

Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre Project

A VIBRANT SOCIAL HEART OF OUR COMMUNITY

PROJECT UPDATE SEPTEMBER 2024

Executive Summary

The new Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre Project and Silver Harbour Seniors' Activity Centre (HJCRC/SH) continue to be the largest investment in community recreation in the City. When completed, it will provide more than 18,580 sq.m. of inclusive and accessible community space to support the health and wellbeing of our community. Construction is currently focused on structural steel, mass timber elements, steel deck, masonry, mechanical and electrical work.

Highlight – Inclusivity

In alignment with Council's vision for the City of North Vancouver to become the Healthiest Small City in the World, the new Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre will provide the space to foster strong social connections for the residents of North Vancouver. The Centre will embrace diversity and support positive individual and shared experiences with the aim of enabling all residents to feel welcome and connected.

Access to a variety of spaces and experiences will actively support physical, mental, and social wellness and positively impact personal growth and wellbeing, connections to others and enhance family cohesion. The centre will offer a wide variety of accessible programs and services and reduce barriers for community members through:

- Fostering community building by offering free and low cost opportunities
- Providing adaptive and varied programming and equipment to meet different needs
- Proactively understanding and addressing barriers to participation
- Assisting community members with financial barriers
- Creating welcoming experiences for all



Architectural (by hcma) rendering of Atrium in new Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre

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August & September Updates

- Structural concrete complete
- Large mechanical equipment installations underway
- Installation of mass timber underway
- Retention tank, storm sewer and sanitary sewer installation at south end of site complete
- Concrete masonry unit (CMU) installation underway
- Structural steel work continues into the Fall
- Lonsdale Energy Corporation work - first phase completed



Prepping for install of icing infrastructure in Arena



Construction of the Aquatics Centre

OCTOBER UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- Steel work to continue
- Roofing to commence
- Masonry work to continue



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