



Bingo Information

The Calgary Girls Choir (CGC) participates in Bingo gaming to raise funds for the organization. Members that choose to work shifts at the Bingo hall will receive a monetary deduction from their Chorister account fees. For the 2022.23 season, a \$150 deduction will be offered for each full shift Bingo worked, and a \$75 deduction will be offered for each half shift Bingo worked. This deduction is applied once the Bingo has been worked. A full shift Bingo is typically 9 hrs in duration and a half shift is 5 hrs.

Bingos are not mandatory and are offered to families on a first come first served basis as a means to reduce their seasonal/annual tuition fees. These are not considered volunteer hours, but instead provide our members with a monetary credit in exchange for their participation. There is no limit to the amount of Bingos a family can work. Sign up for Bingo events occurs through the CGC member site.

Choir members may invite relatives and friends to work Bingos on their behalf. Participants must be at least 18 years old. The work is simple, usually selling Bingo cards or counting money.

Credits for Bingo will be added to your Chorister member account once an event has been completed. **Gaming Credits cannot be redeemed for cash.**

Use of Bingo credits: Bingo credits may be applied to any Choir fees in the same way as Fundraising credits, but do not hold any cash value and cannot be cashed due to AGLC rules. This includes tuition payments (consider paying in installments in order to apply current year's bingo credits earned), camp fees, and tours, but cannot be used for 3rd party expenses, such as concert tickets.

If you cannot attend one of your Bingos it is your responsibility to find a replacement for that Bingo. Please inform the office at your earliest convenience if you are having difficulty. A 'no show' at an event will put the Choir In bad standing and can result in a fine from the Bingo hall. Any fines received will be added to your Chorister account.

Bingos take place year-round at two venues:

- Bingo Barn, 1107 33 St. NE #10 (Non-Smoking Venue)
- Grey Eagle Bingo, 3777 Grey Eagle Dr. Tsuu T'ina Nation (Smoking Venue)

**Grey Eagle does permit smoking in the Bingo hall; Bingo Barn does not.

Bingo Shift Details The online calendar shows all shifts available for that day.

At the Grey Eagle (GE) Bingo Hall (Smoking Venue) the shifts are as follows:

GE Afternoon Shift	10:15am to 4:00 pm	(half credit)
GE Evening Shift	4:15 pm to 9:30 pm	(half credit)
GE Late Evening Shift	9:00 pm to 12:30 am	(half credit)

At the Calgary (BB) Bingo Barn (Non-Smoking Venue) the shifts are as follows:

BB Morning Shift	8:30 am to 11:15 am	(half credit)
BB Afternoon Shift	10:30 am to 3:30 pm	(half credit)
BB Evening Shift	4:30 pm to 9:30 pm	(half credit)
BB Late Evening Shift	9:00 pm to 1:30 am	(half credit)

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