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TELUS COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS SPONSORS \$5,000 IN SUPPORT OF BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

Red Deer, AB – TELUS recently presented a cheque to the Boys and Girls Club of Red Deer in the amount of \$5,000. This was made possible by TELUS team members and retirees through the TELUS Payday Lottery Committee donation/sponsorship fund. These funds will be used to enhance security at the North Hill Club and in support of the Keystone rural Youth Leadership program.

“TELUS is a company that measures success through profitable returns and through the contributions of our people, resources, technology and expertise that help make our communities better places to live. We have the ability and responsibility to influence the quality of life in our communities and encourage others to become community leaders.” States Gail Ovelson, TELUS Payday Lottery Committee.

“Thank you to our incredible friends at TELUS for your contribution in support of the Boys and Girls Club. The investment of TELUS in bettering the communities we live impacts so many and speaks volumes of their role as a leading corporate citizen” states Rob Lewis, Executive Director, Youth HQ.

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About Boys & Girls Club of Red Deer and District

Boys and Girls Club provides fun after school and out-of-school programs and activities to give young people the opportunities to develop their potential and achieve their dreams. As youth develop positive, healthy relationships with peers, role models and family members, they can become the best versions of themselves and develop into the leaders of tomorrow. Boys and Girls Club of Red Deer & District was started in 1983, and currently serves over 900 youth in 12 communities around central Alberta.

About Youth HQ

Youth HQ empowers youth by fostering a community of support. Our network seeks to instill young people with confidence in their unique identities and abilities, providing them with skills for life through knowledge, healthy relationships, and quality experiences while providing safe environments to learn and grow. Youth HQ coordinates programming for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Red Deer & District and Boys & Girls Club of Red Deer & District, offering numerous programs and services that support children, youth and families.

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