

Saskatoon:
Unit 3, 844-51st St. East
Saskatoon, SK S7K 5C7
Tel (306) 975-4725
Toll free (888) 844-8886
Fax (306) 975-4728
vellacott.mp@shawlink.ca



Ottawa:
Suite 610, Justice Bldg.
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6
Tel (613) 992-1899
Fax (613) 992-3085
Vellacott.M@parl.gc.ca
www.mauricevellacott.ca

HOUSE OF COMMONS
CANADA

Maurice Vellacott, MP
Saskatoon-Wanuskewin

Canada Celebrates Saskatchewan initiative helps centennial community centre open its doors

For Immediate Release

June 19, 2006

MARTENSVILLE– The Martensville Centennial Community Centre opened its doors to the public today, as the last finishing touches were completed.

With a contribution of \$107,300 from the Canada Celebrates Saskatchewan Centennial Initiative, the newly constructed multi-purpose facility was outfitted with a full complement of kitchen appliances, tables and chairs, and a stage with divider curtain for drama and dance recitals.

“This new facility provides our community with additional space to host recreational and cultural events,” said Maurice Vellacott, Member of Parliament for Saskatoon-Wanuskewin on behalf of the Honourable Carol Skelton, Minister of National Revenue and Minister of Western Economic Diversification. “The Government commitment to create stronger and healthier communities includes new infrastructure where people can meet, nurture local talent and enjoy leisure activities.”

Canada Celebrates Saskatchewan was a community-based, grassroots initiative designed to commemorate Saskatchewan’s 100th birthday. A province-wide initiative, it enabled communities to undertake capital projects to improve or upgrade civic facilities and create a permanent legacy of the province’s centennial for future generations.

– 30 –

For further comment, contact:

Joanne Mysak
Manager, Communications
Western Economic Diversification Canada
Saskatoon, SK
Tel: (306) 975-5942

WD Toll-Free Number: 1 888 338-WEST (9378) Web Site: WD is online at www.wd-deo.gc.ca.