

COMMUNITY

Head for the Hills receives Big Hearts Award from Food4Kids

Organizers of the annual Head for the Hills festival have proven once again that some good can come from the consumption of beer.

The popular local September craft beer get-together received a Big Hearts Award for contributing \$25,000 to the Halton Food4Kids program in 2017, to bring its three-year contribution total to the charitable organization to \$45,000.

Food4Kids' mission is to provide packages of healthy food for elementary school students from at-risk, low-income or disadvantaged homes with little or no food during weekend periods or throughout the summer months.

Currently, there are 91 youths in Halton Hills who rely on Food4Kids, and the donations made from the community will remain within it to support the program, said local program co-ordinator Eva Podoski.

Head for the Hills is a volunteer-run festival by the four service clubs (Kiwanis, Kinsmen, Lions and Rotary) and was voted the province's No.1 beer festival by Ontario Beverage News.

Also receiving recognition from Food4Kids at the awards presentation was Acton's Chris Cassey, who was named volunteer of the year.



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Acton resident Chris Cassey (left) is presented with the Volunteer of the Year Award for Halton by Halton Hills Food4Kids community relations/program co-ordinator Eva Podoski.

Podoski said that Cassey is a "highly engaged" volunteer, helping with shopping, packing, deliveries and spreading awareness about Food4Kids.

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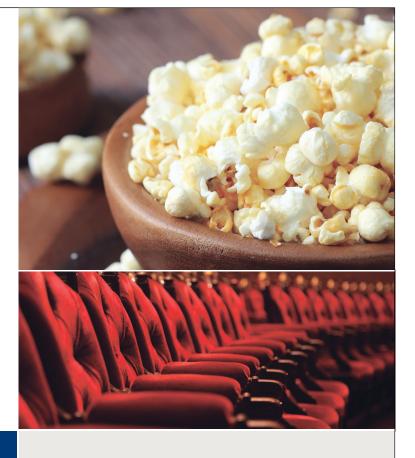
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