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Attachments: Permissive Tax Exemption Renewal Form 2025 2Copy.pdf; Letter to Mayor and Council -

2025.docx; CSLB Officers Directors 2025-2026.docx

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Good morning

The Central Saanich Lawns Bowls Club wishes to thank the District of Central Saanich for your continued support over the years. Our club is much more than a sport club; it is also a place where friendships are made and people find comfort in the company of others. For many seniors in our group, it is one of the only forms of contact they have, in fact for many, it is like family.

Please find attached our Permissive Tax Exemption renewal form for 2026, Our letter to Mayor and Council and the list of our current Club officers.

On behalf of all our members, I thank you.

Joe Seewald President Central Saanich Lawn Bowls Club 1800 Hovey Rd Saanichton, BC, V8M 1N4 Email: seewald.joe@gmail.com

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CENTRAL SAANICH LAWN BOWLS CLUB

1800 Hovey Road Saanichton, B.C. V8M1N4 Phone: 250-652-4774

Founded in 1984

April 22, 2025

Mayor Windsor and Council District of Central Saanich 1903 Mt Newton Cross Road Saanichton, B.C. V8M 2A9

Dear Mayor Windsor and Council

Permissive Tax Exemption 1-Year Renewal Application for Non-Profit Organizations Central Saanich Lawn Bowls Club

On behalf of the Central Saanich Lawn Bowls Club, please accept the attached Permissive Tax Exemption 1-Year Renewal Application for Non-Profit Organizations for the 2026 Taxation Year.

The Executive Committee and members of the club recognizes and thanks the District of Central Saanich for their continued support of our Club on many levels, including the annual tax exemption. Your support enhances the quality of life for our members (especially the senior members) and assists in the delivery of our programs and maintenance of the facility, while keeping membership fees at a reasonable level.

With a very strong and dedicated Executive Committee for our 2025 season, our recruitment initiatives continue to reap benefits. During April 2025, we teamed up with Panorama Recreation Centre to offer a first time program for residents interested in learning about lawn bowling as a sport for life. We are reaching out to local schools and introducing the sport to educators and students. These are very exciting times for us. All of this is made possible with your continued support.

Thanks again for your support.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe Seewald President, Central Saanich Lawn Bowls

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Permissive Tax Exemption Renewal Application Instructions

The Community Charter gives Council the authority to allow permissive tax exemptions on properties under certain conditions. Please review Central Saanich Council Permissive Tax Exemption Policy No. 11.Fin to ensure your organization qualifies.

To apply for a Permissive Tax Exemption Renewal, please send a letter, addressed to Mayor and Council, along with the renewal application form attached as also found online at https://www.centralsaanich.ca/programs-services/grants-tax-exemptions. If anything has changed since your prior approval, be sure to include information in the application which illustrate your organization's service to the District of Central Saanich, as well as any statistics that shows the breadth of the organization's service base.

For all new applications, please refer to the Application Instructions and full application form at https://www.centralsaanich.ca/programs-services/grants-tax-exemptions. Please be sure to include any promotional or information brochures that represent your organization and a copy of the most recent annual financial statements. If membership in your organization is required, please include the instructions for obtaining membership.

Although Council has the ability through the Community Charter to allow tax exemptions, there is no obligation to. Council has committed to assisting those agencies and organizations which it believes benefit the greatest number of Central Saanich citizens while considering the type of service being offered by the organization.

Permissive tax exemption provides a means for Council to support organizations within the community which further Council's objectives of enhancing quality of life (economic, social, and cultural) and delivering services economically. Services and activities must be inclusive, accessible and equally available to all residents of the District.

Successful applicants are expected to publically acknowledge the exemption.

Applications are due by no later than 4:30 p.m. on July 31st each year.

Tax exemptions are generally provided for multiple years by Bylaw, subject to an annual renewal process.

For additional information, please contact the Manager of Financial Services at 250-544-4207, or <u>e-mail</u> the Municipal Hall.

Central Saanich

DISTRICT OF CENTRAL SAANICH

Permissive Tax Exemption 1 Year Renewal Application for Non-Profit Organizations

Taxation Year: 2026

Forward your renewal application PRIOR to JULY 31, 2025 to:

In person to: The Corporation of the District of Central Saanich

Finance Department 1903 Mt Newton X Road Saanichton BC V8M 2A9

By email to: <u>municipal.hall@csaanich.ca</u>

By fax to: 250-652-0135

* Applicants may be requested to submit additional information such as most current Financial Statements, Financial Budget, Non-Profit Organization Return or Registered Charity Return at a later date.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

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| Application Date: |
| April 22, 2025 |
| Full Name of Organization: |
| Central Saanich Lawn Bowls Club |
| Property Roll Number/Plan/Lot: |
| Roll # 01-302-23-0353-000 (Lot 2, Plan VIP9268, Section 7, Range 2E, South Saanich Land District |
| Civic Address of Property: |
| 1800 Hovey Road, Saanichton, B.C. V8M 1N4 |
| Mailing Address (if different from civic address): |
| Contact Name: |
| Joe Seewald (President, Central Saanich Lawn Bowls Club) |

| Contact Phone: |
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| Contact Email (Organization & Individual): |
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| Business Number/Society Registration Number/Hospital License: |
| S0018655 |
| 1. Has the Board of Directors changed since last year's application? |
| □ No |
| χ Yes – please attach a list of the current Board of Directors. |
| 2. Have any of the following changed since the last year's comprehensive application or renewal application? |
| ☐ Registered owner of the property |
| ☐ Principal property use |
| ☐ Organization's purpose or goals |
| ☐ Programs offered |
| ☐ 3 rd party lease/rental agreements |
| ☐ Grant funding |
| ☐ Registered Charity or Non-Profit Status |
| ☐ Persons residing on property |
| If you checked any of the above boxes, please explain below: (or attach a separate document): |
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3. How did your organization publicly acknowledge the Permissive Tax Exemption granted and support provided by Central Saanich in 2025? Please attach pictures or examples if available. The Club has the District Logo on the front page and sponsors page of the club's website (central-saanich-lawn.com) and a message of thanks for the support at the bottom of the home page https://www.central-saanich-lawn.com District was invited to our sponsor appreciation night where 50 club members were in attendance to show our appreciation and thank the District for their continued support. I understand additional information may be requested prior to consideration for a Permissive Tax Exemption. I understand that if this application is approved in full or in part for the year of application, it is our organization's responsibility to complete a comprehensive application or renewal form, as determined by the District of Central Saanich, submitting prior to the 31st of July each year to be considered for a future Permissive Tax Exemption. I understand that it is our organization's responsibility to contact the District of Central Saanich if any changes occur with respect to ownership or principal use of property. I certify that I am a current board member of this organization and that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

| Name: | Position: | |
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| Joe Seewald | President | |
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| Signature: | Date: April 22, 2025 | |
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Knowingly submitting an application or information that is not true or accurate will result in loss of eligibility.

CENTRAL SAANICH LAWN BOWLS CLUB

EXECUTIVE AND DIRECTORS

| APRIL, 2025 |
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| Joe Seewald – President - |
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| Gord GummerVice president - |
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| Ed Van Dyk – Secretary – |
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| Molly Button – Treasurer - |
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| George (Jake) Jakubowski – |
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| Arlene Jones – |
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| Jill Wake – |
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| Cathy Thomas – |
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| Phillip Bonneau |
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| Ivo Van Bastelaere |
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