Special "O" Torch Run

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The Saskatchewan Law Enforcement Torch Run, in support of the Special Olympics, is set to take place June 13-17. The run will carry the torch from the site of last year's event, Regina to this year's site, Yorkton.

Regionally, the Torch Run will be held June 14 starting at the town hall in Battleford and finishing at Lloydminster.

Corporal Terry Wozniak, Torch Run chairman for the North Battleford region, said the level of participation and sponsorship has increased yearly with a total provincial pledge last year of just over \$70,000 raised for Special Olympics.

This year there are various fund raising events planned. On Saturday, June 21, sixteen service stations in the Battlefords will be helping to raise funds for this worthy cause. On June 21, one cent of every litre of gas sold will be donated to the Torch Run. The participating stations will display the purple colored Saskatchewan Law Enforcement Torch Run poster. Constable Blaine Landry of the Battlefords Detachment has been instrumental in organizing the service stations.