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BGC Battlefords Receives \$10,000 Donation from the Access Communications Children's Fund



North Battleford, SK – BGC Battlefords (Battlefords Boys and Girls Club Inc.) is proud to announce that it has received a \$10,000 donation from the Access Communications Children's Fund (ACCF).

Nicole Combres, Executive Director at BGC Battlefords notes that "Together, we can lower barriers for children and youth to flourish in our communities. Thank you, Access Communications Children's Fund, for supporting our mission to provide safe, supportive places where children and youth can experience new opportunities, overcome barriers, build positive relationships, and develop confidence and skills for life. Opportunity Changes Everything."

Funding from ACCF will contribute to program materials and supplies for BGC Battlefords' free Drop-in Program, which welcomes children and youth ages 5 to 14, 6 days per week throughout the school year.

"The Access Communications Children's Fund is driven by the mandate that every child deserves a chance," said Carmela Haines, President and CEO of Access. "This donation supports that mandate giving children the chance to grow and thrive where they live."

Access Communications Co-operative (Access) is a 100 % Saskatchewan-owned, not-for-profit co-operative that began serving customers in 1978. It is now one of the province's largest telecommunication companies. Access services over 230 communities and almost 200,000 sq. kms of rural Saskatchewan.

The ACCF is the registered charity for Access. The main source of funding comes from player cards purchased for Access Communications Children's Fund TV Bingo, which airs Saturdays at 5 p.m. on all AccessNow TV Community Channels and the AccessNow TV app. You can find out more about the ACCF by visiting: <https://www.myaccess.ca/childrens-fund>

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