

# GAMBLING IN B.C.

BCLC games are available in almost every community in B.C.

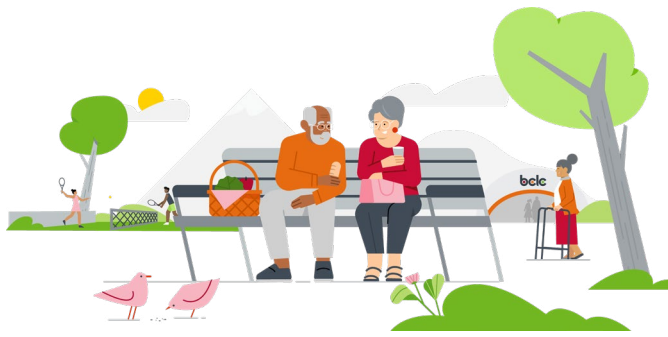
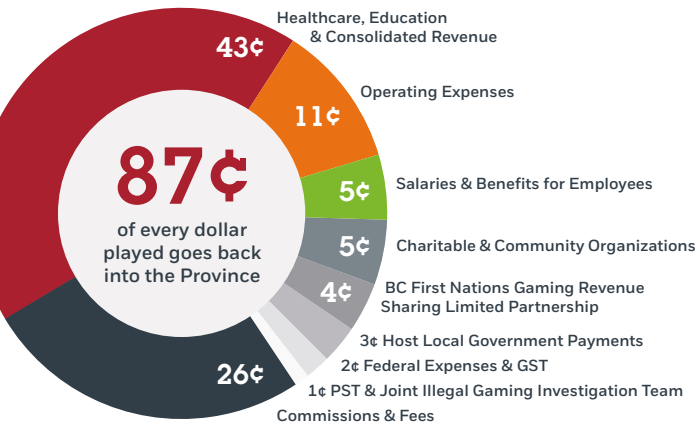
- 20 casinos
- 14 community gaming centres
- 2 racetrack casinos
- 1 bingo hall

**\$1.16 billion**  
in prizes for lottery, bingo & sports betting in 2022/23

**3,400**  
lottery locations

**\$28+ billion**  
in gambling revenue has been invested in B.C. communities by the Province of B.C. since 1985

Thanks to players, **\$1.6 billion** in net income delivered to the Province of B.C. in 2022/23.



**DID YOU KNOW?**

Elements Casino Chilliwack supports local charities and community groups in Chilliwack through Knight Road Legacy Association. Since 2012, gambling revenue from Elements Casino Chilliwack has funded donations of \$4.3 million to local charities and community groups. In 2022, 47 groups received funds, including Rotary clubs, school PACs, YMCA, Kiwanis Clubs and Legions, and many sports teams and organizations.

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**2022/23**

# Chilliwack Community Impact Report



## GAMBLING CONTRIBUTES

# TO THE CHILLIWACK ECONOMY

**12,032+**  
registered players

**63**  
lottery locations

**1**  
casino  
ELEMENTS CASINO CHILLIWACK



**\$2.71**  
million

generated in 2022/23 by  
Elements Casino Chilliwack  
for the City of Chilliwack to  
fund local initiatives

**\$1.79 million**

Prizes paid out at BCLC's head  
offices for 194 winning lottery  
tickets purchased in Chilliwack  
in 2022

**\$16.8**  
million  
in provincial gambling  
revenue shared with the  
City of Chilliwack since  
2012

Each year, municipal and First Nation governments in B.C. that host a gambling facility receive a 10 per cent share of net gambling income generated at those facilities. Last year, 33 Host Local Governments across B.C. received **\$100.8 million** in provincial gambling revenue to fund local projects and initiatives.

## GAMBLING REVENUE

# FUNDS LOCAL INITIATIVES IN CHILLIWACK

Last year, the Province of B.C. allocated approximately **\$140 million** to not-for-profit organizations through its Community Gaming Grants program.

**71**

organizations  
in Chilliwack  
received  
funding last  
year

**\$1.71**  
million

went to support those  
organizations in the human  
and social services sector,  
public safety, sports, arts and  
culture, and parent advisory  
councils

## SPONSORSHIPS CHILLIWACK

In 2022, Great Canadian Entertainment made donations to a variety of organizations from gambling revenue from Elements Casino Chilliwack. Chilliwack Bowls of Hope Society, Ann Davis Society, Chilliwack Hospice Society, and Chilliwack Hospital Foundation each received donations of \$1,000 or more.



Read more about how gambling  
revenues help communities grow at:  
**corporate.bclc.com**

## GENERATING WIN-WINS

# IN CHILLIWACK

In 2022, the City of Chilliwack used a portion of its **\$2.2 million** share of provincial gambling revenue from hosting Elements Casino Chilliwack to help fund several public infrastructure rehabilitation projects.

Funds also contributed to a variety of programs for social supports, helping those with the most need in Chilliwack's communities and neighbourhoods.

## PLAYER HEALTH GAME BREAK



It's important to take breaks when gambling. It's a way to pause and regain perspective. However, when it becomes harder to fit in breaks and gambling just doesn't seem fun anymore, BCLC's Game Break program can be the first step towards getting help.

In January 2023, BCLC launched Game Break, a reconceptualized self-exclusion program with an active reinstatement process that strives to reduce stigma and empower individuals to make the right choices for themselves.

When a Game Break term is completed, individuals take part in an online program that encourages self-reflection and awareness before they return to gambling, if they choose to at all. If they are not ready, they have the option to extend their break.

**For more information on Game Break visit [GameSense.com](https://www.gamesense.com)**

