

11TH ANNUAL

# TRY-A-TRADE

INTERACTIVE CAREER FAIR

### Join us!

Thursday, October 12, 2023 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM NationsWEST Field House North Battleford, SK

A unique interactive career fair highlighting the trades. FREE registration for exhibitors and schools. For information, contact Battleford Campus 306-937-5100

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### **School Information Package**

We are excited to be welcoming your students to our 11th Annual Try-a-Trade Interactive Career Fair. Below are some of the housekeeping notes; what to expect at the event as well as discussion points to have with your students prior to attending on Thursday, October 12th. Thank you for registering, we look forward to seeing you in 2 weeks!

#### **Before the Event**

Things to discuss with your students:

- Encourage students to try activities that they haven't tried before.
- Students should wear appropriate durable clothing like jeans and close-toed shoes.
- Be mindful that each group has approx. 2 hours, so choose the activities you would like to do most at the beginning.
- Lunch is available at the venue for students. Lunch combos need to be preordered by October 3, 2023.
- Many of the exhibitors are local business owners that are volunteering their time and equipment for the event, please ask students to be respectful of the staff, tools, and equipment that they are using.
- Please have appropriate teacher supervision for the number of students you are bringing to the career fair.
- Please remind students they are not to enter the volleyball courts or use the second floor.
- Bathrooms are located close to the canteen on the main floor. Students are not permitted to use the washrooms on the second floor unless there are facility issues on the main floor.

If you have any additional questions or concerns before the event, please contact Heather Leask or Anna Bast at North West College at 306-937-5100 or by e-mail tryatrade@northwestcollege.ca





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### **Day of Event**

#### Arrival

You will be greeted at the front entrance of NationsWEST Field House by a North West College staff members. Your bus can stop right along the side to drop students off. Please be mindful of the time allotted to your school. We have at least 1000 students attending and we want to ensure the best experience for both students and exhibitors by not having the booths overwhelmed.

#### **Bus Parking**

All buses are expected to park in an appropriate spot in the parking lot after dropping off their passengers.

#### **Medical Emergency**

WPD Ambulance will be an exhibitor at Try-A-Trade and will be on call to provide any assistance if any medical emergency arises.

#### **Student Feedback**

There will be a survey station set up. Students are all encouraged to complete the survey. All students who complete the survey will have their names entered to win a prize.

#### Canteen

Preordered school lunch combos, which include a hot dog, chips and a drink, are sponsored by Gabriel Dumont Institute Training & Employment. School lunch combos must be preordered by October 3, 2023. Please note there will be a limited supply of food prepared.





### **List of Exhibitors**

(highlighted are Event Sponsors)

- 1. NWC Recruitment
- 2. NWC Hairstylist
- 3. NWC HETTT
- 4. Access Communications Co-operative
- 5. Axiom Career College
- 6. Boilermakers Local 555
- 7. Brandt Tractor Ltd.
- 8. Battle River Treaty Six Health Centre
- 9. Canadian Armed Forces
- 10. CANSAFE Inc.
- 11. Christian Horizons
- 12. Concordia University of Edmonton
- 13. Citizens on Patrol Program
- 14. Energy Safety Canada
- 15. Gabriel Dumont Institute Training & Employment
- 16. Gold Eagle Casino
- 17. Great Plains College
- 18. Logan's Day Spa
- 19. Meridian Surveys Ltd.
- 20. Metis Nation of Saskatchewan
- 21. Millar College of the Bible
- 22. Millwright Regional Council Local 1021
- 23. MTS Training School
- 24. Northern Alberta Institute of Technology (NAIT)
- 25. North Battleford Fire Department
- 26. Official Languages Programs
- 27. Pattison Agriculture Ltd.
- 28. RCMP
- 29. Sask Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission
- 30. Saskatchewan Indian Institute of Technologies
- 31. Saskatchewan Polytechnic
- 32. Saskatchewan Polytechnic Women in Trades & Technology
- 33. Saskatoon Police Service
- 34. SaskPower
- 35. SaskTel
- 36. Saskatchewan Government Insurance (SGI)
- 37. Skills Canada Saskatchewan
- 38. The Recording Arts Institute of Saskatoon
- 39.UA Local 179
- 40. University of Saskatchewan College of Medicine
- 41. University of Saskatchewan College of Nursing
- 42. Women Building Futures
- 43. Worksafe Saskatchewan (WCB)
- 44. WPD Ambulance

\*See all company profiles on our website.





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#### **Directions to NationsWEST**

#### From Saskatoon

Stay in the right lane as you enter North Battleford on Highway 16. After you pass the highway 40 intersection there is a service road exit on the right hand side of the highway for access to the Gold Eagle Lodge and Casino. Enter this service road. Drive past the Gold Eagle Casino on this service road. Turn right at the Casino/Canadian Tire intersection. Drive one block (northeast) and you will be at the multipurpose facility.

#### **From Prince Albert**

Turn right at the WDM Museum about 0.5 km before the highway 40/16 intersection. This is the entrance to the Battlefords Agricultural Society. Take the first left. The road will curve to the right as you drive past the fairgrounds. The multipurpose facility will be the set of new buildings on the right side.

#### From Lloydminster

After you cross the river and climb the hill, turn left at Tropical Inn. Go 2 blocks east to McDonalds Restaurant. Turn right on Railway Ave and go two blocks to the next set of lights. Turn Left on Territorial Dr. Go about two blocks to the next set of lights (Wal-Mart intersection). Turn right. After the equivalent of about 3 blocks, the multipurpose complex will be on your left side.

#### From North (Highway 4)

When you enter North Battleford, turn left onto Territorial Drive at the Co-op/Tim Horton's intersection. Turn left at the Walmart intersection. After the equivalent of about 3 blocks, the multipurpose complex will be on your left side.

