

Awards 2008

*Celebrating Outstanding Achievement
in the Skilled Trades*



**Saskatchewan
Apprenticeship and
Trade Certification
Commission**





Opening

Welcome

Randy Nichols, Master of Ceremonies and
Commission Board Member

Grace

Hazel Hack, Commission Board Member

Dinner

Greetings

Paul McLellan, Chair
Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade
Certification Commission Board

Honourable Rob Norris
Minister Responsible for the
Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade
Certification Commission

Joe Black, Chief Executive Officer
Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade
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Outstanding New Journeypersons

presented by Joe Black, Chief Executive Officer

Agricultural Machinery Technician	Bernard Friesen , La Crete, AB
Automotive Service Technician	Steven Funk , Glaslyn
Boilermaker	Shawn Johnson , Moose Jaw
Boom Truck Operator 'A'	Tyler Cey , Lloydminster
Boom Truck Operator 'A'	Evan McKinnon , Winnipeg, MB
Boom Truck Operator 'A'	Edward Unrau , Anola, MB
Boom Truck Operator 'B'	Jaime Hayes , Lloydminster, AB
Bricklayer	Jason Thomson , Calgary, AB
Carpenter	Trevor Sims , Regina
Construction Craft Labourer	Victor Da Silva , Winnipeg, MB
Cook	Noelle Puteria , Saskatoon
Crane And Hoist Operator	Graeme Dalglish , Maidstone
Electrician	Brian Dyck , Moose Jaw
Electrician	Devin Faber , Carlyle
Electrician	Jonathan Howe , Regina
Electronics Assembler	Connie Gale , Martensville
Electronics Assembler	Jeanette Stringer , Martensville
Food And Beverage Person	Robert Campbell , Saskatoon
Food And Beverage Person	Dawn Wreford , Saskatoon
Framer	Michael Kluthe , Saskatoon
Framer	Jefferson Thomas , Saskatoon
Guest Services Representative	Paula Scobie , Regina
Hairstylist	Dawn Tumback , Eston
Heavy Duty Equipment Mechanic	Adam Fazakas , Regina
Hydraulic Crane Operator	Dean Griffin , Regina
Industrial Instrument Mechanic	Tony Van De Weyer , Weyburn
Industrial Mechanic (Millwright)	Mickey Levitsky , Prince Albert
Ironworker Structural	Robert Okabe , Regina





Lattice Boom Crane Operator
Machinist
Machinist
Meat Cutter
Meat Cutter - Processor
Motor Vehicle Body Repairer
Painter And Decorator
Painter And Decorator
Partsperson
Petroleum Installer Technician
Plumber
Plumber
Plumber
Power Lineperson
Power Lineperson
Refrigeration Mechanic
Refrigeration Mechanic
Rig Technician - Motorhand
Rig Technician - Driller
Roofer
Scaffolder
Sheet Metal Worker
Steamfitter-Pipefitter
Steel Fabricator
Tilesetter
Tower Crane Operator
Truck and Transport Mechanic
Welder

Ryan Boyko, Prince Albert
Curtis Morgan, Saskatoon
Bradley Schill, Regina
John Sperling, Craik
Paul Rogers, Grandora
Kurtis Fafard, Broadview
Jerry Cox, Saskatoon
Jonathan Hall, Regina
Lawrence Horne, Prince Albert
Ryan Schaffer, Regina
Ole Anderson, Watrous
Jody Keyowski, Shellbrook
Travis Keyowski, Shellbrook
Miles Hoste, Estevan
Michael McCuaig, Nipawin
Devin Furgason, Weyburn
Darin Wilkie, Martensville
Peter Ordahl, Tribune
Larry Mann, Carievale
Trevor Carlson, Moose Jaw
Jason MacNeill, Watrous
Byron Schneider, Regina
John Thickson, Regina
Paul Claypool, Martensville
Justin Englot, Hanley
Scott Higgs, Saskatoon
Ryan Goodin, Regina
Blair Thiemann, Humboldt





George Pellerin Memorial Scholarship
presented by Joe Black, Chief Executive Officer

Victor Da Silva, Construction Craft Labourer, Winnipeg, MB
Trevor Sims, Carpenter, Regina

Commission Board of Directors Scholarship
presented by Hazel Hack, Commission Board Member

Garry Armstrong, Plumber, Regina
Graeme Dalgieish, Crane and Hoist Operator, Maidstone

Outstanding Board
presented by Rick Ewen, Director of Apprenticeship

**Agricultural Machinery Technician Curriculum and Examination
Development Board:**

Tim McKay, Justin Meena, Mark Pakula, Scott Robertson,
Peter Rottenbacher and Anthony Sepke

Outstanding Technical Training Team
presented by Rick Ewen, Director of Apprenticeship

Carpenter Online Upgrading Team:

Jeff Chow, Jim Geddes, Murray Fleece, Terri Hamill, Steve
Lawrence, Dave Nunn and Heather Ross

Skills Canada Saskatchewan
presented by Rick Ewen, Director of Apprenticeship

Justin Tremblay, Bricklayer, Saskatoon
Chadrick Kessler, Carpenter, Warman
Ryan Dueck, Industrial Mechanic (Millwright), Swift Current
Shane Desrosiers, Motor Vehicle Body Repairer, Martensville
Kevin Kingston, Plumber, Saskatoon





Scholarships and Awards

Tom Petrie Memorial Scholarship

sponsored by the Culinary Arts Foundation of Saskatchewan
and presented by Ryan Marquis
Noelle Puteria, Cook, Saskatoon

Ed Schoenroth Scholarship

presented by Ed Schoenroth and Ken Busch
Travis Keyowski, Plumber, Shellbrook

Electrical Contractors Association of Regina

presented by John Kirby
Jesse Fuchs, Electrician, Level Two, Regina

Garth Ivey Memorial Scholarship

sponsored by the Saskatchewan Provincial Building and
Construction Trades and presented by Terry Parker
Dean Griffin, Hydraulic Crane Operator, Regina

George Thorpe Scholarship

presented by George Thorpe and Ken Busch
John Thickson, Steamfitter-Pipefitter, Regina

McElree-Davis Award

presented by Wayne McElree and Wendy Davis
Jaime Hayes, Boom Truck Operator 'B', Lloydminster

Mechanical Contractors Association of Saskatchewan

presented by Dave Flamand and Judy Nagus
Ole Anderson, Plumber, Watrous
Jody Keyowski, Plumber, Shellbrook
Travis Keyowski, Plumber, Shellbrook
Devin Furgason, Refrigeration Mechanic, Weyburn
Darin Wilkie, Refrigeration Mechanic, Martensville
Byron Schneider, Sheet Metal Worker, Regina
John Thickson, Steamfitter-Pipefitter, Regina





Scholarships and Awards *continued*

Merit Contractors Association

presented by Harley Friesen

Jon Engel, Carpenter, Regina

Wade Metz, Carpenter, Saskatoon

Saskatchewan Roofing Contractors' Association

presented by Brad Duncan

Trevor Carlson, Roofing, Moose Jaw

Saskatoon Electrical Contractors Association

presented by Dean Cochrane

Robert Rudolph, Electrician, Level One, Saskatoon

Stephen Welch, Electrician, Level One, Saskatoon

Tyler Gilchrist, Electrician, Level Four, Asquith

Brian Olson, Electrician, Level Four, Vanscoy

SED Systems

presented by Sandra Naylor

Connie Gale, Electronics Assembler, Martensville

Jeanette Stringer, Electronics Assembler, Martensville

Young's Equipment and Canada West Equipment Dealers Association

presented by Rick Jakes

Evan Loucks, Agricultural Machinery Technician, Regina

Brent Lang, Agricultural Machinery Technician, Regina





Apprenticeship Overview

- 1944 The first Apprenticeship Act designated 13 trades: Blacksmith, Bricklayer, Carpenter, Electrician, Mason, Plumber, Steamfitter, Painter and Decorator, Plasterer, Sheet Metal Worker, Motor Mechanic, Motor Vehicle Repairer, Watchmaker
- 1945 The Apprenticeship Branch was formed (Department of Labour). 49 contracts were registered
- 1951 The Apprenticeship and Trademen's Qualification program was initiated; Provincial Apprenticeship Board and Trade Advisory Boards established
- 1959 First Red Seal Certificate issued in Canada
- 1964 Red Seal program introduced in Saskatchewan
- 1965 18 designated trades
- 1994 50th Anniversary of apprenticeship in Saskatchewan
37 designated trades; 3,500 apprentices
- 1999 Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission was proclaimed October 1, 1999
46 designated trades; 5,300+ apprentices
- 2002 Tuition fees implemented. 47 designated trades
- 2004 Scaffolder as a new subtrade of the Carpenter trade was recognized. The Meat Cutter trade and Framer subtrade of the Carpenter trade were designated. 50 designated trades
- 2005 Rig Technician trade designated. Barber Stylist and Cosmetologist trades combined into the Hairstylist trade.
- 2006 Province-wide implementation of the Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship (SYA) program





Apprenticeship Facts

July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008

- 9,632 apprentices were registered and received services during the year. Of these, 2,853 were new apprentices.
- 3,797 apprentices attended technical training
- 1,150 journeyperson and proficiency certificates were issued in Saskatchewan
- The Commission Board is an innovative public and private sector partnership. The Board is industry-led. Government, under-represented groups and trainers are also represented on the Commission Board.
- An equal number of employers and employee representatives are appointed to Trade Boards. In 2007-08, the Commission had about 190 trade board members.
- Industry, both provincially and nationally, sets the standard for training and certification in the trades.
- There are 50 designated trades, four require compulsory apprenticeship training - Electrician, Plumber, Refrigeration Mechanic and Sheet Metal Worker.



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