

VANDYK celebrates opening of new head office

VANDYK Group of companies now has a new home – a sprawling 10,000 sq. ft. head office at 1944 Fowler Dr. in Mississauga. The two-storey building is within the Van Mills Centre at Erin Mills Parkway and Fowler Dr., which is owned and managed by VANDYK. For the last 18 months, the Centre has been under construction, with flagship tenants, RBC, IDA Pharmacy and Pizza Hut, already moved in and the remaining tenants expected to move in, in the next month.

VANDYK's new premises include spacious offices, boardrooms and the company's Décor Studio, with interior decorators on hand to assist homebuyers with their selection of finishes. Within the Van Mills Centre, VANDYK is also opening a New Homes Store Presentation Centre for its new Windows on the Green condominium community, scheduled for release this fall. For VANDYK Communities customers, as well as corporate clients, the company's new head office is centrally located for greater convenience.

“VANDYK is experiencing rapid growth, and we needed more space to accommodate our plans for expansion,” says John Vandyk, President of VANDYK Group of Companies. “This is a state-of-the-art facility that enables us to better serve our clients. All of VANDYK's companies are under one roof and the office's location is a central hub, close to the QEW and Erin Mills Parkway.”

VANDYK has also recently branded its residential division ‘VANDYK Communities’ to better reflect the company's prolific work in developing master planned communities across the GTA. In the residential market, VANDYK began as a builder of luxury custom homes, but over the years, has expanded its residential work to include condominiums, townhomes and single detached homes in neighbourhoods of distinction. Current projects include West Park Village in Cobourg; Wyndham Place in Oakville; and Park 570 and Windows on the Green in Mississauga. Homebuyers can also look forward to the launch of The Meadows of Fiddler's Glen, coming soon to Shelburne.

“We are a well-known developer of multi-family homes in communities across the GTA and beyond, so it made sense to name our residential division ‘VANDYK Communities,’” Vandyk says. “VANDYK builds, not just homes, but entire communities that are vibrant and essential to the fabric of the local landscape.”

Other companies within VANDYK include specialized divisions in the commercial, retail and industrial sectors, as well as in land development and investment services. Recent retail projects in Mississauga include Van Mills Centre, Van Mills Plaza and Meadow Park Plaza; while in Shelburne, the company has developed a 70-acre business/industrial park. These complexes display VANDYK's signature Arizona-style architecture, with the same attention to detail that is given to each VANDYK home design.

A recent addition to the VANDYK family of companies is VANGUARD Investments Limited. This company provides cradle to grave services for clients looking to develop and/or sell a piece of property. The VANGUARD team can provide limited services or can be real estate agent, financier, developer, construction manager, general contractor and marketer, all for a single project. The VANGUARD team works with clients to develop a plan that delivers the best possible return on a piece of property and then executes the plan, on time and on budget.

For 25 years, VANDYK Group of Companies has been a premier builder, offering innovative designs and architecture, superb craftsmanship and unparalleled customer service. As an integral part of the communities where it builds, the company is committed to local humanitarian initiatives and supports several charities that strive to improve the lives of many. VANDYK is a strong supporter of the Heart and Stroke Foundation, Trillium Health Centre Foundation, the Bennett Beach Bash, a charitable event in support of the fight against Women's Cancers, and the Communities in Bloom project.

“VANDYK has enjoyed tremendous success and we like to return that good fortune by giving back to the community,” Vandyk says. “As a builder, we’re in the business of making people happy, and our support of charities is an extension of our passion to make a difference.”
