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Fun in the Winter Sun Launches UWinnipeg's 40th Anniversary Year

WINNIPEG—The University of Winnipeg will kick off its 40th Anniversary year with *Fun in the Winter Sun* on Friday, January 5, 2007 at The University of Winnipeg. Faculty, staff, students, alumni, friends and neighbours in the community are invited to help kick off a year of exciting activities in honour of UWinnipeg's 40th anniversary.

Fun in the Winter Sun will take place outdoors on Spence Street and in Riddell Hall, 385 Spence Street. Main activities will run from 1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and include snowman building, horse and wagon rides, gingerbread decorating, face painting, balloon art and family entertainment. The University of Winnipeg Students' Association will also be hosting a pancake breakfast and a UWSA ball hockey tournament will run all day in support of the United Way

Everyone is welcome to attend *Fun in the Winter Sun* - UWinnipeg's free event celebrating our 40th anniversary as a University and 136 years of excellence.

Friday, January 5, 2007

Fun in the Winter Sun

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Free UWSA-sponsored Pancake Breakfast in Riddell Hall atrium

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. UWSA Ball Hockey Tournament on Spence Street

Noon - 1:30 p.m. Free ruby slushies in Riddell Hall cafeteria

1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Snowman building and horse and wagon rides, gingerbread decorating, face painting, balloon art, family entertainment featuring PJ Pajamas, Bubbleman, Dave & Louie, free pizza and hot chocolate

University of Winnipeg, 515 Portage Avenue

Located in the heart of downtown, The University of Winnipeg is a compact, diverse, multicultural academic community committed to access and excellence. Home to more than 9,200 full- and part-time students, UWinnipeg has been ranked by our graduates in the Top Ten of all Canadian universities when asked about their "Entire Educational Experience" (Maclean's Graduate Survey, June 2006). The Globe & Mail 2006 Report Card gives The University of Winnipeg an overall 'A' grade in the areas of quality of education, teaching quality, class sizes, faculty-student interaction, and the availability of faculty outside classroom hours. Find out why. Visit www.uwinnipeg.ca

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