

You are invited ... to a workshop about rural women and leadership

Bringing together rural and urban women in a dialogue about recognition and support for the leadership of rural women.

**February 7 & 8, 2009, Sacred Heart Parish Hall,
417 Lincoln Street, Davidson, Saskatchewan**

“Title: Leaders for Tomorrow: Rural Women Creating Change”

Agenda (subject to change)

Saturday

10:00 AM **Introductions**

10:30 **Rural Women’s Priorities:** Presentation on RWICS findings from workshops held with rural Saskatchewan women.

11:00 **Activity Highlights:** Sharing by individuals and groups attending the workshop about what they are doing or could do regarding the priorities identified by rural women.

12:00 **Lunch, Viewing Displays of Groups Attending the Event**

1:00 PM **Leadership**

Presentation – What leadership roles are rural women currently fulfilling?
Discussion – What is needed to encourage and support rural women in leadership roles, especially in public life? What can we do as individuals and groups to support rural women in their current leadership roles and encourage them in new roles?

3:00 **Break**

3:15 **Making Their Voices Heard**

Communication methods for getting the accomplishments and views of rural women more widely recognized: media, Internet, Facebook.

5:30 **Supper**

7:00 **Speaker**

Jeanne Martinson, Martrain Corporate and Personal Development,
<http://www.martrain.org/>
"Personal Leadership for Women Making a Difference"

Sunday

8:30 AM **Breakfast**

9:00 **Caring for Ourselves:**

Discussion and relaxation with yoga. What women can do to keep their energies high.

10:00 **Break**

10:15 **Leadership Modules**

Discussion to determine the topics to cover in leadership training for rural women and the best way to get the training to rural women.

11:00 **Looking to the Future**

Creating linkages between rural women and other women working for women in Saskatchewan.

12:00 **Lunch**

1:00 PM **Leave for home**

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