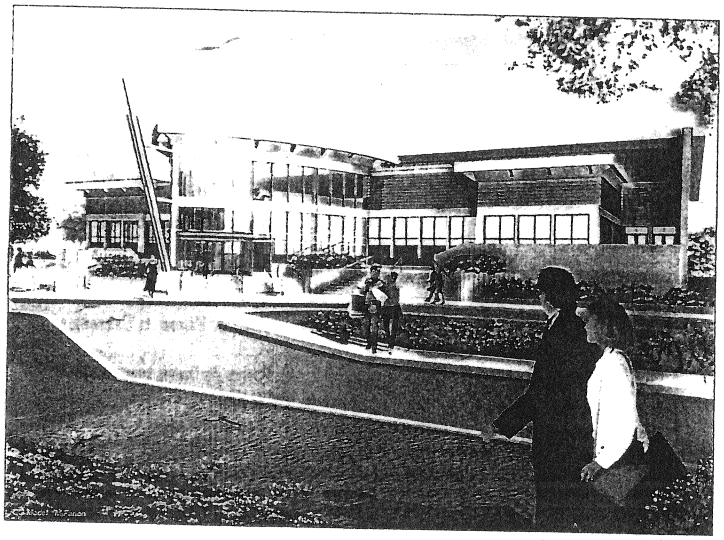

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE AQUATIC
HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM OF CANADA INC.

(FOUNDED 1967, INCORPORATED 1970)

1. The Pan-Am Pool Complex and the Aquatic Hall of Fame of Canada are well placed geographically to represent the aquatics from across the nation in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.

2. The Pool was built for our first Pan-Am Games in Canada in Winnipeg in 1967 and was considered "the jewel of all Games". Its legacy and prominence was a prime factor in obtaining the Pan Am Games for a second time in 1999.

3. Major aquatic events have been held yearly since its construction, and more World and Pan Am records have been broken in this pool than in any other pool in the world.

4. On March 10th, 1967, Winnipeg's Mayor Stephen Juba made an application for the Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada to be housed in the Pan-Am Pool, based on the unanimous decision of City Council. Mayor Juba then requested Vaughan L. Baird to negotiate on behalf of the City.

5. On April 12th, 1967, Winnipeg was informed that its application for the Aquatic Hall of Fame had been accepted. It was also to become the home of the National Archives for Aquatic Sports (swimming, diving, water polo and synchronized swimming).

6. Winnipeg was declared the aquatic capital (centre) of Canada in 1967 by the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association, which later became the Aquatic Federation of Canada.

7. On December 14th, 1970, the Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada Inc. obtained letters patent and thus is the oldest incorporated Hall of Fame in Canada. The original incorporators were Mayor Stephen Juba, Vaughan Lawson Baird, Albert Frederic Ford and Guy Simonis.

8. The VII World Cup of Diving was successfully held from May 1st to 5th, 1991 with more entries in diving than at the Los Angeles Olympics. It was the first World Cup of the aquatics to be held in Canada.

9. The Pan-Am Pool Complex has developed greatly in the ensuing years. In 1994, a new 'warm-up' and training pool was added to the east-end. Between 1997 and 1999, in preparation for the Pan Am Games, a western extension was built with new and improved facilities, including increased exercise and training areas, with up-to-date equipment, doping rooms, family change rooms, an indoor track, new cafeteria and, in the pool, the latest timing and scoreboard system in North America. New road access to the buildings was included.

10. At that time a major new entrance and exhibition gallery with a board room/VIP lounge, curatorial office, library and archives, storage and preparation rooms were built for the AHF.

11. The Pan-Am Pool Complex has been described by the international press as the "flagship of pools in the world".

12. The AHF is housed in the Pan-Am Pool Complex and makes its presentations of the history and art of aquatics in the broad halls on the north and south side of the Complex and the two galleries.

13. The west gallery - the new gallery - was dedicated by HRH the Princess Royal during the 1999 XIII Pan Am Games at the inaugural event of diving. This 10,000 square foot gallery has been named The Royal Gallery.

14. On June 15th, 1997, the AHF received a Coat of Arms from the Canadian Heraldic Authority,
the first Hall of Fame in Canada to receive this recognition.

15. The AHF recognizes those athletes who have brought distinction and honour to Canada through their efforts in Olympic, Commonwealth, Pan Am and World Championship Games. Through art, artifacts and memorabilia, the AHF has given the people of Canada the opportunity to appreciate these accomplishments. The AHF also contains the celebrated Cutty Sark Collection and models of sailing ships and nautical memorabilia. It has the largest collection of Olympic, Commonwealth, Pan Am Games and aquatic sport posters in the world on permanent display.

16. The AHF collection was valued in 1999 in excess of 4 million dollars.

17. The 2002 North American Indigenous Games (First Nations, Metis and Inuit) will be held in Winnipeg from July 25th to August 4th with the Pan-Am Pool as host of the swimming events.

18. The Pan-Am Pool Complex and the AHF are unique and distinct partners which have received national and international recognition and stature and are a legacy of structure and excellence for the people of Canada. Future generations will enjoy the combination of these two entities under the same roof.

19. Over 800,000 paying visitors pass through the portals each year. There is no charge to visit the AHF and Museum.

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The Winnipeg Sun



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card is to thank you
for the complete
of your letter relative
to the Pan Am. Games.
Yours sincerely
W. Juba

Post Card

MAYOR JUBA
THE MAYOR'S OFFICE
WINNIPEG, 2
MANITOBA
CANADA

City gets swimming hall of fame

WINNIPEG TRIBUNE SAT APR 15/67

The Pan-American Pool in Winnipeg has been chosen as the site for the Swimming Hall of Fame of Canada.

It has also been named to serve as the National Archives of Aquatic Sports.

A letter from Dr. W. Stuart Maddin, of Vancouver, president of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association, informed Mayor Stephen Juba that the association's decision to locate them here was unanimous.

It recommends that Vaughan L. Baird act as co-ordinator in establishment of the hall and archives, together with the Manitoba section of the association.

Mr. Baird said Friday the hall will have photographs of champions and display medals and trophies which will be donated by noted swimmers. There will be a library and a film library on swimming.

Mr. Vaughan is national chairman of the Canadian Diving Council, diving chairman for the Pan-Am Games and swimming representative for the games.

Mayor Juba said establishof the hall in Winnipeg might be termed "100 per cent Juba," but the credit doesn't go to him.

He said the idea of locating the hall of fame here came in a letter sent to him two years ago by W. J. Juba, editor of The Swimming Times, of Hertshire, England.

He passed it on to the city's parks and recreation committee and the Pan-Am Society, he said. W. J. Juba is not related to the mayor.

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January 18, 1967.

Charles Barbour, Esq.,
Director of Recreation,
City of Winnipeg,
Parks & Recreation Department,
4th Floor, City Hall,
WINNIPEG 2, Manitoba.

Dear Charles,

Many thanks for your communication with regard to the question of incorporating a Canada Swimming Hall of Fame in the new Pan-American Games Swimming Pool. I must say that I like the idea. I do believe it should encompass the Aquatic Sports, such as Swimming, Diving, Water Polo and Synchronized Swimming. There will be a great deal of wall space in this building, and it is my opinion that due to Winnipeg's geographical position, the Pan-Am Pool due to its accessibility for the various other competing provinces, will be the leading pool in Canada. To establish it as having Canada's Aquatic Hall of Fame would add that much more to its prestige.

I do believe though that we should lay down the size of picture that will be hung and the type of frame. I do think the cost of the picture and the framing should come from that Province where the Aquatic representative comes from. Or would City Council be willing to bear the cost of same? I do think we should have the guidelines that only those who win gold medals in Commonwealth Games, Olympic Games, Pan-American Games, or break world records, should have their picture hung.

Might I say as Swimming Representative to the Pan-American Games Society Facilities Board, and Chairman of the Canadian Diving Council, I am most enthused about the idea. Do let me know if there is anything I can do to assist in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Vaughan

Vaughan L. Baird, Q.C.
Swimming Representative,
Pan-American Games Facilities Board.
Chairman,
Canadian Diving Council.

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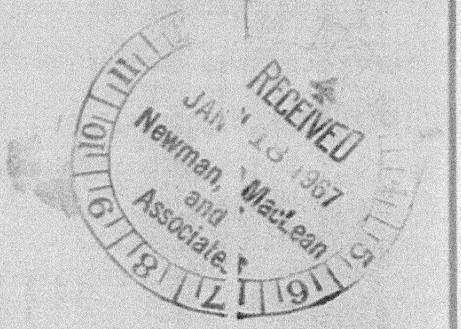

Mr. Vaughan Baird, Q.C.,
4th Floor,
356 Main Street,
WINNIPEG 1, Manitoba.

Dear Vaughan:

Just this week the Committee on Parks and Recreation received a letter from the Mayor asking that we consider the incorporation of "Canada's Swimming Hall of Fame" in the new Pan-American Games Swimming Pool.

Would you please take a few moments from your busy day to write me a letter giving me your thoughts on the Mayor's letter of suggestion.

I sort of like the suggestion and would appreciate hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,

Charles

CHARLES A. BARBOUR,
Director of Recreation.

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STEPHEN JUBA
MAYOR

MAYOR'S OFFICE
WINNIPEG, CANADA

Winnipeg 2, Manitoba,
April 19th, 1967.

Mr. W. J. Juba,
Assistant Editor,
The Swimming Times Ltd.,
127 Chiltern Avenue,
Bushey, Herts,
England.

Dear Mr. Juba:-

Some time ago when you requested information on the Pan Am Games you may recall sending me a pamphlet on the Fort Lauderdale Swimming Hall of Fame. This gave me an inspiration. Consequently, I submitted a recommendation to our Parks Committee to investigate the possibility of establishing a Swimming Hall of Fame of Canada in our Pan Am Pool.

As per attached news report we have been successful in our bid to house the Swimming Hall of Fame of Canada. As my inspiration originated when I received your letter, you deserve full credit.

Yours sincerely,

Encl.

MAYOR.

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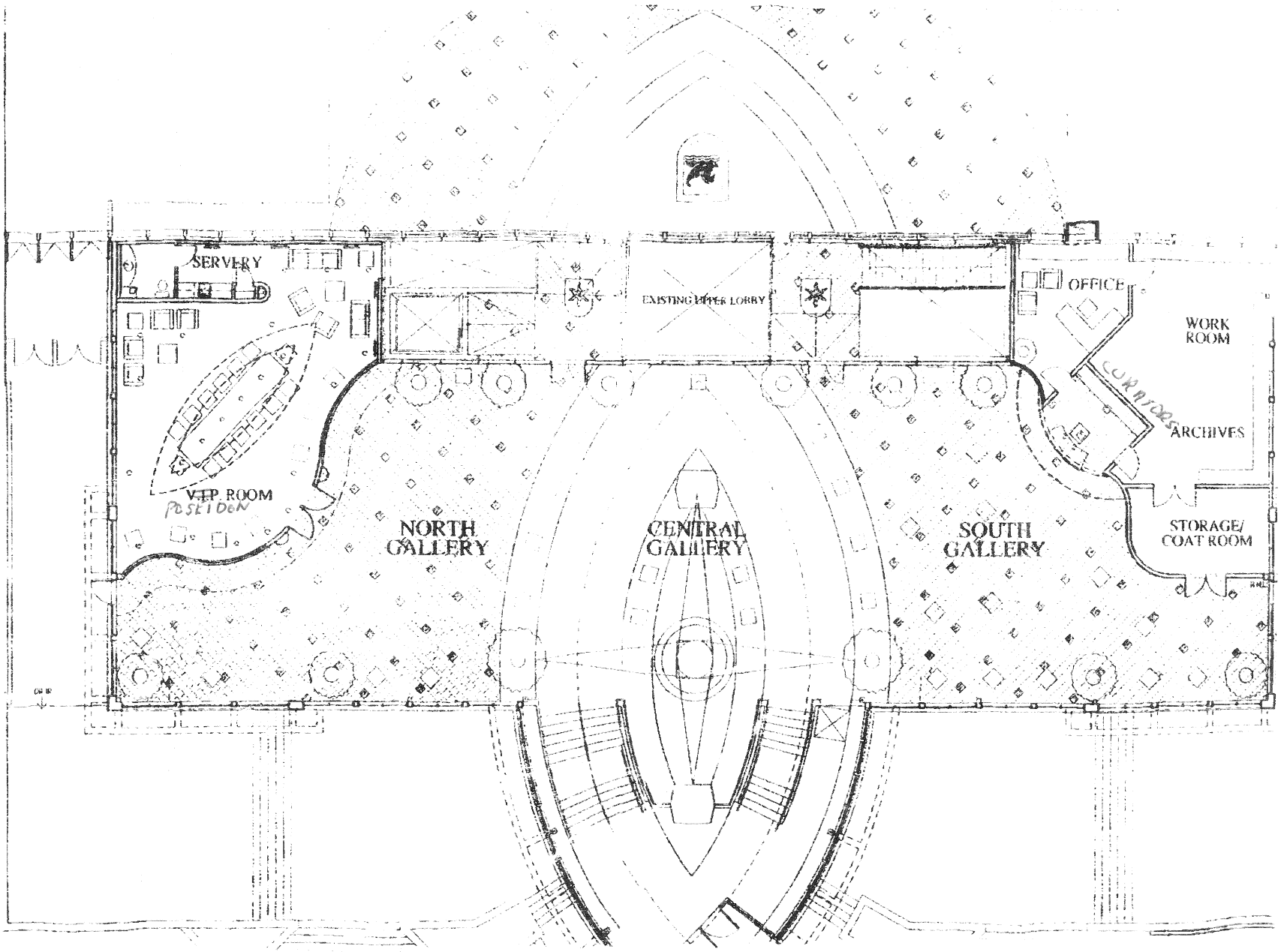

Tribune May 13/66

Ottawa may get request for increased Pan-Am aid

Winnipeg finance committee Thursday asked for a meeting between Mayor Stephen Juba, Premier Duff Roblin and the Pan-American Games Society to consider seeking additional federal aid for the soaring Pan-Am budget.

Officials of the Pan-Am Society, speaking to the closed finance meeting suggested another $1.5 million from Ottawa would allow them to build a satisfactory pool and meet other increased costs.

The Pan-Am budget of $3.5 million for all facilities includes only $1.7 million for construction of an Olympic-sized pool.

But when the pool tenders were opened recently, the lowest bid was $2.5 million. Game officials now estimate that landscaping would bring the total to $2,750,000.

The Games officials Thursday, suggested four possible solutions to the budget dilemma:

- Alterations of a proposed Metro pool for less than $100,000.
- Building a new outside pool for the Games at a cost of only $700,000.
- Building a "bare bones" pool for $1.5 million.
- The $2,750,000 enclosed pool for year-round use. This would require federal aid.

Culver Riley, chairman of the Pan-Am committee, said the reason they had suggested federal aid was the apparent willingness of the federal government to support financially the Olympic Games bids by Banff and Montreal.

Indoor Pool A Must – Baird

The 1967 Pan-American Games here might have to hold its swimming events in Ontario if Winnipeg doesn't build a 50-metre indoor pool for the games, accorling to Vaughan L. Baird.

Mr. Baird, swimming representative of the Pan-American Games Society, said in a press release, the cost of the transfer to Ontario would have to be borne by Winnipeg.

Open air pools here are usable only 45 days in summer because of weather, he said, and wind velocity could reduce the usability of a diving tower to 15 days.

The pool he proposes would be divided by bulkheads into three sections for training, diving and synchronized swimming or water polo.

He said he had complained to civic finance committee that the federal government isn't subsidizing the Winnipeg Pan-American Games facilities, while it is heavily subsidizing Montreal's Expo 67.

V. L. Baird, swimming representative on the Games committee, said the first three proposals would be to the detriment of the city in the long run.

He said swimmers across Canada would like to see proper facilities for Winnipeg. The city could then become the swimming centre of Canada.

Tribune May 14/66

Baird all wet – Daly

Vaughan Baird, swimming rep of the Pan-American Games Society, said Monday that swimming events in the 1967 Games might have to be moved to Ontario if Winnipeg doesn't build a 50-metre indoor pool.

Jim Daly, Executive Director of the Games, said that Vaughan Baird is all wet, which is what swimmers and divers are expected to be.

"Open air pools here are usable on 45 days because of weather," said Baird.

"Baird has been diving too much, he must have landed on his head," said Daly.

"Wind velocity in this part of the country could reduce the usability of a diving tower to 15 days," said Baird.

"Baird has no business handing out press releases on behalf of the Pan-American Games Society," said Daly.

"The federal government isn't subsidizing the Pan-Am Games, but it's heavily subsidizing Montreal's Expo 67," said Baird.

"Baird should let us worry about the federal government and where it's spending its money in 1967," said Daly.

So some mild dissension rears its ugly head in the planning for the Pan-American Games, 1967. Step right up and place your bets, but remember that Jim Daly IS the Executive Director.

Official In Hot Water Over Pan-Am Views

Free Press May 17/66

Pan-American Games (1967) Society executive director Jim Daly Monday pounced on comments by swimming representative Vaughan L. Baird, labelling them "sheer nonsense."

Mr. Daly was commenting on a story carried in Monday's edition of The Free Press that the Pan-American Games might have to hold diving events in Ontario if Winnipeg doesn't build a 50-metre indoor pool.

"He'll have to answer to the committee for making absurd statements like this," Mr. Daly said. Asked what steps the Pan-Am committee might take, Mr. Daly replied: "I'm quite sure it will ask for his resignation."

"Everybody should be aware that Mr. Baird was not speaking on behalf of the society, but as a private citizen," Mr. Daly said.

"Winnipeg, not an Ontario centre, will hold the events in 1967," he said. "These events have never been held indoors in the history of the games. This doesn't mean we (the society) wouldn't like to see an Olympic-size indoor pool. We simply haven't the necessary funds available."

He said the society is planning the games on the amount of money that is available and that the federal government, along with the provincial government and the City of Winnipeg, are subsidizing the project.

Mr. Baird said in his press release that the federal government isn't subsidizing the games.

Fight for a roof goes 'upstairs'

By RON MEYERS

Vaughan Baird is now taking his fight for an enclosed swimming pool for the Pan-American Games directly to the offices of Mayor Stephen Juba and Premier Duff Roblin. And this time he's forging ahead as a person who is very much interested in swimming and diving in both the province and in Canada.

Baird's last venture on this particular crusade stirred up a hornet's nest, and drew angry rebuttal from the Games' executive director Jim Daly.

We must profess that except for two points in the initial move, we are solidly behind Mr. Baird, who does know what he is talking about when he advocates the need for an enclosed pool.

Vaughan was wrong in issuing a press release on behalf of the Pan - American Games Society. This comes firmly under the control of PR director John Kriststead, and if it didn't the public would be throughly confused — just as it is on this particular issue.

Secondly, Baird was way off base in suggesting that the diving events would have to be cancelled or held in Ontario with Winnipeg paying the cost of the transfer, should there be high winds at the time of the Games and no overhead structure.

Unless the young lawyer knows something the Society does not, it smacks simply of a weak threat motivated by his desire to have the pool enclosed.

However, Baird's desire is also that of many people, who know that the climatic conditions in these parts could turn an outdoor pool into a virtual white elephant. He points this out in no uncertain terms in his letter to the premier and mayor.

Completely obsolete

According to Vaughan, since the 1920s Winnipeg has not built an indoor public pool, and we only have Sherbrook pool which is completely obsolete.

An open pool he contends can only be used 45 days in the summer, and due to wind velocity only 15 days can effectively be utilized for diving from a diving tower.

It is his opinion that Winnipeg could, with proper facilities, become the swim capital of Canada because of its geographic position. This is based on the fact that the cost of Nova Scotia to fly to British Columbia is too exhorbitant and vice versa.

Then again, he shares a common feeling, namely, that we must make the best impression possible for both the athletes and visitors to the Pan-American Games. However, we will concede that an outdoor pool if done up right can be just as impressive to these people.

But, there are two sides to every story. The Pan-Am Games people must stay within their budget even though they too realize an indoor pool is vital. They have made a commitment and should not be expected to be the whipping boy for the city's undertaking.

If anybody is to approach the three levels of government for additional finds in order to construct an indoor pool, it must be the city. If there is no willingness by the city fathers to approach Premier Roblin and the federal government, then any blame to be attached for this failure to move must rest with the city.

The Pan - American Games last exactly two weeks, and it should not have to be responsible for loading its budget for things which would benefit the city for years to come. Any expenditure over and above the budgeted figure must be obtained outside the Games' budget and not charged to the organization.

Ottawa must be asked to contribute more for the sake of the enclosure. After all, the Games are being held in Winnipeg and not in Miami, and if the pool is to be of any benefit to the community for years to come, it must be enclosed.

But, don't force Culver Riley, Jim Daly and crew to do the asking. They have enough ahead of them in the months to come to keep them working 24 hours a day.

Would be folly

Messrs. Riley and Daly have already proved themselves by holding to the budget or close to it, and it would be folly to have them put their reputations on the line by jumping the pool cost by nearly one million dollars, if it isn't absolute necessary for the Games.

That the enclosed pool is an absolute necessity for the city is the city's concern.

This matter will undoubtedly reach the federal level, but there isn't too much time left.

If construction doesn't start by July 1, then, according to Games' comptroller Ken Strachan, you can kiss goodbye the idea of an enclosed pool for the July 22 - Aug. 7 event of '67.

Pool Decision Urged

Vaughn L Baird, chairman of the Canadian Council of Diving, has called for an immediate decision on the construction of an indoor pool for the Pan-American Games to be held in Winnipeg next year.

In a press release issued following the annual meeting of the Manitoba branch Canadian Amateur Swimming Associations held here Tuesday, Mr. Baird was quoted as saying that since Winnipeg had been chosen as the site for the Canadian indoor swimming and diving trials, which will be held at least one month prior to the games themselves, the pool would have to be ready even sooner than previously planned.

"There is little construction time left. The government of Manitoba has agreed to match the government of Canada dollar for dollar to cover the Pan-Am pool. It is of the utmost urgency that the government of Canada render a decision quickly."

Mr. Baird said that Olympic requirements demand that the pool be indoors. "Not only Manitobans, but all Canadian swimmers await a favorable decision, as geographically Winnipeg should be the swim capital of Canada, so those competitors from the eastern to the western seaboard have only half the continent to travel rather than across the nation."

Pool Gets Roof

Govt. Aid Announced By Teillet

The Pan - American Games Society will build, as planned, an enclosed swimming pool, W. Culver Riley, president of the 1967 games, announced Friday.

Veterans Affairs Minister Roger Teillet announced earlier that the federal government will pay one half of the additional cost to construct an indoor swimming pool.

Premier Duff Roblin said last week the provincial government would match any federal contribution toward the costs of an enclosed pool on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

The Pan-American Games Society and other interested parties appealed to the senior governments for additional funds after bids for the pool's construction was set at $2.5 million, or $1.5 million more than the original estimates of about $1 million.

Mr. Teillet, in his home constituency of St. Boniface for the weekend, said he received a telegram from Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, announcing the grant.

The telegram said:

"In response to the request from Pan-American Games Society, the government of Canada is prepared to pay one-half the cost of covering the swimming pool in addition to the other financial assistance it has already agreed to provide.

"This offer is based on our understanding that the additional cost involved in covering the pool will not exceed $1.5 million and that the federal contribution for this purpose will not exceed $750,000. Best wishes for the success of the games."

Mr. Riley said he was pleased with the support of the two senior governments.

MEMO
Re: Executive

1. Larry Tapp is Treasurer of the AHF of Canada and has been for a great number of years. He is Chairman of the Aquatic Foundation of Canada and has given $5,000 a year to the AHF of Canada. He is one of Canada's leading Corporate Officers and has been mentioned twice recently in Time Magazine. Due to his business and practice, he was chosen to be Dean of the Richard Ivey School of Business. He was Dean and his School, which ranks number one in Canada and made North America premier institution in management education. He is also on a number of Corporate Boards of Industry. He has been a major donor for a great number of years to the AHF of Canada and a strong supporter of the aquatics in Canada.

2. Dr. Robert Thorlakson, OC, our Chairman of Campaign for funds for The Royal Gallery. Not only has he been a donor but a major factor in obtaining the new development of the AHF of Canada along with designing and obtaining our Coat of Arms

3. Vaughan Baird has been President/Chairman of the AHF of Canada since its inception 1967. Not only did he lead the charge for obtaining 1½ million dollars for the roof for the Pan-Am Pool. Since 1967 to April 1/99, he provided 31 years of secretarial services averaging about $2000 a year for a total of $62,000; along with objets d'art and aquatic memorabilia; untold hours of volunteerism. This last year alone, he has averaged 16 hours a week and has contributed over $300,000 of his own over the years.

   We would point out that it was The City's idea and the unanimous decision to go for the Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada, Inc. Vaughan Baird was requested by Mayor Stephen Juba to expedite the application and also to make it work, due to the fact that he was the Aquatic representative to the Facilities Committee for the Pan-Am Games 1967 Society. He had led the charge to have a roof on the Pan-Am Pool and obtained an extra 1½ million dollars from the Government of Canada for the roof of the pool. (See schedule A hereto attached).

4. Dr. Philip Clark, formerly President of The Canadian Amateur Swimming Association (Manitoba Section) when the 50 m warm-up pool was built. It cost 3.2 million dollars (1993-94). He is now Vice-President of the AHF of Canada and has a thorough knowledge of aquatics in Canada and Manitoba. He has served on the International Committee for Swimming.

Schedule "A"

AQUATIC HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM OF CANADA INC.
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The understanding on which the Aquatic Hall of Fame of Canada obtained the funds for the establishment of the new entrance for the Pan-Am Pool Complex and The Royal Gallery being 10,000 sq. ft. and over 1½ million dollars.

1. The Government of Canada and the Government of Manitoba along with The Winnipeg Foundation gave over $1,150,000 towards the project with the following understanding - the Executive Policy Committee on June 17, 1998 file PR-2-2 (Vol. 18) approved the proposed addition to create a dedicated display area for the Hall of Fame and will be designed in a manner to allow for receptions and gatherings. This was in keeping with the understanding of the Government of Canada and the Government of Manitoba in their providing 1/3 of the funds each. The excess was provided by The Winnipeg Foundation and other donors.
2. The Hon. Ron Duhamel stated June 24/96: "As a proud Canadian, I am pleased that the federal government is able to assist with enhancement of Canada's Aquatic Hall of Fame, a national showcase for some of the country's finest athletes."
3. The Government of Manitoba, Finance Minister the Hon. Eric Stephanson on June 24/96 said: "I'm please that the Provincial Government can provide funding to recognize Manitoba's leadership in aquatic sports. The renovation will greatly improve the profile of the Hall of Fame and make it a better tourist attraction and provide a legacy for the 1999 Pan Am Games."
4. Mayor Susan Thompson, June 24/96, stated: "The Aquatic Hall of Fame is a major legacy from the 1967 Pan-American Games and the new gallery announced today will ensure the future of the Hall of Fame as a major Winnipeg attraction for years to come."

MEMO
Re: Planning Committee

We submit that Don Armstrong of the Planning Committee is not acting in good faith. The Plans were submitted August 8/02 with the application for the permit to build the Poseidon Room (Boardroom) and the Curator's Office (workroom) within The Royal Gallery.

The funds, 1½ million dollars, were obtained from the Government of Canada, the Province of Manitoba, The Winnipeg Foundation and various other corporate donors.

The Report of the Executive Policy Committee dated June 17/98 spells this out – see File PR 2-2 (Vol. 18) and we quote as follows:

> "The Aquatic Hall of Fame is presently housed in the main foyer and side hallways of Pan-Am Pool. Over the years it has grown significantly as many new artifacts have been acquired and added to the collection of memorabilia. The present display, although very well kept, is difficult to fully appreciate given space and layout constraints.
>
> The proposed addition will create a dedicated display area for the Hall of Fame and will be designed in a manner to allow for receptions and gatherings. As well, the addition, which will be on the front face of the building (west elevation), will significantly improve the aesthetic appeal of this facility.
>
> The tourism potential for the Aquatic Hall of Fame has been largely untapped to date. Housing the museum in a central location within the Pan-Am Pool allows for special displays and shows which can be marketed to the local population and visitors to the city."

After some weeks of negotiations, Don Armstrong stated in his letter of April 3/03 the following:

"The Planning, Property and Development Department does not acknowledge the AHF statement in paragraph one that it hold any rights to occupy space within the newly constructed addition to the west end of the Pan-Am Pool".

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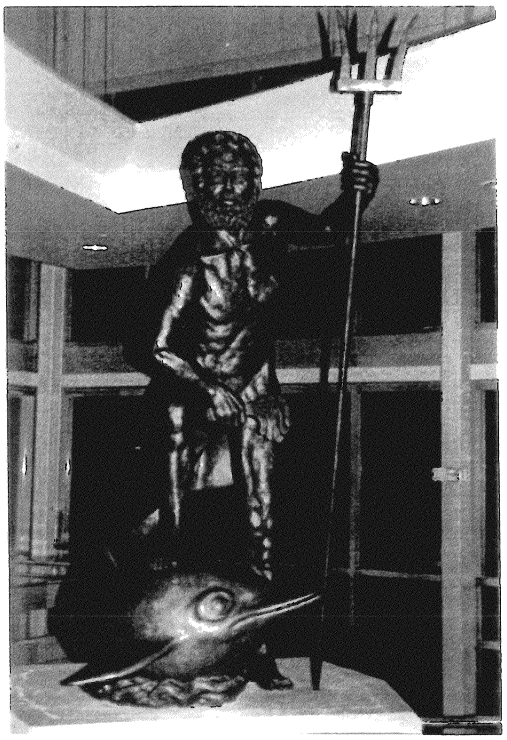

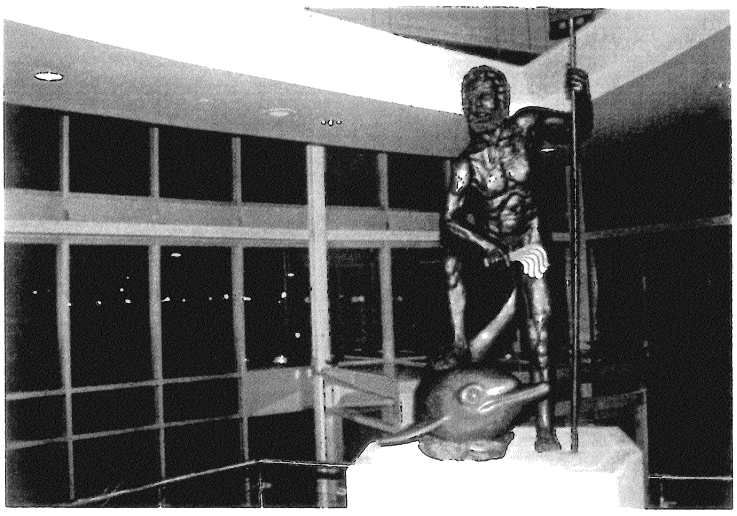

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The Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada Inc. is pleased to be the recipient of a 9-foot statue of "Poseidon," the Greek God of the Sea and protector of all waters. The work of art is the creation of Josef Randa, noted sculptor of Winnipeg.

"Poseidon" is on permanent display in the Royal Gallery of the Pan-Am Pool, 25 Poseidon Bay, Winnipeg. The Royal Gallery was dedicated by HRH, The Princess Royal during the Pan Am Games at Winnipeg, July 26, 1999.

The Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada Inc. at the Pan-Am Pool recognizes those international aquatic athletes who have brought distinction and renown to Canada in swimming, diving, waterpolo and synchronized swimming.

The statue was commissioned and a gift to the Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada Inc. by Lawrence G. Tapp, Dr. Robert H. Thorlakson, O.C. and Vaughan L. Baird, C.M., LL.D., Q.C.

Aquatic art and memorabilia along with the Olympic poster are on display from 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM at the Pan-Am Pool, Winnipeg. Admission is free.

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Did You Know?



Vaughan Baird and Robert Thorlakson have always known how to make a splash. Their tireless efforts on behalf of the Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada and Pan- Am Pool Complex set a gold standard for Winnipeg.

In 1967 His Worship Mayor Stephen Juba applied to house the Aquatic Museum of Canada in the newly opened Pan-Am Pool. The Museum is the oldest incorporated sports museum in Canada. It celebrates swimming, diving, synchronized swimming and water polo. The Hall of Fame recognizes athletes and coaches who have won international renown and brought honour to Canada in Olympics, Commonwealth, Pan-Am and World championships. Through art, sailing ship models and memorabilia, our aquatic sport heritage captures the interest of more than 500,000 visitors every year.

This year there's even more to celebrate. Thanks to the support of the three levels of government and other community-minded partners, Vaughan Baird and Robert Thorlakson's shared dream is coming true. The Winnipeg Foundation is proud to be part of the financing of this legacy. An exquisite aquatic gallery and public atrium is the latest jewel of the 1999 Pan-Am Games. On July 26 Princess Anne will dedicate the new aquatic complex. It's here for all of us to enjoy. As for Vaughan and Robert, some of the applause is especially for you.

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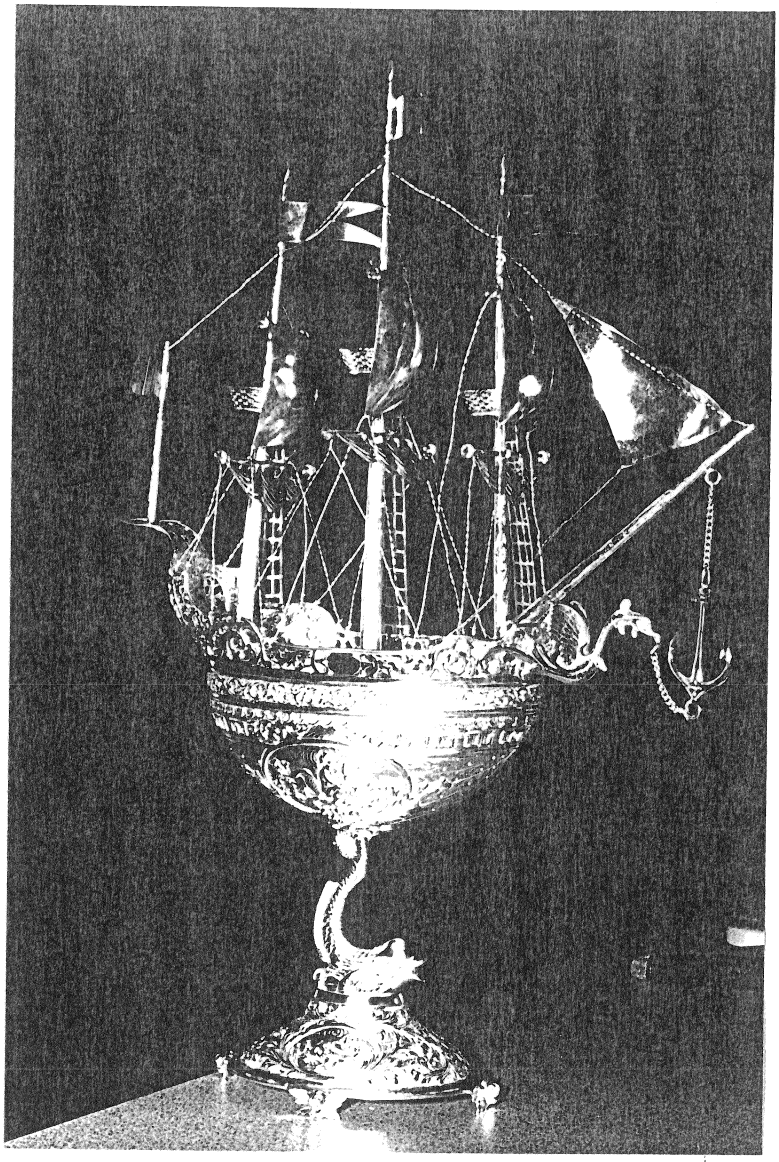

POSEIDON'S ~~SHIP~~

POSEIDON'S SHIP IS FROM HOLLAND AND THE HISTORY WAS DESTROYED DURING WORLD WAR II. THE UPPER DECK CAN BE REMOVED AND MAKES A VERY FINE TOASTING CUP.

HIS WORSHIP MAYOR JUBA AND MRS. JUBA TOASTED THE NEW UNICITY OF WINNIPEG ON JANUARY 1ST, 1972 WITH THE POSEDION'S CUP AND LATER IN THE YEAR, IT WAS USED TO TOAST THE OLYMPIC ATHLETES OF MANITOBA.

HIS HONOUR PETER W. LIBA, C.M., O.M., LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF MANITOBA TOASTED H. M., QUEEN ELIZABETH, THE QUEEN MOTHER'S 100TH BIRTHDAY AT A RECEPTION IN THE ROYAL GALLERY, PAN-AM POOL, AUGUST 4, 2000.

LE BATEAU DE POSEIDON

LE BATEAU DE POSEIDON VIENT DE HOLLANDE. SON HISTOIRE FUT DETRUITE AU COURS DE LA DEUXIEME GUERRE MONDIALE. LE PONT SUPERIEUR S'ENLEVE ET PEUT SERVIR DE COUPE POUR PORTER UN TOAST.

LE 1 JANVIER 1972, SON HONNEUR LE MAIRE ET MADAME JUBA PORTERENT UN TOAST AVEC CETTE COUPE A LA NOUVELLE VILLE UNIFIEE DE WINNIPEG ET PLUS TARD, LA MEME ANNEE, ELLE FUT UTILISSE POUR PORTER UN TOAST AUX ATHLETES OLYMPIQUES DU MANITOBA.

SON HONNEUR PETER M. LIBA, C.M., O.M., LIEUTENANT-GOUVENEUR DU MANITOBA A PORTE UN TOAST A S. M. LA REINE ELIZABETH, REINE MERE POUR MARQUER SON 100E ANNIVERSAIRE LE 4 AOUT 2000.

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April 7, 2003

RE: Shared Use Agreement
Kelvin Satellite Program and the Aquatic Hall of Fame

Mr. Harry Finnigan
City of Winnipeg Director of Planning, Property and Development
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Dear Mr. Finnigan,

Recently we have been made aware of your concerns regarding the planned renovations in the Aquatic Hall of Fame and Museum of Canada, while Kelvin Satellite Program is operating within the space. As you are aware, the City of Winnipeg and Kelvin High School had entered a shared use agreement for the Aquatic Hall of Fame, and have a computer lab constructed within the site. However, you may not be aware of the good neighbour plan that was verbally discussed last Spring.

During an informal on-site meeting, Mr. Vaughan L. Baird shared the hope that the Aquatic Hall of Fame would be renovated within the year. Knowing that this might encroach on the time Kelvin Satellite Program was using the space, he and his cohorts, Dr. Robert Thorlakson and Mr. Ralph W. Schilling, kindly offered a solution to the difficulties construction might cause. Using his drawings, Mr. Schilling pointed out that the building could be done in stages, and recommended constructing the south portion of the plan first, so the Satellite Program could be securely relocated to that end of the facility while the north side was renovated. Mr. Shilling also suggested the construction could be scheduled around the students' structured learning time (Construction before 9:00 a.m. and after 12:00 p.m.) We were delighted with the neighbourly approach this group had, and agreed that we would help accommodate the proposed renovations by relocating the lab to the south when the room was completed and secure.

I thank you for you time and consideration, welcome any questions, and look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Glen Ellasson
Principal, École Kelvin High School

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