



**SASKATCHEWAN**  
SOCCER ASSOCIATION



## **Saskatchewan Soccer is seeking individuals to serve on its Board of Directors**

Saskatchewan Soccer is seeking board candidates with a priority on those with experience in financial management, corporate partnerships, and knowledge of publicly traded companies. Candidates with experience in non-profit governance, communications, public relations, and marketing are also encouraged as nominees.

Nominations can be made through December 15, 2023

Nominate  
Today

## **Register Today - November Member Sessions**

Join us on November 3-5, in Saskatoon for our November Member Session. This year we will be offering sessions for clubs Technical Leads, Executives, and Administrators.

### **Friday, November 3 – Technical Engagement Session**

Technical Engagement Session, meet with SSA staff to go over resources, details, and future development.

### **Saturday, November 4 – Bylaw Review and Member Session**

This year will include a group workshop focusing on Gender Equity Lens hosted by Canadian Women in Sport. The day will also consist of SSA bylaw amendment reviews and an FSQ presentation introducing the Stakeholder Communication Calendar.

### **Sunday, November 5 – Stakeholder Journey Mapping**

Delve into the intricate world of customer interactions, emotions, and pain points, and learn

how to strategically improve each stage of your customer's journey. Stakeholder Journey Mapping workshop, presented by Matt Young, Director of Sport, FSQ Sport.

To find more details on the weekend including, cost, accommodations, and how to register:

Visit our Website

## **REMINDER: Bylaw Consultation**

Saskatchewan Soccer's Board of Directors hosts an annual bylaw consultation with a goal to work collaboratively and seek consensus in preparation for the Annual General Meeting.

Members that would like the board to consider potential bylaw amendments should submit any proposals via a completed Bylaw Amendment form, with rationale, to [ea@sasksoccer.com](mailto:ea@sasksoccer.com) by **Oct. 28, 2023**.

Proposed amendments will be circulated to voting members and included for consideration as part of November Member Sessions to ensure an opportunity for all members to participate in open debate prior to the final deadline. To meet the requirements of the Non-Profit Act 2022, final amendments must be received by Dec. 15, 2023 to be considered at the AGM.

## **Policy Updates**

On September 23, the Saskatchewan Soccer Board of Directors approved changes in the following policies:

[Section One – Introduction to the SSA](#)

[Section Two – Member Rights & Responsibilities](#)

[Section Eleven – Grants](#)

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## **Upcoming Grant Deadlines**

### **MAP Grant Follow Up – November 1**

Is your club ready to submit its MAP Grant follow-up? With the new Submittable form, you can login to your account and start the process at any time.

Visit our MAP grant webpage: <https://sasksoccer.com/content/member-assistance-program-map> for the 2023 MAP Grant follow-up guide and other reference documents that will assist with completing your grant follow-up.

### **Coaching / Referee and Female Development Grant - October 31**

Saskatchewan Soccer offers funding to Saskatchewan coaches, referees, and female participants looking to improve their coaching or refereeing proficiency through development opportunities.

Deadline to apply is October 31

For more information on the grants and how to apply, please click on the corresponding links below.

[Professional Coaching Development Grant](#)

[Referee Development Grant](#)

[Female Development Grant](#)



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- point it at the QR code
- click the link on-screen
- consider a donation

Donate for the future

## Reminder from the Registrar

### **2023-24 Indoor Registration Deadline – November 7**

All fees and registrar reports for registrations received up to and including October 31 must be submitted or late fees will be applied. You can find the [November 7 – Registrar Report](#) on our website, ready to download and fill in.

### **Q3 RAMP Admin Fee Invoices – Please Pay Promptly**

Starting with the 2023 Outdoor season, all Member Organizations (MOs) are required to pay the \$1.50 per participant per season RAMP admin fee. Invoices will be sent out to each MO quarterly (March, June, September, December). These fees are eligible for Member Assistance Program (MAP) grant Population Based Funding (PBF) under Organizational Development if required.

### **Registration Fee Update – Outdoor 2024**

Effective Outdoor 2024 player registration fees will increase by \$2.00/player. The resulting fee structure for soccer and futsal participants starting in Outdoor 2024 and going forward will be:

Mini Player: \$18.00 per season  
Youth & Adult Player: \$34.00 per season  
Walking Soccer Player: \$10 per season

For assistance or if there are questions, please feel free to contact [registrar@sasksoccer.com](mailto:registrar@sasksoccer.com).



On Tuesday, October 10, surveys were sent out to Individual Participant and Non-Returning Participants across the province. These have been distributed by Satori Soccer to every participant in the SSA community including individuals who did not return to the 2023 season. The survey conducted will be based on the

participants' experience with the club in delivering an enjoyable and valued experience. After the survey is completed, each Member Organization will receive access to this information, along with a 1 on 1 assessment of the data with Satori to assist with future planning and club development.

We look forward to welcoming Satori Soccer during our 2024 AGM weekend to further discuss how clubs can benefit from this data.

## Staffing Update

Please join us in welcoming our new Coordinator, Administration and Registrar Molly Fandrey to the SSA team. Molly's primary role will be to provide administrative support to finance and registration-related processes. Welcome to the team, Molly!

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# EVERYONE'S GAME

## Resource Centre



### Leader Talks with Anne-Marie Pham

Diversity and inclusion - a hot topic in the world right now. But knowing how and where to begin to make a tangible difference can be tricky... That's why we created this podcast! By drawing on the experience of thought leaders across Canada, we hope to create awareness, showcase a variety of perspectives, and inspire courage for all of us to create more diverse, equitable, and inclusive workplaces and communities for all. Hosted by Anne-Marie Pham, CEO of the Canadian Centre for Diversity and Inclusion.

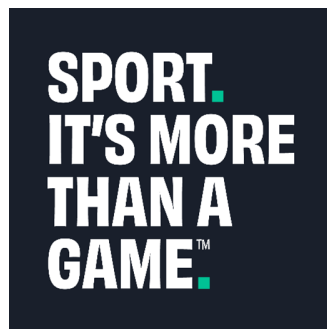
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## SSA Calendar of Events & Deadlines

To view and subscribe to our full [Calendar of Events](#) visit our website!

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