

NEW PORTSHORTS

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Communication is at the heart of a community, and we are thrilled with the opportunity to bring the Portshorts back to you on a weekly basis. Some aspects of the old Portshorts are back, while other exciting items will be added.

We are local entrepreneurs, Jalen, Joshua, and Jacob Kropf; and through our company called Now That's Advertising; we have decided to venture out on this new project.

You will have the opportunity to take out a classified ad, send in your photos for weekly contests, nominate a Top Dawg volunteer, read about local sports and recreation activities, catch up on local community wide events and crack a smile at Jake's Jokes! Community Day is tomorrow, Saturday May 23rd, and we hope that you take advantage of this opportunity to get out and meet with your neighbors, enjoy some activities and discover some new friends. This is your community, get out and enjoy the day filled with activities.

We hope you enjoy this relaunched issue of Portshorts, look forward to having you submit story ideas, nominating volunteers and telling us your jokes. Send your comments, stories and pictures to us at portshorts@sasktel.net.



Top Dawg Volunteer of the week, Ed Sidebottom

TOP DAWG Volunteer of the week

Each week we will have this spot dedicated to recognizing the TOP DAWG volunteer in our area. In our re-launch edition we are recognizing Mr. Ed Sidebottom as this weeks TOP DAWG VOLUNTEER.

Ed moved to Caronport with his wife Wendy back in 1974, and has had his hands involved in many projects over the years. He has served for 26 years at the Christian Athlete Hockey Camp, and for over 10 years with the local Gideon chapter. Aside from spending time with his two grandchildren, Macy and Hailey, Ed loves to visit with friends around town and cheering for his favorite hockey teams; the Clippers, Cougars and Montreal Canadians. Did you know Ed signed a contract with the Montreal Canadians in his playing days, and spent several years playing pro hockey in the USA! He was voted the Top Defensemen of the Century in 2000 by the CHL/Mastercard Awards for his play with the Estevan Bruins in the 70's!

Thanks for serving our community Ed!

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SPORTS

Reports for the week

Sports report brought to you by:
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While the weather has not been the greatest this far for the spring soccer league in Caronport, it has not hurt the number of kids participating. There are over 120 kids registered this year for soccer, as they learn skills each week and play fun filled games. There are 20 coaches volunteering this year to help the kids each Tuesday and Thursday, and the kids range in age groups from 3-12.

Over at the Caronport High School and Caronport Elementary School, the time of year for youth soccer is also the time for school track and field. There will be 27 students competing this Thursday in the Moose Jaw track meet. While grades 7 & 8 had their track meet on Wednesday. Check back here next week for results from the events.

In provincial sporting events, Saskatoon hosted the largest bike race of the season. Riders and teams from Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan competed in various age group races over a period of three days. Joshua Kropf won 1st place overall for his age group while his brother Jalen Kropf took home 8th spot. Jacob Kropf won first place in his one day race on the weekend as well.



Jalen Kropf competing in the Saskatoon Stage Race during the May long weekend.

If you have local sports to report, we would love to hear from you. Email us your events and results each week and we will do our best to get them into the weekly newsletter.

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- It takes 25% less energy to create paper and glass from recycled materials than from new materials.
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- Every day, American businesses use enough paper to circle the Earth over 20 times.
- 84% of all household waste can be recycled.
- North Americans recycle less than 15% of their trash.
- Every ton of recycled paper saves 17 trees, 380 gallons of oil, 4000 kilowatts of energy, and 7000 gallons of water.

JAKE'S JOKES

Fun for the week

Why did the car cross the road?
Because the chicken was in the car!

Question: What do you get when you cross a dentist with a T Rex?
Answer: A big mouth

Question: Whats purple and ruled the world?
Answer: Alexander the Grape

Kid: Knock Knock
Dad: Who's there
Kid: Dish
Dad: Dish who?
Kid: Dish is a very bad joke.

Did you know: The worlds smallest dog is the Chihuahua, which means "tiny dog in the sky."

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**Whatever your needs are, we can get word out to the
community each week! So get in touch with us today!**



Students from Caronport Elementary School participate in the
Jump Rope For Heart program on Thursday afternoon.

CARONPORT COMMUNITY DAY

May 23, 2009

Come and celebrate with us!

Caronport and Surrounding Area

***All are invited to come and celebrate the gift of
neighbours, friends and family.***

***We have so much to be thankful for. Come and
join our greater community for a day of fun.***

Events Include:

- Parade
- Push Cart Rally
- Main Stage Shows
- Craft Sale
- Food Booths
- Game Booths
- Friends
- Neighbours
- ... and a lot of fun!



The day's activities start with a parade at
10:30 AM on Center Street followed by
races, craft booths, food and
entertainment on College Drive.

Parade on Centre & Birch streets.
All other festivities at Chapel Drive.
Bring a lawn chair.

Registration forms for all events and rule
forms for the Push Cart race are located on
the community bulletin board south of the
Post Office.

Contact Information
Parade - Rod Appleby

Craft / Sales Booths - Vi Thiessen

Registration Drop Off - Village Office 756 2225

All other information: Lauara Blankestjin
756 2859