

SYL APPS COMMUNITY CENTRE - A NEW BEGINNING

A good friend once told me to stay focused on your vision and know what it is you want. Belief precedes behaviour precedes experience precedes life. Great advice and the reason for this latest story.

Having a vision about something is really about putting yourself out there for everyone to see. The challenge is that when you do this, you are also allowing others to form an opinion about how they think things should look. Your focus has to stay on your vision and not allow any obstacle to stop you from creating what it is you want.

4SSRH – Four Season Sports Roller Hockey is one of my visions and the birthplace of the CRHL – Canning Roller Hockey League. The desire is to continue to promote the sport of roller hockey and create the opportunity to have a facility to play this sport along with many others all year round.

In fall of 2010 Syl Apps Community Center becomes the vision for our home in the winter as the arena will become vacant with the new Twin Pad Arena being the new home for Ice Hockey in Brant County. Currently no decisions have been made as to what will become of the Syl Apps Community Center. I see a facility that houses roller hockey, indoor soccer, ball hockey, lacrosse, basketball, volleyball and many other sports that may be looking for a home in the fall and winter months.

These sports are best played on Sport Court flooring that is designed to withstand the heavy traffic and harsh environment of multiple sports being played. Roller Hockey is the sport I love to play and teach but it is only one of many that can be played on a sport court surface.

Those that would be interested in seeing a facility such as the Syl Apps Community Center with an all year round sport court flooring come to life I ask for your support and encouragement. For all members of the CRHL I thank-you for supporting the league over the years and ask you to join me in spreading the word about a new beginning for Syl Apps Community Center in fall 2010.