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Local resident & community member  
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November 15-30th  
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## Community Redevelopment News

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## CHURCHES IN AND AROUND NORTH GLENMORE PARK

### St. James Catholic Church

Pastor: Fr. Domingo Bongalos

Weekend Mass: Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 10:00 am and 12:00 pm

Weekday Mass: Tuesday through Friday at 9:00 am

First Saturday of the Month: 9:00 am

### Lakeview United Church

Minister: Jope Langejans

Sunday Services: 10:00 am

### Lakeview Baptist Church

Pastor: Reverend Rick Gordon

Sunday Services: 9:30 am

### St. Laurence Anglican Church

Part-time Priest: Carolyn Herold

Rector: Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland

Sunday Services: 10:00 am

### Rainbow Christian Church

Pastor: Yi Zheng

Sunday Services: Chinese Sunday Service: 11:15 am

English Service: 9:30 am

### First Church of the Nazarene

Pastor: Rev. Trent McDowell

Sunday Service: 10:00 am

### Free Reformed Church of Calgary

Pastor: Chris Mourik

Sunday Service: 9:30 am and 4:00 pm



## NORTH GLENMORE PARK SCHOOLS

### Schools in and around

### North Glenmore Park include

- Bishop Carroll High School (CCSD)
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- Career and Technology at Lord Shaugnessy (CBE)
- Central Memorial High School (CBE)
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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The temperatures will soon drop, and things will begin to feel like winter at the community association! Here are a few upcoming seasonal activities:

**Holiday Craft Market:** Saturday, December 7 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm in the community centre gymnasium. Join us for this popular craft market featuring local artisans' work. This market is a great opportunity to do a little holiday shopping in a stress-free environment while supporting local vendors. Admission and parking are free. Donations of non-perishable food items or cash for the Calgary Food Bank will be gratefully accepted.

**Cookies with Santa:** Saturday, December 7 from 10:00 to 11:30 am. Bring your kids for cookie decorating and a visit with Santa! This is a fun way to spend a Saturday morning and an opportunity to meet other neighbourhood families. This is a free event, and Calgary Food Bank donations will be gratefully accepted.

**Outdoor Rink:** We're looking for volunteers to help maintain the outdoor rinks at the community centre and in Buffalo Park (Garrison Green). Please contact the community office at [generalmanager@ngpca.ca](mailto:generalmanager@ngpca.ca) or call 403-246-4243 if you're able to help.

I hope to meet you at one of these community events!

*Lisa Herrick*



## We're Looking for Cover Photos!

Send us your pictures of North Glenmore Park!

We're always looking for photos to feature on the cover of the newsletter. Pictures can highlight North Glenmore Park's natural beauty, or residents enjoying their favourite activities within the community. Please send your high-resolution photos in jpeg format to [generalmanager@ngpca.ca](mailto:generalmanager@ngpca.ca).

## MEMBER BENEFITS



Please consider buying a community association membership, a cost-effective way to support your community. Benefits include:

- Free Friday morning drop-in playgroup for kids aged 0 to 5 and their caregivers. Watch for updates.
- Free drop-in gym time with access to the equipment room on Friday afternoons from 3:30 to 6:00 pm (call ahead for availability other times of the week).
- Free family skating at Flames Community Arenas (Sunday afternoons between October and February).
- Discounted programs such as FUNctional fitness for adults.
- Access to Lakeview Bridge Club. Members can join the Wednesday afternoon bridge club at no cost.
- Discounted birthday parties including two hours of gym time and a bouncy castle.
- Discounted gym and room rentals at the community association facility.
- A community advocate for development and civic affairs, and a vote at the community association's Annual General Meeting.

To purchase a community membership, visit [www.ngpca.ca](http://www.ngpca.ca) or complete and return the form found in this publication.



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(Please include full names of both partners, if applicable)

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I'd like to receive e-mails regarding community news, events & programs:  Yes  No

Your personal information will be used for North Glenmore Park Community Association purposes only.

Yes, I would consider volunteering my time, interest, or experience in the areas of...

Casino / Fundraising

Special Events

Membership

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Membership Fees:

**Family:** Includes up to two adults and their children living in the same household and residing in North Glenmore Park, Garrison Green, or Lakeview.

FEE = \$25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Senior:** Includes up to two adults over the age of 65 living in the same household.

FEE = \$10 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Associate:** Includes up to two adults and their children living in the same household outside of North Glenmore Park, Garrison Green, or Lakeview.

FEE = \$35 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional donation:** A tax receipt will be provided. Any size donation is appreciated and will be directed to community association programs and operations.

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To purchase online, please visit [www.ngpca.ca/membership](http://www.ngpca.ca/membership) or scan the QR code.





# Cookies with Santa

**Saturday, December 7  
10:00 to 11:30am**

**Free family event!**

Cookie decorating,  
crafts and a visit  
with Santa.

*Non-perishable or cash  
donations accepted for the  
Calgary Food Bank.*



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# HOLIDAY



# CRAFT



# MARKET



**Saturday, December 7**  
**10:00am to 3:00pm**

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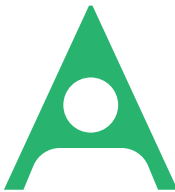


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## **Chinook Blast 2025: Calling All Creators and Cultural Curators!**

*by the City of Calgary*

Chinook Blast 2025 is Calgary's winter festival celebration. As we gear up for another exciting event in 2025, we're on the lookout for creative talent and dynamic partners to help bring the festival to life!

### **Calling All Installation and Visual Artists**

Sculptors, visual artists, and creators of immersive experiences are invited to showcase how their art can transform the festival grounds into a mesmerizing winter wonderland. Funding opportunities are available, ranging from \$5,000 to \$40,000 for chosen installations. Additionally, in collaboration with The City of Calgary's Winter City Design Competition, up to \$45,000 will be awarded for two installations designed to endure three months of winter weather from January to March without requiring security.

### **Calling All Market Partners**

We're seeking three dynamic partners to host and execute a weekend market (Friday to Sunday) during Chinook Blast. These markets should offer unique experiences, where attendees can explore and celebrate different cultures, discover local artisans, and participate in meaningful community engagement.

For more information and to submit your proposal, visit [chinookblast.ca](http://chinookblast.ca).



## **Outdoor ice rink volunteers needed!**



**For rinks in Buffalo Park and at the community association building**

**Contact 403-246-4243 or [admin@ngpca.ca](mailto:admin@ngpca.ca)**

## **Peanut Butter Lovers Month**



Did you know November is Peanut Butter Lovers Month?

Although, many believe George Washington Carver is the person to thank for this tasty, nutty treat. It was actually Canadian chemist Marcellus Gilmore Edson who patented peanut paste in 1884, by milling roasted peanuts between heated surfaces. Now you know who to thank for your favourite spread!

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## Flatbread Pizzas

by Jennifer Puri

Flatbreads are used to create wraps and quesadillas, but the most popular use of flatbreads is pizza.

Rich in fibre, flatbreads are typically unleavened bread and do not contain yeast. Flatbreads originated in ancient Egypt but today are produced and enjoyed around the world. Some of the most popular flatbreads are focaccia, naan, tortillas, pita, oatcake, green onion cake, torta, and injera.

Flatbreads have a lower caloric and carbohydrate content due to their thinner crusts and are ideal as appetizers or light entrees as shown in the Flatbread Pizza recipes below.



### Peach and Prosciutto Flatbread

**Prep Time:** 10 minutes

**Cook Time:** 7 to 8 minutes

**Servings:** 2

**Ingredients:**

- 1 flatbread
- 1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
- 1 ½ cups sliced peaches
- 6 to 8 slices prosciutto
- 3 tsps. balsamic vinegar
- ¾ cup shredded Gouda cheese
- ½ cup coarsely chopped fresh basil leaves
- 1 tsp chilli flakes (optional)

**Directions:**

Sprinkle mozzarella cheese on flatbread, then top with sliced peaches, prosciutto, balsamic vinegar, gouda cheese, basil leaves, and chilli flakes. Bake on middle rack of pre-heated oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit) for 7 to 8 minutes. Serve immediately.



### Roasted Red Pepper and Olive Flatbread

**Prep Time:** 10 minutes

**Cook Time:** 10 to 12 minutes

**Servings:** 2

**Ingredients:**

- 1 flatbread
- 1 ½ cups of roasted red peppers sliced
- ½ cup seedless black olives halved
- ½ cup cherry tomatoes halved
- 1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
- ¾ cup crumbled feta cheese
- ½ cup coarsely chopped fresh basil leaves
- 1 tsp chopped fresh oregano leaves

**Directions:**

Sprinkle mozzarella cheese on flatbread, then top with sliced roasted red peppers, cherry tomatoes, olives, feta cheese, oregano, and basil leaves. Bake on middle rack of pre-heated oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit) for 10 to 12 minutes. Serve immediately.

Bon Appétit!



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Over the past year we have witnessed the consequences of what happens when you do business with an unstable government. First, it was the renewables ban. As one of the sunniest and windiest provinces in the country, the potential for a booming renewables industry is limitless and represents billions of dollars in investment.

When the provincial government suddenly decided in August last year that they would ban new renewable energy projects, we witnessed those billions of dollars in potential investment suddenly evaporate. The government signaled to investors that Alberta was closed for business and shuttered a new revenue stream.

Now, the Green Line. The project was finally ready to put shovels into the ground after years of delays, but at the last minute the province reneged on their commitment.

This revocation of funds was devastating not only for us as citizens, but for the wider construction industry. It sent a message that the government of Alberta is not a reliable business partner. The province’s flip-flop will now make future large-scale projects more expensive because of a political risk premium.

As your MLA, I am committed to creating a business-friendly environment, where both the private and public sector can come together to build infrastructure that benefits the people of Alberta.

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Samir

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### Guess the Landmark!

1. This gorgeous UNESCO World Heritage Site in India was built to be a mausoleum.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ was made across many dynasties and states, taking over 2,500 years to construct.
3. This stunning Italian landmark is also called the Bell Tower and is over 180 feet tall.
4. This iconic structure was built for the 1889 World Fair; it celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the French Revolution.
5. This famous ancient city was frozen in time due to almost the exact opposite circumstance.
6. There are no straight lines in this ancient temple structure, located on the Athenian Acropolis.



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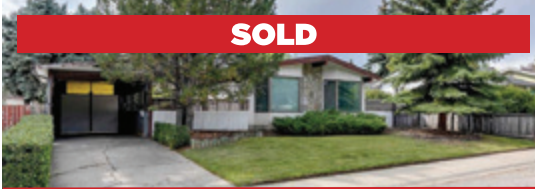
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### NORTH GLENMORE PARK SEPTEMBER 2024 STATISTICS



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