

## **Edmonton, a world-leader with opening of Zeidler Dome & S.P.A.C.E. Gallery TELUS World of Science – Edmonton Friday, August 3, 2018**

**Edmonton, AB – Wednesday, July 5** – This summer, TELUS World of Science - Edmonton takes a new journey into our solar system and beyond with the opening of the Zeidler Dome and new S.P.A.C.E. (Stars, Planets, Astronauts, Comets, Etc.) Gallery. These exciting, re-imagined spaces open on Friday, August 3.

“The Zeidler Dome features cutting edge technology that makes us literally one of the best in the world!” said Alan Nursall, President and CEO of TELUS World of Science – Edmonton. “We are also proud to open, at the same time, a completely reimagined S.P.A.C.E. Gallery. It is fantastic to see another stage of our amazing \$40-million dollar Aurora Project come alive.”

TELUS World of Science – Edmonton has been a top attraction in Alberta for 34 years, and with the grand opening of these magnificent new spaces the science centre is poised to remain one of Edmonton’s favourite destinations for many years to come.

Friday, August 3, will be a day of celebration, as the science centre hosts a variety of special activities for families, adults and children to enjoy. Boldly go where no one has gone before and blast-off on an action packed adventure through the universe as you:

- Unravel the mysteries of our solar system and beyond
- Warp space-time and create pulsars with your bare hands
- Command a lunar lander and travel to the surface of the moon
- Experience our night sky and distant galaxies in stunning 10K resolution
- Explore distant planets
- See the Aurora Borealis and More!

For more information about the Aurora Project, visit [twose.ca/auroraproject](http://twose.ca/auroraproject).

Major funding for the renovations of the S.P.A.C.E Gallery and Zeidler Dome provided by: The City of Edmonton, The Government of Canada and The Aurora Project.

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**Media will be invited to a special sneak preview of the Zeidler Dome and S.P.A.C.E Gallery on Thursday, August 2, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Stay tuned to your inbox for more information.**

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**About TELUS World of Science Edmonton**

TELUS World of Science - Edmonton is a world-class, broad-based science centre that inspires and motivates people to learn about and contribute to science and technology. TELUS World of Science - Edmonton is a leader in providing high quality, interactive

programs and exhibits that provide an avenue for both learning and entertainment, and which spark the imagination of people of all ages. The Edmonton Space & Science Foundation is a non-profit organization that operates TELUS World of Science - Edmonton.