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## **Media Release: Attention Sports Media**

### **Dodgeball Saskatchewan invites community to give the sport a go**

Regina, SK – As part of the ongoing Thursdays in the Park events, Dodgeball Saskatchewan will be hosting a live demo and community drop-in event on September 2 from 4-8 p.m., in Wascana Park. Park goers can expect to see the sport in action, ask questions and give it a try.

“We are looking to grow our dodgeball community,” says Saskatchewan Dodgeball President, Brandon Weinberger. “Many people are shocked to learn dodgeball is even a thing and that it thrives here. We think this is a great opportunity for folks to see the sport played firsthand, how much it has evolved and mostly, how much fun it is.”

The sport had been growing steadily in Saskatchewan pre-COVID 19, and there is hope for that momentum to return in the coming year. Sign up is currently open for co-ed play through the [Dewdney East Community Association Dodgeball](#) (DECA), though the start of the season is delayed until late October. While the league hasn’t resumed since March 2020, Weinberger is hopeful that the sport can pick up again with the re-opening of city facilities and schools.

The addition of a youth dodgeball league slated for late fall is one of the things he is most excited about. “Kids love dodgeball and we know there has been a lot of interest in expanding our league to include youth,” states Weinberger. “It’s an accessible and inclusive sport that teaches strategy, teamwork and builds numerous skills such as agility, balance, coordination and concentration.”

The public is invited to come and learn more about this dynamic sport – all ages are welcome. On September 2, find the Dodgeball Saskatchewan event set up at the Queen Elizabeth II West Lawn located directly west of the Legislative Building Gardens. The live demo will run from 4-5 p.m. and drop in times for the public will run from 5-7 p.m. with an opportunity to learn more about the sport from 7-8 p.m. More information on Dodgeball Saskatchewan can be found at [www.saskdodgeball.com](http://www.saskdodgeball.com).

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