

# \*\*\* ATTENTION: GRADE 6 TEACHERS! \*\*\*

## 2008 WESTERN CANADIAN CROP PRODUCTION SCHOOL TOUR PROGRAM Saskatoon Prairieland Park Presents: "Grain Production Today"

Saskatoon Prairieland Park Corporation is pleased to offer a school tour program to your **Grade 6 students** in cooperation with **Agriculture in the Classroom!** The tours will be held in conjunction with the 2008 Western Canadian Crop Production Show on January 7 to 10, 2008 in the Trade Centre, Prairieland Park. The educational portion of the trade show will run **Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2008.**

Back by popular demand is the **Farm Quiz Game Show** to provide students with an opportunity to have fun while learning. **Please visit our website at [www.saskatoonex.com](http://www.saskatoonex.com) for more information.** We look forward to your participation and we are certain that you will find our program both educational and enjoyable!

### "GRAIN PRODUCTION TODAY" TOUR SCHEDULE Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2008 9:30 am or 12:30 pm

**PLEASE NOTE:** Tours are only open to Grade 6 students (split classes are acceptable).

- \* Station presentation & Game Show is **approximately 1 3/4 hours in length.**
- \* Schools are responsible for making their own bus arrangements.
- \* We can accept four groups in one time slot.
- \* Tour groups to consist of approximately 25 – 30 students.
- \* Please allow time to tour the trade show displays & exhibits (before or after).
- \* A teacher must be present with each group. Parent volunteers are welcome.
- \* **Only mail in or faxed requests will be accepted (NO PHONE REGISTRATION).**
- \* All tours will be confirmed by mail.
- \* We will attempt to accommodate your date/time request as best we can.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE SCHOOL TOUR PROGRAM, PLEASE CALL:**

Saskatoon Prairieland Park

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## 2008 "GRAIN PRODUCTION TODAY" TOUR RESERVATION FORM

Form to be returned by Friday, December 7, 2007 **\*\*Please print clearly\*\***

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Students: \_\_\_\_\_

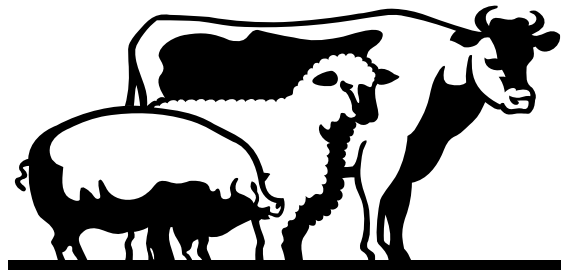
Please state 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> choices for days:    Wednesday \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday \_\_\_\_\_

Please state 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> choices for tour times:    9:30 am \_\_\_\_\_ 12:30 p.m. \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN TO:** Saskatoon Prairieland Park Corporation    or    Fax: 931-7886  
Crop Production School Tour Program  
P.O. Box 6010, Saskatoon, SK S7K 4E4



## Agriculture in the Classroom



**\*\*\* NEW IN 2007\*\*\***

**Saskatoon Prairieland Park**  
is proud to host the  
Agriculture School Tour Program  
in cooperation with  
**Agriculture in the Classroom!**

In the 2007- 2008 school year, educational tours will be held for grades 3 to 6 during Saskatoon Prairieland Park's major agricultural shows enabling students to experience today's agriculture practices.

### **The Agriculture School Tour schedule includes:**

		<b>School Tour Dates</b>
<b>GRADE 4</b>	<b>Saskatoon Fall Fair</b> (Story of Beef) (November 15-17, 2007)	November 15 & 16
<b>GRADE 6</b>	<b>Western Canadian Crop Production</b> (January 7-10, 2008)	January 9 & 10
<b>GRADE 3</b>	Little Green Thumbs (March 28-30, 2008)	No tours offered in 2008 due to Easter break.
<b>GRADE 5</b>	<b>Western Canadian Livestock Expo</b> (April 16 & 17, 2008)	April 16 & 17

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PRESENTS . . . "Grain Production Today"  
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January 9 and 10, 2008**

#### **STATION A -- GRAIN IS MORE THAN BREAD**

A sample of grains produced in Saskatchewan will be on display. The seeds will be identified and a presentation of products produced by grains will be given.

#### **STATION B -- CROP PROTECTION & FOOD SUPPLY**

Explanation of how crop protection products contribute to and benefit today's farming operation.

#### **STATION C -- THE GROWING ARENA**

A display of the different types of soils farmed in Saskatchewan. The display will also address the concerns of soil erosion.

#### **STATION D -- THE FARMING CYCLE**

A slide presentation will be conducted indicating the sequence of the farming cycle and all farming operations.

#### **QUIZ GAME**

Following the tour, a quiz game is planned to add some additional fun to the program. This quiz game adds enthusiasm to the entire program and is enjoyed by all students.

Teachers will be asked to designate two team members **following the presentations** to represent their tour group. Questions pertaining to the four tour stations will be asked to the team members and a winning team will be established.