



**FORT
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FOUNDATION**
Tom Thumb Mini Golf

TOM THUMB MINI GOLF

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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Registration No. 10739 4058 RR0001



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ABOUT FORT EDMONTON FOUNDATION

DID YOU KNOW?

- Fort Edmonton Foundation was created by Rotary volunteers in 1969.
- Fort Edmonton Foundation CARES is an initiative that focuses on expanding the accessibility of Fort Edmonton Park children, youth, schools, community groups experiencing social, economic, or geographic barriers made possible with our partners at FEMCo.
- The train station was built in 1984 resembling a typical prairie railway station of the 1920's including stucco and bellcast hip roof.
- The steam engine and tender weigh almost 86 tons and are capable of pulling 1,100 tons.
- Locomotive 107 arrived at Fort Edmonton Park in 1977. Refurbishments were completed by 1978 and the first passengers boarded the train in May of that year.

The Fort Edmonton Foundation is an Edmonton charity founded in 1969 by Rotarians, business leaders, and passionate community members. The goal was to help preserve the history of Edmonton by rebuilding the original Fort Edmonton and creating a living history museum in the river valley.

For over fifty years, the Foundation has enabled Fort Edmonton Park to be built and expanded to encompass the fur trade era, 1885 Street, 1905 Street, and 1920 Street. Most recently, Fort Edmonton Park underwent a three-year enhancement project with funding from all levels of government and the Fort Edmonton Foundation. The Park reopened to the public in July of 2021 with the new Indigenous Peoples Experience, Front Entry Plaza and Guest Services Area, expanded 1920's-style Midway, and many other enhancements.

The Fort Edmonton Foundation is proud to have created the Fort Edmonton Foundation CARES (Creating Accessible Responsive Education for Sharing) initiative expanding accessibility of Fort Edmonton Park to all children, youth, schools, community groups, First Nations, Metis and other culturally diverse communities including those that may be experiencing social, economic, or geographic barriers.

Working in partnership with the City of Edmonton, the Foundation continues to celebrate our region's vivid, diverse history by fundraising to develop new projects and initiatives at Fort Edmonton Park. We work to ensure that the story of Edmonton's past is preserved for future generations.

Fort Edmonton Park has undergone an incredible transformation over the past several years, but our work is far from complete. Together, we are committed to revitalizing the historic Train Station and continuing our investment in restoring and preserving Locomotive 107. These projects reflect our dedication to preserving Fort Edmonton Park's rich history while celebrating the enduring legacy of Alberta's railway heritage for generations to come.

ABOUT TOM THUMB MINIATURE GOLF COURSE

C.B Webb opened Edmonton's first Tom Thumb Miniature Golf Course on August 7, 1930, on a vacant lot in Jasper Avenue between 107 and 108 Street. There was an ample supply of vacant lots in Edmonton due to the economic turndown of the era.

Within two months, there were five courses in operation throughout the city, two of them indoors. This course is a nine-hole representation of the standard eighteen-hole variety. Beginning in the United States in 1926, miniature golf saw its most successful venture from Garnet and Frieda Carter's Tom Thumb Miniature Course, built at their Fairyland Inn Resort in Tennessee. The Carters sold franchises all over North America, and vacant lots everywhere became potential gold mines for enterprising operators with a modest investment.

The Tom Thumb Miniature Golf Course first opened at Fort Edmonton Park in 1996, thanks to the support of generous donors, specifically Edmonton Northlands. Many visitors have enjoyed the course since then, with a great amount saying it was one of their favourite parts of the Fort Edmonton Park experience.

With the overwhelming amount of love and attention the course received over the years, it fell into a state of disrepair. The Fort Edmonton Foundation set out on this new project, and worked tirelessly to get Tom Thumb back to its original shape. After removing all of the old broken elements and replacing them with new ones, including new turf, paint, and woodwork, we have completed the stunning Tom Thumb Miniature Golf Course visitors can see today.

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**All partnerships are based on 5 year period*

PRESENTING PARTNER

\$150,000

1 AVAILABLE

- Prominent logo/name recognition at Tom Thumb Mini Golf
- Prominent logo/name recognition on the website and Fort Edmonton Foundation social media posts
- Opportunity to activate on course/host an on-course activity
- Customizable opportunities for sponsor
- Corporate rates
- Golf balls
- Score cards

HOLE PARTNER

\$25,000

8 AVAILABLE

- Prominent logo/name recognition at Tom Thumb Mini Golf holes
- Opportunity to activate on course/host an on-course activity
- Customizable opportunities for sponsor
- Corporate rates
- Score cards

Custom partnership and in-kind opportunities are available upon request.



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PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

Name: _____ Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

☐ **Yes, I would like to become a Tom Thumb Miniature Golf Partner in support of the Fort Edmonton Foundation.**

PLEASE INDICATE PARTNERSHIP LEVEL

All partnership opportunities are for a 10-year term.

☐ Presenting Partner \$150,000 ☐ Hole Partner \$25,000

METHOD OF PAYMENT

You will be invoiced directly and can choose from the following options:

- ☐ **Visa or Mastercard** – securely processed via Stripe
- ☐ **Cheque** – payable to *Fort Edmonton Foundation*

CUSTOM PLAQUE WORDING

- Please provide below the dedication wording you would like on the plaque.

Main Name (*maximum 46 characters including spaces*):

PARTNERS TO PROVIDE

- Partnership contribution payable upon acceptance of partnership agreement.
- Please email this completed form to events@supportfortedmonton.com

Having examined and read the documents for this agreement as issued by the Fort Edmonton Foundation, I so hereby agree to provide the sponsorship in accordance with these documents and do hereby agree to accept the terms and conditions of this agreement.

Agreed to on this _____ day of _____, 2026.

Signature of authorized representative: _____ Print name: _____

Fort Edmonton Foundation Charitable Registration No. 10739 4058 RR0001

All naming opportunities must align with the values of Fort Edmonton Park, the Fort Edmonton Foundation, and the City of Edmonton and support historical integrity and maintain public trust. Please note that naming opportunities require approval from both the Executive Director of the Fort Edmonton Foundation and the Director of Fort Edmonton Park.

Please scan and email completed form to events@supportfortedmonton.com.