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Saskatoon Adult Soccer host successful Western Masters Competition



Congratulations to the staff and volunteers at Saskatoon Adult Soccer on hosting a tremendously successful Canada Soccer Western Masters men's and women's competition from September 21-24 at the Saskatoon Soccer Centre. The competition saw 15 games across 10 provincial champion teams to crown champions for the 2023 season. Congratulation to YXE FC on their second consecutive men's masters crown, and to YXE Storm for their fifth place finish on the women's side of the draw.

Canada Soccer National Women and Girls Survey

Canada Soccer has launched an online survey to assess the opportunities and barriers to participation in the game for women and girls. All survey responses remain completely anonymous.

Responses are due by October 28, 2023.

<https://survey.alchemer-ca.com/s3/50212975/c58f4a642c7c>

Proposed 2024 to 2026 Saskatchewan Soccer Competitions Calendar

Following a successful first full year of competition post-pandemic, we have explored alternate competition structures through engagement with membership on the future of competitions. The expectation is that we have provided programming which should see **all member organizations** participating in 2024 in the events proposed.

Please review the proposed 2024 to 2026 Competitions Calendar and reach out to discuss any concerns with Kellin Enslev – Manager, Competitions **by October 6, 2023**.

Note: the proposed dates for competitions in 2025 and 2026 are subject to change based upon ongoing discussion and engagement with our member organizations and pending competition updates from our governing body, Canada Soccer.

2024 Competitions Calendar

Date and Location	Competition(s)
February 22-25 Saskatoon, SK	6v6 Indoor Soccer (Rural, Community Based) 9v9 Indoor Soccer (Competitive) U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre
February 29-March 3 Regina, SK	Futsal Youth Provincials Inter-Provincial Invitations to be extended Futsal Skill Centre
May 31-June 2 Location: TBA	7v7 Outdoor Soccer (Rural) U9, U11 & U13 Rural Skill Centre
June 14-16 Saskatoon, SK	11v11 Outdoor Soccer U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre Youth Camp
July 12-14 Saskatoon, SK	U13 Development League (PSL) Final Matches
July 12-14 Saskatoon, SK	Masters (Male & Female) SK Open Cup (Adult Male & Adult Female)
July 12-14 Saskatoon, SK	PSL U15 & U17 Playoff Matches
July 20-21 Regina, SK	PSL U15 & U17 Championship Matches
July 21-27 Lloydminster	Saskatchewan Summer Games Saskatoon & Regina – 2010 & 2011 All Other Districts – 2009, 2010 & 2011
November 16	U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre

Other Competitions – 2024

Event Name	Date and Location	Groups Applicable
SSA Showcase	May 3-5 Saskatoon, SK	NYCL Club Outdoor Showcase Inter-Provincial Invitations to be extended
League1 Exhibition Series	TBA	
FTF Combine	First week of July	Individual Registration
PDP Crossover Cup	August	NYCL Clubs
Masters Regionals	September	Masters Provincial Champions
Club Nationals	October	PSL Champions (U15, U17) & SK Open Cup
PDP Exhibition Matches	November	NYCL Clubs

2025 Competitions Calendar

Date and Location	Competition (s)
February 20-23 Location TBC	6v6 Indoor Soccer (Rural, Community Based) 9v9 Indoor Soccer (Competitive) U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre
February 28-March 2 Location TBC	Futsal Youth Provincial Inter-Provincial Invitations to be extended Futsal Skill Centre
May 30-June 1 Location TBC	7v7 Outdoor Soccer (Rural) U9, U11 & U13 Rural Skill Centre
June 13-15 Regina	11v11 Outdoor Soccer U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre Youth Camp
July 18-20 Regina, SK	U13 Development League (PSL) Final Matches
July 18-20 Regina, SK	Masters (Male & Female) SK Open Cup (Adult Male & Adult Female)
July 18-20 Regina, SK	PSL U15 & U17 Playoff Matches
July 26-27 Saskatoon, SK	PSL U15 & U17 Championship Matches

November 15 Location TBA	U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre
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Other Competitions – 2025

Event name	Date and Location	Groups Applicable
SSA Showcase	May 2-4 Saskatoon, SK	NYCL Club Outdoor Showcase Inter-Provincial Invitations to be extended
League1 Season	May - August	
FTF Combine	First Week of July	Individual Registration
PDP Crossover Cup	August	NYCL Clubs
Canada Summer Games	August 3-17 St. John's NFLD	Selected Athletes to Represent Saskatchewan
Masters Regionals	September	Masters Provincial Champions
Club Nationals	October	PSL Champions (U15, U17) & SK Open Cup
PDP Matches	March - August	NYCL Clubs

2026 Competitions Calendar

Date and Location	Competition(s)
February 19-22 Location TBC	6v6 Indoor Soccer (Rural, Community Based) 9v9 Indoor Soccer (Competitive) U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre
February 22-28 Location TBC	Saskatchewan Winter Games 2011 & 2012 Athletes for All Districts (subject to change)
February 27-March 1 Location TBC	Futsal Youth Provincials Inter-Provincial Invitations to be extended Futsal Skill Centre
May 29-31 Location TBC	7v7 Outdoor Soccer (Rural) U9, U11 & U13 Rural Skill Centre
June 12-14 Saskatoon, SK	11v11 Outdoor Soccer U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre Youth Camp
July 17-19 Saskatoon, SK	U13 Development League (PSL) Final Matches

July 17-19 Saskatoon, SK	Masters (Male & Female) SK Open Cup (Adult Male & Adult Female)
July 17-19 Saskatoon, SK	PSL U15 & U17 Playoff Matches
July 25-26 Regina, SK	PSL U15 & U17 Championship Matches
November 14 Location TBC	U9, U11 & U13 Skill Centre

Other Competitions – 2026

Event Name	Date and Location	Groups Applicable
SSA Showcase	May 1-3 Saskatoon, SK	NYCL Club Outdoor Showcase Inter-Provincial Invitations to be extended
League1 Season	May - August	
FTF Combine	First Week of July	Individual Registration
PDP Crossover Cup	August	NYCL Clubs
League1 Canada Inter-Provincial Championships	August AB Hosted	League1 Clubs
Masters Regionals	September	Masters Provincial Champions
Club Nationals	October	PSL Champions (U15, U17) & SK Open Cup
PDP Matches	March - August	NYCL Clubs

November Member Session – Saskatoon

Join us in Saskatoon November 4 for our annual November Member Sessions. This year will include a group workshop focusing on Gender Equity Lens hosted by Canadian Women in Sport. The day will also consist of SSA bylaw amendment reviews and an FSQ presentation introducing the Stakeholder Communication Calendar.

Date	Time	Event
Saturday, Nov 4	10:00-12:00PM	SSA Bylaw Review
Saturday, Nov 4		Lunch
Saturday, Nov 4	12:30-3:00PM	Gender Equity Lens
Saturday, Nov 4	3:30PM-4:30PM	Stakeholder Calendar

FSQ Stakeholder Communication Calendar

Are you looking to improve club operations, organize club communications, and increase value to your participants? The stakeholder development calendar developed by FSQ Sport is a tool that provides lifetime guidance on operations and communications to run a quality sport organization from pre-season to AGM reporting.

"Not only is this the best sport development framework I have seen, it's the best human development framework." – Dr. Christian Marquardt, Research Neuroscientist

Check out the pre recorded information webinar for a walk through of this impactful resource. Use passcode: gQ\$q7=Rp



Ready to streamline your member communications, check out the pricing list below for full access:

1 Member Organization: \$750.00

***7 Member Organizations and/or club entities: \$5000.00**, additional codes purchased above 7 will be discounted to \$500.00

*Discount is applied when purchasing more than 6 access codes. 1 access code is valid for a Member Organization or club entity.

FSQ Communication Calendar access code purchase is eligible for MAP grant funding through Population Based or Special Project applications.

Interested in purchasing a code or having more questions, contact e.senger@sasksoccer.com or join us in November at the Member Sessions to hear more.

Female Development Network – Applications Open until October 1

Saskatchewan Soccer's Female Development Network provides funding and networking opportunities for female professionals working in soccer to share their experiences, to seek guidance, and to cultivate knowledge with others. Together we will strive to support each other's progress towards our goals, celebrate individual achievements, and build on our individual potential. This program is open to females 18 and over who are players, coaches, referees, board members, and organizers within the Grassroots, Competitive, and High-Performance levels of soccer in Saskatchewan.

Mission:

To increase, support, and retain women in soccer through empowerment, inclusion, and education.

Values:

Inclusion: We strive to create an inclusive and diverse community.

Connection: We aim to create impactful and meaningful relationships.

Empowerment: We come together to empower ourselves and each other.

Authenticity: We are here as ourselves to be ourselves.

Details:

The program runs from October to April with monthly online or in person engagements. Each month female experts from around Canada who are actively promoting strong female

leadership present to the group and provide opportunities for mentorship.

Date	Event	Info
October 22, 2023	Online Education Session	Teams Meeting: Group welcome, meet our alumni, goal setting
November 4-5, 2023	In Person: Saskatoon	Gender Equity Lens Workshop, Welcome Social
January TBA	Online Education Session	TBA
February TBA	Online Education Session	TBA
March TBA	Awards Night: Regina	Celebrating SSA Member achievements
April TBA	In Person: TBA	Wind Up Celebration

Every participant receives:

- A grant of 50% funding toward upcoming SSA-delivered coaching courses (CSA C or B Licence Part 1) or a \$750 grant towards a Canada Soccer Children's Licence, Youth Licence, B Part 2 Licence or A Licence 2023.
- A \$200 honorarium available upon the completion of the Program.
- Saskatoon-based coaches will be provided access to the SK EXCEL Program on a weekly or bi-weekly basis. Additional honorarium for players participating in the REX Program.
- Participant welcome package.
- Opportunities to connect with female leaders within Canada and grow their own network.
- Tailored tasks designed to support future aspirations.

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Member Assistance Program (MAP) Grant Follow Up

Ready to submit your MAP Grant follow up? With the new Submittable form, you can login to your account and start the process at any time. MAP Grant Follow Up is due November 1, 2023.

Visit our [MAP grant](#) webpage for the 2023 MAP Grant Follow Up Guide and other reference documents that will assist you with completing your grant follow up.

For more information contact:

MAP Grant: Eden Senger, e.senger@sasksoccer.com

Club Licensing: Ashlyn Therens, a.therens@sasksoccer.com

Reminder from the Registrar

Final 2023 Outdoor Season Deadline – September 30

Don't forget to submit a Registrar Report by the September 30 deadline for any players who registered after May 31. You can find the [2023 Outdoor Registrar Report - Sept 30](#) on our website, ready to download and fill in.

Registration Fee Update – Outdoor 2024

Effective Outdoor 2024 player registration fees will increase by \$2.00/player. The resulting

fee structure for soccer and futsal participants starting in Outdoor 2024 and going forward will be:

Mini Player: \$18.00 per season
Youth & Adult Player: \$34.00 per season
Walking Soccer Player: \$10 per season

For assistance or if there are questions, please feel free to contact registrar@sasksoccer.com.

Veo x Saskatchewan Soccer Hub

Veo has created a Saskatchewan Soccer Online Hub to help clubs with any questions they might have throughout their time with VEO.

This features Getting Started guides, How-To Videos, as well as additional resources to the league exchange, which will be updated when our software updates.

<https://www.veo.co/sask-hub>

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Resource Centre



Canada Soccer Guide to Accessibility and Inclusion

Since participants' first sport experiences usually happen at the community level, we must ensure that these experiences are positive, enjoyable, developmentally-appropriate, and safe. In addition, access to sport should be as barrier-free as possible through programs, services, and support that meet individual needs and interests.

[Read More](#)

SSA Calendar of Events & Deadlines

To view and subscribe to our full [Calendar of Events](#) visit our website!



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