

PAST PROJECTS

A Legacy of Service



ROOTED IN
HISTORY
Driven by Values



BUILT ON
COMMUNITY
Strengthened Together



MOMENTS
THAT MATTER
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A LEGACY
LIVES ON
Inspiring Tomorrow



Rainbow Park Tree Planting

- In 2018, nearly 200 pine trees were planted in Rainbow Park to replace those lost to the mountain pine beetle outbreak. This effort was a collaboration between the three Prince George Rotary clubs, the City of Prince George, and Industrial Forestry Service.



Ancient Forest / Chun T'oh Whudujut



- One of the truly amazing places in BC is the Ancient Forest provincial park which is located 111km east of Prince George on Highway 16
- The Club provided a financial contribution to help build the boardwalk which has taken several years, with future expansion planned.
- It provides access to differently abled individuals and protects the countless number of flora from foot traffic, including 2000 year old trees.

Central Interior Native Health Society



- A nonprofit organization which serves to restore balance through a holistic approach to healthcare that provides physical, spiritual, emotional and cultural harmony within all Aboriginal peoples who reside in Northern BC
- Through Rotary's Community Gaming Grant funds, we were able to contribute \$6,000 towards pre-natal and peri-natal programs as well as committing \$10,000 for 3 years towards shelter rooms and other projects at the Ketso Yoh Centre

Seniors Denture Clinic

- In 2016, funding was provided to support local seniors who are in need of dentures but do not have the financial means to obtain them themselves
- Funds donated were \$2,500 per year, for 2 years, matched by the Sinclair Group
- The portion paid by our Club comes from the Community Gaming Grant funds

A photograph of a bride and groom dancing in a community hall. The bride is wearing a white wedding dress and the groom is in a dark suit. They are holding each other and looking at each other. In the background, other guests are seated at tables, and a large chandelier hangs from the ceiling.

Hart Community Centre

- The Hart Community Centre has been a staple north of the City for 35 years, providing a venue for weddings, school celebrations, holiday functions and funerals
- Its a not-for-profit organization, run mainly by volunteers
- A fews back, the Hart Community Centre needed a new roof which it did not have the necessary funds or financing to accomplish it on their own
- \$7,000 was given by our Club towards replacing of the hall's roof

PG Town Proud Campaign

- In 2014 our Club donated \$22,000 for both the production and installation of bike racks in downtown Prince George not only to protect trees but to better economic growth by making downtown more accessible
- Also a \$4,000 donation was made for “Town Proud” banners to be raised in the downtown area



2015 Canada Winter Games

- Paid for by the Community Gaming Grant funds via our Rotary Club
 - Shelter for equipment at outdoor ice rink near CN Centre
 - \$20,000 donated for Otway XC ski trails site improvements
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- \$3,500 for Otway play area equipment
 - Rotary Tri-Club volunteers helped set up and take down bunk beds in local hotels for athletes and their trainers



ROTARY CLUB
OF
PRINCE GEORGE

Rotary Disc Golf Course

Disc Golf is just like golf, only with a disc rather than a ball. One point is counted each time the disc is thrown. The lowest score wins!

Begin at the first tee box. Do not throw until the players in front of you are out of range.

Mark where your disc lands by either turning the disc over or use another disc, now throw again.

The player that lands the farthest away from the basket always throws first.

The player with the least amount of throws on the previous hole is the first to tee off on the next throw.

Discs landing in floral displays are out of bounds. The next throw must be made outside of the floral display.

Fairway throws must be made with the foot closest to the hole on the lie. The other foot may be no closer to the hole than the lie. A run-up and normal follow-through, after release, is allowed.

You are successful at each hole when your disc is in the basket.

PARK USERS HAVE THE RIGHT OF WAY! Do not throw if there is a chance of an errant disc hitting anyone. Wait until all is clear or send out a spotter.

Do not stomp on bushes, trees or floral displays.

Use trash receptacles.

Leave your dog at home. Rainbow Park is a "No Dog Park".

To learn more about Disc Golf visit:
www.bcdss.com

- Our Club raised funds to install the Disc Golf Course at Rainbow Park

Cutbanks Shelter

- Constructed in 2013, a metal shelter was built at the foot of the cutbacks on Pulpmill Road which hikers use as a basecamp before and after ascending the steep trail
- The purpose of the shelter is for hikers to store their food and drinks in cubby holes while supplying a bench to change shoes and provide rest after the strenuous climb
- It also provides safety, as hikers no longer need to park along the shoulder of the busy road



Railway Museum

- In 2015, our Club made a donation of \$10,000 for display covers



Kordyban Lodge Wigs



- The Canadian Cancer Society Kordyban Cancer Lodge opened in 2011 and provides residential accommodation for out-of-town patients
- Sixteen Rotary Clubs in Northern BC came together and donated \$100,000 towards the Lodge's 'Hair salon and wig bank' for cancer patients who had lost their hair due to chemotherapy

Zamboni Garage at Kin Centre

- Built in 2010, the PG Rotary Club donated \$5,000 of the the \$11,000 cost of construction
- 10 volunteers helped with preparing the ground and getting the concrete foundation poured





Ness Lake Bible Camp

- NLBC offers bush camping to glamping to all ages with many amenities to enjoy
- In 2008, our Club purchased a boat for student summer camp use

Regional Art Gallery Association

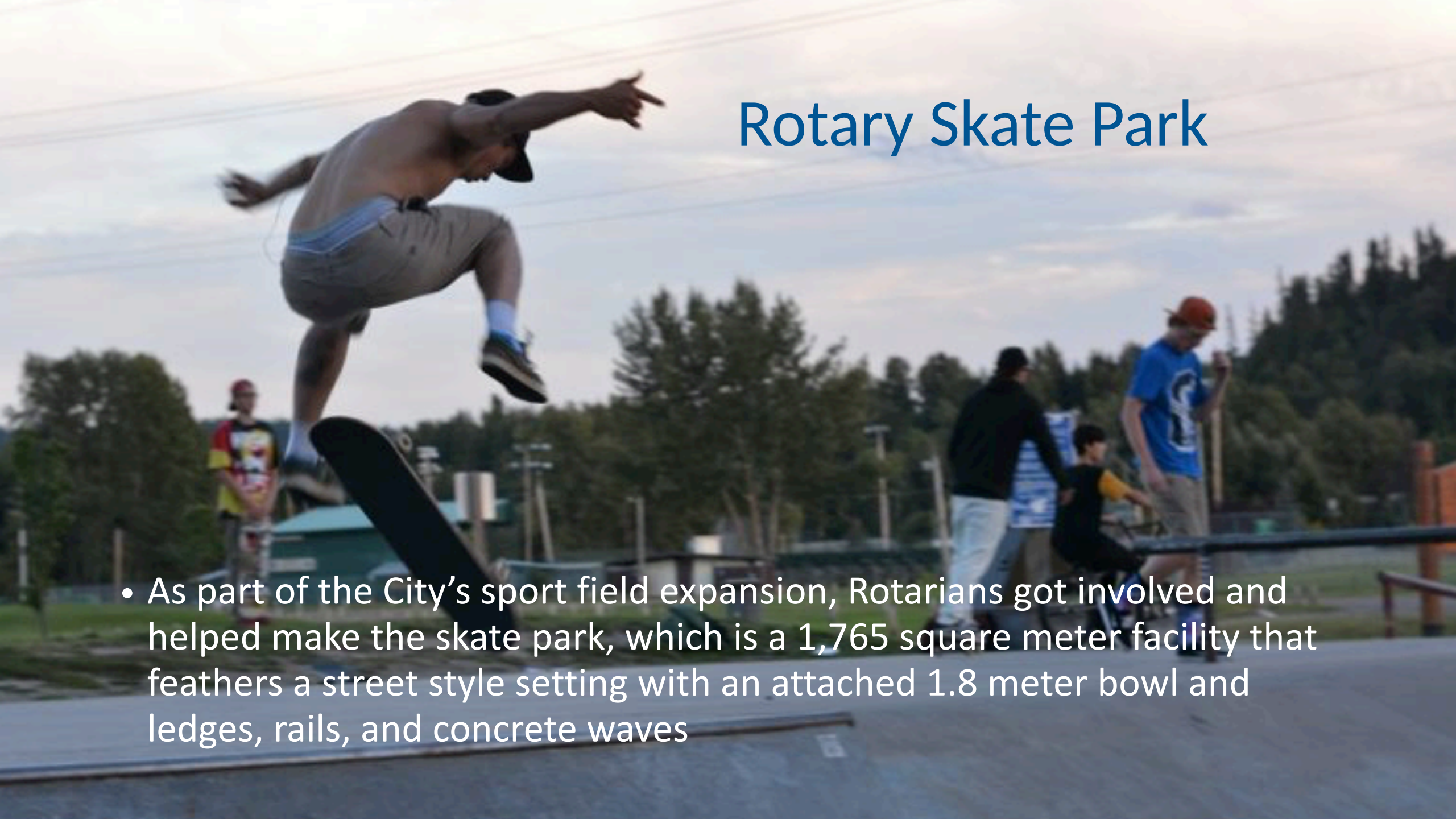
- Two Rivers Art Gallery is a centre for contemporary Canadian art and creativity for Prince George and the central interior
- It offers several programs for youth, some of which we have supported using our 2008 Community Gaming Grant funds:
 - \$1,232 donated to Robots for Kids program at the Maker's Lab
 - \$5,000 donated for 3D printers in the Maker's Lab



UNBC Pergola

- Our Club assisted in the funding of the construction of the UNBC Pergola in 2007
- It now makes up part of the seasonal gardens and we hope it'll become part of the proposed David Douglas Botanical Gardens

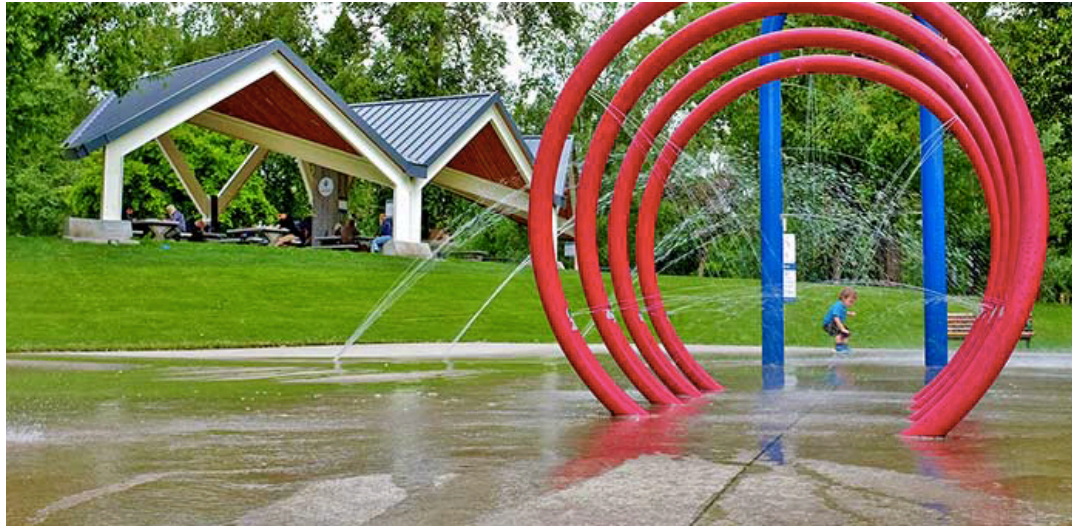


A photograph of a skateboarder in mid-air, performing a trick. The skateboarder is shirtless, wearing a black cap, grey shorts, and sneakers. He is pointing his right hand towards the camera. The background shows a skate park with other people, trees, and a cloudy sky. The title "Rotary Skate Park" is overlaid in blue text in the upper right corner.

Rotary Skate Park

- As part of the City's sport field expansion, Rotarians got involved and helped make the skate park, which is a 1,765 square meter facility that features a street style setting with an attached 1.8 meter bowl and ledges, rails, and concrete waves

Lheidli T'enneh Spray Park and Playground



Rotary Soccer Fields



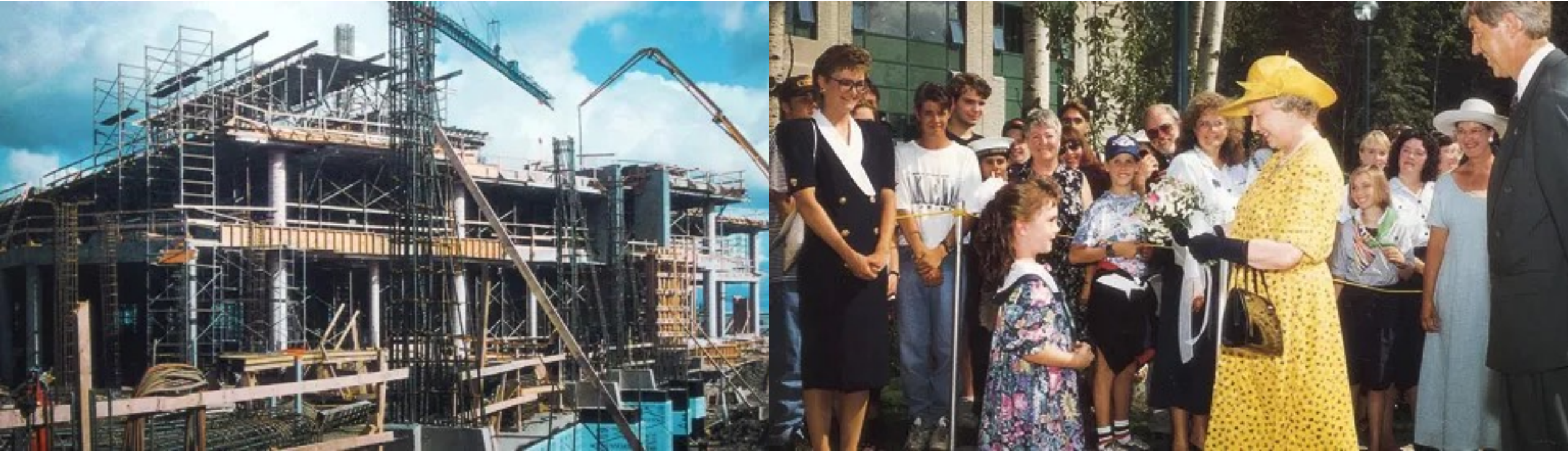
- Built in the late 1990's on city-owned lands as a Tri-Club project, the Rotary Soccer Fields is one of the most iconic and central sports facilities in Prince George

Rotary Hospice House Opens

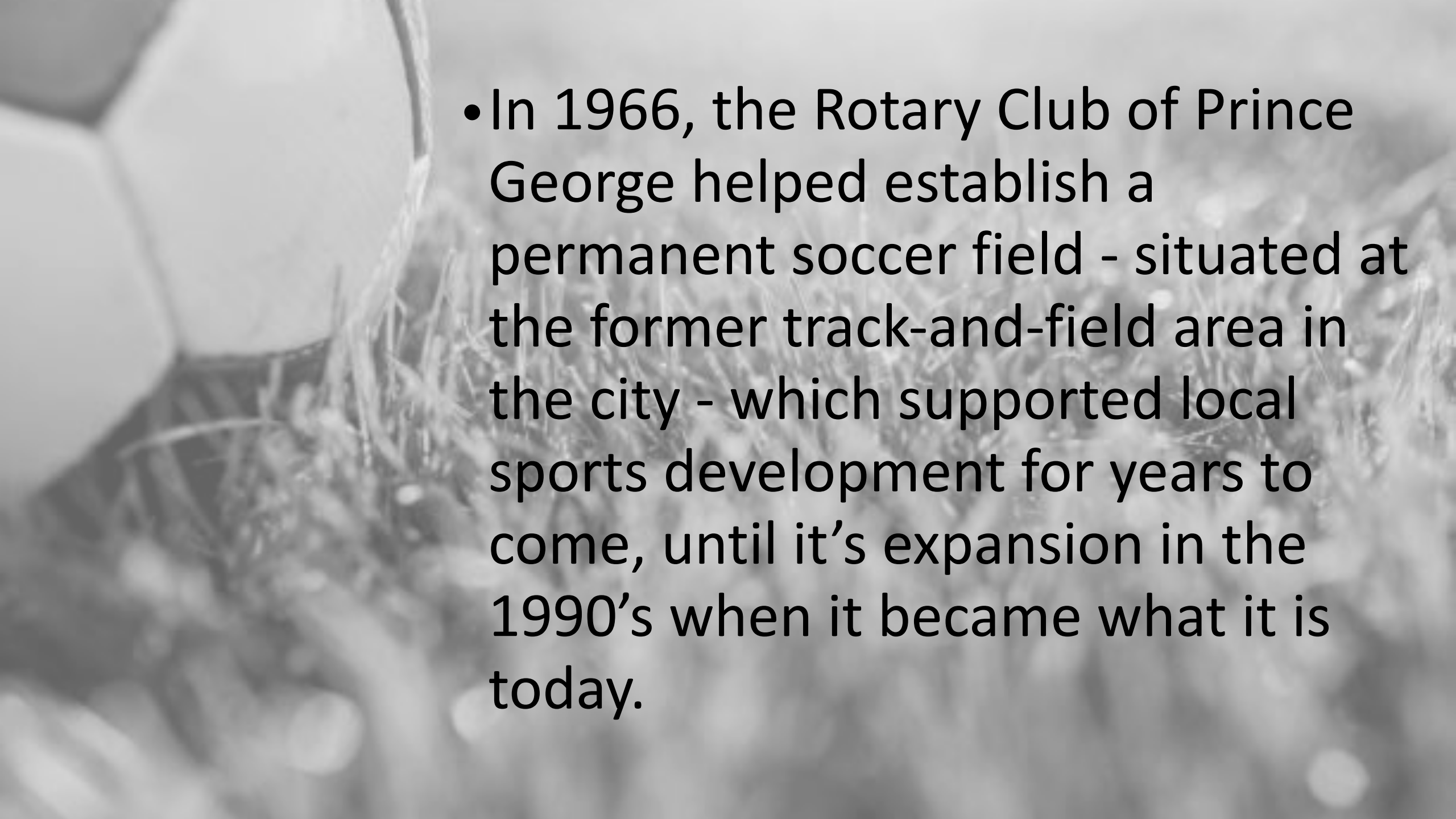


- This private palliative care facility - first of its kind - opened in May of 1995, offering dignified support for those nearing end-of-life. The house initially featured multiple suites and later expanded in 2009 to include 10 rooms. \$25,000 was donated by our Rotary Club in 2019 toward renovations.

UNBC Officially Opens



- In 1993, ahead of the inaugural year, the PG Downtown and Yellowhead Rotary Clubs contributed \$50,000 each in the creation of a \$1,000,000 bursary endowment fund that pays out in excess of \$25,000 annually, providing many students in financial need assistance with their education.

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- In 1966, the Rotary Club of Prince George helped establish a permanent soccer field - situated at the former track-and-field area in the city - which supported local sports development for years to come, until it's expansion in the 1990's when it became what it is today.



- On May 8th, 1960, the iconic Mr. PG mascot was introduced at a 3-day International Rotary event held here in Prince George, symbolizing the city's spirit and community pride to more than 600 delegates.

"P.G.," A 10-FOOT HIGH wooden man being built by the Rotary Club for the three-day convention opening here Sunday, is nearing completion. When finished, the man, to be used by local Rotarians as a mascot, will weigh in at up to 1,500 pounds. He'll stand outside registration headquarters in the Simon Fraser Hotel to welcome the 600 delegates expected to Rotary's District 524



JUST A REMINDER-

**CHRISTMAS SEALS
FIGHT
TUBERCULOSIS**

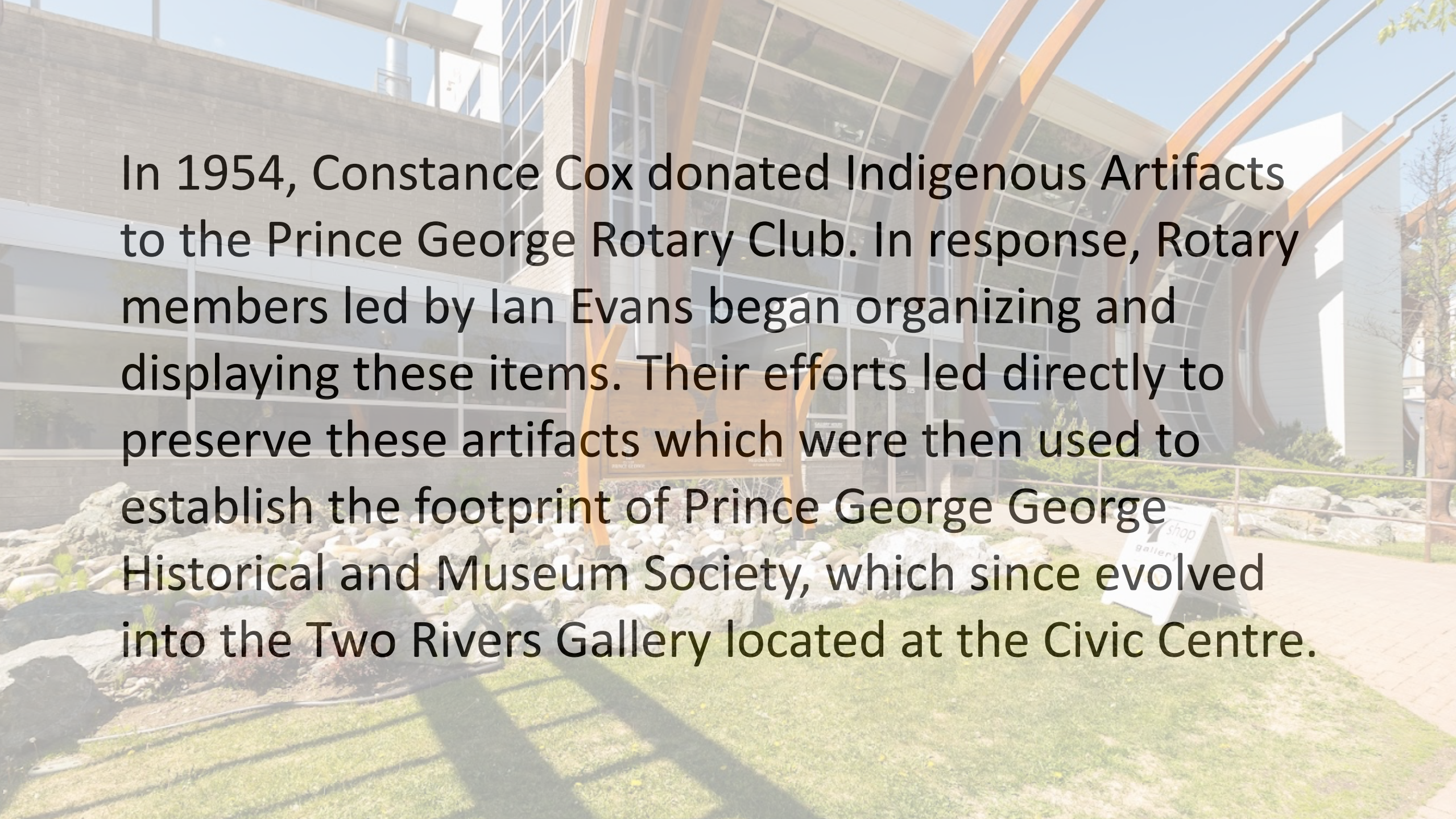
HAVE YOU PUT YOURS TO WORK?

Your contribution will be welcome at:

**CHRISTMAS SEAL COMMITTEE
Rotary Club
Prince George, B.C.**

IF YOU'VE ALREADY MAILED YOUR GIFT—WE THANK YOU VERY MUCH





In 1954, Constance Cox donated Indigenous Artifacts to the Prince George Rotary Club. In response, Rotary members led by Ian Evans began organizing and displaying these items. Their efforts led directly to preserve these artifacts which were then used to establish the footprint of Prince George Historical and Museum Society, which since evolved into the Two Rivers Gallery located at the Civic Centre.



Cannought Hill Park

- Caine Drive, the road that winds up and around Cannought Hill Park was named after Martin Caine, who was a lumberman as well as a dedicated Rotarian
- He moved to Prince George in 1919 after leaving the Klondike
- He oversaw construction of the road and the hilltop park in 1950-1951

Vancouver Street Elm Tree Project

- in 1949, under the leadership of Martin Caine, Rotarians got together to plant trees along the west side of Vancouver Street
- It is thought that this was a symbol of life after so much hardship and loss overseas
- Both American Elm and Mountain Ash trees were planted and exist to this day

