

To join the GCA, tear off and fill in this form, attach a \$10 bill or a cheque made out to the Glebe Community Association, and mail it or drop it off at the Glebe Community Centre, 175 Third Avenue, K1S 2K2.

Name(s):
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I would like to volunteer: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe <input type="checkbox"/>
Comments:

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Representing Glebe residents since 1967



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Who we are

The Glebe Community Association (GCA) was formed in 1967. It is a voluntary, non-profit, membership-based organization that is dedicated to protecting and improving our community.

The main goals of the association are to inform the community of events and issues at the municipal level that may be of concern to them and to voice these concerns. We are active in the areas of neighbourhood planning, traffic, streetscape reconstruction, heritage, environment, libraries, education, and community issues of all sorts.

We work closely with two other non-profit groups in the neighbourhood: the Glebe Neighbourhood Activities Group (GNAG), who deliver activities through the Glebe Community Centre) and the Glebe Report, our community newspaper. In addition, the GCA maintains close contact with the Glebe Business Improvement Area (BIA). The GCA is also a member of the Federation of Citizens' Association (FCA) and the City Centre Coalition (CCC). We maintain regular contact with our Capital Ward City Councillor and often coordinate activities with the three other community associations in Capital Ward: Heron Park Community Association (HPCA), Ottawa East Community Association (OECA), and Ottawa South Community Association (OSCA).

What we do

√ Organize everyone's favourite event, the **Great Glebe Garage Sale!** Always held on the last Saturday in May, vendors are asked to donate 10% of their sales to the Ottawa Food Bank. Glebe residents have raised tens of thousands of dollars since the sale's inception in 1986.

√ Provide a forum to discuss **education** issues affecting families in the Glebe.

√ Encourage activities that protect the **environment**.

√ Ensure that the Glebe's **health and social services** needs are addressed.

√ Promote the protection of **heritage** properties and areas.

√ Support the appropriate revitalization of **Lansdowne Park**.

√ Conduct a **membership** drive that aims to visit every household in the Glebe every May.

√ Review and comment on **neighbourhood planning** initiatives and development applications.

√ Ensure that our local **parks** are appropriately maintained and used.

√ Respond to and advise the City on **traffic and parking** issues affecting our neighbourhood.

Why we need you

The Glebe Community Association has no sources of funding other than membership fees. All board members are volunteers.

We run our annual membership campaign every May. Your \$10 per household fee provides us with money for simple things like printing this brochure. It also pays for the (modest) costs associated with running the Great Glebe Garage Sale every year, hosting public meetings, and occasionally donating to projects that are in keeping with the goals of the GCA or hiring experts to help with special causes.

But in addition to the money raised, our membership campaign has another important feature – you! With a large membership base, the GCA has a lot of influence when we speak to City Council or other decision-making bodies. So please sign up and keep our voice strong. Any person 18 years of age and over who lives or works in the Glebe is eligible for membership.

To stay informed throughout the year, sign up for our monthly email updates via our website. (Our list is used for GCA business only and is never shared with other parties.) Be sure to read our articles in the Glebe Report, and check our website regularly for the latest news. And you can join us at our board meetings, held on the 4th Tuesday of the month (except July, August, and December) at 7 p.m. at the Glebe Community Centre.