

WHAT'S PLAYED HERE

Stays Here

For more than 40 years, our profits have stayed here in B.C. benefitting B.C. communities.

\$31+
billion

has been invested in
B.C. communities
since 1985

\$1.3
billion

in net income
delivered to the
Province of B.C.
in 2025/26

\$1.17
billion

in prizes for lottery,
bingo & sports
betting in
2025/26

36

casinos

3,500+

lottery locations



YEAR IN REVIEW

BCLC's Economic Impact in B.C.

Scan the QR code to read more
about BCLC's impact in B.C. in
our 2026 Year in Review



BCLC'S

Human Connection Project

BCLC is changing what a gambling organization can be. For more than 40 years, BCLC has brought people together through shared moments of entertainment and community. But for our players, partners, people and communities, we knew BCLC could do even more. So, we've decided to put human connection at the heart of everything we do. It means that we strive to develop products with purpose, co-create community-impact programs, and build partnerships that support happier and healthier communities.



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revenues help communities grow at:
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2025/26

Courtenay Community Impact Report



GAMBLING CONTRIBUTES TO THE

Courtenay Economy

1 casino	Chances Courtenay
34	Lottery Locations
18,558+	Registered Players

**\$16.02
million**

in provincial gambling
revenue shared with the
City of Courtenay
since 2008

\$298,904

in prizes paid out at BCLC's
head offices for 98 winning
lottery tickets purchased
in Courtenay in 2025

**\$1.07
million**

generated in 2025/26 by
Chances Courtenay for
the City of Courtenay to
fund local initiatives

\$104,556

paid in municipal taxes
by Chances Courtenay
to the City of
Courtenay in 2025

Each year, municipal and First Nations governments in B.C. that host a gambling facility typically receive a 10 per cent share of net gambling income generated at those facilities. In fiscal year 2025/26, BCLC generated \$83.4 million for the Province to distribute to 33 Host Local Governments across B.C. to fund local projects and initiatives.

GAMBLING REVENUE

Funds Local Initiatives in Courtenay

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

61

organizations in
Courtenay
received funding
last year

**\$1.84
million**

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

DID YOU KNOW

Local Impact

In addition to supporting community initiatives, Chances Courtenay also sources supplies and services from a variety of local vendors. These include Pacific Air and Mechanical, Den-Mar Electric, Clay-Nor Landscaping, Sure Copy, Speedpro Signs, Saratoga Speedway, North Island Draft Services, and Pacific Wind Powerwashing.

SPONSORSHIP

Comox Valley Food Bank

BCLC and Chances Courtenay volunteered at the Comox Valley Food Bank during the holiday season. In partnership with Quality Foods, more than 300 pounds of protein were donated to help support local families and individuals accessing the Food Bank's services.



YOU PLAY

Courtenay Benefits

In 2025, the City of Courtenay used its share of provincial gambling revenue to support a wide range of community priorities and local initiatives. Funding supported cultural organizations such as the Courtenay and District Historical Society, Sid Williams Theatre Society, Comox Valley Art Gallery, and Comox Valley Community Foundation, along with groups advancing food security, environmental stewardship, and community wellness.

The City also allocated provincial gambling revenue to support Indigenous initiatives including the Kómoks First Nation Guardian Watchmen Program, National Indigenous Peoples Day celebrations, and the MIKI'SIW Métis Association Spirit Walk for Truth and Reconciliation Day. Additional funding contributed to free outdoor pool admissions for the season, community events, and programs delivered by the Comox Valley Transition Society and Florence Filberg Centre.

In addition to this, funds were used to support one-time community infrastructure priorities, including traffic calming improvements on Back Road and site remediation and demolition works at 90 5th Street to support future riverfront flood protection improvements.

LOCAL IMPACT

Community Support

In the Comox Valley, Chances Courtenay supported a range of community organizations and initiatives in 2025 through sponsorships and in-kind donations. Organizations supported by Chances Courtenay included Comox Valley Kiwanis Club, Comox Valley Hospital Foundation, Comox Valley Child Development Association, Comox Valley Transition Society, Comox Valley Food Bank, and Bowser Care Home. Chances Courtenay also supported Comox Valley Ringette Association, Glacier Kings Hockey Club, Glacier View Ladies Golf League, Vancouver Island Paddling Club, and GP Vanier Basketball Club. Comox Valley Rotary Rib Fest and Comox Valley Rotary Whiskey Fest also received sponsorship support.

Match Restaurant at Chances Courtenay held more than 15 Burger & Brews fundraising events in 2025, helping to raise over \$10,000 for local non-profits.