

## The Four Pillars of Service



Our services promote one or more of the Four Pillars of Service: Prevention, Health & Wellness, Community and the Warming Center.

### Prevention:

Providing programs, activities and/or guidance that seek to reduce or deter specific or predictable problems. Protect the current state of well-being, or promote desired outcomes or behaviors.

### Health & Wellness:

Helping people to be active participants in managing their health and lifestyle. Focusing on the mental, physical, emotional and social components of everyday life to promote independent living and aging in place.

### Community:

Serving as the hub, or gathering place, for the varied and diverse elements of our local society. Providing support for groups to develop kinship, positive growth and a cooperative spirit to better our neighborhoods. We are building centered but not building bound.

### Warming Center:

We are the gathering place in the event of a local, community-wide emergency, especially a cold weather emergency. We will offer shelter, warmth and sustenance to those who need us the most in the event of a cold weather disaster.

## Who Are We?

The Greater Maple Valley Community Center is one of the favorite gathering places for community in the area. The GMVCC service area includes Maple Valley, Hobart, Ravensdale and unincorporated King County within the Tahoma school district (90 square miles). Activities and support services are provided both on and off site, and the scope of programming is intergenerational - serving families, youth and senior adults.

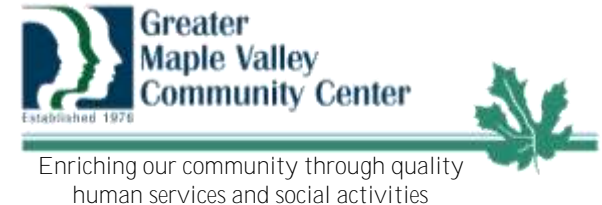
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# Community

## Mission Statement

The Greater Maple Valley Community Center exists to enrich our community through quality human services and social activities

### Community:

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### Community Programs:

#### Alcoholics Anonymous

A fellowship of men and women who seek support for a drinking problem.

#### Autism Support Group



Providing an opportunity for parents to support each other as they raise autistic children.

#### Community Shuttle

A shuttle will pick up seniors, bring them to the Community Center and take them home Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.



#### Emergency Warming Center

Community-wide education project designed to prepare citizens how to be self sufficient in the event of an emergency. We will also serve as a warming center in the event of a cold weather emergency.



#### Facility Rentals

The Community Center's 3,000 square foot hall and full service kitchen are available for rent. Ideal for weddings, receptions, team parties or family gatherings.

#### Fostering Together

Fun, training, and fellowship for families who have adopted, are considering foster care/adoption, or who provide foster care.



#### Friends N' Fun

A social gathering for developmentally disabled adults.

#### Home School Support

A gathering of parents and caregivers that provides socialization opportunities for their children and themselves.



#### #LDRSHIP

Community Service oriented activities for teens and tweens through the Den Teen Center.

#### Maple Valley Family Circle

A community led group that sponsors Toddler Time and Family Movie Nights.



#### Meals on Wheels

Provides nutritious meals to socially isolated seniors.

#### Humane Society Pet Food

In partnership with the Humane Society, the GMVCC provides free pet food for low income seniors who would otherwise be unable to keep their pets.



#### Volunteer Drivers



Rides are provided for transportation dependent individuals to access doctor and therapy appointments.

#### Volunteer Program

Volunteer opportunities for those seeking to give back to their community, complete graduation requirements, or just get out of the house.

