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2024 Bulletin

Provincial President, Brenda Beswick

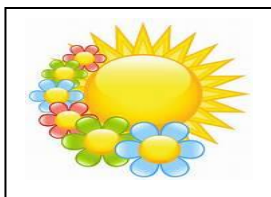
Hope everyone is enjoying the weather we are having lately.

It's getting close to the end of my Presidency soon and I am so impressed with the lodges doing well. I have met so many awesome people along the way with many of them becoming long time friends now.

I want to thank all of my executive for helping me along the way.

I look forward to the conference in June hosted by Melfort Elks.

Provincial President
Sister Brenda Beswick



Reports

For the Provincial
Conference Booklet
Please have your report
in the Office
by April 22nd, 2024

Please email it to
skprovelks@sasktel.net
if you have any questions or concerns
please do not hesitate to call me.

Great Job!
Saskatoon Royal
Purple
on hosting the
2024 Mid-term.
Thank You!



Resolutions

Just a reminder
Resolutions that are to be presented
at the Provincial Conference in
Melfort,
will have to be in the Provincial
Office no later than April 30th.

If you need help or have any
questions please contact the
Judiciary Committee:
Eugene Hartter, Chairman
Maurice W. Koszman
Al Busby



Per Capita

Was due Feb 15, 2024

Please submit your payment along with your late fees ASAP:

Allan Elks	Arborfield Elks
Asquith Elks	Balgonie Elks
Bengough Elks	Canwood Elks
Craven Elks	Foam Lake Elks
Gull Lake Elks	Hanley Elks
Kyle Elks	Maple Creek Elks
Meadow Lake Elks	Melfort Elks
Moose Jaw Elks	Muenster Elks
Paddockwood Elks	Regina Elks
St. Walburg Elks	Shaunavon Elks
Unity Elks	

Saskatchewan Elks Association *95th Annual* *Provincial Conference*

Melfort, SK.
June 6 - 9, 2024

PLEASE get your **registrations** in early
And don't forget to book your rooms.

Please drive safely.



Events to Host

2025 & 2026 Walk-a-thon
2025-2026 Mixed Bowling
2026 - Mixed Darts
2026 Provincial Conference
2026 Mixed Golf

These events are fun and illustrate fraternalism, please consider hosting one of these events.



SPARC and SASK ELKS reach agreement on donations!



Provincial Golf

June 22-23, 2024

Bladworth, SK.

Please register early

For more information contact

Perry Lyke @ 306-567-8510 or

Jamie Young @ 306-370-8933



49th Annual Walk-a-thon

October 18-19, 2024

Allan, SK.



**Plan to attend and Help support the
SPARC Centre and the children of our
Province with hearing disabilities.**

Saskatchewan Elks Foundation

Thank You to all lodges for supporting our
Trucks & Bucks Lottery & 50-50.

For people that have purchased last year,
The Loyalty launch will be April 16/24.
Don't forgot to buy your tickets and tell your
family & friends about the Lottery.

Let's tell the world what we do and that
The ELKS are simply the BEST!

See you at Provincial Conference in Melfort!
Please get your registration in early June 6-9
and book your room before May 15.



Provincial Bowling

November 8 - 9, 2024

Nipawin, SK.

Come join the fun!

For more information contact

Anton MacMillan

306-609-2579



Saskatchewan Elks Senior Homes - The Saskatchewan Elks own and supply

affordable housing to low income senior citizens who live on a limited income. These Homes are located in Davidson, Esterhazy, Hanley, Moose Jaw, Mossomin, Nipawin, Prince Albert and Rosetown.

These low-income Homes allow local residents to remain in their home communities and be near their families rather than having to move to another town.

Thank you to our Chairman Ron, Vice Chair Barry and our project managers, Ken, Barry, Dale & Karen, Art, Mel & Dave, Raymond, Simon & Steve.

SPARC

It has been a busy and exciting start to the year for the Saskatchewan Pediatric Auditory Rehabilitation Centre (SPARC). Since January, our program has successfully evaluated 51 children from across Saskatchewan. Many of the children are now being actively followed for direct speech therapy services to improve their ability to communicate and connect with members of their community. School-aged students have also been provided with consultation and additional programming to help meet their needs in the school environment. Through the assessment process, we have identified several children who would benefit from additional funding to support access to private therapy services and applications for funding through the Elks & Royal Purples Children's Fund are being processed/submitted to various lodges across the province. Furthermore, SPARC received 13 new referrals for children with newly identified permanent hearing loss. A satellite clinic through Wascana Rehabilitation Centre in Regina is scheduled to commence in April 2024. This is a much-needed service to reduce the demand on families to travel for therapy services.

The SPARC program has also been able to purchase some necessary materials to upgrade our therapy space and materials for use in the clinic. Acoustic panels have been purchased and are scheduled to be installed the first week in April. Updated formalized assessments have been purchased for use with the children during the assessment process. A therapy mat has also been purchased. We look forward to continuing to use the funding for additional purchases over the next several months.

SPARC would like to thank the Saskatchewan Elks Foundation the Elks & Royal Purple Lodges and the Elks & Royal Purple Fund for Children with their continued support of the program. The SPARC program has received positive feedback from families and members of the community regarding the services thus far. We look forward to better meeting the needs of children and their families in the province with the support of the Saskatchewan Elks Foundation & Elks & Royal Purple Lodges & Elks & Royal Purple Fund for Children.

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Saskatchewan Pediatric Auditory Rehabilitation Centre