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## **Proud to Be Prince Albert Day – June 27, 2010**

The City Of Prince Albert would like everyone to join in and celebrate Proud to Be Prince Albert Day on Sunday, June 27, 2010. Saskatchewan’s ‘first’ City encourages all its residents and visitors to recognize this day by celebrating the people, parks, industry and lifestyle that make Prince Albert unique.

“I encourage everyone to get out, enjoy our beautiful City, and appreciate the wonderful quality of life we have in Prince Albert”, said Mayor Jim Scarrow. “Proud to be Prince Albert Day is a day that we can stop for a moment to think about and appreciate the opportunities we have available in our community. Whether it is walking along the river on the Rotary Trail, or finding out about the history of Prince Albert at one of the many great museums, or simply relaxing with friends and family at Kinsmen Park, Prince Albert is a wonderful place to live and raise a family.” So, Prince Albert, June 27<sup>th</sup> is your day, you have good reason to be - Proud to Be Prince Albert!

Our City has 37 ball diamonds (18 which are maintained by the City).

Our City has 33 soccer fields (15 which are maintained by the City).

We have over 35 parks that total over 3500 acres. Prince Albert is renowned for its high quality parks containing a wide variety of playground, recreational and sports facilities.

The Rotary Trail links our parks system – it will run approximately 23km around the perimeter of our City with a 3km extension out to Little Red River Park.

Little Red River Park spans over 1200 acres and includes walking/running trails, bike trails, and bbq sites for hot dog roasts. In winter, Little Red features a downhill ski and snowboard hill, cross country ski trails and a toboggan hill – lots to keep an active lifestyle enthusiast busy! The Cosmo Lodge is situated inside Little Red River Park and is open year round. It is an idea location for socials and special occasions, such as birthday parties. It has a concession, public washrooms, a gas fireplace in the large common area and a private meeting room.

The City’s newest recreation and wellness centre is the Alfred Jenkins Field House. It includes a 3-lane walking track, a family fitness centre, climbing wall drop-in sports gymnasium, drop-in fitness classes, and, of course, indoor artificial turf soccer field.

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