

**City Financial Committee** 

Presentation by

**Barrie Sports Hall of Fame** 

October 9th 2024

## **About the Hall**

- Formed in 1984 by a group of City residence, Councillors, Director of Parks and Recreation and the Mayor
- Located at the Allandale Recreation Centre
- Recognize the contributions of Men and Women in the community who have contributed to the well being of sport and recreation and have represented Barrie in a exemplary manner
- Factors that the Hall represents
  - Art all paintings are original by local artists
  - Heritage all inductees represent their sport contributions in various generations
  - Culture all inductees have contributed to the make up of Barrie over time and demonstrated key times in the growth and culture of the community
  - Sport Inductees have represented Barrie sport locally, provincially, nationally and internationally

#### Accomplishments this past year

- Formed a new site committee to meet the demands of space
- Visited, researched and talked to over 20 Sports Halls
- Re established liaison with Council, Mayor, Director of Recreation and Culture
- Councillor Morales and Director Dan Bell now sitting on our committees
- Registered as a Charitable Foundation as of July 2024
- Approved to have satellite sites at Peggy Hill and East Bayfield formal agreement pending
- Met with Historical and Cultural Committees
- Increased social media presence
- Member of Tourism Barrie. Installed a Hall section on Tourism Barrie kiosks
- Revamped web site and social media sites on Facebook and Instagram
- Involvement with TBTB Displays at Bobby Rosenthal film festival, Kempenfest, Barnburner, Probus and Rotary Clubs, Kinsman, 3 Open Air Dunlop events, rededication Bobby Rosenthal plaque, flag raising
- Reduced size of paintings as of Oct 2024 to help address space issue
- Had recent Olympic display at City Hall
- Flag raising ceremony for Bobby Rosenthal week at City Hall
- Formed 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary fund raising dinner committee for Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 2025
- Raised \$5000 for new site projects and \$2500 for operations at Barnburner

## Challenges

- Growing out of space at Allandale
- Having difficulty surviving for operational needs
- Difficulty finding sponsors to offset our annual operational needs (\$30,000 per year)
- Attracting new Board members with business acremen
- Finding a new home to display artifacts and paintings (5000 sq feet)
- Expanding our community social awareness program
- Expanding our Community presence
- Getting buy in from the sport community

REVENUE			
(Jan 1)	2023 Actual	2024 Budget	
Donations	16020	2500	
Sponsorships	6550	17000	
	57		
Student Donation	5000	0	
Grants	0	0	
Membership sales	475	300	
TOTAL REVENUE	28620	29800	

EXPENSES		2023 Budget	2023 Actual	2024 Budget
Induction Ceremony		11000	10796	12000
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Memberships		500		500
Audit		1000		*1000
Legal		1000		*1000
Insurance		0	0	*1000
Summer Student		7500	6678	6000
Signage		750	757	*1000
Office /admin		480	508	700
Survey Monkey		420	461	
Website		2500	112	5000
Event expense			482	2500
Display Cabinets		0	0	*7600
<b>Total Expenses</b>		30150	19794	38300
				* New items

# **Capital Budget**

## Revenue

Item	2023	2024
New site seed money Barnburner	\$2500 \$5000	0 \$5000
Total	\$7500	\$5000

## What we are seeking

- To be recognized and treated the same as the cultural, arts and performing arts are
- A continued flow of operational cost each year to allow us to survive (\$30,000) plus inflation per the government guidelines each year
- Our new charitable status creates additional costs (legal. Audit. financial, Insurance)
- The City to put this in their annual budget from this point on
- A continued positive relationship with a member of council and Parks and Culture on our Board and New site Committee
- To include Hall needs in the Sadlon Centre or Allandale renovations budget to allow for 5000 sq feet of space
- Allow for opportunities for the Hall to apply for grants for special projects such as summer students (criteria is not conducive to our status)
- Fund the outside signage at Allandale and / or the renovated Sadlon Centre (\$3500)
- Continue the insurance coverage for Allandale and the satellite sites)

- Access to meeting rooms free of charge
- Access to City IT network and equipment to have website access to the community in all public spaces, community centres, stand alone halls, City Hall
- Raise the exposure of the Hall by working with various departments of the City such as Economic development (Culture, Heritage, Arts, Tourism, Recreation, Sport tourism)
- Equitable representation as Arts/Culture get in terms of funding and staffing (MacLaren Centre)
- Change in Sport Grant Criteria, to include organizations such as ours that aren't directly involved in the delivery of active programs. Similarly we do not qualify for the Tourism Barrie Sport Grants that are geared to events bringing people to our city and booking hotels. (MAT)- In some sense we do and could
- Funding for summer student research (Hall does not have capacity or mandate to hire staff, without an appreciable increase to operational funding (CPP, Vactaion pay, training, office space)
- Access to Mat funding (fixed percentage)
- Access to City facility rental fees (fixed percentage of each sport rental facility -ice, fields)