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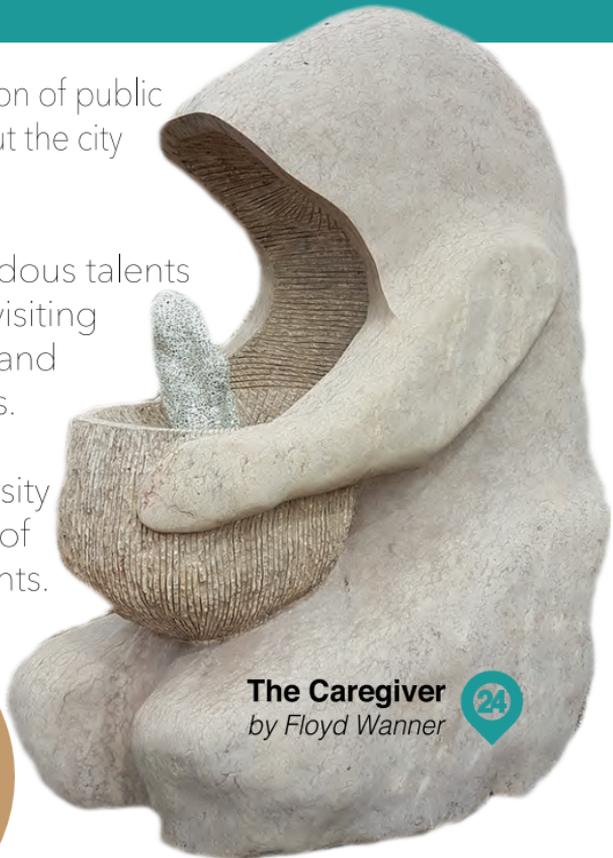
Explore the rich collection of public art on display throughout the city of Yorkton

Discover the tremendous talents of local artists while visiting exhibitions, galleries and performance theatres.

Experience the diversity of our culture at one of many scheduled events.

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The Caregiver
by Floyd Wanner



Godfrey Dean Art Gallery 49 Smith St. E.

Curating, exhibiting and promoting the work of local provincial and national contemporary artists. A new exhibit opens every six to eight weeks. Visit www.deangallery.ca for more information.

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Yorkton Arts Council 49 Smith St. E

Connecting our community to the Arts! The council promotes engagement in the arts through inspiration, education and entertainment. For more information visit www.yorktonarts.ca.

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Yorkton Film Festival 49 Smith St. E

Home to North America's longest running film festival and Golden Sheaf Awards competition. The festival organizers are also dedicated to promotion of short film content through year round screening. Visit www.yorktonfilm.org for more information.

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Land Titles Building

A spectacular heritage building that can accommodate special events and performances.

Summer Snow and Harvest Time

Godfrey Dean Cultural Centre - 49 Smith St. E.

The outdoor ceramic mural was created by resident artist Jerry Didur and a group of local area students.

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The Caregiver by Floyd Wanner

Yorkton Arts Council - 49 Smith St. E.

This fieldstone sculpture pays tribute to the caregivers of our community and their attributes of love, knowledge, nurturing, security and compassion.

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Yorkton Tribal Council

63 King St. E.

A beautiful collection of indigenous art on display. Please contact the office at 306.782.3644 to arrange for a viewing.

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SaskTel Pioneers Park Mural *by Madison Blackstone*

Betts Avenue Park - 21 Betts Ave.

The large colorful mural featuring children at play was created by the artists of the Blackstone Studio.

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Bob Marley Grafitti Mural *by A.J.A. Loudon*

37 Betts Ave.

Amazing street art mural depicts the famous reggae artist Bob Marley.

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Ice Cream *by Madison Blackstone*

YDB Scoops - 37 Broadway St. W.

The murals of children enjoying ice cream delight visitors to YDB Scoops.

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Community Partners Gallery

Yorkton Public Library - 93 Broadway St. W.

This public gallery and creative space is the result of a partnership between the City of Yorkton, the Yorkton Public Library and the Yorkton Arts Council. Visit www.yorktonarts.ca for more information.

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City Centre Park Mural *by Grant McLaughlin*

City Centre Park - Broadway St.

This amazing grand scale mural depicting early life in Yorkton was a piece commissioned as part of a project led by the Renaissance Yorkton Foundation.

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Grassroots *by Linda Keilback*

City Centre Park - 12 Livingstone St.

Located at the site of the original Yorkton Train Station, this plasma-cut metal art piece honours the people who planted roots in our community.

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Anne Portnuff Theatre located within the Yorkton Regional High School can seat over 700 people. Only blocks away is a second full size production theatre located at **Sacred Heart High School**.

Counting Coup *by Lionel Peyachew*

Painted Hand Casino - 510 Broadway St. W.

The 12 foot tall, two piece bronze sculpture that graces the entrance to the Painted Hand Casino, is among the largest of its kind in the province. Counting Coup was a First Nation Warrior game of skill where the winner would mark the horse of the enemy with a handprint.



Fire and Ice *by Grant McLaughlin*

Gallagher Centre - 455 Broadway St. W.

The large sculpture installed on the exterior of the south east corner of the building commemorated the torch relay that passed through Yorkton as part of the 2010 Vancouver Olympics. Fire and Ice reflects the fiery spirits and icy venues of winter sport.



Gallagher Centre Murals *by Gary Sawatzky*

Gallagher Centre - 455 Broadway St. W.

Beautiful panoramic murals depicting the scenery of the surrounding area, including the Ecological Ravine Preserve that is located just west of the Gallagher Centre. The murals are located inside the Access Communications Water Park, and the Gallagher Centre's Flexihall.



Canada 150 Mural Project

Gallagher Centre - 455 Broadway St. W.

Community members were invited to paint individual tiles that complete the mosaic, and serves as a legacy to the local community, and a connection to other communities across Canada. This mural is one of 150 mosaics across the country. The mural is located in the west stairway to the second floor. www.canada150mosaic.com





Reconciliation by *Yorkdale Central School Students*

Yorkdale Central School - 273 Gladstone Ave. S.

Created by a group of grade 8 students, this beautiful work represents the calls for truth and reconciliation. Contact the school office to arrange a viewing.

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Recovery IV by *Michael Gaudet*

Yorkton Regional Health Centre - 270 Bradbrooke Dr.

This mural is located in the corridor of the emergency waiting area. This and other murals found throughout the facility were painted by a Yorkton Regional High School artist in 1989.

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Centennial Mural by *Rita Swanson and students*

Columbia School - 119 Bradbrooke Dr.

The colorful exterior mural was painted in 2005 to commemorate the provincial centennial. The mural contains hidden sheaves of wheat.

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Celebrate Saskatchewan by *Columbia School students and staff*

Columbia School - 119 Bradbrooke Dr.

An intricate mosaic mural completed in 1980 as a celebration of Saskatchewan. Contact the school office to arrange a viewing.



Public Art



Organizations
and Facilities



Galleries and
Exhibitions



Art Retailers

Yorkton Regional High School

150 Gladstone Ave. N.

The foyer of the school proudly houses the works of current and former students. You will also find tucked away within the halls of the school, stunning murals commemorating the 2000 Saskatchewan Summer Games and the opening of the Entayan Centre. Contact the school office to arrange a viewing.

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Railway Station *by Gus Froese*

Western Development Museum - Highway 16A W.

The impressive mural of a typical railway station scene from the early 20th century by the late renowned Saskatchewan artist Gus Froese, who was most well known for his series of murals in the City of Moose Jaw. The mural is located within the Western Development Museum, which is also a very worthwhile attraction. For admission information visit www.wdm.ca/yorkton

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Cathedral Dome *by Stephen Meush*

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Parish - 155 Catherine St.

One of the finest paintings of its kind in North America. The painting covers the entire dome with the central figure and the 157 angels distorted so that they appear to be on a flat plane to the viewer. For more information or to schedule a viewing visit www.saintmarysyorkton.com

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Icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help *by Igor Suhacev*

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Parish - 155 Catherine St.

The painting holds a place of honor inside St. Mary's Parish behind the altar. Visit www.saintmarysyorkton.com for more information or to schedule a viewing

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Brian Marion Mural *by Brian Marion and Dr. Brass Students*

Dr. Brass School - 19 Darlington St. W.

The large colorful mural is proudly displayed on south facing exterior wall of the school. The mural was created by Brian Marion, a nationally acclaimed artist and a group of students from the school. Contact the school office to arrange a viewing.

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Doorways to Opportunity *by Lionel Peyachew*

Shaw Park - 5th Ave. N.

The large weathered steel sculpture takes the form of a scroll and invites visitors to interact with laser cut pictographs representing the past 100 years of Yorkton.

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Yorkton City Hall

37 - 3rd Ave. N.

A collection of stunning artwork is on display on the second floor of City Hall. You will also find a replica of City Hall completely constructed in LEGO. Stop by the lobby kiosk to arrange a viewing.

Events and Festivals

From musical and dramatic performances, national film competitions, dance festivals to pow wow, the diversity of Yorkton's culture shines at a number of events and festivals. Visit www.yorktonevents.com for more information.