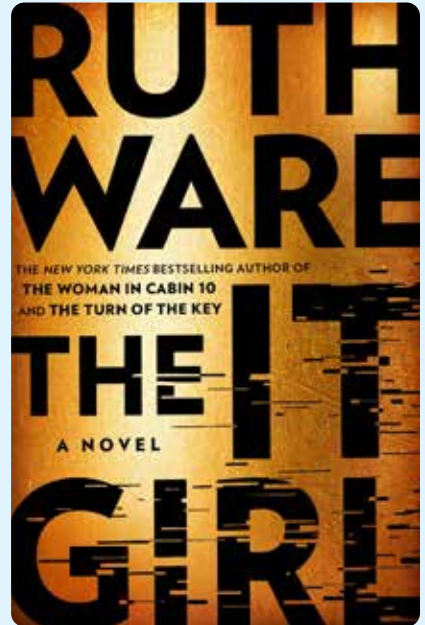
GRAPHIC NOVEL

Can you imagine not knowing your own birthday? That's the situation for Aang, who was frozen in an iceberg for a hundred years! Luckily his friends have a plan to surprise him with a new day to celebrate.



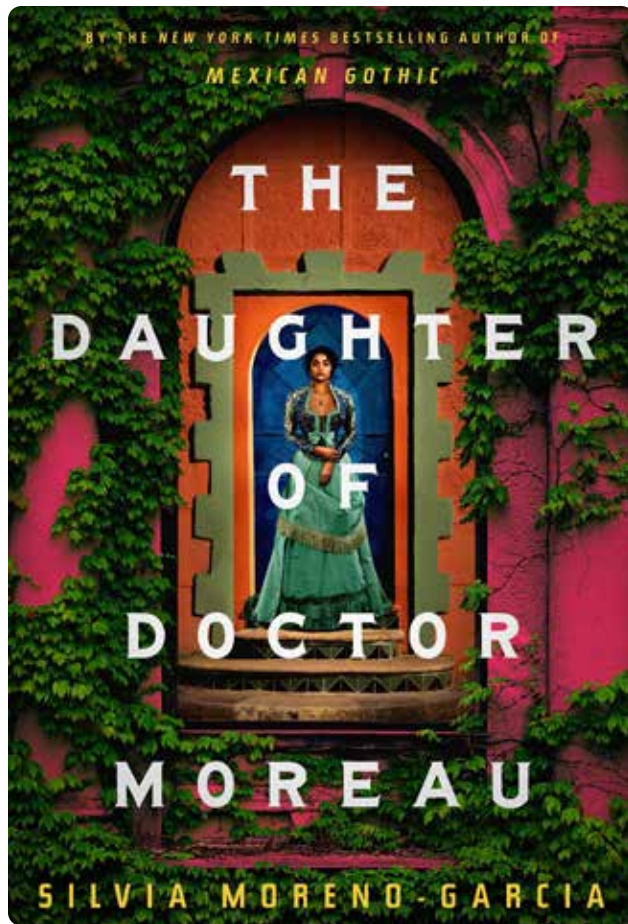
FICTION

A vivid, sweeping novel of the Haitian Revolution based on the true-life stories of two extraordinary women.



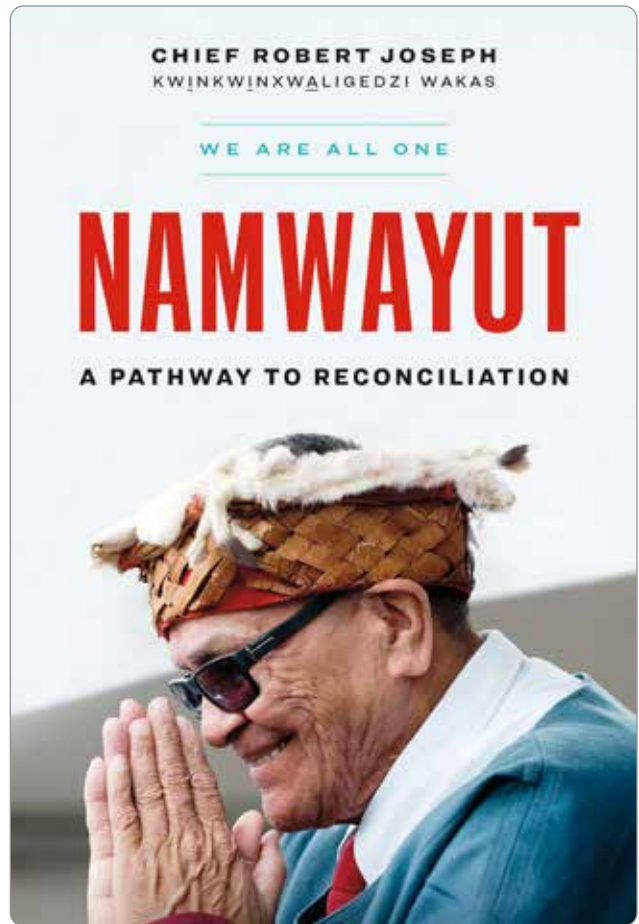
FICTION

A mystery following a woman on the search for answers a decade after her friend's murder.



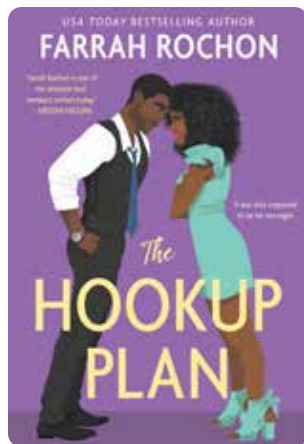
FICTION

A dreamy reimagining of The Island of Doctor Moreau set against the backdrop of nineteenth-century Mexico.



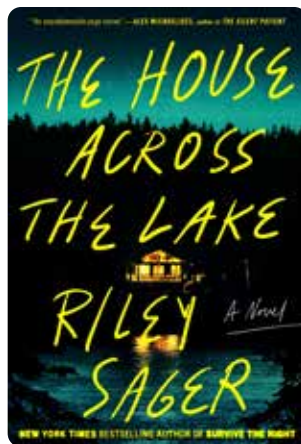
NON-FICTION

Chief Robert Joseph traces his journey from his childhood surviving residential school to his present-day leadership journey.



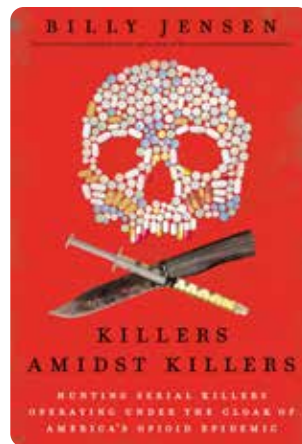
FICTION

Strong female friendships and a snappy enemies-to-lovers theme take center stage in this romantic comedy.



FICTION

Recently widowed actress Casey has escaped to her family's lake house for peace and quiet until the couple across the lake catch her attention.



NON-FICTION

An examination of the unsolved cases of eighteen dead and missing women, who are suspected victims of serial killers on the loose.



NON-FICTION

A book of humorous and charming advice for embracing life and aging joyfully.

BOOK CLUBS

Reconciliation Book Club

Adults recommended

Join the Reconciliation Saskatoon Book Club for informal and engaging conversations.

Zoom

Select Thursdays

In partnership with



Do You Celebrate Canada Day? Why or Why Not?

As we consider this question, we will discuss the Toronto Star article from Jun 30, 2021: [Do you find these ideas for celebrating Canada Day provocative? Then ask yourself why](#). If you would like a printed copy of the article, please ask at the service desk at any library.

May 12 / 3–4 pm

To join this session visit, zoom.us/j/85320820615

May 26 / 6–7 pm

To join this session visit, zoom.us/j/86760797580

The Land is Everything

Tasha Hubbard & Marilyn Poitras

“We are all treaty people”...but what does that mean? A series of essays explore the legacy of the Treaty Land Entitlement Framework Agreement of 1992.

Jun 9 / 3–4 pm

To join this session visit, zoom.us/j/81885259307

Jun 23 / 6–7 pm

To join this session visit, zoom.us/j/82748253625

Local History Book Club

Adults recommended

Explore books by local authors, the context of which are enhanced by materials from the Local History Room.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Select Thursdays / 7–8:30 pm

Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library.

Out of Old Saskatchewan Kitchens / May 26

Amy Jo Ehman

A story of people and the food they prepared. If you want to know what life was like in early Saskatchewan, come to the table with us.

Rainbow-ish Teen Book Club

Teens recommended

Share your thoughts, your opinions and your pronouns as we explore young adult fiction books by, for and about people of the rainbow. Gay, straight, two-spirit, genderqueer and anyone who feels they are -ish are welcome.

Zoom

Select Tuesdays / 4–5 pm

Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library. Let us know when registering if you want your own copy of the book.

The Girl From the Sea / May 24

Mallory Knox Ostertag

Fifteen-year-old Morgan can't wait to escape the island where she lives. Then one night, she is saved from drowning by a mysterious girl. As they fall in love, everything they're each trying to hide finds its way to the surface.

Queer As All Get Out: 10 People Who've Inspired Me / Jun 28

Shelby Criswell

The author shares their life, revealing their own personal struggle for acceptance and how they were inspired by these historical LGBTQIA+ people to live their own truth.

The Unexpected Cop: Indian Ernie on a Life of Leadership / Jul 28

Ernie Louttit

In this memoir, the author demonstrates that being a leader means sticking to your convictions and sometimes standing up to the powers that be.

SECOND CHAPTER

Stop by any library in Saskatoon and buy gently used library items at low prices! Each library has a shelf with items for sale.

**HARDCOVERS
DVDS & BLU-RAYS
GAMES & CDS**

\$1
EACH

**ALL
OTHER
ITEMS**

\$.50
EACH

After many decades of volunteering as a fundraising group for Saskatoon Public Library, The Friends of the Library have decided to close.

We would like to express heartfelt thanks to the many Friends members who have selflessly given their time over the years and, in doing so, helped make possible many special projects at the library.

 **Friends**
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BUSINESS & CAREERS

Creating Opportunities

Adults recommended

Looking for new opportunities in your life but don't know where to start? Drop in to talk with Florence Obasi, Learning Pathways Coach from the Saskatoon Food Bank and Learning Centre. Together you will explore personal motivation, starting over, finding balance, workplace skills and experience, employment, and pursuing education. Florence wants to help you achieve your goals.

For more information or to learn more about other free Saskatoon Food Bank and Learning Centre programs, contact Florence at 306.664.6565 ext. 235 or florence.o@saskatoonfoodbank.ca.

**Dr. Freda
Ahenakew Library**
Monday / Aug 22 / 3–4 pm

**Frances Morrison
Central Library**
Wednesdays / Aug 10–31
1–2:30 pm

Carlyle King Library
Select Tuesdays
Aug 2 & 30 / 1:30–2:30 pm
Aug 16 / 3–4 pm

Mayfair Library
Select Fridays
Aug 12 & 16 / 1–2 pm



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**SASKATOON FOOD BANK
& LEARNING CENTRE**

COMPUTERS & TECH

One-on-One Tech Help

Adults recommended

Register for a session to learn how to use a new device or for help with internet searching, email, Microsoft Word, social media and more. We can also help you create and access your MySaskHealthRecord account, including vaccine certificates.

Please let us know what topic you would like help with when registering. Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library.

Alice Turner Library
Mondays & Wednesdays / May 9 – Aug 31
10:30–11:30 am & 3–4 pm
No program May 23 & Aug 1

Carlyle King Library
Tuesdays / May 10–Aug 30 / 11–12 pm
Thursdays / May 12–Aug 25 / 2–3 pm

Cliff Wright Library
Tuesdays & Thursdays
May 10–Aug 30 / 3–4 pm

Dr. Freda Ahenakew Library
Thursdays / May 12–Aug 25
11:30 am–12 pm

**Frances Morrison
Central Library**
Wednesdays / May 11–Aug 31 / 3–4 pm
Fridays / May 13–Aug 26 / 11 am–12 pm
No program Jul 1

J.S. Wood Library
Wednesdays / May 11–Aug 31 / 2–3 pm
Thursdays / May 12–Aug 25 / 7–8 pm
Program room and washrooms are not wheelchair accessible.

Mayfair Library
Thursdays / May 12–Aug 25
11 am–12 pm & 2–3 pm

Round Prairie Library
Wednesdays / Jun 1–Aug 31
1:30–2 pm

Rusty Macdonald Library
Tuesdays / May 10–Aug 30 / 2–3 pm
Thursdays / May 12–Aug 25 / 3–4 pm

ENVIRONMENT

Learn to Camp

All ages recommended

Learn basic camping skills and start connecting to nature.

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Learn-to Camp
Parks Canada



Prince Albert
National Park

Camping with Babies & Toddlers

Connect with other parents and caregivers and find the right camping tips that will work for you to introduce your little ones to camping.

Alice Turner Library

Wednesday / Jun 15 / 4–6 pm

Round Prairie Library

Saturday / Jul 23 / 2–4 pm

Camping 101

A camping basics workshop for beginner and intermediate campers. From setting up a tent to camp cooking, you will learn the camping skills to feel confident on your next trip.

Rusty Macdonald Library

Thursday / Jun 16 / 4–6 pm

Cliff Wright Library

Thursday / Jun 23 / 6–8 pm

J.S. Wood Library

Thursday / Jun 30 / 4–6 pm

Choose Your Own Adventure

Everything you need to know to create a camping itinerary. Topics include nearby parks to visit, types of camping and an overview of outdoor recreational activities.

Rusty Macdonald Library

Thursday / Jun 23 / 4–6 pm

Wild for Wildlife

Become an expert in Canadian wildlife before your next adventure. You will learn about wildlife and the ways to protect Canadian parks and the critters who live there.

Rusty Macdonald Library

Thursday / Jun 30 / 4–6 pm

Hug-a-Tree & Survive

Kids (ages 5–11) recommended

This AdventureSmart program will teach kids how to stay safe outdoors and what to do if they get lost.

Round Prairie Library

Saturday / Jul 9 / 2–4 pm

Sustainability Speakers Series

Adults recommended

Guest speakers will discuss sustainability with a local focus.

Zoom & YouTube

Select Tuesdays / 7–8:30 pm

In partnership with



Saskatchewan
Environmental
Society

Considering Compost:

Large & Small-Scale Options / May 10

Lisa Howse of the Saskatchewan Waste Reduction Council will discuss the benefits and challenges of dealing with organic waste.

To join this presentation, visit zoom.us/j/89476221849

The Climate Crisis & Its Solutions / Jun 14

Join Climate Reality Leader Aditi Garg to explore the basics of the climate crisis and answer the questions: Must we change? Can we change? Will we change?

To join this presentation, visit zoom.us/j/81832674510

Caregivers of kids under 10 are expected to remain in the library during programs. Kids under 6 must be accompanied by an adult during programs.

FINANCE

Managing Your Money

Adults recommended

Join a Credit Counselling Society Financial Educator to learn the skills and knowledge to make decisions about money.

Zoom

Select Tuesdays / 7–8 pm

Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library.

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Homeownership — Are You Ready? / May 31

Learn about the costs involved in purchasing and maintaining a home, as well as what is required to qualify for a mortgage.

Raising Financially Fit Kids / Jun 28

Parents will learn some techniques to teach kids about savings, giving, and spending.

75 Ways to Save on Household Expenses / Jul 26

Learn how to save on various household expenses including utilities, transportation, groceries and personal items.

Food & Finance / Aug 30

Learn how to create healthy and financially sustainable meal plans.

Financial Literacy Workshop

Adults recommended

Learn about money management to help you make informed financial decisions.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Select Tuesdays / 1:30–3:30 pm

Register by calling Foundations at 306.652.5448 or online at [foundationslearning.com](#).

In partnership with



Assets / May 3

Banking / May 10

Budgeting / May 17

Credit/Debt Repayment / May 24

Consumerism / May 31

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Rapid Access Counselling

Adults recommended

Looking for solutions? Need to talk to someone? Visit the library for a single session with a Family Service Saskatoon counsellor.

Family Service Saskatoon offers quick access to brief mental health services for individuals, couples and families. They can help with concerns such as anxiety, depression, addictions, suicidal ideation, stress, relationship conflict, separation and divorce, domestic violence and parenting.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Fridays / Jul 8–Aug 26 / 12–4 pm

No program Jul 1

Walk-ins are welcome, as are appointments. To book a session, contact Family Service Saskatoon at 306.244.0127 or visit counsellingconnectsask.ca. For more information, visit the Family Service Saskatoon website: familyservice.sk.ca.

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LAW

Family Law Help

Adults recommended

Do you have questions about parenting, child support, divorce or court forms and processes? Join experts who can help answer your questions related to family law matters.

If you are interested in attending a session, you are encouraged to first view the short family law videos from the Family Law Information Centre. Free family law information and court forms are available on the PLEA website.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Select Thursdays / May 12, Jun 16, Jul 21 & Aug 18 / 6:30–8:30 pm

Mayfair Library

Select Thursdays / Jun 16 & Aug 18 / 1:30–3:30 pm

Round Prairie Library

Select Thursdays / May 12 & Jul 21 / 1:30–3:30 pm

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Legal Research Help

Adults recommended

Plan on representing yourself or need legal research help? Come meet one-on-one with Ken Fox from Law Society of Saskatchewan to help guide you through the many legal resources available. No appointment needed.

The Law Society of Saskatchewan has no jurisdiction to provide legal advice, recommend a lawyer or act on an individual's behalf.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Select Tuesdays / Jun 7, Jul 5 & Aug 2 / 2–5 pm

Select Thursdays / Jun 16, Jul 21 & Aug 18 / 6–9 pm

For legal research help by email, contact reference@lawsociety.sk.ca.

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TD Summer Reading Club

Canada's largest bilingual summer reading program for kids of all ages, interests, and ability levels.

How to participate

At the Library

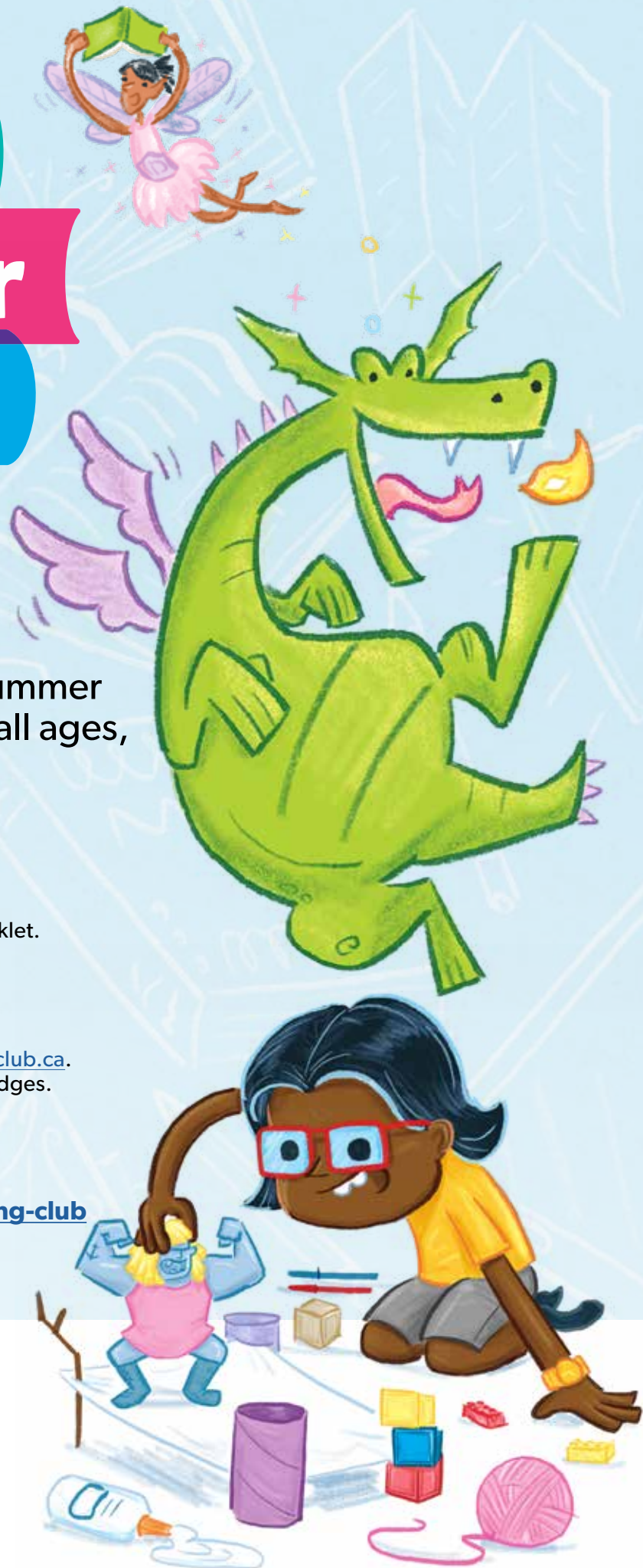
Visit any library starting Jun 25 to pick up a booklet.
Track your reading in your booklet.
Visit any library weekly to collect a prize.

Online

Join online starting Jun 25 at tdsummerreadingclub.ca.
Track your reading online and collect digital badges.
Visit any library weekly to collect a prize.

Jun 25 – Sep 6

saskatoonlibrary.ca/td-summer-reading-club



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THE
READY
COMMITMENT



Library and Archives
Canada

Bibliothèque et Archives
Canada

LITERACY

Reading Buddies

Kids (ages 7–9) recommended

Reading is better with friends. Kids are paired with a teen volunteer for fun with books, games and other activities. Weekly participation is encouraged, but not mandatory.

Alice Turner Library

Mondays / Jul 4–Aug 15 / 4–5 pm

No program Aug 1

Cliff Wright Library

Fridays / Jul 8–Aug 12 / 10:30–11:30 am

J.S. Wood Library

Tuesdays / Jul 5–Aug 9 / 4–5 pm

Program room and washrooms are not wheelchair accessible.

Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library.

Teen Volunteer Opportunity

Are you 13–17 and need volunteer hours?

Consider volunteering to be a Reading Buddy, where you'll read and play games with kids aged 7–9. Your time will count towards volunteer hours in the community.

Register through the [online program calendar](#) or by calling any library.

LOCAL HISTORY



Evenings in Local History

Adults recommended

Go back in time as we share stories from our past using the library's Local History archive.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Select Thursdays / 7–8:30 pm

Film Night: Ingrained Legacy — Early Prairie Woodworkers / Jun 16

A documentary about the work of early pioneer Saskatchewan woodworkers who made items out of wood for their survival, comfort and artistic expression.

History Talk: Ukrainians in Saskatchewan / Aug 25

Join us for an exploration of the history of Ukrainian newcomers in Saskatchewan. Learn how their resilience and rich cultural heritage have shaped the province.

LOCAL HISTORY TOY BOX


The Local History Room now has a toy box filled with classic, heritage-relevant and locally made toys. Visit us to research, learn and have fun in the Local History Room, located on the second level at the Frances Morrison Central Library.

Check out

CHECK IN

Sign up for our [newsletter](#) to receive monthly library updates.

saskatoonlibrary.ca



ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING

Book Club in a Bag

A fun way to learn English with friends.

saskatoonlibrary.ca/collections/ell-book-club-in-a-bag/

STEAM

Codebreaker Kits

Teens recommended

Mysteriously locked kits have appeared at the library. Can you break the code to unlock them?
Drop in any time throughout the hour to test your skills, and we'll reward you with a prize.

Alice Turner Library

Select Thursdays / Jul 14 & Aug 11 / 11 am–12 pm

Dr. FredaAhenakew Library

Select Saturdays / Jul 16 & Aug 13 / 2–3 pm

J.S. Wood Library

Select Tuesdays / Jul 5, 19 & Aug 9 / 2–3 pm

Mayfair Library

Select Fridays / Jul 8, 22 & Aug 5 / 2–3 pm

STORYTIME

Baby Storytime

Kids (ages 0–2) recommended

Join us to learn rhymes, songs and read books perfect for caregivers and their babies.

Alice Turner Library

Tuesdays / May 3–Aug 30 / 10:30–11 am

Cliff Wright Library

Tuesdays / May 3–Aug 30 / 10:30–11 am

Dr. Freda Ahenakew Library

Thursdays / May 5–Aug 25 / 10:30–11 am

Frances Morrison Central Library

Fridays / May 6–Aug 26 / 10:30–11 am

No program Jul 1

J.S. Wood Library

Saturdays / May 7–Aug 27 / 11:30 am–12 pm

Washrooms are not wheelchair accessible.

Rusty Macdonald Library

Tuesdays / May 3–Aug 30 / 10:30–11 am

Round Prairie Library

Thursdays / May 5–Aug 25 / 10:30–11 am

Saskatoon Zoo Society Family Storytime

Kids (ages 2–8) recommended

Special animal guests will join Family Storytime.

Alice Turner Library

Select Wednesdays

Jul 6, 13, 20, 27, Aug 3 & 10 / 10:30–11:30 am

Family Storytime

Kids (ages 2–8) recommended

Come for stories, songs and fingerplays for the whole family.

Alice Turner Library

Saturdays / May 7–Aug 28 / 10:30–11 am

Wednesdays / May 4–Jun 28 & Aug 17–31 / 10:30–11 am

Carlyle King Library

Fridays / May 6–Aug 26 / 10:30–11 am

No program Jul 1

Cliff Wright Library

Thursdays & Saturdays / May 5–Aug 27 / 10:30–11 am

Dr. Freda Ahenakew Library

Tuesdays & Wednesdays / May 3–Aug 31 / 10:30–11 am

Frances Morrison Central Library

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays

May 3–Aug 30 / 10:30–11 am

J.S. Wood Library

Saturdays / May 7–Aug 27 / 10:30–11 am

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Mayfair Library

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Rusty Macdonald Library

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Round Prairie Library

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No program Jul 1

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STORYTIME

Pride Parade Primer

Kids (ages 2–8) recommended

What is the Pride Parade all about? Join us for stories and songs to get us in the spirit for the Pride Parade. Then make buttons and flags to take to the parade.

Frances Morrison Central Library

Saturday / Jun 18 / 10:30–11:15 am

Reading with Royalty

Kids (ages 4–12) recommended

Celebrate inclusion and diversity with family-friendly storytimes led by local drag performers. Kids are encouraged to look beyond gender stereotypes and embrace our differences and similarities.

[Facebook & YouTube](#)

Select Fridays / May 27, Jun 24, Jul 29 & Aug 26 / 12 pm

Online Puppet Shows

Kids (ages 2–8) recommended

Join us for a series of puppet shows based on beloved children's stories.

[Facebook & YouTube](#)

Mondays / Jul 4–Aug 1 / 10:30 am

Outdoor Storytime

Kids (ages 2–12) recommended

Stop by the library and take a short walk to a nearby green space to share stories and sing. Look for a library employee in a blue shirt. In the circumstance of weather advisories, storytime will move indoors.

Alice Turner Library

Mondays / Jun 6–Aug 29 / 7–7:30 pm

No program Aug 1

Cliff Wright Library

Wednesdays / Jun 8–Aug 31 / 7–7:30 pm

J.S. Wood Library

Wednesdays / Jun 8–Aug 31 / 7–7:30 pm

Rusty Macdonald Library

Wednesdays / Jun 8–Aug 31 / 7–7:30 pm

Caregivers of kids under 10 are expected to remain in the library during programs. Kids under 6 must be accompanied by an adult during programs.

Stories in the Park

Kids (ages 2–12) recommended

Enjoy stories, songs, and lots of fun when the library visits parks around Saskatoon this summer. Look for a library employee in a blue shirt. In the circumstance of weather advisories, storytime will be cancelled.

In partnership with



Confederation Park (Confederation Park)

Select Tuesdays / Jul 5, 12, 19 & 26 / 2:30–3 pm

Optimist Park (Riversdale)

Select Tuesdays / Jul 5, 12, 19 & 26 / 2:30–3 pm

Briarwood Park (Briarwood)

Select Tuesdays / Jul 5, 12, 19 & 26 / 2:30–3 pm

Harold Tatler Park North (Nutana)

Select Wednesdays / Jul 6, 13, 20 & 27 / 2:30–3 pm

Greystone Park (Greystone Heights)

Select Wednesdays / Jul 6, 13, 20 & 27 / 2:30–3 pm

North Park (North Park)

Select Wednesdays / Jul 6, 13, 20 & 27 / 2:30–3 pm

A.H. Brown Park (Mayfair)

Select Wednesdays / Jul 6, 13, 20 & 27 / 2:30–3 pm

Thornton Park (Exhibition)

Select Thursdays / Jul 7, 14, 21 & 28 / 2:30–3 pm

StoryWalk®

Kids (ages 4–12) recommended

Head down to our StoryWalk® at Kinsmen Park, where you'll find a different picture book each month displayed alongside the walking paths July to August.

The StoryWalk® starts near the Carousel Plaza.

STUDYING & HOMEWORK

Homework Help

Teens recommended

Are you struggling with your schoolwork or having trouble preparing for exams?

Free one-on-one homework help is available through video conferencing.

Sessions available

May 1 – Jun 30

For more information and to sign up for one-on-one or group sessions with a volunteer for one to two hours each week, please email saskatoon@frontiercollege.ca.

Programs above in partnership with



Tutoring for Adults

Adults recommended

Are you struggling with the GED, EAL or post-secondary coursework?

Free one-on-one tutoring is available through video conferencing.

Sessions available

May 1 – Jun 30

For more information or to register contact Frontier College at saskatoon@frontiercollege.ca.



SPL DISCOVERY PASS

Borrow a pass for free admission to great places in Saskatoon!

Some passes are only available at select libraries.

saskatoonlibrary.ca/discovery-passes

Hours & Locations



1 Frances Morrison Central Library

311 23rd St E
306.975.7558

Monday to Thursday / 10 am–9 pm
Friday to Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

Local History (second level)
306.975.7578

Monday & Thursday / 10 am–9 pm
Tuesday & Wednesday / 10 am–5 pm
Friday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

2 Alice Turner Library

110 Nelson Rd
306.975.8127

Monday to Wednesday / 10 am–9 pm
Thursday to Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

3 Carlyle King Library †

3130 Laurier Dr
Cosmo Civic Centre
306.975.7592

Monday / 1–9 pm
Tuesday to Friday / 10 am–9 pm
Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

4 Cliff Wright Library

1635 McKercher Dr
Lakewood Civic Centre
306.975.7550

Monday to Friday / 10 am–9 pm
Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

5 Dr. Freda Ahenakew Library

100–219 Ave K S
306.975.7508

Monday to Friday / 10 am–9 pm
Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

6 J.S. Wood Library**

1801 Lansdowne Ave
306.975.7590

Monday to Friday / 1–9 pm
Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

7 Mayfair Library

602 33rd St W
306.975.7591

Monday to Thursday / 10 am–9 pm
Friday to Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

8 Round Prairie Library

170–250 Hunter Rd
306.986.9700

Monday to Thursday / 10 am–9 pm
Friday to Saturday / 10 am–6 pm
Sunday* / 1–5:30 pm

9 Rusty Macdonald Library

225 Primrose Dr
Lawson Civic Centre
306.975.7600

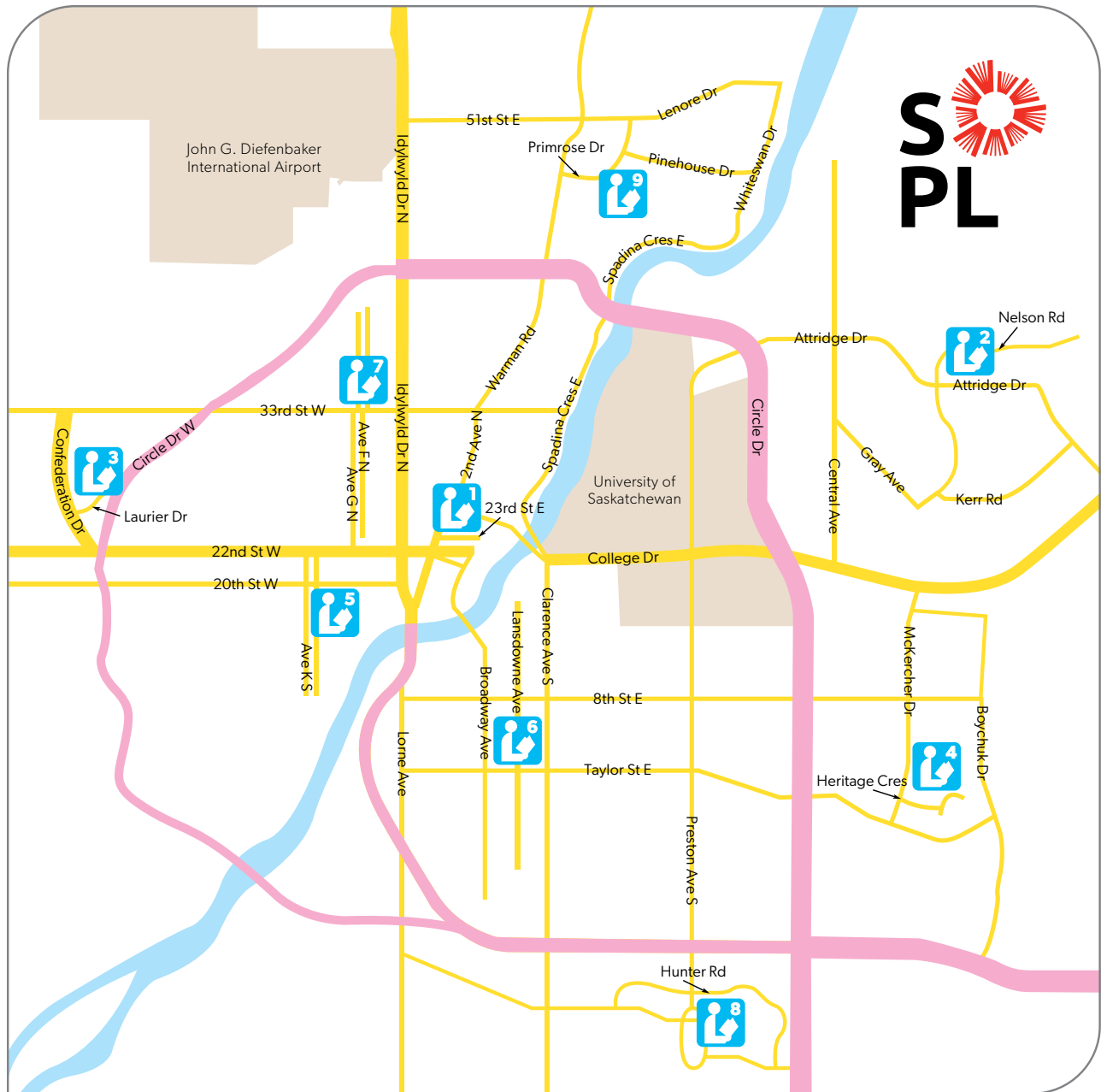
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† The programming rooms are not wheelchair accessible.

**The washrooms and programming rooms are not wheelchair accessible.

***All locations closed Sundays**
Jul 3–Sep 4



2022 Library Closures

All library locations will be closed on the following dates:

New Years Day, Jan 1
 Family Day, Feb 21
 Good Friday, Apr 15
 Victoria Day, May 23
 Canada Day, Jul 1
 Saskatchewan Day, Aug 1

Labour Day, Sep 5
 Employee Development Day, Sep 28
 National Day for Truth & Reconciliation, Sep 30
 Thanksgiving, Oct 10
 Remembrance Day, Nov 11

Christmas Day, Dec 25
 Boxing Day, Dec 26
Early Closures
 Dec 24 & 31 at 5 pm
Closed Sundays
 Jul 3 – Sep 4

BUS SCHEDULE INFORMATION

Visit saskatoon.ca and click "T" for Transit; call 306.975.3100; Access Transit customers call 306.975.3555; or ask at the library public desks for a bus schedule.