

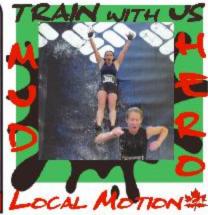






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Run for the Earth event goes better then planned

30 dedicated community members got together last Sunday to celebrate World Environment Day by giving back to Acton. "Run for the Earth" was a student-led run/walk-a-thon held at Prospect Park to raise awareness of the biodiversity of the town.

The goal: for each participant who ran, a tree would be planted in Acton. The result: we raised enough money was raised to plant even more than just one tree per person.

Despite the changing weather, participants enjoyed the green scenery of Prospect Park while running the most laps around the track as possible.

Live acoustic music was provided by Acton High School student Jon O'Neill and his father, as well as pump-up music from DJ Brandon Chiasson and Kevin Hazzard.

Inspire Halton also engaged youth in their activities. Not only that, but after the run, environmental group P.O.W.E.R (Protect Our Water and Environmental Resources) led the group in planting 20 trees alongside the edge of the lake near the splash pad.

Everyone is invited to come check out the newly planted trees, and to gain inspiration from this awesome group.

They would like to thank all the community businesses and sponsors who made this event a reality and provided the funds to plant even more trees than originally planned.

If you would like to assist in planting the remainder of the trees in the following weeks, please contact Lili Paradi, student organizer of "Run for the Earth" lili.paradi@ outlook.com





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