

Millennium Challenge Grants

Matching Dollars from Anonymous Donor - \$150,000

2001 Grants

ADHOC Ball Diamond Development Committee /City of Portage	Towards development of a tournament quality main ball diamond and redevelopment of existing diamond into a second tournament quality diamond. First of Two Installments	\$5,000
Ecole Prince Charles School	Towards purchase of new playground equipment for school yard	\$5,000
Herman Prior Senior Centre	Large industrial mixer for the kitchen to assist with preparing large quantities of food for the senior lunch program and other catered events	\$3,700
Koko Platz Recreation Club	Towards renovations to the club house to make it usable year round	\$5,000
Lions Prairie Manor	Towards renovations to the existing activities/recreation room	\$5,000
MDC Residents Benefit Fund	Toward purchase of a new handi-van to provide enhanced service to its aging and less mobile population	\$5,000
MS Society Central Plains Chapter	To buy office equipment for the new office	\$1,000
North Memorial School	To acquire "Success Maker" a multi- grade computer software program and 5 computers	\$3,600
People First	To purchase a TV and VCR for viewing educational videos dealing with mentally challenged subjects	\$1,000
Portage Senior Slo-Pitch	To assist with purchasing materials for the relocated seniors' soft-ball diamond	\$4,000
Portage Services for Seniors	Towards renovations to the new larger office space that services a very large senior population	\$3,000
Portage Tennis Club	Toward cost of excavating, improving drainage and paving the four tennis courts at Island Park First Installment	\$2,500
Young Parents Resource Centre	To purchase Power Point Equipment that will assist in the Presentation of their Sexuality Education and Awareness program	\$4,959
Total		\$48,759.00

2002 Grants

Adhoc Ball Diamond Committee	Toward new tournament diamonds Second Installment	\$5,000
Arthur Meighen High School	Towards mentorship program for At-Risk Students	\$2,345
Assiniboine Seniors Club	Towards purchase of furnace	\$1,400
Association for Community Living	Identification system for vulnerable persons	\$4,000
Crescentview School	Toward establishing a home reading program for all students in Early Years	\$3,000
Delta Field Station –University of Manitoba	Towards construction of new guest resident	\$5,000
Fire Department/City of Portage	Toward purchase of thermal image camera that allows firefighters to see in smoke and darkness	\$5,000
North Memorial School	To purchase materials for Literacy Centers for Grades 4 to 6	\$3,390

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Portage Tennis Club	Toward improving the tennis courts at Island Park Final installment of two	\$2,500
Portage Track and Field Committee	Resurfacing track at Yellowquill School	\$3,000
Portage Women's Shelter	Comfort blankets for the children	\$2,400
Portage Sports and Culture Association	Toward the purchase of a new computerized bingo machine	\$4,000
Southport Portage Piranha Swim Club	Laptop computer for tracking swimmers progress	\$2,819
Total		\$43,854
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Alzheimer Society	Educational videotapes for the lending library	\$517
Friends of Poplar Point Rink	Toward renovations to the heritage rink	\$10,000
Herman Prior Red Cross Loan Centre	Extra wide wheelchair and walker for seniors	\$1,021
Kozy Korner	Hall renovations – repairs and painting	\$1,000
Leaders Today/Kids Free the Children	Leadership training sessions at AMHS	\$1,000
Manitoba Society of Seniors	Construct two dugouts for ball diamond and purchase new tennis court nets	\$2,100
North Memorial School	Materials for Science and Health Stations	\$2,800
Oakville Community Club and Skating Rink	Towards installing artificial ice	\$7,449
Portage & Area Beautification Initiative Inc.	Making the entrances to the city attractive - planting of trees and shrubs	\$20,000
Portage Collegiate Institute	Towards equipment for archival course	\$1,000
Portage Neighbourhood Connections/Portage School Division	Towards lunch program for students in need at North Memorial School	\$2,500
Student Services/Portage School Division	Resources for non-verbal students	\$3,000
Youth for Christ	Towards construction of Youth Recreation and Family Centre	\$5,000
Total		\$57,387