



RECREATION, SPORTS, CULTURE AND COMMUNITY LIFE DEPARTMENT

2019 PORTRAIT

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Recreation, Sports, Culture and Community Life Department is to offer accessible recreational, sports, culture and community life services in order to improve the quality of life of residents.

OUR VALUES

COOPÉRATION
MOBILITY
ACCESSIBILITY
QUALITY
EQUALITY

VISION

The Recreation, Sports, Culture and Community Life Department aims to be a unifying actor for the community and its territorial partners. Its existence is necessary in order to continually contribute to the improvement of a healthy and enriching quality of life, considering the needs of all residents of the Chelsea community in terms of recreation, sport, culture and community life.

GOALS

Support and encourage the efforts and commitment of organizations and volunteers on the Chelsea territory who support the Municipality in its actions and interventions related to community life.

Promote participation and voluntary involvement of residents in the development and improvement of the quality of life in their community and in the vitality of their community.

Offer complementarity in the services and activities offered to residents in the sports, cultural and socio-community sectors.

Accessibility to quality services that can meet the needs of residents.

A real network of partners in the community.

12 EVENTS AND PROGRAMS SUPPORTED BY
THE RECREATION, SPORTS, CULTURE AND COMMUNITY LIFE DEPARTMENT

WINTER FUN (2 events in 1, Carnival and Trail) (MI-FEBRUARY)

THE HEART OF CHELSEA (FEBRUARY)

HEALTH CHALLENGE (APRIL)

CHELSEA IN CELEBRATION (JUNE)

YOUTH COOP (CIEC) (JUNE TO AUGUST)

GATINEAU RIVER FESTIVAL (JULY)

LA GRANDE MARCHÉ (END OF OCTOBER)

SENIORS' OUTING (OCTOBER)

MAGICAL CHRISTMAS (EARLY DECEMBER)

SENIORS' CHRISTMAS DINNER (MID-DECEMBER)

BLOCK PARTIES

RECREATION, SPORT, CULTURE AND COMMUNITY
LIFE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
6 members, 2 council members
11 meetings per year

Advises council in matters of recreation, sport,
culture and community life

7 EVENTS AND PROGRAMS ORGANIZED BY THE RECREATION, SPORTS, CULTURE AND
COMMUNITY LIFE DEPARTMENT

Chelsea Volunteer Recognition Gala (Mid-April)

Sports Day (June)

Tuesdays In Music (July And August, According To Schedule)

Fleurons Du Québec (April To September)

Community Services Fair (Late August / Early September)

Sunday Bike Day (June - October)

Folk Picnic In The Meech Valley (Late September) In Collaboration With The NCC

***+/- 10000 ENTRIES AND/OR
PARTICIPATIONS TO THESE
ACTIVITIES***

30 ORGANIZATIONS RECOGNIZED IN 2018

11 SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS

12 COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

4 CULTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

3 OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

15 PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS

Chelsea Foundation / Meredith Centre

Dunderosa Golf Club: Use Of Tennis Courts

Outaouais Sports Association / Arena Agreement

Chelsea Nordiq / Land Use For Skiing

Hydro-Québec / Rental Of A Trail At "Peters Point".

Innovation Chelsea / Access To The Community Trail

Club Cascades: Rental Of Grounds Club Activities

Food Pantry In The Hills: Low Cost Store At The Farm Point Community
Centre

Gatineau Valley Historical Society: Point Of Service At The Public
Library

Vélo Service Inc.: Bicycle Patrollers On Sunday On Chemin De La Rivière

Old Chelsea Protestant Cemetery Management Committee

Curling Des Collines Service Agreement

NCC, Museums, Meredith Centre: Passes For Library Members

Transcollines: Transport For Community Events

Commerce Chelsea: Maintenance Of The Skating Rink In The Centre-
Village



COMMUNITY CENTRES

FARM POINT COMMUNITY CENTRE

More Than 600 Hours Of Private Rentals

More Than 895 Hours Of Activities By Community Organizations / Year

Activities:

Dinner for Seniors

Karate | Yoga | Ballet | Fitness

Christmas Lunch

Winter Pleasures

Gatineau River Festival

Groups:

Chelsea North Recreation Committee

Chelsea Housing Corporation

Pool Group

Darts League

Pantry in The Hills

HOLLOW GLEN COMMUNITY CENTRE

More Than 200 Hours Of Private Rentals And More Than 285 Hours By
Community Organizations / Year

Activities:

Chelsea Library, Monthly Branch

Yoga | Tai-Chi

Christmas Lunch

Easter Egg Hunt

Groups:

Hollow Glen Residents' Association

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

VÉLO SYMPATHIQUE

FLEURONS DU QUÉBEC (4 STARS)

MUNICIPALITÉ AMIE DE LA FAMILLE ET DES AINÉS

FAIR TRADE VILLAGE

THE MEREDITH CENTRE IS UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF THE CHELSEA FOUNDATION

2 MASTERPLANS

Active Transportation Master plan
Parks and Green spaces Master plan

3 NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS

CENTRE-VILLAGE

FARM POINT

HOLLOW GLEN

SPORTS FIELDS

Soccer Fields: 6

Ball Fields: 1

Basketball Courts: 4

Community Boxes: 3

Outdoor Rinks: 4 (Including One Shared with Chelsea Business in The Centre-Village)

34 Km of Cycle Paths on streets (Shared Lanes, Shoulder, Bicycle Path)

15 Km of Bicycle Paths Under Development

20.5 Km for The Community Trail (Under Development)

Several Trails in Different Parts of The Municipality

7 POLITIQUES

POLITIQUE DE GESTION CIMETIÈRE PROTESTANT OLD CHELSEA
POLITIQUE DES NOMS COMMÉMORATIFS DE CHELSEA
POLITIQUE DE LA FAMILLE ET DES AINÉS
POLITIQUE DE RECONNAISSANCE ET DE SOUTIEN
POLITIQUE CULTURELLE
POLITIQUE DE L'ACTIVITÉ PHYSIQUE DU PLEIN AIR ET DU SPORT. NOUVELLE!
POLITIQUE DE DÉVELOPPEMENT DE COLLECTION DE LA BIBLIOTHÈQUE

3 GREEN SPACE AND INTERPRETATION SITES

Mission Union Church
Interpretive Circuit On The Cross-Loop Path
Woodland And Museum Trail (Under Development)
Hydro-Québec "Chemin Church" Site (Under Development)
2 Heritage Sites
Protestant Cemetery Old Chelsea
Pioneer Cemetery
1 Public Artwork
Cottager's Circle (Marc Walters)

8 NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS

BELLE TERRE
CENTRE COMMUNAUTAIRE FARM POINT
MCNALLY
JUNIPER
RADAPAW
SOUTHRIDGE
DE LA PAIX
PARC MOUNTAIN VIEW (new)

MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

OPEN 36 HOURS A WEEK FROM MONDAY TO SATURDAY

New! Open three days a week during the Holiday Season: 27 to 29 December.

Number of visitors during these three days: 154. Number of loans: 554.

HOLLOW GLEN BRANCH

On the first Wednesday of each month in the evening (2478 documents available for loan)

New! 2 Croque-livres were installed in 2018: one at Farm Point and the other at Hollow Glen

ACTIVITIES

STORY TIME

CLUB LÉGO

YOUNG VOLUNTEERS

R.E.A.A.D. PROGRAM

READING CLUB IN FRENCH AND ENGLISH

AUTHORS' WEEK SPONSORED BY THE LEACROSS FOUNDATION

ACTIVITY "MEET THE AUTHORS" | SLEEPOVERS

SNOWSHOE LOANS

ACTIVE BACKPACK LOANS

TD BOOK CLUB (SUMMER)

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY IN 2018

Hosts School Visits Outside Opening Hours

Open 291 Days With 137 Hours Of Activity Outside Business Hours

25 Volunteers

2353 Volunteer Hours Worked

5824 Subscribers

33,275 Entries (Based On The Typical Week)

66,475 Document Loans

41,185 Documents Including, 2792 Dvds For Adults And Children, 570 Audio Books And 1907 Periodicals Available For Loan.

6 Computer Workstations And 3 Workstations For Research Catalogues

249 Activities Of Animation | 5597 Participants

6 Exhibitions Of Local Artists