



Memorandum

To: STS Chapter Presidents
For Information: STS Executive Members
From: STS Office
Date: June 13, 2024

2024–25 Provincial Executive

Please find your 2024-25 Provincial Executive pictured below!



Back Row: Diane Selby, Devona Putland, Alan Laughlin, Beverly Magel, Owen Sebastian, Sunil Pandila, Dean Lucyk, Martin Berg, Anna Wehrkamp

Front Row: Murray Wall, Jane Isinger, Helen Sukovieff, Doug Still, Sue Amundrud, Terri Mitchell, Joyce Hoffman, Huguette Kitchen

Celebrating Seniors

Is there someone in your community, aged 55 and up, who is a stellar volunteer? Consider nominating them for a provincial volunteer award at [Celebrating Seniors 2024 - \(skseiorsmechanism.ca\)](https://www.skseiorsmechanism.ca) Deadline is June 14th!!

Links

Please visit the Canadian Association of Retired Teachers (ACER-CART) website [ACER-CART Home - ACER-CART](#) and the Saskatchewan Seniors Mechanism website [Home Page SSM \(Saskatchewan Seniors Mechanism\) \(skseniorsmechanism.ca\)](#) often for information of interest to you and your members!

School Board Elections

School Board elections will be taking place in fall in correspondence with the provincial general election. Consider whether you or your members might be interested in serving as an elected School Board member. Retired teachers have much to offer the education system and society at large. Your service can have an impact! Please see the following for more information:

[Nominations & Elections - Saskatchewan School Boards Association \(sakschoolboards.ca\)](#)

Age Friendly Saskatchewan

Many communities across Saskatchewan have received an “Age Friendly” designation! Age Friendly is a global movement with a goal of making communities safer, smarter, healthier, happier, more inclusive places for all people to live and thrive. See [Home - Age Friendly Saskatchewan Age Friendly Saskatchewan \(agefriendlysk.ca\)](#) for more information about becoming an Age Friendly community.

Age Friendly Regina has put out several resource booklets dealing with the following:

Housing Supports and Options: *including* Assessing home needs, Home services/Home help, Home Supports, Homelessness, Assisted living, Enhanced living, Home care, Private home care, Snow removal, Subsidized housing for older adults, Personal care homes, Long term care homes, Affordable housing, Rental housing and more!

Transportation Options: *including* Cab, Taxi, Bus, Accessible transport, Paratransit, Driving assessments, Mature drivers, Transportation support, Patient transfer, and more!

Mental Health and Wellbeing: *including* Mental Health resources, Self-help, Counseling, Emergency help, Suicide, Self-harm, Anxiety, Addiction, Depression, Grief, Free counselling, Online counselling, Older Adults staying healthy, Programs for Regina older adults, Things to do in Regina, and much more!

Crime Prevention and Safety: *including* Older Adult abuse and neglect, Domestic violence, Personal safety, Scams and Fraud, Wills, Power of Attorney, Adult Guardianship, and more!

All these can be found at: [AF Regina Community Page - Age Friendly Saskatchewan \(agefriendlysk.ca\)](#)

McDowell Foundation Fundraising Committee

The McDowell Foundation is currently looking for volunteers to sit on their Fundraising Committee. The Fundraising Committee is an action Committee which is responsible for assisting the McDowell Foundation in planning, coordinating, and implementing all fundraising activities in support of the projects and associations of the McDowell Foundation.

Typical Roles and Responsibilities:

- Attend regular committee meetings (2-4 times per year)
- Develop, recommend, and update short- and long-term fundraising plans and goals.
- Identify existing and potential sponsors, funders, or donors and collaborate to steward those connections.
- Select the best fundraising approaches considering the Foundation's fundraising goals, projected costs, current resources, and projected expenditures on charitable activities.
For More Information: <https://mcdowellfoundation.ca/get-involved-with-mcdowell-fundraising-committee/>

If you or someone you know is interested in this please email the Manager (Nicole Tainsh) at mcdowell@stf.sk.ca.