

# NORTH GLENORA

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## NORTH GLENORA COMMUNITY LEAGUE

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### **Prefer your newsletter in PDF format?**

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Happy reading!

### **Land Acknowledgment**

North Glenora is located on Treaty 6 territory – the ancestral lands of the Cree, Saulteaux, Blackfoot, Metis, Dene, Nakota Sioux, Inuit, and other Indigenous peoples. We respectfully acknowledge the relationships established by this Treaty and are committed to honouring its principles. We humbly accept our responsibility as stewards of this land.

Together we will foster a community that understands our past, creates a sense of belonging, and strengthens supportive relationships with each other and the land.

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## IT IS A TRUE HONOR TO WRITE TO YOU FOR THE FIRST TIME AS THE PRESIDENT OF THE NORTH GLENORA COMMUNITY LEAGUE.

As I get more familiar with our programming here in the neighbourhood, the history of North Glenora, and get to meet more of my neighbours, I am constantly reminded of what makes our corner of the city so special: the people.

As I step into this role, and as a newer member of this neighbourhood myself, my primary goal is to ensure that North Glenora remains a place where every single neighbour feels welcomed. Our league is only as strong as the hands that help build it, and today, I'm reaching out to invite you to be a part of that growth.

**Why Get Involved?** Whether you have five minutes or five hours a month, your contribution matters. Getting involved isn't just about "work", it's about meeting your neighbors, having a say in how our parks and programs are run, and keeping our community vibrant and safe.

**What's Coming Up** We have big and small roles available! We're currently looking for great folks to step into the roles of Vice-President, Membership Director, and Activities Director. We also need volunteers to join the teams doing minor facility maintenance (no experience needed), weeding and gardening, pub nights, and some special events we have coming up including the ReUse Fair on May 9th and our Garage Sale on June 6th.

**How to Find Your Fit** We know it can sometimes be hard to know who to talk to. To make it easier, we've updated our "Who's Who" directory below. We'll be including an updated list of this directory in each of our future letters as well. If you aren't sure where you fit, if you want to talk about joining the Board, or if you have a new idea for the neighborhood, please reach out to me directly at [president@northglenora.org](mailto:president@northglenora.org). I would love to hear from you!

I look forward to seeing you out and about in the neighborhood – whether it's at a board meeting, a community garden cleanup, or just a stroll down our beautiful streets.

Warmly,

**Adam Piercey**

*President, North Glenora Community League*

# NORTH GLENORA BITS & BOBS



## PUB NIGHT

Pub Night at the **Neighbourhood Tavern** is going strong! Our next night on **May 15th** will celebrate **Spring**, featuring springtime cocktails.



Future nights will be held on the 3rd Friday of every month. Come out and join your neighbours to enjoy some delicious alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks, share conversation, and make memories! Please feel free to bring & share any snacks. More themed nights and events are soon to come!

**Friday, May 15th, 7–11 PM**  
**North Glenora Community Hall**

To volunteer for Pub Nights, please reach out to **Melissa** at [melcamp99@yahoo.ca](mailto:melcamp99@yahoo.ca)

## COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE

Collectibles, Household Goods,  
Toys and lots more **Saturday,**  
**June 6 at the Hall from**  
**9 am to 4 pm.**



Seller Tables available at \$10 for one (1) set up: **Friday, June 5 from 7–9 pm.** To book a table or for more information contact **Kay** at 780.451.4019 or [jkayw@shaw.ca](mailto:jkayw@shaw.ca)

## COMMUNITY TABLE

The NGCL will be hosting a community table, to sell items for residents who will not have their own table available. Need to clear out items from your home? Want to support the community by donating items to be sold? Donate to our table! Any unsold items after the Community Garage Sale will be donated by the community league.

For more information, or to volunteer to run our community table, please contact [president@northglenora.org](mailto:president@northglenora.org)

## SCHOOLYARD NATURALIZATION PROJECT



The North Glenora Sustainability Committee will be receiving a shipment of native plants to add to the Schoolyard Naturalization project in late May.

If you are interested in volunteering for a planting day, please contact:

[sustainability@northglenora.org](mailto:sustainability@northglenora.org)

or visit [northglenora.org](http://northglenora.org) and

complete the Google Form under the Sustainability Tab. Interested

volunteers will be contacted with more

information as soon as we have a firm

date. This is a great way to get **student volunteering hours** completed as well!

We're also looking for volunteers to help water the garden over the summer months. Native plants are low maintenance in the long-term, but require a lot of care in the first few years. If you're able to take some shifts watering a section of this garden, please contact [sustainability@northglenora.org](mailto:sustainability@northglenora.org) to sign up.

*Thank you North Glenora for supporting our efforts in creating a greener, more resilient, and more biodiverse neighbourhood!*

# NORTH GLENORA BITS & BOBS

## PLANNING & TRANSPORTATION UPDATE

On behalf of everyone on the NGCL P&T Committee, we hope you all have been enjoying the brighter Spring evenings.

### Eco Station Renovations

Our local ECO Station on 114th Ave is closing for major renovations. Consider these alternate locations:

- **Ambleside Eco Station** (Southwest): 14710 Ellerslie Rd SW.
- **Kennedale Eco Station** (Northeast): 5355-127 Ave NW.  
Good for larger loads and metal, featuring a covered drop-off.
- **Strathcona Eco Station** (South): 5150 99 Street NW.  
Known for a well-organized electronics recycling area.

### Westmount Shopping Centre Facelift

Westmount Centre is getting a major facelift! The first "mall" constructed in Edmonton, its new owners have big plans, transforming an aging mall into an outdoor retail environment: <https://retail-insider.com/retail-insider/2026/03/westmount-mall-redevelopment-to-create-open-air-centre/>

### Pedestrian Visibility and Safety

Residents are reminded that parking is prohibited on or within 5 metres (16 feet) of a marked crosswalk, as per City of Edmonton Bylaw 5590. The 5 metre distance is measured from the near side of the marked crosswalk.

**SPEED BUMPS:** Do you have concerns about too many vehicles travelling at higher speeds on 135th Street or any other street in North Glenora? In addition to existing speed limit measures, share your thoughts with us on possible interventions.

**TRAFFIC LIGHTS:** Are you having problems entering or exiting 135 St or 139 St from 107 Ave? Share your thoughts on having traffic lights at these locations.

Please share your concerns with [plan@northglenora.org](mailto:plan@northglenora.org).

### Want to know more?

Check out the NGCL Website [www.northglenora.org](http://www.northglenora.org) and our Face Book page. On a City level, check out *THE SCOOP* newsletter available by request at [zoningbylawrenewal@edmonton.ca](mailto:zoningbylawrenewal@edmonton.ca).

**Cathie Monson** P & T Committee

## GARDEN BED RENTALS



### Garden Bed Rentals NOW OPEN for the North Glenora Community Garden

Beds are 4' x 8' and are \$30 for the season. A \$25 deposit is also required and be returned at the end of October once the garden beds have been cleaned up. **Our Garden Coordinator has seeds to share with all Community Gardeners.**

Contact [communitygarden@northglenora.org](mailto:communitygarden@northglenora.org) to secure your garden bed for the 2026 Growing Season!

## ALMOST THERE! BOARD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our 15 member NGCL Board is in **URGENT** need of volunteers to fill the following **3 vacant positions**:

**Vice-President:** Our vice-president assists the president in overseeing the operations and administrative functions of the NGCL. Vice-presidents often move on to the president role, but this is not a requirement or expectation. The vice-president supports the operations of the NGCL in accordance with the current reporting structure.

**Member Engagement:** Our Member Engagement Director provides residents of North Glenora the opportunity to purchase league memberships through the annual Membership Campaign and on an ongoing basis.

**Activities & Programs:** Our Activities & Programs Director oversees league activities and programs by recruiting volunteers, supporting event committees with planning and budget, and looking for exciting new programs and events we could bring to North Glenora.

Along with these board roles, there are several low-commitment volunteer opportunities that the community league is seeking volunteers for. For more information, contact [president@northglenora.org](mailto:president@northglenora.org).



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## Sarah Hoffman

MLA FOR EDMONTON-GLENORA

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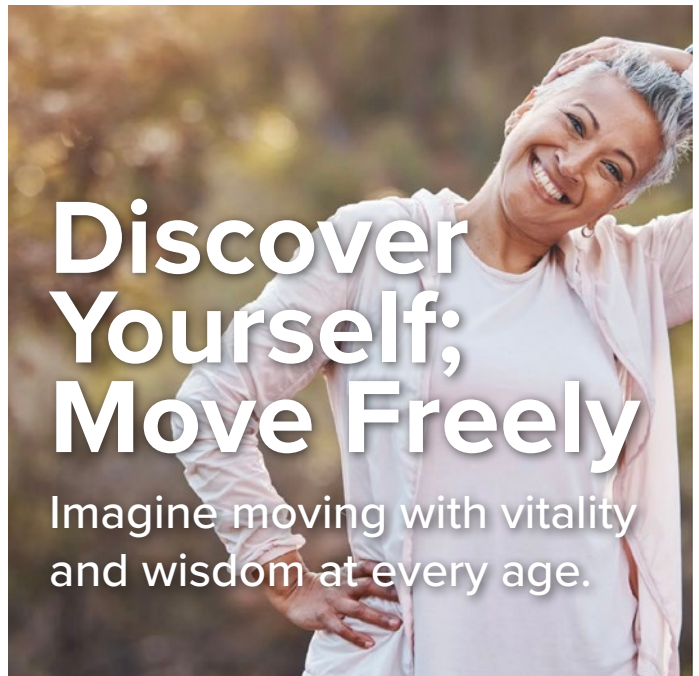
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# NORTH GLENORA BITS & BOBS

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### 33rd ANNUAL REUSE FAIR!

May 9th, 2026, 10 am–3 pm, NGCL Hall



Plan to attend and pick up some **FREE** previously loved items, or bring some of your own to give away! We're also having a plant and garden exchange, so come prepared to make some fun plant exchanges and pick up some unloved garden tools!

A Reuse Fair is an innovative way to encourage and enable the reuse of household items before they are recycled or thrown into the garbage. We do not accept items that can be resold at charity shops such as clothing and furniture. Only items listed will be accepted. Start saving for the exchange now!

**Want to Volunteer? Are there any items that your organisation could use?** Please contact **Margaret** at [moutard@shaw.ca](mailto:moutard@shaw.ca) or 780.451.0808

#### Arts & Crafts Supplies

Baskets (green berry & wicker only)  
Bingo dabbers (full only)  
Bows  
Cellophane  
Chalk  
Clay (modeling, pottery & play-doh)  
Cookie Cutters  
Corks  
Craft Kits  
Crayons (pencils & wax)  
Feathers

#### Floral Arranging Supplies

(Holders, picks, etc.)  
Flowers (artificial only)  
Foam Core  
Glitter  
Glues (white, sticks & craft)  
Googly Eyes  
Magnets  
Molds  
Packing Peanuts  
Paint (acrylic, craft & water colour only)  
Paint Brushes (arts & crafts only)  
Pastels  
Pipe Cleaners  
Pom-poms  
Ribbon (fabric, gift & raffia)  
Rubber stamps & ink pads  
Scissors  
Sea Shells  
Sponges  
Stencils  
Stickers  
String  
Styrofoam (balls, cubes & sheets only)  
Wax

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Clipboards  
Duotangs  
Dividers  
Hole Punches  
Notebooks  
Staplers/staples  
Writing supplies  
**Metal**  
Clean Aluminum pie plates & tart shells

Frozen Juice lids

Keys  
Pull tabs (from pop or beer cans)  
Small hardware (brackets, nails, screws, etc.)  
Tins (Altoid, coffee, cookie and cylinders with lids)

#### Sewing/Knitting Supplies

For crochet, cross-stitch, embroidery, knitting, macramé, needlepoint, quilting, sewing and rug hooking.  
Burlap  
Fabric (minimum 025 meters)  
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Neck Ties  
Needles (crochet, knitting, sewing, etc.)  
Patterns  
Wool

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Maps  
Paper (all types, usable only)  
Poster board  
Postcards  
Postage Stamps  
Posters  
Stationary  
Tissue Paper  
Wrapping Paper  
**Plastic (Clean Only)**  
Bread bag tags  
Bubble wrap  
Film canisters (with lids)  
Ice cream pails (4L with lids)  
Laundry soap scoops  
Margarine containers (with lids, 1 & 2 lb only)  
Milk jug lids  
Yogurt containers (with lids, 750 gram only)

#### Camera Supplies

Film, photographic equipment.

#### Magazines

Craft, National Geographic, Nature, Fitness, etc. (No catalogues or free publications)

#### Miscellaneous

Bags (cloth, paper, plastic & Ziplock)  
Bells  
Board Games  
Candles & candle holders  
Egg Cartons  
Jars (baby & canning only, with lids)  
Jewellery (including broken)  
Key Chains  
Lapel Pins  
Marbles  
Medals  
Party decorations & supplies  
Picture Frames (with or without glass)  
Playing Cards  
Prize Ribbons  
Promotional buttons  
Puzzles (incl incomplete)  
Seasonal Decorations (Valentine's Day, Easter, Canada Day, Halloween, Christmas, etc.)  
Shelf Liner  
Storage Bins  
Tennis & golf balls  
Trophies  
Vases  
Watches (incl. broken)  
**Gardening Supplies / Plant Exchange**  
Plant pots (Ceramic & Clay Only)  
Plants, annual/perennial

**Please, No clothing/ furniture or items that could be taken to Charity shops. No binders or non-working electronics.**

## SPRING CLEANUP

May 9th, 2026, 10 am–3 pm, NGCL Hall



Drop in any time between 10 am and 3pm. Meet in the parking lot outside the hall. Come join your neighbours as we tidy up the playground, green spaces, streets and alleys. Gloves, garbage bags, rakes, and pickers will be provided along with water (bring your own refillable bottle) and snacks.

**Need volunteer hours? Student volunteers welcome!**

To volunteer, or for more information, please email [president@northglenora.org](mailto:president@northglenora.org).

## OPEN HOUSE

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at [member@northglenora.org](mailto:member@northglenora.org)

### Member Benefits

- Networking with neighbours
- Online access to community news
- Free skating on outdoor, and some indoor rinks
- Admission discounts at any City of Edmonton sports and fitness facilities
- Ticket discounts to some professional sports games
- Option of playing sports on community league teams
- A voice and a vote on community issues, programs and services
- Borrow free tools from the Edmonton Tool Library
- Access to community social events
- Reduced rental rates for the community league hall
- The opportunity to help strengthen your community

## Questions?

Please contact [member@northglenora.org](mailto:member@northglenora.org).

### Additional Benefits

North Glenora Community League (NGCL) is a member of the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues (EFCL). Along with numerous programs your community league membership gains the larger benefits of perks, deals, and discounts from various local businesses and organizations that partner with the EFCL. Memberships are also available through the EFCL website. Visit [www.efcl.org](http://www.efcl.org) for details.

Send greetings to community members to welcome new neighbours, celebrate births, milestone birthdays, or condolences. Contact [member@northglenora.org](mailto:member@northglenora.org)

### Pay it Forward with Donations

Donations can be made by dropping a cheque in the community hall mailbox 13535 109A Avenue or by Etransfer to [member@northglenora.org](mailto:member@northglenora.org)

### Important NGCL Contacts

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