

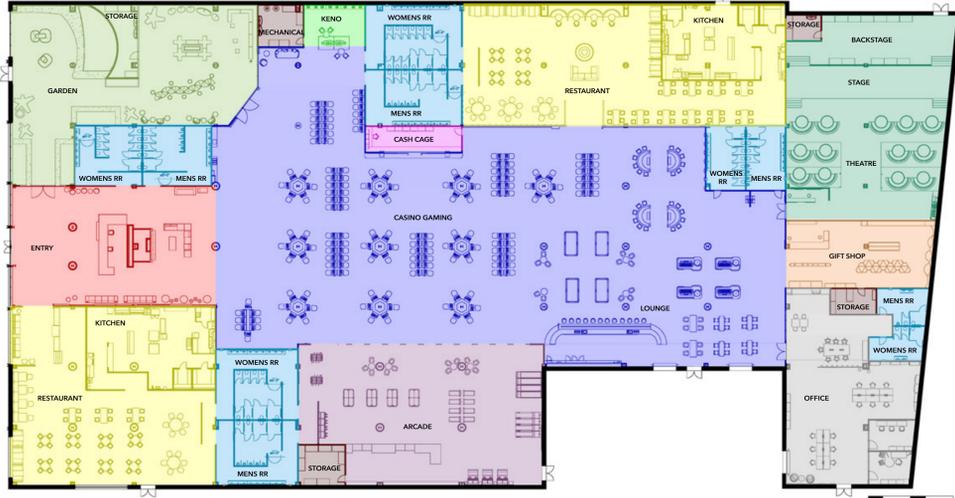
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Firefly Casino

York, Ontario, Canada

The Firefly Casino is located on 71 Kincort Street in York, Ontario, Canada. This small-scale casino features a variety of entertainments such as dining, an arcade, gift shop, theatre, and a unique garden area for relaxation. The theatre features both live performances and the occasional movie showings with the option of food service. The color changing light ceiling detail leads people through the casino to the various types of entertainments. The garden and restaurant are located at the entrance for easy access. The arcade is an option for the people that do not want to gamble. While providing the common gambling experience, this casino also provides other types of entertainment with an unique relaxation garden area.



Sustainability

Being open 24/7, casinos are a major consumer in electricity usage. More casinos are converting to LED lighting and other sustainable practices. The Firefly Casino implements strategies such as LED lighting, living walls in the office, entry, and garden. The garden space is designed to be a relaxation area away from the over-stimulus of the casino gaming space.

The living walls help the design by being a natural acoustic absorption, removing harmful toxins in the air, and provide a positive effect on a persons well-being.



Entry

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You are welcomed by a high ceiling entry, ADA accessible information desk featuring a waterfall wall and a large living wall on your right. Easy access to the garden on the left and a restaurant on your right for just a quick bite.



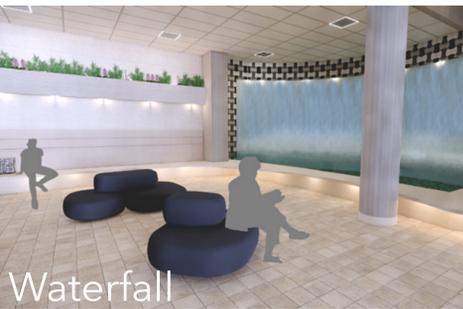
Billiards

Casino
A color changing light channel lows through the casino loor leading to the different areas such as the slot machines, arcade, billiard tables, and roulette. The casino is designed to have the slot machines and lighting stand out.

Garden
Featuring plants and a waterfall, the garden area is a relaxing space away from the overwhelming noise and lights from the casino. People can come here and read a book or just relax by the waterfall and watch the fish in the pond.



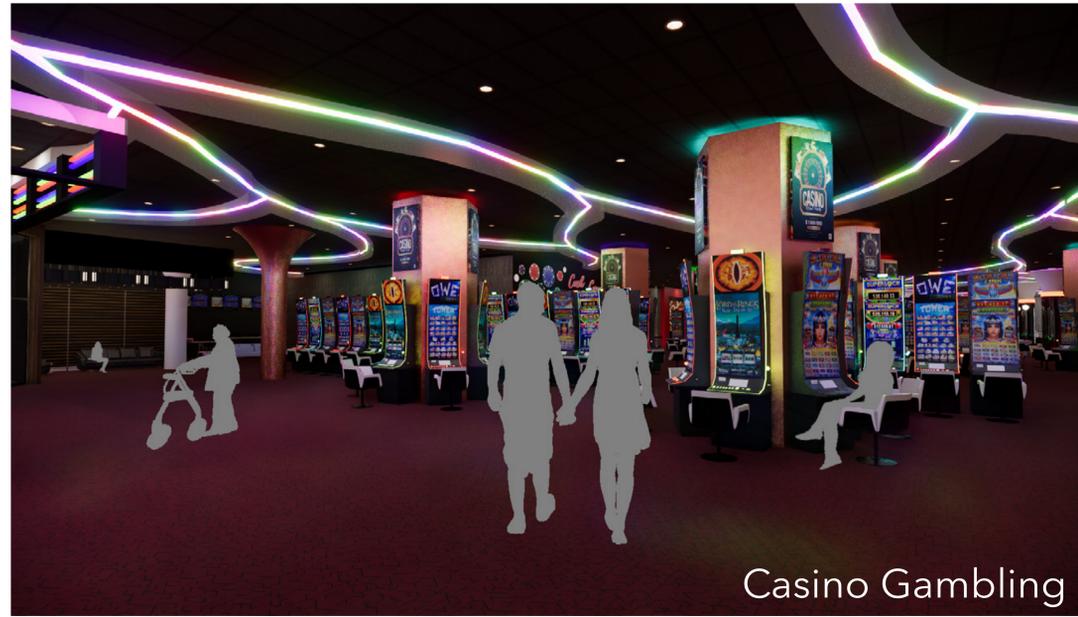
Fireplace



Waterfall



Seating



Casino Gambling

Theatre
Providing booth seating with dining service brought in by the restaurants and bar. Hosts live performances and the occasional movie showings. The ceiling detail provides visual interest as well as acoustic sound absorption.



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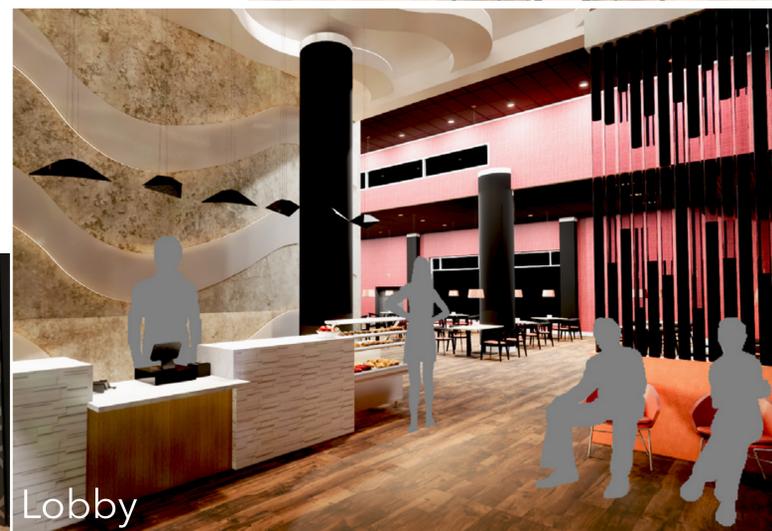
Restaurants
Featuring two restaurants, one adjacent to the entry and one in the back of the casino. With a different variety of seating options and a dim atmosphere for an intimate dining experience.



Stage



Booths



Lobby