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Building a strong, culturally vibrant Ukrainian community in Saskatchewan

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The Ukrainian Canadian Congress of Saskatchewan is a provincial organization that provides programs and services for the Saskatchewan community to maintain, develop and share its Ukrainian Canadian identity and aspirations.

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## President's Commentary

As the world struggles to fight COVID-19, we are entering a period of great uncertainty. As Ukrainian-Canadians and members of society, we must focus on what is in the best interests of our community. We must each sacrifice some personal freedoms temporarily for the health of our larger community.

My wish for all of you, as we approach the celebration of Easter, is:

- that you find the strength and sense of community to get through these challenging times;
- that new ways of expressing being Ukrainian be explored and implemented:
- that, as we cancel events and festivals, we still stay connected as a community;
- that you support members of the community who are even more vulnerable at this time; and,
- that you thank and acknowledge all of the essential workers in our province.

We are all in this together and we will get through this together. Не падаймо духом — тримаймося разом!

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John Denysek UCC Saskatchewan President



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cing hardship as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak are available on a special page of UCC Saskatchewan's website:

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Information about existing and new programs is posted to these sites with the newest announcements at the top.

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Stay safe and stay healthy. B

# UCC Saskatchewan's 2020 Annual General Meeting and Kairos Blanket Exercise

Reconciliation through Education and Understanding



On Saturday, March 7, more than 30 delegates and guests from Canora, North Battleford, Prince Albert, Regina, Saskatoon, Weyburn and Yorkton gathered at St. Basil's Parish Centre in Regina for UCC Saskatchewan's 2020 Annual General Meeting.

#### President's Report

In his report, President John Denysek spoke on UCC Saskatchewan activity implementing its vision, mission, values and mandate while striving to remain relevant in today's rapidly evolving society. This activity included:

- adoption of UCC Saskatchewan's
   5-year Strategic Plan (2019-2024)
- · enhanced board governance practices
- UCC Saskatchewan's strong financial performance
- on-going expansion of settlement services
- the Eaton Internment Camp permanent interactive exhibit
- participation in national discussions through UCC National

"Our strategic plan provides us with a roadmap on how to remain relevant," Denysek said.

"Our vision tells us where we are going, our mission tells us what we are doing, and our values tell us how we are going to do it. Our eight mandated objectives provide us with direction on daily priorities."

He explained that the strategic plan identifies five strategic priorities. Address-

ing the priority of building long-term financial security in UCC Saskatchewan's 5-Year Strategic Plan, Denysek made a special announcement.

"The Hromada Legacy Foundation is now an incorporated non-profit organization within Saskatchewan and we are now seeking charitable status from Canada Revenue Agency," he said.

The Hromada Legacy Foundation will serve as UCC Saskatchewan's charitable arm and will aim to make more funding available to support Ukrainian cultural activities in the province. The goal is to raise \$2 million over the next five years.

Denysek stressed that having and following a strategic plan needs to be supported with effective board governance.

"I am proud to report that in 2019 the board began a self-assessment process as well as meeting evaluations," he said.

"The results of these reviews provide us insight on how we can continue our path

of self-improvement and full engagement of all board members."

He added that these initiatives complement existing practices of board education sessions, board orientation and policy reviews.

The fiscal results of 2019 also speak to the effective governance of UCC Saskatchewan.

"Opportunities for revenue growth that align with our vision, mission and mandate are always being explored," said Denysek.

"This, combined with the expenditure control exercised by staff, has led to the overall positive fiscal result achieved."

UCC Saskatchewan's Immigration Settlement and Integration Support services (Newcomer Settlement Services, and Translation and Interpretation services) were expanded in 2019 with the addition of the English for Employment (E4E) Program.

Funded by the Saskatchewan Ministry of Immigration and Career Training, E4E

UCC Saskatchewan's 2019 Annual Report outlines activities of the Ukrainian community throughout the province last year, UCC Saskatchewan's Strategic Plan, key priorities of UCC Saskatchewan's Diversity Strategy, projects financially supported by UCC Saskatchewan's Hromada Legacy Fund, UCC Saskatchewan's programs, services, and projects, lists member organizations celebrating special anniversaries, and includes a list of the year's funders and donors, and the auditor's report. The annual report is available at https://www.ucc.sk.ca/ucc-spc/history/annual-report \bigcitches

Copies may be requested by contacting the office.



Recently incorporated as a non-profit organization within Saskatchewan, the Hromada Legacy Foundation will serve as UCC Saskatchewan's charitable arm and will aim to make more funding available to support Ukrainian cultural activities in the province.

provides quality, no-cost English language training to prepare participants for success in Saskatchewan's job market. Teachers and settlement staff help clients meet their English language training and employment needs.

The year 2019 marked the Centennial of the Eaton Internment Camp and saw further activity in the area of bringing awareness to the history of the Ukrainian people in Canada. (Please see *Executive Director's Report* on this page.)

UCC Saskatchewan is an active member of UCC National, the voice of Canada's Ukrainian community.

Eighteen members of Saskatchewan's Ukrainian community travelled to Ottawa in November 2019 to take part in the XXVI Triennial Congress of Ukrainian Canadians, where issues of national importance were discussed and priorities were established to guide the work of UCC National.

To conclude his report, Denysek described the work of UCC Saskatchewan as a personal passion.

"I want to ensure a strong and vibrant Ukrainian community reflective of our evolving society for future generations," he said.

He thanked fellow board members for making this work even more enjoyable by their diversity and commitment and for their insights, wisdom and efforts.

Denysek said the job of the UCC Saskatchewan board is made easier by a dedicated group of staff led by Executive Director Danylo Puderak, "whose wealth of experience and innovation leads to many lively discussions which only serve to strengthen UCC Saskatchewan." "Most importantly," he continued, "I want to thank the members of our Ukrainian community for their tireless efforts in promoting, evolving and preserving our Ukrainian identity. UCC Saskatchewan can provide the framework for things to happen, but it is the members of our community that make things happen."

#### Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Stephen Gabrush reported that 2019 marked another strong financial year. Continuing to diversify its revenue sources, UCC Saskatchewan is maintaining a healthy financial position with record revenues of over \$606,000 and an excess in revenues of over \$20,000.

#### **Executive Director's Report**

For his report, Executive Director Danylo Puderak focused on the priorities of the 5-Year Strategic Plan and the Diversity Strategy. He explained the rationale behind them and provided examples of how UCC Saskatchewan programs, services and projects contribute to these priorities.

Puderak referred to the expansion of newcomer settlement services with the addition of the English for Employment program.

"The goal of this service is to assist newcomers with the development of skill and ability related to English for the workplace," he said.

"Through a comprehensive settlement service, UCC Saskatchewan is contributing to its strategic priority of fostering connection—newcomer outreach and engagement."

By way of another example, Puderak provided AGM attendees with an update on the Eaton Internment Camp initiative.

"UCC Saskatchewan was successful in its application to the Canadian First World War Internment Recognition Fund for \$120,000 in project funding towards the development of a permanent exhibit on the grounds of what is now the Saskatchewan Railway Museum, located just outside of Saskatoon."

He stated that such new funding opportunities open many doors for UCC Saskatchewan as it works to meet the strategic direction of building long-term financial security.



Out-going UCC Saskatchewan Board member and UCC Saskatoon President Kevin Kardynal (left) is thanked for his service over the last three years; to the right are President John Denysek, Executive Director Danylo Puderak and Chair of the Annual General Meeting, Ken Mazur of Regina.





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In conclusion, Puderak thanked the hard-working staff for serving the community and province with such dedication.

On behalf of UCC Saskatchewan, President John Denysek extended sincere gratitude to out-going Board member Kevin Kardynal for his service since April 2017 and presented him with a parting gift.

He then introduced and welcomed new Board member Katie Nakutnyy of Regina, who will serve as a Director-at-Large.

A thank-you was extended to Ken Mazur of Regina for chairing the AGM and to delegates for their attendance and input.

#### **Kairos Blanket Exercise**

As part of its Diversity Plan, UCC Saskatchewan has committed to being partners in the Truth & Reconciliation process. Following the Annual General Meeting, attendees took part in the Kairos Blanket Exercise led by Elder May Desnomie and facilitators Ruth Bellegarde and Diane Campeau.

Developed in collaboration with Indigenous Elders, knowledge keepers and educators, the blanket exercise is a unique, participatory history lesson that fosters truth, understanding, respect and reconciliation among Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples.

Participants had the opportunity to share their thoughts and feelings after the

## For more information about the Kairos Blanket Exercise, visit www.kairosblanketexercise.org



blanket exercise and to describe the impact it had on them. **B** 





Above, left: Prior to the blanket exercise, UCC Saskatchewan President John Denysek presented Elder May Desnomie with a traditional gift of tobacco. Above, right: Elder May Desnomie (4th from right) is flanked by blanket exercise facilitators Diane Campeau and Ruth Bellegarde.



# Dr. Khanenko-Friesen to Assume Key Role at the U of A

UCC Saskatchewan congratulates Dr. Natalia Khanenko-Friesen on her new appointment at the University of Alberta. Beginning July 1, she will serve as Professor in Modern Languages and Cultural Studies, Huculak Chair of Ukrainian Culture and Ethnography, and Academic Director of the Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies at the U of A. Dr. Khanenko-Friesen joined St. Thomas More College, University of Saskatchewan in 2001.

UCC Saskatchewan thanks Dr. Khanenko-Friesen for her work at the Prairie Centre for the Study of Ukrainian Heritage and for her important contributions to the Ukrainian studies program at STM, and wishes her the best of success in the future.

## 40th Anniversary of Ukrainian Bilingual Education

Forty years ago, a small Kindergarten classroom began the journey of Ukrainian Bilingual Education in Saskatoon. Fast forward to 2019/2020 where Ukrainian Bilingual Education continues to thrive in Saskatoon at Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School. Bishop Filevich is a Kindergarten to Grade 8 school for 175 students, with many students continuing their Ukrainian studies at Bethlehem Catholic High School.

This achievement is some-

thing to celebrate! The school community has been celebrating all year, adding little extras into their events, such as having whole school participation at the recent Shevchenko Concert in Saskatoon.

We have two special initiatives planned. The school community, in partnership with the Greater Saskatoon Catholic School Board, is reviewing the original goals of Ukrainian Bilingual Education that have existed since 1979. We want to make sure that the goals are

relevant to the community today and will be appropriate for the next forty years! We have a steering committee made up of the Director of Education, unit superintendents, staff, parents and community members that are working on a plan to gather relevant information

to inform our goals. More in-

formation will be coming in

the future around this.

Finally, we want to celebrate the last forty years in a big way! We heard clearly from our alumni that they wished to have time to socialize and reminisce. Our 40th anniversary planning committee had been meeting since September, made up of staff, parents, alumni and community members. We were hoping to celebrate our accomplishments in June, but the new reality of COVID-19 has caused us to take a break from planning. It is our hope that we will all be able to celebrate together

Shelly Lord, Principal Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School

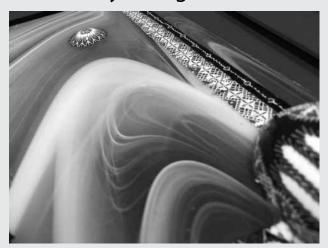
in the near future.

In the meantime, we really would love to get into contact with as many alumni students, parents and staff as possible, so that we have contact information for them once plans are in place! We have a special Facebook page created just for that, called Saskatoon Ukrainian Bilingual Program 40th Anniversary. We have also placed notices in the bulletins of the five Saskatoon Ukrainian parishes calling for alumni to provide Bishop Filevich School (306-659-7230) with their contact information so that we can make sure everyone stays informed.

Our celebration will be one of faith, fellowship and fond memories. We look forward to seeing everyone in the future!

If you wish to make a donation to help support this endeavour (and receive a tax receipt), please call Bishop Filevich School.

# 2020 Nation Builders & Community Recognition Awards



## Call for Nominations Deadline: MAY 1, 2020

## We invite you to help us recognize the volunteers and leaders of our Ukrainian community!

This provincial recognition program is a wonderful opportunity to recognize worthy individuals for their important contributions to building our cultural community. Consider nominating those who helped establish your organization, and those who have been important volunteers, organizers, donors, coordinators and leaders. For more information, please call the UCC Saskatchewan office at 1.888.652.5850 (in Saskatoon, 306.652.5850), ext. 101.

This year's awards presentation will take place Sunday, November 1, 2020 at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Parish Cultural Centre in Yorkton.

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## Language Services at UCC Saskatchewan see Leadership Change

UCC Saskatchewan is pleased to announce the addition on February 10 of our newest staff member, Olga Bondarenko. As Language Services Coordinator, Olga is responsible for coordinating both the English for Employment (E4E) Program and our Translation and Interpretation services.

Funded by the Saskatchewan Ministry of Immigration & Career Training, the E4E Program provides newcomers with English language training aimed at improving workplace communication, their knowledge of Canadian workplace culture and etiquette, and teach them practical job search skills related to writing a résumé and interviewing.

Olga holds a BA in Public Administration and International Law from Odesa National Academy of Law, and a BA in English Philology and Foreign Literature from the Kyiv National Linguistic University. Her recent work experience includes project coordination and administration as well as translation and interpretation.

UCC Saskatchewan welcomes Olga to the UCC Saskatchewan team and wishes her much success!

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КУК Саскачеван вітає Ольгу в нашій команді та бажає успіхів у роботі! **В** 

## Програма English for Employment: зміни в офісі КУК Саскачевану

Саскачеванська Провінційна Рада Конгресу Українців Канади вітає нову співробітницю Ольгу Бондаренко.

Почавши 10 лютого, Ольга працює на посаді Координатора мовних послуг і координує як програму вивчення англійської мови для працевлаштування English for Employment (E4E), так і надання послуг перекладу.

Фінансована Міністерством імміграції та професійного розвитку Саска-

чевану, програма Е4Е надаватиме для новоприбулих курси англійської мови з метою покращення спілкування на робочому місці, ознайомлення з канадською культурою виробництва та професійним етикетом, набуття таких практичних навичок працевлаштування як складання резюме та проходження інтерв'ю.

Ольга закінчила Одеську національну юридичну академію за спеціальністю державне управління та між-

## Xpucmoc Bockpec! Boicmuny Bockpec!

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!



"I am the **resurrection**and the **life**;
He who believes in Me will live,
even though he dies;
and whoever lives and
believes in Me will never die."
John 11:25-26

Through the intercession of the Mother of Perpetual Help, may all come to experience true Joy in the suffering, death and Resurrection of our Redeemer - Christ Our Pascha!



Bishop Bryan Bayda, CSsR, Bishop Emeritus Michael Wiwchar, CSsR, Clergy, Religious Members and all the faithful of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon



"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, he who in his great mercy gave us a new birth; to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead."

1 Peter 1:3

## Xpucmoc Bocкpec! Boicmuny Bocкpec! Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

May the miracle of Easter Fill your heart with Peace, Light your way with Hope, and surround you with His Love.

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## English for Employment Update — Adapting to New Realities

After a mid-March suspension of the English for Employment classes, the Ukrainian Canadian Congress of Saskatchewan is working to resume these courses by switching to an online delivery model.

The majority of the registered students have welcomed the opportunity to study via video conference. Classes will be more frequent (3 times a week), but shorter in duration (approximately 2 hours).

Our teachers are working to learn new tools and adapt their teaching materials to the online environment. We look forward to the new opportunities that the online delivery model will bring with knowledge and skills that can be used in support of UCC Saskatchewan's other programs and services.

We will keep you posted as this progresses!

## Англійська для працевлаштування (E4E) — Адаптація до нових реалій

Конгрес Українців Канади в Саскачевані наразі працює над відновленням викладання курсу E4E в новому форматі— онлайн-класів, після того, як заняття були призупинені в середині березня.

Більшість студентів висловили готовність навчатися через відео-конференції. Класи будуть проводитися частіше (тричі на тиждень), але стануть коротшими (приблизно 2 години).

Наші вчителі опановують нові засоби викладання і адаптують матеріали для презентації в онлайн середовищі.

Ми очікуємо, що з новим форматом викладання прийде новий досвід і можливості, які КУК в Саскачевані застосовуватиме в наданні інших програм та послуг.

Ми будемо тримати вас в курсі подій і змін, пов'язаних з цим. В

# UCC Saskatchewan Attends Newcomer Information Centre Forum

On March 3, 2020, UCC Saskatchewan office staff Danylo Puderak, Olga Bondarenko and Olena Atamanchuk took part in the 5th bi-annual Newcomer Information Centre Forum. The event featured two speakers: Saskatoon Police Chief Troy Cooper and Chair of the Saskatoon Anti-Racism Network Manuela Valle-Castro.

They shared their personal and professional experiences with attendees, spoke about the importance of anti-racism conversation in our society, and the need to improve awareness in order to combat racism and discrimination in Canada. **B** 

# КУК в Саскавечані взяв участь у форумі Інформаційного Центру для Новоприбулих

3 березня 2020 року працівники Конгресу Українців Канади в Саскачевані: Данило Пудерак, Ольга Бондаренко та Олена Атаманчук відвідали 5-й форум Інформаційного Центру для Новоприбулих, який відбувається кожні два роки. На захід були запрошені гості: голова поліції м. Саскатун — Трой Купер та керівник антирасистської мережі — Мануела Валле-Кастро, які поділились своїм професійним та особистим досвідом. Вони висвітлили важливість теми антирасизму в Канаді та необхідності в самоосвіті, як способу боротьби з расизмом і дискримінацією. В





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## Набуття громадянства України за народженням

Олена Атаманчук Радник з питань поселення та імміграції

Citizens of Ukraine living in Saskatchewan learn how to obtain Ukrainian citizenship for children born in Canada

До нас звертаються все більше клієнтів з питань отримання громадянства не тільки канадського, а й українського. У цій статті громадяни України, які проживають на території Саскачевану, дізнаються як отримати громадянство України для дітей, які були народженні на території Канади.

Відповідно до статті 7 Закону України "Про громадянство України", особа є громадянином України, якщо батьки або один з батьків на момент її народження є громадянами України.

Місце народження особи, в даному випадку, не впливає на її громадянство: особа набуває громадянство України незалежно від того, народилася вона на території України чи за її межами. Для підтвердження факту набуття громадянства за народженням видається довідка про реєстрацію дитини громадянином України. Процес отримання такого документа є непростим і вимагає послідовності. Потрібно зібрати необхідні папери та подати заяву від одного з батьків до Генерального консульства України в м. Едмонтоні. Варто зауважити, що послуга набуття громадянства України в закордонних дипломатичних установах України, у даному випадку в ГКУ в Едмонтоні, є безкоштовною. А ось послуги оформлення свідоцтва про народження дитини, його легалізація, переклад та вартість пересилки документів будуть платними.

## До переліку необхідних документів входить:

- Заява з питань громадянства дитини "Форма 3" яку заповнює і підписує один з її батьків, або інший законний представник дитини. Зразок заяви можна отримати в ГКУ за запитом;
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- Легалізоване свідоцтво про народження дитини;
- Засвідчений переклад свідоцтва про народження дитини українською мовою.

Оскільки в переліку необхідних документів є легалізоване свідоцтво про народження дитини та його нотаріально завірений переклад, нижче подаємо покрокову послідовність дій.

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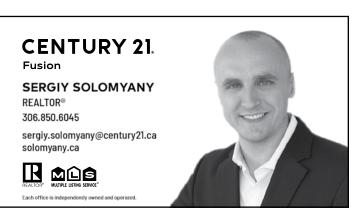


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Ukrainian Canadian Congress Saskatchewan Provincial Council, Inc. #4-2345 Avenue C North Saskatoon, SK S7L 5Z5 306-652-5850

Вартість такого перекладу варіюється, але в середньому становить \$51.

4 Четвертий крок. Легалізувати свідоцтво в Генеральному консульстві України в м. Едмонтон. Послуга є платною, консульський збір складати-

ме \$67. До ГКУ надішліть автентифіковане свідоцтво про народження разом з перекладом, копією закордонного паспорта того з батьків, хто подає заяву та оплатою у вигляді Money Order payable to the Consulate General of Ukraine in Edmonton, а також долучіть лист довільної форми з проханням легалізувати документ.

З документами на легалізацію свідоцтва слід подати заповнену одним з батьків згадану вище заяву "Форма 3" про реєстрацію дитини громадянином України. Звертаємо увагу, що дитина народжена в Канаді не має у свідоцтві про народження даних "по батькові", тому їх не потрібно вносити в заяву. Крім того, національність дитини визначається з огляду на національність батьків, а не місце народження неповнолітнього/ї. Також у пункті 7 заяви слід вказувати адресу реєстрації в Україні того з батьків, хто подає заяву. Зібраний пакет документів надішліть за адресою:

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У разі, якщо усі документи оформлені правильно, консульська установа приймає їх до роботи. Результатом буде легалізоване свідоцтво про народження та довідка про реєстрацію дитини громадянином України.

Радимо спочатку зателефонувати до Генерального консульства України в м. Едмонтоні для персонального роз'яснення процесу.

Згідно статті 19 Закону України "Про громадянство України", одночасне набуття дитиною за народженням громадянства України та громадянства іншої держави чи держав не вважаються добровільним набуттям і не є підставою для втрати громадянства України. Отже, дитина народжена на території Канади, батьки якої є громадянами України, має право набути одночасно громадянство України та Канади. В

\* Ціни є актуальними на момент написання статті.

# Правила дорожнього руху — оновлене видання



Для тих, хто готується до складання іспитів водія повідомляємо, що оновлена версія Довідника водія Саскачевану українською мовою 2019-20 рр. наразі доступна в електронному форматі (PDF) на сайті КУК Саскачевану за посиланням:

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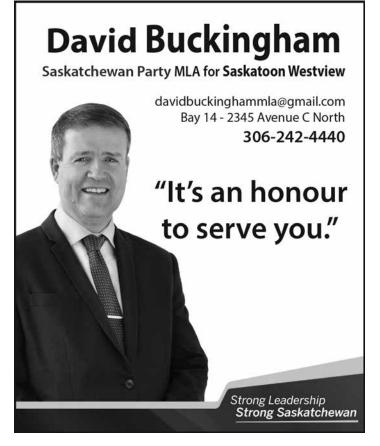
або у вигляді друкованого примірника в офісі КУК Саскачевану.

Тим, хто вже має посвідчення водія радимо також переглянути нову версію Довідника та звернути увагу на зміни до правил дорожнього руху та штрафних санкцій за їх порушення. Нові правила мають на меті посилення запобіжних заходів проти водіння у стані алкогольного чи наркотичного сп'яніння та користування мобільними пристроями під час керування автомобілем. В

The Saskatchewan Driver's Handbook for 2019-2020 in Ukrainian is available at the UCC Saskatchewan office and online as a PDF at:

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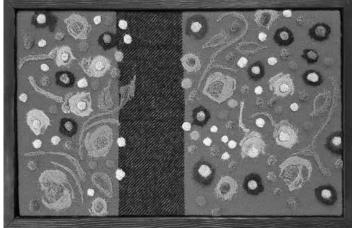
## Métis-Ukrainian Heritage Influences Artist's Work

Rose

The Flower People is a solo exhibition by Melanie Monique Rose that was most recently on display in the Saskatchewan Craft Council Gallery in Saskatoon from January 11 to March 14, 2020.

Rose is a fibre and visual artist from Regina, Saskatchewan, Treaty 4 Territory. She attended the Kootenay School of the Arts in Nelson, BC, and majored in Fibre Arts. Since then, Rose has exhibited her work in solo and group exhibitions nationally.

Rose's art is influenced by her prairie upbringing and her connections with both her Métis and Ukrainian heritage. She draws significant inspiration from Ukrainian folk art and traditional dress.



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The Flower People is an ongoing theme for Rose, derived from the name "The Flower Beadwork People," a name given to the Métis who are well known for their floral beadwork. Rose uses felting techniques on collected blankets to create a canvas, exploring her Métis identity alongside her Ukrainian heritage. Personal, cultural, and universal symbolism are woven into the fabric of Rose's work with an emphasis on movement, colour, and narrative.

Rose's most recent works explore personal acts of Indigenous survivance and solidarity, which have made her look critically at how she tells her story as an active Indigenous presence and contemporary artist in the world today.

- SCCG News Release, Jan. 7/20; The Bicycle Gang, Jun. 16/16

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## Mourning the Loss of Battlefords Community Leader and Volunteer

Anna Prystupa passed away on December 29, 2019. Anna was a dedicated member and supporter of All Saints Ukrainian Catholic Church in North Battleford. She was actively involved with the Ukrainian Catholic Women's League of Canada, holding a variety of positions within the League. Anna participated with the local



branch of the Ukrainian Canadian Congress. A talented artisan who worked with youth, taught various cultural classes, and led musical, drama and dance presentations in the Ukrainian Canadian community, she also made time to volunteer for various organizations in the broader community. Recognizing the great need for humanitarian aid, she sponsored two missionary priests and helped children in Ukraine. In 2014, Anna was a recipient of UCC Saskatchewan's Community Recognition Award for Cultural Preservation & Development and Volunteerism.

## In Memoriam: Nation Builder Dr. John Kuspira (1928-2019)

**Dr. John Kuspira** passed away in Edmonton on October 30, 2019, at the age of 90. An academic in his professional life, John is considered a Canadian pioneer in genetics, whose discoveries continue to contribute to the scientific research community. The renowned plant geneticist made unparalleled contributions to teaching genetics



through his papers, publications and textbooks. Kind, generous and wise, John instilled his enthusiasm and passion in more than 10,000 students during his 35 years of teaching at the University of Alberta. He was the first recipient of the Rutherford Award for Excellence in Teaching in 1988 and also received the 3M National Teaching Fellowship Award. In 2002, John was nominated by the U of A Faculty of Medicine for an honorary degree, and in 2005 was awarded the Alberta Centennial Medal for outstanding service to the people of Alberta. John was a named a UCC Saskatchewan Nation Builder in 2019.

Their biographies, as published in the commemorative booklets, are available at ucc.sk.ca/services/nation-builders  $\$ .

#### Вічна їм пам'ять! Memory eternal!

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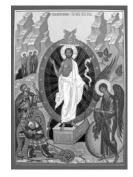
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## Learning Language Through Song

On December 3, 2019, students of Ukrainian language classes at the Mohyla Institute took part in a somewhat unusual lesson. Students from both the beginner and intermediate classes joined the choir, *Holosy*, for what was partly a regular weekly rehearsal and partly a workshop. As the students had expressed an interest in learning about Christmas carolling and its place in the Ukrainian traditions that surround Christmas and New Year's celebrations, the choir invited the students to join them for an evening of singing.

Working with choir director Audrey Bayduza, the instructor of the Mohyla classes, Oksana Dobushovska, had prepared the students by introducing them to much of the vocabulary that they would be encountering with the choir. They were able to join with the choristers in singing several vocal warm-up exercises—all in Ukrainian—and also were able to follow the text and join in the repeated choruses of several very traditional, often-sung carols.

The workshop then moved on to deal in more detail with *ιμεθρίβκι* [shchedrivky, carols sung at New Year's Eve—*Ed.*], exploring their ancient history, their em-

phasis on wishing one's neighbour good health and prosperity, and the blending of sacred and secular themes as this ancient genre encountered the more modern Christmas carol. Here again, as the refrains of *we*-

*дрівки* are often repeated verse after verse, even the students of the beginner language classes were able to join with oft-repeated texts, such as "щедрий вечір," "добрий вечір," "Алилуя," от "Господи помилуй."

This segment of the workshop ended with the students experiencing the tradition of improvising words to *ιμεθρίεκι*. Oksana, in particular, was kept busy writing out words and phrases suggested by students and choir members alike so that all could both see and hear the vocabulary being used. As each new, improvised verse was composed, the choir and students were able to sing it, using the melody of one of the *ιμεθρίεκι* sung just a few minutes earlier.

In closing, the choir announced its upcoming New Year's project, a five-video



Audrey Bayduza (left) and Oksana Dobushovska



response to the Ivasiuk Challenge\* issued by Edmonton choirs, and invited students to give some thought to taking part in the project. A good time was had by all, and the choir hopes that the students came away from the evening with an understanding that singing in a choir can be a very effective and enjoyable way of adding to one's Ukrainian language skills.

\* to sing and post on social media songs of Volodymyr Ivasiuk, a popular Ukrainian composer of the '70s.





## Saskatoon Commemorates Shevchenko

On Sunday, March 8, more than 300 people from the Saskatoon Ukrainian community gathered to celebrate the life and legacy of Taras Shevchenko. Marina Kodak, emcee, noted that Shevchenko helped forge the Ukrainian identity and was instrumental in developing the modern Ukrainian language.

Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School Grade 7 and 8 students did a PowerPoint presentation on the life of Taras Shevchenko. Teacher Stacia Horbay Ugalde guided the students in putting this project together.

The Dibrova Ukrainian Folk Ensemble, directed by Stanyslaw Hawryliw, sang "Ha

смерть Тараса Шевченка" (*Na smert Tarasa Shevchenka*), commemorating the great poet. Their second item was "Кокошка" (*Kokoshka*), written by Shevchenko.

Next, the audience had the pleasure of hearing songs sung by students of Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School. Kindergarten to Grade 4 students, led by Nadia Sliva, sang "Учітеся" (*Uchitesia*) and "Слава, слава Кобзареві" (*Slava, slava* 



Kindergarten to Grade 8 students from Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School sing "Zatsvila v dolyni"

*Kobzarevi*). Then, under the direction of Sonia Kodak, students of Grades 5 to 8 sang "Поклін тобі, Tapace!" (*Poklin tobi, Tarase!*) and "Думи мої" (*Dumy moyi*). Together, the 100-member group sang "Зацвіла в долині" (*Zatsvila v dolyni*). Emcee Marina Kodak expressed thanks to the choir directors, the accompanist, Andrea Karnaukh, the teachers and the parents for their efforts in preserving our culture. →

# **ХРИСТОС ВОСКРЕС! ВОІСТИНУ ВОСКРЕС!**

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May the promise of resurrection and rebirth bring you Joy and Peace. Warmest wishes for a blessed Easter season.

**Battlefords Ukrainian Canadian Cultural Council** 







Ukrainian Canadian Professional & Business Association of Saskatoon Асоціація Українських Канадських Професіоналістів і Підприємців в Саскатуні

By Pat Tymchatyn

The Executive and Members of the Ukrainian Canadian Professional and Business Association of Saskatoon wish everyone a Happy and Blessed Easter.

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A highlight of the concert was Kateryna Tokarska singing "Ότακα я" (*Otaka ya*) by Shevchenko while Masha Matyushenko and Ava Leschyshyn of the Leleka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble performed. The choreography was by Valentyna Matyushenko.

The concert ended with *Holosy*, a mixed choir directed by Audrey Bayduza, singing two songs with words by Shevchenko, "Тече вода" (*Teche voda*) and "Ha базарі" (*Na bazari*). *Holosy* also noted the Volodymyr Ivasiuk Challenge put forth by the Edmonton Ukrainian community on the 70th Anniversary of his birth. Choirs were asked to record their performances of Ivasiuk's songs

and post them to YouTube. *Holosy* sang "Капелюх" (*Kapeliukh*) by Ivasiuk.

A reception concluded the afternoon.

The concert was organized by the Ukrainian Canadian Congress – Saskatoon Branch.

Top photo: Kateryna Tokarska (centre) performs with Leleka Dancers Masha Matyushenko (left) and Ava Leschyshyn (right).

At right: Members of the mixed choir *Holosy* performing at the Taras Shevchenko concert in Saskatoon.





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