

# STONEBRIDGE SLATE

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings from the Community Association!

Updates from the Stonebridge community association:

Coming up on September 9th will be our fabulous Movie in the Park. This is always a favourite event for the neighbourhood, and we are grateful to our volunteers and sponsors who help make it happen. Look for more details on our Facebook page and website!

Registration for fall programming will be online, from August 22nd to September 2nd. More information is in this newsletter, but please refer to our website for the most up-to-date details. Remember that each family will have to purchase a community association membership to register for Stonebridge programs this fall, as all memberships expire July 31st of each year. Stonebridge programs are open to residents of other neighbourhoods as well; Stonebridge will honour valid community association memberships from another neighbourhood.

We're all getting excited about planning for our rink which will be located adjacent to the new Amenity Building that is being built by the City of Saskatoon, which will be right next to the spray park. If you are interested in helping out with the rink construction, let us know!

Our board is comprised of dedicated individuals who volunteer their time to improve the quality of life for themselves and others in the community. I am so grateful to the members of the community who volunteer their time and efforts to bring our community closer together, through events, programming, and so much more.

Always look to our website for the latest community and civic news, City of Saskatoon updates, and programs offered by the community association. You can also follow our community association page on Facebook for notifications on what we've got coming up. You can contact me with feedback or suggestions at ourstonebridge.info@gmail.com.

Alena Sherwood Stonebridge Community Association

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### ALL ABOUT FALL PROGRAM REGISTRATION

#### PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE - VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR THE LATEST (ourstonebridge.ca)

Below you will find a listing of what the Stonebridge Community Association will be offering this fall. Schedules and program fees will be updated as they are finalized – please refer to our website for the most up-to-date information!

Online sign up will begin Monday, August 22nd, 2022, and end on Friday, September 2nd, 2022 at ourstonebridge.ca. There will be no in-person payment drop-off this year so if you require assistance with registrations, please email ourstonebridge.programs@gmail.com.

A non-refundable membership fee of \$10 per family per year is required to participate in programs and must be purchased or presented at the time of program sign-up (memberships expire each year on July 31st). A fee of \$15 will apply to late registrations. SCA honours other community association memberships as well!

Cost-as-a-barrier assistance and/or KidSport applications are available for those facing financial hardships. To inquire/apply, please contact ourstonebridge.info@gmail.com. All inquiries are kept confidential.

### INDOOR SOCCER INFORMATION

Registration has now closed! Registrations after August 22<sup>nd</sup> will be charged a late fee and will only be accepted if there is space available on a team.

KINDER SOCCER - For kids born in 2019 & 2020!

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays from the beginning of October to end of November at Chief Whitecap School in the Multi-purpose Room.

INDOOR SOCCER: U5-U9

Indoor Soccer Season runs October 23, 2022, to March 2023. Saskatoon Youth Soccer will schedule the games for U5, U7 and U9. The Stonebridge Community Association does not have control over the schedule. Practices are at the discretion of the coaches and will be scheduled by the coaches. Players will require shin guards, socks and shoes. A team jersey will be provided for the season. There are 15 (3v3) games played Sundays primarily at Henk Ruys Soccer Center on hardcourt surface. The age divisions include:

Under-5 COED (Born in 2018)

Under-7 BOYS/GIRLS (Born 2016/2017)

Under-9 BOYS/GIRLS (Born 2014/2015)

All teams will have the opportunity to play in Mini SISCO tournament which is held March 17 – March 19 on turf at Saskatoon Soccer Center. Each team will be play 3 games and is included in the fees.

Refunds cannot be provided after September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Questions or want to volunteer to Coach? Please email stonebridge.soccer@gmail.com.



### INDOOR BASKETBALL INFORMATION

Saskatoon Minor Basketball Association (SMBA) registration is now open for the 2022-23 season — and there is a new league option for young athletes looking to push themselves!

#### **PREMIER LEAGUE**

For the upcoming season, SMBA is introducing a city-wide premier league for the Grades 5-6 and Grade 7-8 divisions, for both boys and girls. Each division will be made up of four teams, with players interested in the premier league being evaluated independently by Golden Ticket Sports at a camp in mid-September. Players will then be drafted based on their skill level and placed on city-wide teams, not community-based teams. Teams in the premier league will practice two times per week and play once per week.

#### **COMMUNITY LEAGUE**

For those who would prefer to play in the traditional community-based league, registration is open for the community development league for kids from Grade 3-12. As in past years, games are played on Saturdays, while one practice per week is arranged between the team's coach and our Stonebridge community coordinators.

#### **DUNKAROOS**

For the next generation of hoopers who are just getting started, Dunkaroos league registration for Grades 1-2 is open until Aug. 31. the program runs one hour each Saturday at the same time and same gym. When registering, you will be able to choose from various time slots. Groups consist of six to eight players per coach, with each player receiving a basketball and t-shirt.

For any questions, please contact Stonebridge basketball coordinators Leah and Dave Deibert. Or, to register, head to smba.ca!

### 2022 INDOOR FALL PROGRAMMING

### INTRO TO DANCE

If your little dancer is interested in dancing and wants to try everything, this class is the class to try! Dancers will explore the basics of Hip-Hop, Jazz, and Pom.

Mondays 6:00pm – 6:40pm (Ages 4-6); or 7:20pm – 8:00pm (Ages 7-9)

Dates: Sep 19 to Nov 21 (No class Oct 10 & Nov 14) Instructor: Miss Lyrra Cabanilla (VIBEyxe) Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$60

### DANCE 'N' GAMES

This 30-minute class is to get kids up to move 'n' groove. Dance 'n' Games are a great way to burn energy, learn new skills, and have fun. Ages 4-7.

Mondays 6:45pm – 7:15pm

Dates: Sep 19 to Nov 21 (No class Oct 10 & Nov 14)

Instructor: Miss Lyrra Cabanilla (VIBEyxe)

Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$60



### 2022 INDOOR FALL PROGRAMMING CON'T...

### ART FOR KIDS

Designed to bring out the big artists in your little ones! The projects will help develop problem-solving skills, refine motor skills, build self-confidence, and experiment with different techniques and materials. A variety of art projects that include painting, sculpture, mixed media, and more. Each activity provides your child with a hands-on creative experience and great work of art to take home. This class is open to all kids who love art!

Tuesdays 6:00pm - 7:15pm (Ages 6-8); and

7:15pm – 8:30pm (Ages 9-12) Dates: Sep 27 to Nov 15

Location: Community Resource Room, Chief

Whitecap School

Instructor: Miss Krista-May Hernandez

Cost: \$60

### INTRO TO KARATE (AGES 9-12)

You will be introduced to the fundamentals of Traditional Karate (punching/blocking, kicking/stances, Kata - the encyclopedia of Traditional Karate, and basic Kumite (sparring), all of which is required for your first belt evaluation.

Thursdays 7:45pm – 8:45pm Dates: Sep 29 to Nov 17

Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$75

> Online registration begins Mon. Aug. 22<sup>nd</sup> at ourstonebridge.ca!

### INTRO TO KARATE (AGES 7-8)

You will be introduced to the fundamentals of Traditional Karate (punching/blocking, kicking/stances, Kata - the encyclopedia of Traditional Karate, and basic Kumite (sparring), all of which is required for your first belt evaluation.

Thursdays 6:45pm – 7:45pm Dates: Sep 29 to Nov 17

Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$75

### STAY SAFE

Real-world scenarios often call on children to respond to challenges. The Stay Safe! program teaches applicable and age-appropriate skills, while increasing and reinforcing a youth's capacity to improve their own safety. Whether in their community or on their own, this group will be given better tools to Stay Safe! in a variety of different situations. Aimed at children 9-13 years old who are preparing to be able to stay safe at home on their own.

Mondays 6:00pm – 8:30pm

Dates: Choose from Sep 22 to Sep 29; Oct 20 to

Oct 27; or Dec 5 to Dec 12

Location: Community Resource Room, Chief

Whitecap School

Cost: \$50



### 2022 INDOOR FALL PROGRAMMING CON'T...

### BABYSITTING COURSE

The babysitting course now has a greater emphasis on First Aid skills. The Canadian Red Cross Babysitting course covers everything from managing difficult behaviours to essential content on leadership and professional conduct as a babysitter. Babysitting promises to deepen and enhance the responsibility that older youth feel when caring for younger children. This updated curriculum, complete with new science, also provides improved learning when it comes to giving the appropriate care in the event of an emergency. Aimed at children 11\* - 16 years old and interested in taking responsibility for younger children.

Thursdays 6:00pm – 8:30pm

Dates: Oct 3 to Oct 24 (No class Oct 10) Location: Community Resource Room, Chief

Whitecap School

Cost: \$70

### SCULPT & TONE -

Want to tighten those holiday muscles? Join us as we plank, lunge and squat our way back into shape! For beginner and advanced participants. Ages 16+.

Wednesdays 7:00pm – 8:00pm

Dates: Sep 28 to Nov 16

Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$70



### PHATES

Pilates is a method of exercise that consists of lowimpact flexibility and muscular strength and endurance movements. Pilates emphasizes proper postural alignment, core strength and muscle balance. Pilates is named for its creator, Joseph Pilates, who developed the exercises in the 1920s. Pilates beginner to intermediate level. A modernized version of Pilates to improve your strength, flexibility and posture. Ages 16+.

Tuesdays 8:00pm – 9:00pm Dates: Sep 27 to Nov 15

Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$70

### FOR THE ADULTS



An introductory class for those who have little to no experience with yoga, or for experienced students who want to bring it back to basics. Ages 16+.

Wednesdays 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Dates: Sep 28 to Nov 16

Location: Multi-Purpose Room, Chief Whitecap

School Cost: \$70



We would like to send a HUGE shoutout and thank you to **Donald Physiotherapy** for organizing the Stonebridge Family Fun Run or Walk event back on June 4th. They were able to raise a total of \$2706.10 which has

generously been donated towards our Stonebridge Rink efforts!

Thank you, Donald Physiotherapy!



### RECREATION AMENITY BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

In 2019, City Council approved funding for additional recreation amenities in Evergreen (Funk Park); Hampton Village (Al Anderson Park); Rosewood (Glen Penner Park); Stonebridge (Alexander MacGillivray Young Park); and Willowgrove (Wallace Park) neighbourhoods. This funding includes rink utility connections for Evergreen, Rosewood, and Stonebridge community rinks.

Funding for these items were established through a Community Centre Levy first implemented in 2003 for Hampton Village and Willowgrove neighbourhoods; and subsequently implemented for Evergreen, Rosewood and Stonebridge neighbourhoods. This levy was adopted by City Council in 2002 and was agreed upon by local developers that the Community Centre Levy was the best approach to ensure the development of a community hub, given there was no guarantee for elementary schools to be built.

Construction of the amenity building in Alexander MacGillivray Young Park is scheduled to begin later this year; it will be placed adjacent to the spray pad that is behind the Stonebridge schools. The layout for the Stonebridge amenity building will be similar to the building that is currently being built in Glen Penner Park in the Rosewood neighbourhood.

Construction of our Stonebridge community rink will be planned and coordinated with the city's construction of the Stonebridge Amenity Building. For more information on the amenity building, contact Kevin Ariss, Community Consultant for the City of Saskatoon.

### Amenity Building Features:

- Program/warm up space
- Accessible Washrooms
- Community storage area (including water connection for future outdoor rink)



Amenity Building at Glen Penner Park (Rosewood)









## **MOVIE IN THE PARK!**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH
MOVIE STARTS AT DUSK (~8pm)
ALEXANDER MACGILLIVRAY YOUNG PARK
(VIC BLVD/STONEBRIDGE COMMON)

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### MOVIE IN THE PARK

Friday, Sept. 9th

Mark your calendars for Stonebridge's FREE annual Movie in the Park event starting at dusk. We are currently seeking sponsorship from local businesses to help make his year event another family fun success!

#### Please contact

<u>ourstonebridge.info@gmail.com</u> if you or your business may be interested in sponsoring this event!



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