



VIRDEN REGIONAL

MULTI-PURPOSE RECREATION FACILITY PROJECT

The Council of the Town of Virден is committed to the “Virден Regional Multi-Purpose Recreation Facility Project”, a proposal that will enrich the recreation options of the local and surrounding communities. Not only will our recreation needs be met by building this facility, but it will make Virден and area, a more desirable community to locate to, bringing prosperity and growth to the region.

The Town of Virден is working together with citizens, community groups, corporations and all levels of government, including our surrounding municipalities, to reach our mutual goals.



History of the Recreation Facilities

The Town of Virден currently operates an arena, built in the 1950’s, and an outdoor pool. Three different service clubs operate individual halls and the Virден Curling Club operates a four sheet curling rink. The arena and curling rink are nearing the practical end of their useful and economical life, while the halls are not adequate in size to meet the needs of the citizens in the area.

Public Consultation

The Town of Virден held a public meeting with approximately 200 citizens in attendance that included facility user group representatives, seniors and youth groups and partnering municipalities. A community needs analysis was prepared following this meeting determining that the community would like to establish a multi-use recreation complex that can provide recreation and social based programming that is currently not available in Virден and area. Following that, a number of meetings were held with the various user groups of the facility and grounds to establish their individual needs.

Proposed Facility

To be located in the Town of Virден, the multi-purpose facility is being designed to accommodate a hockey arena, with a minimum of 1,200 individual seats, and a walking track on the concourse, a 500 seat banquet hall that can be divided into three separate sections for the hosting of smaller meetings and events, with kitchen facilities, a fitness centre, and a four sheet curling club facility with lounge and canteen area. Also included in the common area for administration offices, concessions, lounging space, retails sales space and additional offices.

Budget

The preliminary capital costs for the project are as follows:

Arena	\$11,051,667
MP Area & Banquet Hall	\$ 2,510,289
Curling Rink	\$ 2,188,044
Site Work	\$ 650,000

Levels of Donations

Legacy..... Greater than \$150,000

Platinum \$100,000 to \$149,999

Gold..... \$50,000 to \$99,999

Silver \$10,000 to \$49,999

Bronze \$3,000 to \$9,999

Builder..... \$1,500 to \$2,999

Sustainer..... \$751 to \$1,499

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Dec.1, 2009 ongoing \$750.00

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May 15, 2010Information available soon

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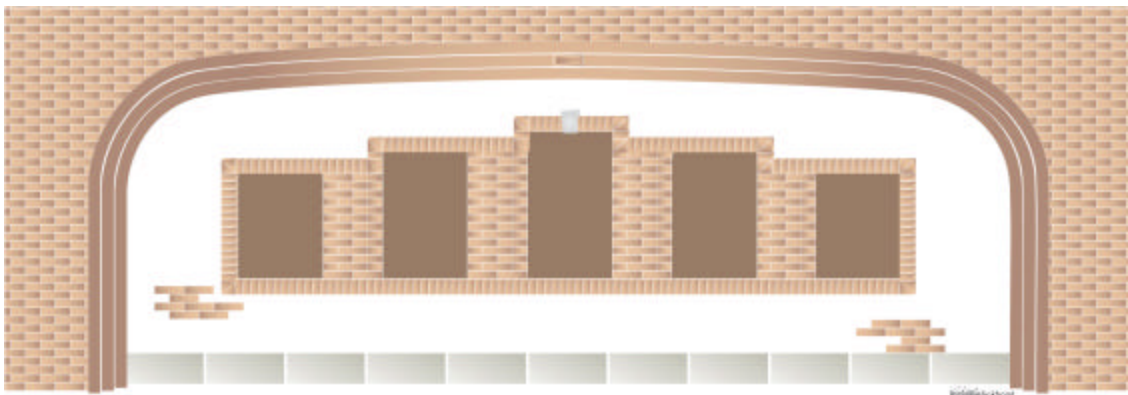
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The Recognition Wall



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Recognition Wall Donation Form

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Name (s) to appear on wall: _____

Phone Number: _____ email address: _____

Donation Amount \$ _____