

Together...a vibrant tomorrow Capital Campaign announces a \$100,000 donation from Smithville Home Hardware and Building Centre.

WEST LINCOLN, <September 18, 2018> - Together...a vibrant tomorrow Capital Campaign announces a \$100,000 donation from Smithville Home Hardware and Building Centre in support of the new community recreation centre.

The new multi-use recreation centre will be a modern, efficient, environmentally conscious facility that is physically accessible and welcoming for all. Situated in the heart of the community at the old fair grounds adjacent to the arena, the site is walkable for many, boasts ample parking and space for potential expansion.

Something for Everyone

Rebuilding in the heart of the community, the new Community Recreation Centre will have something for everyone. Anchored by a state of the art library and a regulation sized arena, the Community Recreation Centre will include:

- A regulation sized single pad ice surface with 450 seating capacity
- 12,500 square foot flagship library
- Walking track
- Multi-purpose gymnasium
- Multi-purpose rooms
- Skateboard park
- Splash pad
- Walking trail
- Designed to accommodate growth

The 52,000 square foot community recreation centre will become a hub of community activity promoting healthy active lifestyles, where people of all ages come together, where families and neighbours can gather and interact for generations to come.

Construction of the new Township of West Lincoln Community Recreation Centre began in the fall of 2017 and is expected to be complete by January 2019.

“Thanks to a generous community the \$1.5 million Together ... a vibrant tomorrow Capital Campaign has surpassed the \$1 million mark. The campaign will wrap up by the end of the year”, says **Chris Freure, Campaign Chair**.

“As the Township of West Lincoln continues to grow the new Community Recreation Centre is a much-needed important facility that will enhance the quality of life for all residents. In response to the community growth the Smithville Home Hardware has recently expanded to include a Home Hardware Building Centre adjacent to the store to better serve our community. Growth is important to communities and we are thrilled to donate \$100,000 to support the construction of the new Community Recreation Centre.”, says **Mike Keizer**.

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