



The Kiwanis Club maintains the historic Pavilion on Stoco Lake in Tweed Memorial Park. Since 1929, the Pavilion has hosted dances, reunions, weddings, concerts, dinners, theatrical performances, meetings/workshops and gatherings of all kinds, including our annual chicken BBQ!



Pavilion Features

- Screened windows overlooking Stoco Lake and Memorial Park
- Ceiling fans
- 1700 ft² hardwood dance floor (30' by 56')
- 5' wide, floor level, promenade areas surround three sides of the dance floor
- Basic seating for 145, can be expanded onto the dance floor to a maximum of 210
- 240 ft² (12' x 20') of elevated stage
- Kitchenette featuring double sink with hot and cold water, large beverage cooler, kitchen refrigerator and vertical freezer
- Accessible ramp and washrooms

Things You Must Bring

- 'Special Occasion Permit' when alcohol is served, and your own 'Smart Serve' certified bar staff
- Event insurance (naming the Kiwanis Club of Tweed as co-insured)
- Beverages and beverage containers
- Musical/audio equipment
- Decorations and supplemental lighting



Pavilion History

- After WWI, Mrs. C.W. Huyck wrote to the Tweed paper suggesting "a memorial park, on the waterfront if possible, with a dock, plenty of shade trees, a covered pavilion and a suitable memorial entrance."
- Originally constructed 1929, it was completed in 44 days, opening Sept. 11.



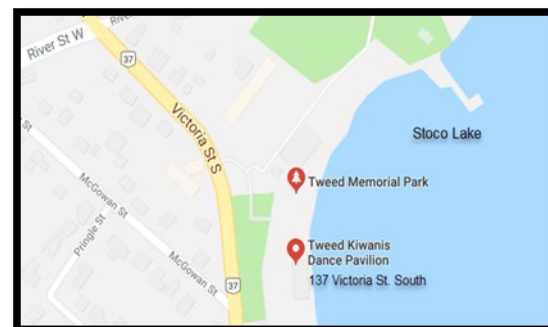
- The Tweed Pavilion is one of the few remaining of its type in Ontario. Most have disappeared due to fire, demolition or conversion to other uses.
- Designed by Fred Kindle, manager of the Steel Trough and Machine Co., the Pavilion remains largely intact with its original materials and design features.
- For decades the Pavilion was the centre of Tweed social activities; regular Friday night and midnight dances are legendary.
- After more than 90 years, the Kiwanis Pavilion remains a significant venue for the Tweed community.
- Restored in 1999, with renovations in 2009, 2011-2013, repainting in 2018, and floor refinishing in 2020. A five-year plan is underway for additional improvements!



“Dancing at the Pavilion is always associated with happiness. No matter what the style of music, its infectious rhythm calls people together, to start moving, to dance, to have fun. People meet people; friendships are made; some fall in love...The words may change, but the feeling is always deep, true and enduring. So another summer at the Pavilion brings exciting groups to provide happy music for you to enjoy, to dance, to make friends.” (1936)

Getting to the Pavilion

The Pavilion is located at 137 Victoria St. South (Highway 37), in Tweed Memorial Park, on Stoco Lake. Parking is available, and public docks are located nearby.



Learn More About the Pavilion

Municipality of Tweed video on the Pavilion:

<http://tinyurl.com/TweedPavilion>

Tweed & Company Theatre video featuring the Pavilion: <http://tinyurl.com/T-CoPavilion>




Would You Like to Rent the Pavilion for Your Special Event?

The Municipality of Tweed manages Pavilion rentals: contact them at 613-478-2535, or www.tweed.ca

Looking to Learn More About the Kiwanis Club of Tweed?

We are a community-based organization of men and women volunteers dedicated to supporting youth in our Municipality. Since 1952, we have been part of a global organization dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time.

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