



Saskatchewan Archaeological Society

E-Voice

Seasons Greetings from the SAS

Welcome to the December edition of the *E-Voice*! Check out all the events happening around the province this month!



Urgent! We need YOUR feedback! Help us decide if we should go on a 2-day or a 3-day tour:

2019 Bus Tour: On the Road to Northern Saskatchewan

Tentative Dates: June 7th, 8th, 9th, 2019

The SAS needs your help!

Should we plan a 2 or a 3 day bus tour?! Help us decide!

Proposed Itinerary with Guide Dr. David Meyer

Day 1:

Saskatoon
Prince Albert
Blue Heron Park (Anglin Lake): Anderson Family Métis Cabin
McClellan River
Air Ronge: Woodlands & Waterways Regional Visitor Centre, explore La Ronge including Mistasinihk Place, Robertson's Trading Post, Hiking, Canoe/Kayak, etc.

Day 2:

Stanley Mission, Holy Trinity Anglican



Upcoming Events

- DECEMBER 3 Office Closed
Archaeology Centre
(1-1730 Quebec Avenue)
- DECEMBER 5 Office Closed
Archaeology Centre
(1-1730 Quebec Avenue)
- DECEMBER 7 Saskatoon
Archaeological Society Monthly Meeting
7:00 pm
Room 132, Archaeology Building
55 Campus Drive
- DECEMBER 19 Computer Applications in Archaeology Showcase
2:30 pm
Museum of Antiquities
(107 Administration Place)
- DECEMBER 24-31 Office Closed
Archaeology Centre
(1-1730 Quebec Avenue)
- JANUARY 1-4 Office Closed
Archaeology Centre
(1-1730 Quebec Avenue)

About the SAS

Church, Stanley Rapids rock paintings,
Nistowiak Falls, Nipekamew Sand Cliffs
Montreal Lake/Spruce River



Photos: Jones 2006 and Wikimedia Commons

*Adding a third day would allow for more time in La
Ronge and Stanley Mission on Day 2

Day 3:

Nipekamew Sand Cliffs (instead of visiting on Day 2)
Gem Lakes (Narrow Hills Provincial Park)
Meath Park
Prince Albert
Saskatoon



**Saskatchewan
Archaeological
Society**

Proposed Fees:

2 Day: approximately \$350/person
3 Day: approximately \$500/person

*Includes travel to/from Saskatoon on a chartered bus,
accommodations, admission fees, breakfasts, gratuities,
one dinner and snacks.

*Please note the prices reflect 23 paying participants. The
price can decrease dependent on the number of
participants.

Please let us know your opinion by
December 15th, 2018!



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The Saskatchewan Archaeological Society (SAS) is an independent, charitable, non-profit organization that was founded in 1963. We are one of the largest, most active and effective volunteer organizations on the continent, promoting public education, advocacy, research and conservation in archaeology.



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Holiday Sale in the Den! Need books? From now until December 20th, 2018, get 15% off all books from our [Den of Antiquity online](#) or in person at the Archaeology Centre!

Don't forget to sign up or renew your 2019 SAS membership too! You can either give us a call (306-664-4124), stop by, fill out the form ([PDF](#)) or go [online to our website](#). Remember our student rate is now only \$15/year!

Stay tuned to our website and social media pages for information on archaeological happenings in the province and across the world. Each week we feature a Saskatchewan archaeological site on our #TBT "Throwback Thursdays" and archaeology and food posts on our #FoodieFridays!

Office Hours: Monday to Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday: by appointment only

Office Closure: Monday, December 3rd - all day
Wednesday, December 5th - all day

Seasonal Closure: Monday, December 24th, 2018 to Friday, January 4th, 2019 inclusive
We will reopen for regular office hours on Monday, January 7th, 2019 at 9:00 am.

SAS Chapter News:

Prince Albert Historical Society: A reminder that the Museum is open every Thursday from 1:00 - 4:00 pm until December 21st, 2018. They will resume these hours as of January 3rd, 2019.

Saskatoon Archaeological Society: Join the Saskatoon Chapter on December 7th, 2018 at 7:00 pm in

Archaeology Building Room 132 (55 Campus Drive). The December speaker will be Dr. Ernest Walker (Department of Archaeology & Anthropology, University of Saskatchewan) speaking on "The Hope and Promise of Wanuskewin Heritage Park Part 2: An Update". This will also be the Christmas meeting so bring some baked goodies and holiday treats to share!

Member Request



Do you have an old betamax player or something that can convert betamax cassettes to digital? Would you be willing to lend it to one of our student members to help with a research project? If so, please let us know! You can either [email us](#), call (306-664-4124) or visit.

Upcoming Events Across Saskatchewan

*The Office of the Treaty Commissioner,
Sunchild Law, Allen Sapp Gallery and The
Chapel Gallery*

**INVITES YOU TO
PARTICIPATE IN:**

THE BLANKET EXERCISE

The Blanket Exercise provides education through active participation in the history of Indigenous Peoples in Canada

WHERE: Chapel Gallery 891-99th Street,
Box 460 North Battleford, SK
WHEN: Dec 5, 2018, 6:30pm start time 7pm



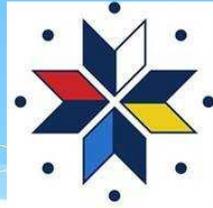


Reconciliation Saskatoon
Learning Committee
Presents a

KAIROS BLANKET EXERCISE

Friday, December 7th 2018, 2:00-4:00pm
Multipurpose Room, Station 20 West
Facilitated by Heather Peters & Susan Shacter

An interactive experience looking at Canadian history from an Indigenous viewpoint. Developed with Indigenous Elders, knowledge keepers and educators the activity strives to speak truth, and broaden understanding, respect and reconciliation among Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples.



Space is limited so please RSVP to curtis.sanderson@usask.ca before November 30th to reserve your spot.

DECEMBER 14, 15, 16

O Christmas Tree Winter Festival

Santa Kids Crafts Sleigh Rides Snow Taffy Wood Carving Demo Bonfire Outdoor Fun

CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAYS IN THE #UNFORGETTABLENORTH

FREE
Park Entry
Saturday
December 15

Park entry fees apply
Friday and Sunday.





For a detailed schedule of events, visit: wwrsask.com – PANP – events

Accommodation available at:
 Hawood Inn • Elk Ridge Resort • Waskesiu Lake Lodge



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Saskatoon: Fire Starter and Time Keeper – Roadside Attractions (until December 2018) -

Wanuskewin Heritage Park

Fire Starter and Time Keeper, is a public sculpture installation designed for the Roadside Attractions exhibition, curated by Dunlop Art Gallery and Sakewewak Artist Collective. The sculptural installation will be installed in July 2018 at Wanuskewin Heritage Park in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. The work celebrates ancient Indigenous technologies, of a fire-starting bow drill and a sun dial wheel. Indigenous teachings of this work combines survival tools with science. Teachings include true north and the north star of Polaris, Ursa Minor/Minor, summer solstice and ceremonies, various types of fire starters, friction and related artifacts, as overall survival techniques while in the woods. Mary Longman (Aski-Piyesiwiskwew) was born in Fort Qu'Appelle and is a Saulteaux band member of Gordon First Nation. She is an established artist who has been exhibiting nationally and internationally over a course of twenty seven years. Her artistic genres are sculpture/installation, drawing, digital media and book illustration. Her fine art has been exhibited in the most prestigious galleries in North America. Longman's fine art works are in the collections of the McKenzie Art Gallery, Mendel Art Gallery, Kamloops Art Gallery, Thunder Bay Art Gallery, Saskatchewan Arts Board, Canada Council for the Arts and University of Saskatchewan. Mary Longman is a professor of Studio Art and Aboriginal Art History, and has held senior academic positions as Dean at the White Mountain Academy of Arts in Elliot Lake, Ontario and Department Head of Fine Art at the Nicola Valley Institute of Technology in Merritt, BC. She continues to actively exhibit her art work.

Saskatoon: Power Lines: The work of Norval Morrisseau (until January 25th, 2019) - Wanuskewin

Heritage Park

Norval Morrisseau (1931–2007) is arguably the most influential Indigenous artist in Canada, a member of the Indian Group of Seven and the grandfather of the Woodland Art School, he influenced generations of Indigenous artists. In 2006 the National Gallery of Canada held a survey exhibition of

Norval Morrisseau's work, it was the first retrospect held for a contemporary Indigenous artist. *Power Lines: The Work of Norval Morrisseau* features his work from varying stages of his career, centred on the iconography of Anishinaabe story-telling, of family and how we all connect to lines of power.

Carlyle: Dicken's Village Festival (December 1st, 2018) - Town of Carlyle

Turn the holiday season into a special experience. Enjoy the only Dickens festival held in Canada with high tea, English Market trade show, street urchins, theatre performances and lighted parade. Free carriage rides and Tiny Tim's Tasty Tour. Fezziwig's Family Pub and Warming Place also provides free entertainment. Take in the Christmas musical comedy based on Charles Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol'. High tea \$10/person, admission to play \$15/person.

Saskatoon: A Christmas Carol (December 1st, 2018) - Marr Residence (326 11th Street East)

Enjoy an evening with Mr. Dickens at this Victorian House concert. Seasonal refreshments served at intermission. Door open 7 p.m., performance at 7:30 p.m. For tickets, visit the company [website](#).

Regina: Light Up The Village (December 6th, 2018, 5:00 pm - 12:00 pm) - Cathedral Village (13th Avenue)

One sparkling night a year, the businesses of Regina's Cathedral area stay open late so you can get your Christmas shopping done in style! Join us for goodies, hot beverages and deals galore as you explore Regina's historic Cathedral Village. You'll discover great one-of-a-kind gifts for everyone on your list from our locally-owned shops, services and restaurants! We light up the village with festive, old-time flair.

Prince Albert: Buzz Cuivres "The History of Music" Supper and Concert (December 7th, 2018) - École Valois (449 10 Rue E)

The History of Music is a fabulous theatrical odyssey that travels through space and time at a thrilling tempo to explore the music of the Western world from pre-historic times to the present day. The show is bursting with energy and combines astounding originality with extraordinary musicianship along with a brassy humour all its own. In *The History of Music*, an actor helps create the complicity between Buzz's five musicians and the audience. From the outset to the very end, all find themselves captivated by the rich and colourful theatrical staging that is perfectly integrated with the music. And everything is entirely performed from memory-no music stands in sight to hinder the spontaneity! For more details, please visit their [website](#). Supper 6 p.m., concert 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$30 supper and concert, \$20 concert only. Both are free admission for members of the French Society of Prince Albert (SCFPA). Become a member for only \$50/year.

Saskatoon: Diversity Lunch n' Learns (December 11th, 2018, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm) - Saskatoon Police Service (76 25th Street East)

Two Spirit Lunch & Learn: Uncovering the historical acceptance of gender and sexual diversity in Indigenous communities with Jack Saddleback. All sessions will be held in the SPS Cultural Room at Saskatoon Police Service. All are welcome to attend as many sessions as you wish! FREE to attend and lunch will be provided. Please RSVP as space is limited! RSVP to [Angela Daigneault](#) (306-975-2278).

Saskatoon: Christmas Open House (December 13th, 2018, 10:00 am - 8:00 pm) - Ukrainian Museum of Canada (910 Spadina Crescent East)

Come in from the cold, have a warm cup of cider, and stroll through our two permanent galleries and a new exhibition, Vistas: Impressions in Thread, featuring the intricate threadwork of Monika Kinner-Whalen. These beautifully embroidered prairie landscapes will help take your mind off all the cold and snow outside. Celebrate the holidays with extended Gift Shop and Museum hours, and enjoy an evening meet-and-greet with the artist (6 pm to 8 pm). FREE ADMISSION

Regina: Old Fashioned Victorian Christmas (December 14th, 2018, 5:30 - 8:30 pm) - Government House (4607 Dewdney Avenue)

Enjoy an evening of free family fun! This event features Victorian-style festivities such as Christmas carolling, gingerbread cookie decorating, and a special visit from the North Pole. The Amédée Forget Museum is also open to visitors. An evening for the young and old alike, this event invites all to celebrate the holiday. There are no tickets to purchase or reservations to make, simply show up! This event is free but we encourage visitors to bring a non-perishable food donation for Regina's Food Bank, and be sure to dress for the weather.

Regina: New Year's Day Levee (January 1st, 2019, 1:00 - 4:00 pm) - Government House (4607 Dewdney Avenue)

The Lieutenant Governor's New Year's Day Levee will take place on January 1st from 1:00 to 4:00 pm at Government House in Regina. The Levee provides an opportunity to exchange New Year's greetings with the Lieutenant Governor, enjoy refreshments and entertainment. This public event is free admission. Although some guests choose to dress up and others come in uniform, there is no set dress code. Free parking will be provided at Luther College High School (Dewdney Avenue and Empress Street). A free shuttle service will run frequently between the Luther parking lot and Government House.

Events at Saskatchewan's Western Development Museums

Saskatoon: Boomtown Pursuit - 2610 Lorne Avenue

Search Boomtown for hidden clues, solve location-based puzzles and take pictures of yourself at certain locations as you search for a mischievous thief. Fun for friends, family or even a group party activity! Purchase an entry code for the text messaging system on your smartphone and launch Boomtown Pursuit. The WDM worked with [Media Manifesto Inc.](#) of Saskatoon to create this exciting digital scavenger adventure.

Moose Jaw: A Christmas Long Ago (December 15th and 22nd, 2018) - 50 Diefenbaker Drive

Join us as we step back in time; hear a story, get close to hands-on artifacts and photos of a Christmas long ago! Young visitors will learn about the festive season during pioneer times, see what types of gifts were given, decorate the tree with homemade ornaments, and make an old-fashioned craft. Recommended for 5 years+.

North Battleford: Canola: A Story of Canadian Innovation (December 19th, 2018 to March 1, 2019) - Highways 16 and 40

It does not get any more Canadian than Canola! Canada / ola (oil low acid). How does a plant breeding innovation become, in just a few decades, the most profitable commodity for Canadian farmers? Part of its success is due to its versatility – this crop is used as a healthy culinary oil, a protein source for

animals, to power cars and much more. Today, the canola industry contributes billions of dollars to the Canadian economy! Produced by the [Canada Agriculture and Food Museum](#) to mark the 50th anniversary of this 'Made in Canada' crop, Canola explores the science behind the development, cultivation and future of this crop, as well as its uses in industries from food processing to transportation. Discover Canola through your five senses and immerse yourself within the environments of the two bright yellow pod-shaped structures - a canola field, and a processing plant.

Saskatoon: Eaton's Once Upon a Christmas (until January 6th, 2019) - 2610 Lorne Avenue
Since 1987, the Eaton's Once Upon a Christmas exhibit has delighted visitors, young and old. The exhibit continues to be a major attraction for those who visit the WDM during the holiday season. It offers an opportunity for parents to share with their children memories of their childhood and it allows children to enter to a world of make-believe and magic. We encourage you to visit the Saskatoon WDM with your family and enjoy this wonderful Saskatchewan tradition.

Department of Archaeology & Anthropology Update



Computer Applications in Archaeology Showcase

See what students in Dr. Clark's Archaeology 385 class have been up to over this past Fall term by viewing their projects! There will be refreshments and students on hand to talk to guests about incorporating new technology into archaeological applications. The event will be around 2:30 pm at the Museum of Antiquities on the University of Saskatchewan campus (107 Administration Place). For more information, contact the [Department of Archaeology and Anthropology](#).



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CP Holiday Train



Terri Clark • Kelly Prescott • Sierra Noble

Celebrating its 20th year of spreading holiday cheer, the Canadian Pacific Holiday Train makes another festive trip across Canada and the United States (US). Three-time JUNO award-winning artist Terri Clark along with Kelly Prescott and Sierra Noble are featured performers during the train's stops in Saskatchewan. Stops take place on December 5 at Moosomin, Broadview, Indian Head, Qu'Appelle and Regina; stops then take place on December 6 at Moose Jaw and Swift Current and the last Saskatchewan stop takes place on December 7 at Maple Creek. As part of the US Holiday Train schedule, another train will make two Saskatchewan stops on December 16 at Estevan and Weyburn. Feature artists The Trews and Willy Porter. Free admission. Donation of non perishable food item greatly appreciated.

Canadian Holiday Train Schedule for Saskatchewan

Station	Address	Date	Arrival	Event Time	Performers
Moosomin	North side of railway track at 1001 Front Street	2018-12-5	11:55 AM	12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Broadview	CP Train Station, 1 Railway Avenue	2018-12-5	1:45 PM	2:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Indian Head	North side of Indian Head siding between section buildings and Highway 56 crossing	2018-12-5	4:05 PM	4:15 PM - 4:45 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Qu'Appelle	Corner of North Pacific Avenue and Ontario Street	2018-12-5	5:15 PM	5:30 PM - 6:00 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Regina	Old Mosaic Stadium parking lot	2018-12-5	7:15 PM	7:30 PM - 8:00 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Moose Jaw	3 Manitoba Street West, west of CP Station	2018-12-6	4:15 PM	4:30 PM - 5:00 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Swift Current	3rd Street & North Railway, East of CP Station	2018-12-6	8:15 PM	8:30 PM - 9:00 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
Maple Creek	CP TMS Shack, Pacific Avenue	2018-12-7	2:45 PM	3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	Terri Clark, Sierra Noble and Kelly Prescott
North Portal	Coach Track ,Town Center	2018-12-16	11:45 AM	12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	The Trews and Willy Porter - U.S. Holiday Train
Estevan	East of CP Station at vacant lot off 7th Street	2018-12-16	3:00 PM	3:15 PM - 3:45 PM	The Trews and Willy Porter - U.S. Holiday Train
Weyburn	512 Railway Street	2018-12-16	5:45 PM	6:00 PM - 6:30 PM	The Trews and Willy Porter - U.S. Holiday Train

Provincial Archives Announcement



**Provincial Archives of Saskatchewan
Announcement**



The Provincial Archives of Saskatchewan wishes to inform the archives community that our offices are consolidating into one location in Regina, and that our office in Saskatoon will be closing effective **December 21, 2018**.

In the coming months, while certain services will continue, other services may only be available in a limited capacity due to staff involvement in coordinating the move. Regular public reference service hours in Regina will continue until further notice.

The Archives has pursued consolidation to bring together staff and records from five sites, to improve service delivery of our mandate, as well as to ensure the long-term preservation of our Permanent Collection in a more favourable records storage environment. We are optimistic that our new location in Regina will lead to growth and development in our role as a custodian of the Province's documentary history.

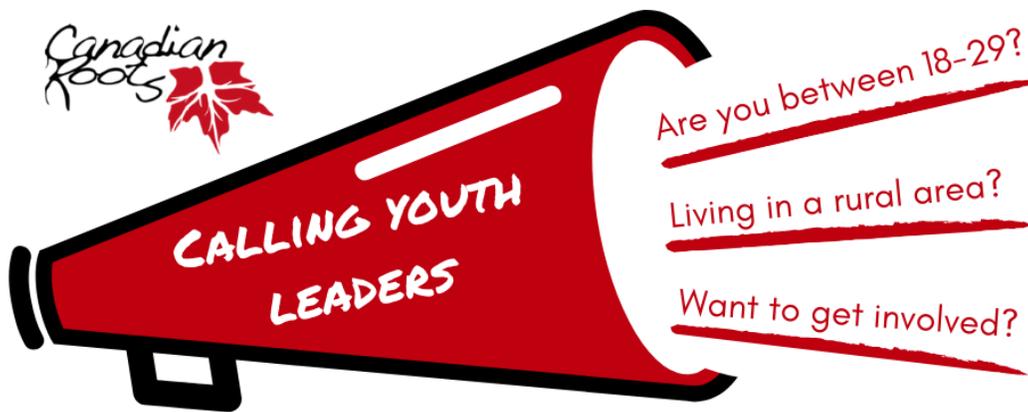
We look forward to offering 5 days per week public reference services at our new location by August 2019.

For inquiries, please contact info@archives.gov.sk.ca or 306-787-4068.

Thanks.
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Nadine Charabin
Director, Archival Services

Upcoming Application Deadline



Engage your community in reconciliation and join our:

RURAL YOUTH RECONCILIATION INITIATIVE

APPLY BY DECEMBER 7TH

canadianroots.ca/rural-yri/

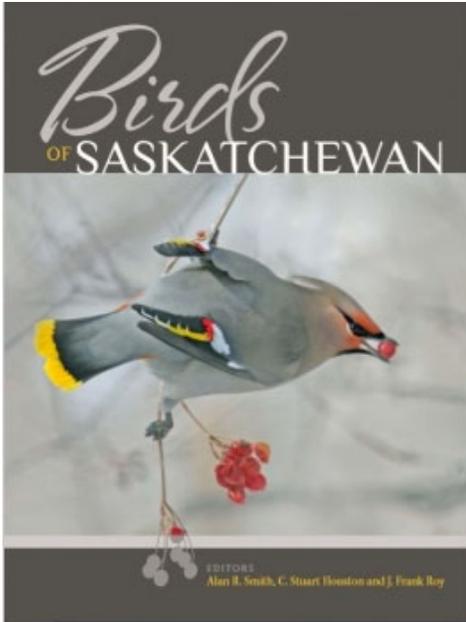
Questions? volunteer@canadianroots.ca



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New Book from Nature Saskatchewan



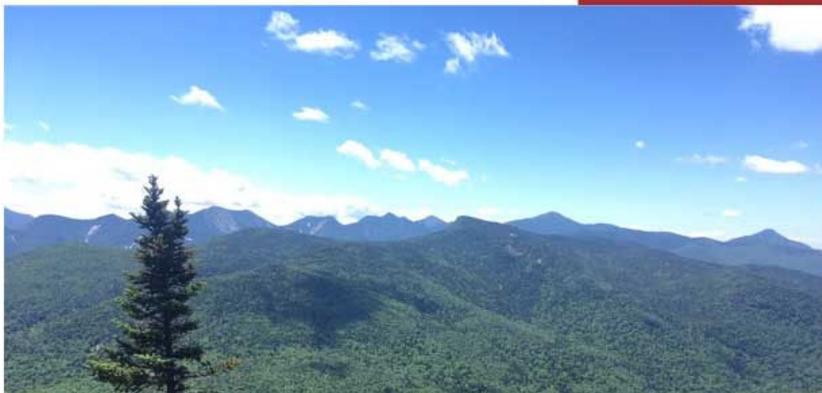
A full-colour, comprehensive look at all of the birds that call Saskatchewan home. 437 species of birds are documented in this 800 page compendium, a result of over ten years of work and several lifetimes of observation, research, and writing. This work celebrates Saskatchewan's rich natural heritage, and acknowledges the efforts made to study and sustain each bird's presence in the province. It is a record of change - of the birds who have come, those who remain, and those whose habitats are affected by changes in the environment. Birds of Saskatchewan is indebted to the long-time editors of the project. Lead author/co-editor Alan R. Smith is the scientist, the keeper of data, and provincial documenter. Here he joins his mentors C. Stuart Houston, bird bander, history lover, and prolific author, and Houston's long-time friend, collaborator, and editor J. Frank Roy, whose passion for birds, words, and images has helped to make this a publication that we hope readers will appreciate. [Take a look inside!](#)

FOR A LIMITED TIME: Receive a discount on the purchase of Birds of Saskatchewan before it's published. Pay only \$64.95 from October 15 until December 15. Purchase price of book will go up to \$79.95 after December 15. You can pre-order the book from the Nature Saskatchewan [online store](#).

Upcoming Symposium

SFU Archaeology Symposium

SFU





People on the Land:
Landscape, Traditional
Knowledge, Environment

We welcome all research related to
people and their relationship with the
land

Saturday, January 26, 2019
SFU Burnaby Campus
8888 University Dr.
9:00am - 4:00pm
Support provided by The Cathy and Jon
Driver Archaeology Department Special
Initiatives Endowment Fund

Student Raffle: Carbon-14 Date



**Need a
Date?**

**We are giving away
5 AMS dates**

Open to all undergrad and
postgrad researchers

For details, visit
www.radiocarbon.com/raffle



Need a Date? Join Beta Analytic's Raffle!

We are inviting all undergrad and postgrad students who need radiocarbon dating to join our raffle. We are giving away five (5) AMS dates worth US\$595 each. The raffle is open to all students in Europe, Africa, Asia Pacific, North America and South America. We will select one winner per region.

To join the raffle, please fill out the form found in our raffle page which requires a description of your research that needs AMS dating. Winners are required to show proof of enrollment for any semester in 2018. For details, please visit <https://www.radiocarbon.com/raffle.htm>

Write for the SAS!

The editor of the *Saskatchewan Archaeology Quarterly* is actively seeking articles, reports and book review essays for upcoming issues. Please follow the American Antiquity style guide for formatting and references (*the Saskatchewan Archaeological Society is working on an editorial policy that will be similar in content, and will be posted on our website once finalized*). TIFFs and JPGs are the preferred files for line drawings and images, with a minimum of 300 dpi. The deadline for submissions is the **25th** of the month prior to publication. We always look forward to hearing from our membership especially on issues that concern you. Please send your articles and image files by email to [Belinda Riehl-Fitzsimmons](mailto:Belinda.Riehl-Fitzsimmons).

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