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UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN  
**AERO DESIGN TEAM**



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## President's Message

Hello Everybody,

Happy Pre Easter. We have a short week followed by a long weekend so I'm feeling quite optimistic about this week. It may be short but we still have lots of things for you all to have a look at this week:

### SESS Council Meeting

The final SESS council meeting of the year will take place next week on Wednesday the 4th at 6:30pm in room 1B71. Council meetings are open to all SESS members so please feel free to attend. If you have anything you would like to add to the agenda, please send them to our council secretary at [council.secretary@sess.usask.ca](mailto:council.secretary@sess.usask.ca) by Sunday, April 1st at 11:59pm.

### Engineering Pong Interdisciplinary Championship

We are having a pong tournament at the Twister Tartan on Thursday to wrap up our shortened week. Tickets are **\$20 for a team of 2** and can be purchased in the SESS office. Doors open at 7:30pm and the tournament will begin at 8:00pm. More info on Page 3.

### SESS Commissioner Applications

Applications for SESS commissioner positions are currently open. If you would like to know more about what positions we have, how best you would be able to help out, or pick up an application form, please stop by the SESS office.

A note before we end this President's Message. This is my final President's Message for the year. Thank you all for your support through my term. I think the SESS has had a very successful year and that would not have been possible without the support of our members, volunteers, and all involved students in the College. Thank you all very much.

One last joke for the road:

Q: What's a pirate's favorite letter?

A: You would think it was R but his heart is with the C.

Robert Ashton  
SESS President  
[president@sess.usask.ca](mailto:president@sess.usask.ca)

# Week at a Glance

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Civil Spring Roll Sale		CHESS Perogie Sale	IEEE Pizza Sale EPIC (Page 3)	

## From the President of the SESS, and the Members of Student Council for the College of Engineering

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Hello students. This message serves to inform you of recent events that have transpired during the USSU elections. We want to be clear that we are not taking a stance on behalf of the SESS or the students in this College, but we believe it is our duty to address these issues by providing the correct information in an unbiased manner.

During the final day of voting in the USSU elections last Thursday, allegations were made against the sole candidate for president: Coden Nikbakht. Since the allegations have not been verified, we will not speak to the details of the allegations. These allegations lead to a Facebook post from the current USSU President, David D'Eon, calling for Coden Nikbakht to withdraw from the elections. This post violated the USSU bylaws as it's considered a conflict of interest for elected USSU officials to directly influence USSU elections. David acknowledged this and has filed a complaint against himself and stated that he will accept any consequences or sanctions imposed against him. The rest of the current USSU executive—Deena Kapacila, Crystal Lau, and Jessica Quan—have supported David's statement which means they have also violated USSU bylaws and also face possible consequences or sanctions. These allegations have been denied by Coden in a statement made to news outlets, and he has asked for patience while he prepares a statement and considers his next steps. Since then, the elections have ended and Coden Nikbakht won the election for presidency. A petition has been made available to remove Coden from the presidency, which will initiate a motion of non-confidence among the USSU Student Council if it gathers signatures from 7.5% of the members of the USSU, which is all students.

The SESS wants to be able to inform students of current affairs and we will endeavor to do so during these proceedings. If you want to know more about any of these events or want to share your thoughts with us please reach out to us and we will do our best to be as supportive, informative, and professional as possible during the coming months.

Thank you,

Robert Ashton, SESS President, [president@sess.usask.ca](mailto:president@sess.usask.ca)

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Want to wrap up the year with great people, good times, and FREE PIZZA?

First year council is hosting "Hide and Seek" and everyone is welcome to come. Yes, this is exactly what it sounds like, free pizza and hide-and-go-seek in the maze that is the Engineering Building! This event will take place on **April 6th, 2018 at 6pm** in the engineering building. We will also be selling pop for a small cost.



We can't wait to see you there!

# Engineering Pong Interdisciplinary Championship



**MARCH 29th**

**@ The Twisted Tartan, 7:30pm**

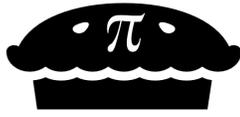
**Team Fees: \$20**

**FREE For Spectators**

**Two Free Drinks for Teams**

▶ **Register in the SESS Office Today!** ◀

**Questions? Email [up.events@sess.usask.ca](mailto:up.events@sess.usask.ca)**



## PiThrow Update!

The numbers for PiThrow have been counted (no, not 3.14159...), and the SESS is please to announce that the event raised over \$1600! All proceeds are going to the Jim Pattison Children’s Hospital Foundation. This foundation raises funds for the enhancement of maternal and children’s healthcare in Saskatchewan and Jim Pattison Children’s Hospital.

Thank you to everyone that helped make PiThrow a huge success, including the SESS charity commissioner, our excellent volunteers, and everyone that ordered a pie. See you next year on 3.14.19!

**When you pass first year and now you have to choose a discipline**

Instagram: @engineering\_memes\_not



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## UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN AERO DESIGN TEAM



Congratulations to our incoming executive & technical leads who were elected last Friday!

- President: Brenae Ottenbreit
- Vice President: Kaitlin McNabb
- Secretary: Rachel Cooper
- Treasurer: Shawn MacNabb
- Technical Director: Kaitlyn Baron
- Airframe Lead: Venky Mahankali
- Electrical Lead: Riley Kinsella
- Surfaces Lead: Kaitlin McNabb
- Shop Foreman: Emily Bradshaw
- Research & Development: Erik Olson
- Sponsorship: Carter Ruzycki
- Marketing: Rachel Cooper



**Thanks for reading!**

If you have any questions or comments about the Eng Info, or would like to submit to the Fo, which is open to all, please contact the editor:

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