
NEWS DOWNTOWN *Poetry, Legends, HOLIDAY Downtown | October 13, 2022

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THANK YOU TO ALL OUR DOWNTOWN AMBASSADORS

Sometimes being "close" to an issue or conversation leaves you only getting part of the story, the importance of getting all the information and perspectives possible is critical. There are times in my role when I may only hear about the negative as the positives don't get shared as often. The person working in a hotel lounge talking to people visiting from other parts of Canada or the world quite often hears a perspective that I do not. Being reminded that visitors to our district and city often comment about how beautiful our city is, how awesome staying Downtown right by the river is, how amazing our culinary scene is, and how easy it is to get around are all words that I don't hear enough of. While Business Improvement Districts will always tackle challenging issues, being reminded by "outsiders" of how wonderful this district is are words I'll never tire of hearing!

Thanks to all the wonderful ambassadors in this district who work with visitors to our district every day! You are truly a big part of what makes our district so special for everyone.

Brent Penner | Executive Director

DOWNTOWN HAPPENINGS



DOWNTOWN LIBRARY FINAL DESIGN

Take a look at what the city's **new central library will look like**.

The library's final design was unveiled on Tuesday after almost four years of planning and consultation.

"The design celebrates Saskatoon, its people and its history, affirming a time-honoured commitment to inspiring lifelong learning and creating community connections," said Carol Cooley, CEO of Saskatoon Public Library, in a news release.

The \$134 million four-level library will be located on Second Avenue between 24th Street and 25th Street.

[TAKE A TOUR](#)

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NEW SPACES



A new gathering space is coming to **Midtown**.

From makers and artists to entrepreneurs, change makers, and more, all will be welcome to connect, create and discover new experiences, friends, and ideas at the Studio.

You can book the space to host your holiday market, showcase your art, or launch your next great idea!

Midtown is offering **FREE BOOKINGS** until the end of 2022 on a first come, first served basis.

THE STUDIO AT MIDTOWN

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<https://thestudioatmidtown.com/>

LEGENDS DOWNTOWN



On September 29 we celebrated the contributions of **Raymond Côté** and his years of service and dedication to not only **Brickers Shoes**, but also the Downtown community. You can see his newly added plaque to our Legends Downtown next to the Second Cup patio on 21st Street.

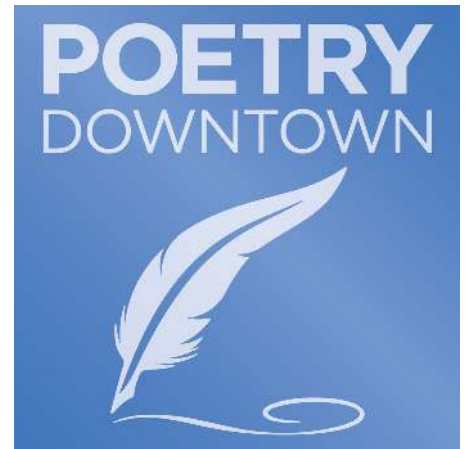
Downtown Saskatoon is a vibrant community comprised of great people, places, and ideas. Each leaves a lasting, colourful legacy, making the district open and inviting. If you wish to **nominate someone** for our annual Legends Downtown, please visit our website and fill out a form today.

LEGENDS DOWNTOWN

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POETRY DOWNTOWN



From a challenge launched by the Parliamentary Poet Laureate of Canada, **POETRY DOWNTOWN** launched at the beginning of October, the project will be on display until May 31, 2023. The project features poems from six local poets displayed on the 3rd Avenue poster directories between 19, and 23 Street. The theme of the project is Reconciliation.

Selected poets and their poem titles are:
Robert Benz: *The Colour of Sky*, Lisa Bird-Wilson: *Beside a Residential School*, Lauren Klassen: *O' Canada*, Mika Lafond: *Unapologetic*, Jada Morin: *it's always so sad to see*, and Jenny Ryan: *Sask.*

PROJECT DETAILS

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https://www.saskatoon.ca/news-releases/poetry-downtown-project-collaboration-downtown-saskatoon-launches?fbclid=IwAR02FOu1ri5v56OnGzGPYbPsdpQX21VPh_seFUWcm9fS-STVfFRe9q4O5q

HAPPY HOURS AND MORE

Downtown has so many **HAPPY HOUR** options. Be sure to check them all out, and if you see we are missing anything or anyone, please reach out and let us know.

We use our social channels to help promote everything we can within the district. Should you have any **Events, Shows, Sales, or Happy Hours** we don't know about, please send all information our way. We are always on the look out for things to include in our **Newsletter, What's Up Downtown posting, Events Page, and so much more.**

PROMOTE ME

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DTA DOWNTOWN SASKATOON HAPPY HOURS

- Aroma** – Wednesdays \$10 Pizza and Drink specials.
- Bokeh (Alt Hotel)** - Tuesday thru Saturday 4-6, Food and Drink options.
- Bon Temps** - VooDoo Hour Everyday 4-6 / 9-close, Food and Drink Options.
- Cactus Club** – Happy Hour Everyday 2-5 + 9-Close, Food and Drink Options.
- Cathedral Social Hall** – Happy Hour Everyday 3-6, Food and Drink Options.
- Congress Beer House** – Rotating weekday specials.
- Flint Saloon** – Happy Hour Everyday 4-7, Drink Options.
- Hudson's** - \$4 Happy Hour Weekdays 2-6, Rotating daily specials.
- Jamaican Food Basket** – Happy Hour 5-7 Friday, 7-11 Saturday.
- Oshea's Irish Pub** - Rotating Daily Drink and Food specials.
- Parlour** – Happy Hour Weds Sat 5-7 + all night Sunday, Food and Drink Options.
- Scarlet Craft Kitchen** – Social Hour Mon-Thurs 2-6, Drink and Food Options.
- Shelter/Dylan and Gams** – Everyday 3-5, Food and Drink options
- State and Main** – Happy Hour Everyday 2-5 / 9-Close, Food and Drink options.
- Stovln's Lounge (Deha Bess)** – Happy Hour Friday and Saturday 3:30-5:30
- Winston's Pub** – Happy Hour Everyday 5-7, Food and Drink Options.

CALLS TO ACTION

HOLIDAY INFO REQUEST



HOLIDAY DOWNTOWN



It is that time of the year again, we have begun working on putting together our annual **HOLIDAY DOWNTOWN LIST**. You read that right, we are making a list and will be checking it twice. We want to make sure it has everything you have going on during the upcoming festive time.

We kindly request that everyone send us your **HOLIDAY DEALS, EVENTS, and EVERYTHING ELSE** holiday-wise so we can be sure to include it within all of our holiday marketing and strategy. Please also send us any **NEW YEARS EVE** events as we plan to help promote those as well.

HOLIDAY Downtown rollout will begin mid-November.

HOLIDAY DOWNTOWN

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LAST CALL

Attention Downtown retailers and creatives, **The Sask Fashion Weekend Market Place application deadline is October 31st.**

Saskatchewan Fashion Weekend is held at the Delta Bessborough Hotel and will feature two days and evenings of runway shows complimented by a marketplace on the convention level.

Selling times are Noon - 4 PM, and 6 PM -10 PM both Saturday, November 12 + Sunday, November 13.

APPLY TODAY

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JOIN THE BOARD

Saskatoon Pride is recruiting new members for the Board of Directors! Saskatoon Pride is operated by a committed team of volunteer board members.

Running Saskatoon Pride events requires a diverse set of skills and qualities; whether your background is in administration, communication, event planning, fundraising, non-profit, or just a passion for community, there's a place for everyone!

Pride month is such a big part of Downtown during the month of June, join the celebration and let your voice be heard.

JOIN TODAY

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EVENTS

REIGNWOLF



Saskatoon's own Jordan Cook returns to his hometown with band **Reignwolf** to

TRICK OR TREAT



DINNER PARTY

put on a killer show on Halloween Weekend at **Coors Centre!**

Reignwolf toured with the Pixies, The Who and — the heaviest of the heavy — Black Sabbath, before releasing debut album *Hear Me Out* to critical acclaim.

TICKETS

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<https://www.showpass.com/reignwolf-2/>

Looking for a warm alternative to going door to door **trick or treating** this year? **Midtown** is hosting its Trick or Treat event with over 120 shops offering treats for all the kids in costume. Word is Guest Service's will have some extra special goodies too!

The fun happens from **3pm to 7pm**

TREATS

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<https://www.familyfuncanada.com/saskatoon/halloween-fun-at-midtown/>



TCU PLACE
THIS IS YOUR PLACE

Holiday DINNER PARTY

Book Your Table
Friday November 25, December 2,
& Saturday December 3

\$69.95

per person + GST / PST

Featuring Comedian **Michael Harrison** (Nov 25)
Bonnie Kilroe: Musical Comedy Celebrity Impersonator (Dec 2 & 3)
and Live Music by **Gong Show**

Cocktails 6:00pm Buffet Dinner 7:00pm
Comedy 8:30pm Live Music 9:30pm

Contact Carl at 306-500-1550 or cfleming@tcuplace.com
Want to book a private party instead? Contact Carl for more information

Book your company tables or plan a friends and family get-together and enjoy a fun-filled evening with great food, live entertainment and dancing!

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EVENT INFO

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AND THERE'S MORE...

MORE DOWNTOWN EVENTS

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CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work on 2nd Avenue South is complete and the sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work on 21st Street East is now underway. Below are the anticipated timelines for construction scheduled in the 2022 construction season downtown:

- **20 th Street East from 2 nd Avenue South to 4 th Avenue South**
 - o Sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work – **Complete**
 - o Road rehabilitation work – **Complete**
- **2 nd Avenue South from 19 th Street East to 20 th Street East**
 - o Sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work – **Complete**
 - o Road rehabilitation work – Anticipated to **begin October 17, 2022**
- **2 nd Avenue South from 20 st Street East to 21 st Street East**
 - o Sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work – **Complete**
- **2 nd Avenue South from 21 st Street East to 22 nd Street East**
 - o Sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work – **Complete**
 - o Road rehabilitation work – Anticipated to **begin October 24, 2022.**
- **21 st Street East between 1 st Avenue South and 2 nd Avenue South**
 - o Sidewalk and curb rehabilitation work – **Underway**

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

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