



Glenwood Community Centre 2026 WINTER NEWSLETTER

A Season of Connection, Community & Celebration

As winter settles in, Glenwood Community Centre continues to be a warm and welcoming place for neighbours of all ages to connect, stay active, and celebrate together. While we cozy up for the colder months, we're also busy planning ahead for an exciting year filled with community events, programs, and new opportunities.

Thank you for being part of our Glenwood community—we can't wait to share what's ahead!

Save the Dates – January to June, 2026

We are currently finalizing details for many of our upcoming events. Mark your calendars and watch for more information coming soon!

- Indoor Movie Night – March 28th
- Beats & Blades – March 29th
- Learn to Play Baseball – March 29th
- Bunny Bash – April 3rd (tickets on sale March 1, 2026 at 6:00pm)
- AGM – April 6th
- Paint Night – April 10th
- Tulips & Teas – Spring 2026

Full event details will be shared on our website and social media as they become available. **Please note that these events and dates are subject to change.*

2025 Year in Review

It's been an incredible year at Glenwood Community Centre! From family events and seasonal celebrations to programs and rentals that bring our community together, 2025 was full of memorable moments.

Visit our [website](#) and social media pages to check out our 2025 Year in Review and relive some of our favourite highlights.

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Community Supporters – Thank You!

Our programs and events wouldn't be possible without the incredible support of our community partners, sponsors, and volunteers. Your generosity helps us keep programs accessible and continue offering meaningful experiences for all ages.

Special Highlight: 2025 Community Supporters

This winter, we're proud to shine a spotlight on our 2025 Community Supporters who went above and beyond to support Glenwood Community Centre throughout the year. Their contributions—big and small—help strengthen our neighbourhood and make our events possible.

- Tache Vacuum Centre Inc. – Gold Level Sponsor
- McDonald's, 144 St. Anne's Road
- Dr. Terry James & Dr. Sarah Adamson, St. Vital Dental Centre

Advertise With Us

Did you know you can advertise in our newsletter?

Advertising with Glenwood Community Centre is a great way to:

- Reach local families and community members
- Support community programming
- Promote your business or service

If you're interested in advertising opportunities, please contact us at assistantglenwoodcc@gmail.com or visit the [Advertise With Us](#) section on our website for more information.

Workshops & New Opportunities

We're excited to expand our offerings in the coming year and are hoping to host more workshops for adults, families, and seniors throughout the year. Keep an eye on our social media and website to view the workshops as they are offered.

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Programs

Sticks, Rings & Pucks / 55+ Sticks & Pucks

Our Sticks, Rings & Pucks and 55+ Sticks & Pucks programs continue to be a great way for participants to enjoy casual, non-competitive ice time in a friendly and welcoming environment. These sessions are designed for skill development, exercise, and fun—whether you're practicing your shot, skating, or just enjoying time on the ice. Pre-registration is required for all sessions through Signup.com (links are also available on our website). If you are unable to attend a session you've registered for, we kindly ask that you delete your spot or send us a request to remove your registration, allowing others the opportunity to participate.

Public Skating

Public Skating at Glenwood Community Centre offers a fun, affordable way for individuals and families to enjoy time on the ice together. Open to all ages and skill levels, public skating is a great opportunity to stay active, practice skating skills, or simply enjoy a leisurely skate with friends and neighbours. Dates and times vary throughout the season, so be sure to check our calendar of events regularly on our website for the most up-to-date schedule.

Kids Colouring Club

Our Kids Colouring Club continues to be a big hit with families in the community! The current colouring page is winter-themed, and submissions are due by March 31st. Colouring pages can be downloaded from our [website](#) or picked up directly at the Centre. We love seeing the creativity from our young artists and encourage all kids to participate!

Winter Riddle: *What falls in winter but never gets hurt?*

Answer: Snow



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NEW! Connection Club – Wednesday Nights at the Centre

We're excited to introduce Connection Club, a brand-new weekly gathering space for our community! Join us Wednesdays from 6pm - 9pm starting April 8, 2026, for a relaxed evening of board games, cribbage, puzzles, cards, and great conversation. Come meet your neighbours, bring a friend, or make a new one! We have games on hand, or you're welcome to bring your own favourites. Open to ages 14+. First visit is FREE! After that, a \$10 membership (12 months) covers all weekly drop-ins plus coffee, tea, water, and pop – and helps us add more games and supplies. Come connect, unwind, and make Wednesdays your new favourite night of the week!

Summer Camps

As summer approaches, we'll be sharing information about summer camps and programs to help families plan ahead. Stay tuned for details in the coming months!

Social Bridge

Social Bridge is a long-running and well-loved program at Glenwood Community Centre. Players gather weekly to enjoy a friendly afternoon of bridge in a welcoming and social setting. Whether you're an experienced player or simply enjoy the game, this is a great opportunity to stay engaged, meet others, and enjoy a few hands of cards. Doors open at 12:00pm with games starting at 12:30pm. For more information, please contact Don at 204-291-3038 or 204-633-3038.

Wood Carving Club

The Wood Carving Club provides a space for carvers of all skill levels to work on projects, share techniques, and enjoy time with fellow hobbyists. This non-instructional group encourages creativity, craftsmanship, and community connection in a relaxed setting. Wood Carving Club is held every Monday from 1:00pm to 3:00pm from September through to June. For more information, please contact either Paul Giasson (mdjp@shaw.ca or 204-668-7621) or Liz Grieve (degrieve@shaw.ca or 204-256-7232).



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Painters Club

Our Painters Club welcomes artists looking for a supportive space to continue exploring their chosen medium. This non-instructional group meets regularly at the Centre and offers a comfortable environment to paint, share ideas, and connect with other artists. Artists of various styles and experience levels are encouraged to participate. This group meets every Wednesday from 1:00pm to 4:00pm from September through to May. For more information, please contact C. Linski at 204-253-5841 or by email at clinski@mts.net.

Community Garden

Glenwood Community Centre's Community Garden is a wonderful way to connect with neighbours, grow fresh produce, and enjoy the outdoors. Garden plot applications open on March 2nd, and spaces are limited. Whether you're a seasoned gardener or just getting started, the garden offers a welcoming space to grow and learn together. Full details and application information are available on our [website](#).

Sports & Fitness Programs

Glenwood Community Centre is proud to offer a wide range of sports and fitness opportunities for all ages and skill levels. From recreational drop-in programs to organized youth sports and specialized training, our programs encourage physical activity, skill development, and community connection.

Pickleball

Pickleball continues to grow in popularity at Glenwood Community Centre. We offer pickleball court rentals at various dates and times, providing a fun and accessible option for players of all experience levels. Players book a full-size court and create their own teams, making it easy to coordinate with friends. Court bookings are made online through [CatchCorner](#). For current availability, rates, and booking details, please visit our [Pickleball page](#) on our website.



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Baseball

Glenwood Community Centre is part of the Bonivital Minor Baseball program. Registration typically opens around February 1st each year. Families are encouraged to follow [Bonivital Minor Baseball's website](#) for registration information or visit our [website](#) for local updates. We also provide detailed information on how the baseball program operates within our community, including age divisions and league structure.

Softball

Softball programs at Glenwood are offered through the Bonivital Softball Association, with registration also typically opening around February 1st. Players and families can find registration details through the [Bonivital Softball Association](#) or by visiting our [website](#) for program information specific to the Glenwood area.

Soccer

Soccer programs provide opportunities for players of various ages to learn and develop their skills in a fun, team-based environment. Programming focuses on skill development, teamwork, and enjoyment of the game. Please note that soccer is typically done through the Windsor Park Community Centre, however registration information and program details can also be found on our [website](#).

Wolves Den Historical Fencing

Wolves Den Historical Fencing offers a unique and engaging way to stay active while learning traditional fencing techniques rooted in history. Classes focus on physical fitness, coordination, and historical martial arts in a supportive environment. This program offers a distinctive alternative to traditional sports. Visit our [website](#) for class schedules and details.

Winter Self-Care Tip: *Drink water — it's just as important in cold weather.*



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Peg Family Fitness

Peg Family Fitness offers fitness and yoga classes designed specifically for parents, caregivers, and their children. Programs include stroller-friendly workouts, prenatal fitness, and postnatal classes that allow participants to stay active while connecting with others. Classes are inclusive, welcoming, and adaptable for all fitness levels. Current schedules and class details can be found on our [website](#).

St. Boniface Taekwondo

St. Boniface Taekwondo offers structured martial arts training for children, youth, and adults. Classes focus on physical fitness, discipline, confidence, and respect while teaching a combination of Taekwondo, Muay Thai, and Jiu-Jitsu techniques. Programs run throughout the school year, with full class schedules and contact information available on our [website](#).

Men's Drop-In Ball Hockey

Men's Drop-In Ball Hockey provides a weekly opportunity for adult participants to enjoy a fast-paced and fun game in a casual, welcoming environment. This program is ideal for those looking to stay active, improve fitness, and enjoy recreational play without the commitment of a formal league. Men's Drop-In Ball Hockey runs every Tuesday night from 8:30pm to 10:00pm. Please contact Dallas at 204-293-6027 for more information.

Kids in Kilts

Kids in Kilts offers Highland Dance classes for children of all ages and skill levels. Whether dancers are interested in recreational classes, performances, or competitions, the program focuses on skill development in a positive and encouraging atmosphere. Classes promote confidence, discipline, and a love of dance. More information is available on our [website](#).

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Badminton

Glenwood Community Centre offers two badminton options to suit different participants. These include 55+ Doubles Badminton, held during weekday mornings in a friendly, relaxed atmosphere, as well as Seniors Afternoon Badminton, which runs on select afternoons. Both programs focus on fun, fitness, and social connection. Our 55+ Doubles Badminton (casual and fun, not overly competitive) runs Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30am to 12:00pm from September through to June. Please contact Alan for more information with respect to this program at photosmith@gmail.com. Our afternoon Seniors' Badminton program, runs Mondays and Thursdays from 1:00pm to 4:00pm from September through to June. For more information on this program, please contact John at 204-781-7737 or by email at jpchand@mymts.net.

Mini Ballers

Mini Ballers offers basketball and movement-based programs designed to introduce young children to the fundamentals of sport in a fun and energetic way. Classes and camps focus on coordination, confidence, and active play for children of various age groups. Registration details and schedules are available through the Mini Ballers website, accessible via our [webpage](#).

Sakura Baton Twirlers

Sakura Baton Twirlers provides baton twirling classes for children ages 4 and up, from recreational to competitive levels. The program emphasizes fitness, coordination, teamwork, and confidence in a supportive environment. It's a great option for kids looking to try something new and creative. Visit our [website](#) for program information

Shoutout Space: *Thank you to the volunteers who make our programs possible!*



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Glenwood Community Centre Scholarship Program

Glenwood Community Centre is proud to support local youth through our annual Scholarship Program. Each year we offer up to two \$500 scholarships to deserving students who have demonstrated a strong commitment to their community and personal achievement. This opportunity is open to eligible youth pursuing further education, and application details – including eligibility requirements and required documentation – can be found on our website. The next submission deadline is April 30, 2026, so be sure to check our site early for full details and to apply. Visit our [website](#) for information and application forms.

Facility Rentals at Glenwood Community Centre

Glenwood Community Centre offers a variety of affordable and flexible rental spaces to accommodate everything from private gatherings to sports and community events. Our Social Hall is ideal for celebrations such as birthdays, anniversaries, showers, and meetings, offering a spacious and welcoming setting. The Gymnasium is available for sports practices, games, fitness activities, and recreational bookings, making it a great option for teams and groups looking for indoor space. We also offer smaller meeting and activity rooms, perfect for clubs, workshops, classes, and group gatherings.

Whether you're planning a one-time event or a recurring booking, our rental options are designed to meet the needs of individuals, organizations, and community groups. Availability, rates, and booking information can be found on our website, and our staff are happy to assist with any questions.

Visit www.glenwoodcommunitycentre.com for full rental details and booking information.



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Stay Connected This Winter

Be sure to visit www.glenwoodcommunitycentre.com and follow us on social media for:

- Event updates
- Registration announcements
- Community news and highlights

Thank you for continuing to support Glenwood Community Centre. Here's to a wonderful winter and an exciting year ahead!

Glenwood Community Centre Board of Directors & Staff

Gold Level Community Supporter Spotlight – Tache Vacuum

We're grateful for the support of Tache Vacuum, a local business helping keep both homes and our community running smoothly. Their experienced technicians service and repair all types of vacuums – from uprights and stick vacs to central systems – for both residential and commercial needs. They also sell new and used machines, carry hard-to-find parts, and even offer pick-up and delivery.

When you support businesses like Tache Vacuum, you're supporting the same community that supports events like ours.

