

April 21 - 27

# Thanks To Our Dedicated Volunteers

## Celebrating National Volunteer Week

National Volunteer Week 1996 is set for April 21 through April 27 across Canada. This special week is set aside to thank and honor the thousands of volunteers of all ages who volunteer their time and energy to help people and causes they believe in.

On Monday, April 22 Halton Hills volunteers will join other Canadian volunteers from coast to coast to make a unique fashion statement to celebrate the spirit of volunteerism.

April 22 has been designated Volunteer Spirit Day, and volunteer centres from Victoria to St. John's are encouraging volunteers to don pins, uniforms, ball caps, t-shirts or any other apparel they have that represents the organization or cause they lend their time and talents to. The day is a reminder that over six million Canadians contribute their time and talents to benefit

communities from coast to coast.

"Statistics demonstrate that volunteers contribute over \$16 million to the Canadian economy," said Sandy Murphy, president of the Canadian Association of Volunteer Bureau and Centres. "I am excited that there is a special day to recognize them - they deserve to stand up and be counted."

Volunteer Spirit Day is an initiative of the Canadian Association of Volunteer Bureau Centres, in partnership with the voluntary action and multiculturalism programs of the Department of Canadian Heritage.

For more information on Volunteer Spirit Day contact the Halton Social Planning Council and Volunteer Centre at (905) 878-0955.

"Thank You to our members and our extended family of VOLUNTEERS" **ACTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY**  
See You At The Fair

**VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES HALTON BRANCH**



Thank you to our dedicated volunteers. You have made an excellent contribution to your community. **WELL DONE!**

To Be A Volunteer Please Call: **1-800-387-7127**

**THANK YOU!**

**Friends of the Halton Region Museum**



**HALTON REGION MUSEUM**  
875-2200

VOLUNTEERS PRESERVING HALTON'S HERITAGE

**DISTRESS CENTRE**

**NORTH HALTON**

To the dedicated volunteers of the North Halton Distress & Information Centre. A sincere thank you for your many hours of volunteering.

**Seniors Centre GEORGETOWN DISTRICT**

The Indoor Mall, Unit 9  
318 Guelph Street, Georgetown  
Telephone: (905) 877-6444

Centre Hours: Monday - Friday  
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

The Georgetown District Seniors Centre sincerely thanks all of the wonderful volunteers who have given and continue to give of their time, energy and talents to make our Centre such a success!



**ACTON SUPPORT SERVICES AND INFORMATION CENTRE WISHES TO THANK THE VOLUNTEERS FOR ALWAYS BEING THERE WHEN WE NEED THEM**  
19 Willow St. N.

Acton (Halton Hills) Ontario, L7J 1Z6  
(519) 853-3310



*A candle loses nothing of its light by lighting another candle!*

**The Canadian Cancer Society thanks all our special candles**

The Volunteer Drivers  
Convenors  
Captains & Canvassers  
Executive Members

Residential Chairpersons  
Office Helpers  
Special Events Co-ordinators  
Patient Visitors

Thank you for your support, enthusiasm and incredible commitment.



## Volunteer Agency Directory

**Acton Agricultural Society**

Volunteer and Service provided: Members are already preparing for their big event, the Acton Fall Fair on September 20-22. Society is responsible for the livestock show and competition held at Prospect Park.

Contact Person: Daniel Varanelli  
Phone: 853-1159

**Acton Cancer Society**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: volunteer's provide education and patient programs, transportation programs and do fundraising. They put on special events throughout the year. Money raised goes to research and education.

Contact Person: Cathy Gerrow  
Phone: 853-1424

**Acton Co-operative**

**Nursery School**

Volunteer and Service Provided: The parents run the school and assist the teacher in the classroom with the children.

Contact Person: Julia Roehrig  
Phone: 853-1159

**Acton/Georgetown**

**Senior Recreation Centre**

Acton and Georgetown Senior Recreation Centre

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Centres for adults over 55 dedicated to their cultural, social and recreational well-being. A warm welcome extended to all.

Contact Person: Adriana Lawless, Gerald Rennie  
Phone: 853-5951, 877-6444

**Acton Support Services**

**and Information Centre**

Volunteer Program and Service

**Volunteer Agency Directory**

Provided: Multi-service agency using volunteers in Home Support Program - Meals-on-Wheels, Transportation Pool, Volunteer Visiting, Information, Office Support, Parent-Child Drop-In.

Contact Person: Sue Haggith  
Phone: (519) 853-3310

**Allendale**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Volunteers help assist the Recreational Therapy Programs, Hair Salon, Adult Day Program, Friendly Visiting, and Mealtime Assistance and more. Please give us a call!

Contact Person: Diane Dawe  
Phone: (905) 878-4141 ext. 8025

**Bennett Centre**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: retirement centre and home for seniors. Meals, housekeeping, recreation programs and a 24-hour nurse are provided. Twenty core volunteers lead residents through exercises, BINGO, and much more. Couldn't do it without them.

Contact Person: Kelly Herbert  
Phone: 873-0111 ext 191

**Bereavement Resource**

**Centre of Halton Hills**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: BRCHH trains volunteers to provide individual or small group support to those who have been bereaved.

Contact Person: Mary Carpenter  
Phone: 873-7630

**Canadian Mental Health Association**

**Volunteer Program and Service**

Provided: Volunteers assist in

programs aimed at providing people with the opportunity to enhance their mental health.

Contact Person: Leanne Conick  
Phone: (905) 845-5044

**Esqueing Historical Society**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Group meets monthly with speakers on topics of local historical interest about Esqueing Township. Public is welcome.

Contact Person: Mrs. Karen Hunter  
Phone: 838-2109

**Friends Committee**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Program designed to boost the self-esteem of elementary school children usually between grades 2-7. Volunteers meet with children once a week in the school setting. Over 94 volunteers participating in 45 schools.

Contact Person: Diane Salter  
Phone: 844-8211 ext 282

**Georgetown Cancer Society**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Volunteers for the Canadian Cancer Society that play an integral role in delivering essential programs and services to cancer patients, their families and the public.

Contact Person: Shelia Huska  
Phone: 877-1124

**Girl Guides of Canada**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: To help girls and young women become responsible citizens, able to give leadership, and service to the community.

Contact Person: Marilyn Rutland  
Phone: 878-8339

**Glen Williams Town Hall**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Maintains the Glen Williams Town Hall for community use, such as Girl Guides. Sponsors monthly senior luncheons and annual Canada Day Celebrations.

Contact Person: Don Ablett  
Phone: 873-2455 (873-2147)

**Halton Children and Adults with Attention Deficit Disorders (C.H.A.D.D.)**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Monthly meetings on different topics relating to ADHD for anyone interested in information about Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder.

Contact Persons:  
Wanda Bunt (519) 853-3803  
Lesley Break (519) 853-2684

**Halton Chamber of Commerce**

Volunteer Program and Service Provided: The Chamber of Commerce is a volunteer business association that consists of business men and women to improve the civic and business welfare of Halton Hills. A spokesperson for business to government and the media.

Contact Person: Anne Sidebottom  
Phone: 877-7119

**Halton Community Television**

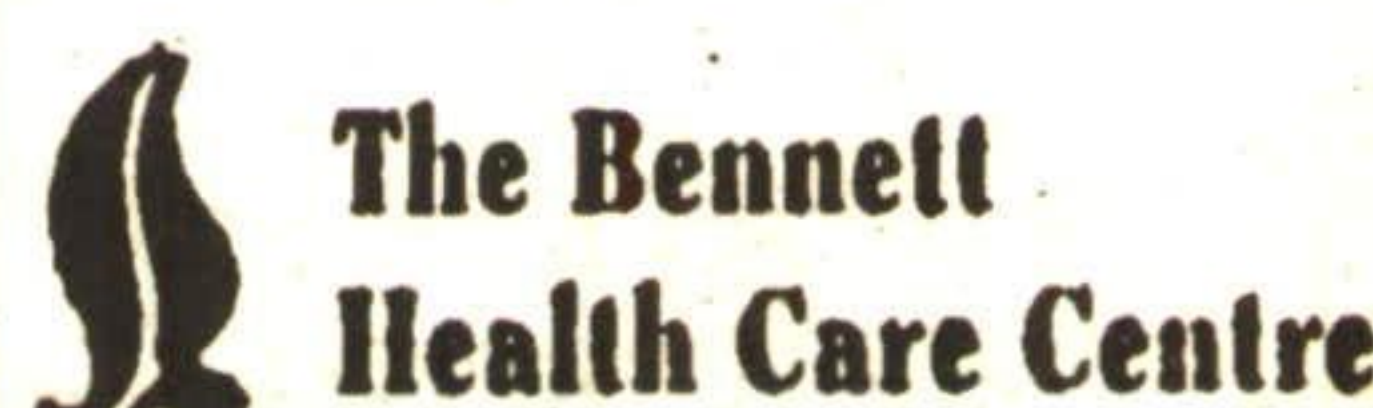
Volunteer Program and Service Provided: Non-profit community television channel providing volunteers with hands-on experience, everything from cameras to directing.

Serves Halton Hills and Milton.  
Contact Person: Dan Wagstaffe  
Phone: (519) 853-1270

**FOR OUR SPECIAL VOLUNTEERS:**

"You enrich our lives & spread good cheer. You give to us throughout the year."

Thank You



**The Bennett Health Care Centre**

Retirement living at its best

**CALL KELLY**

**873-0111 ext. 191**

**THANK YOU TO EVERY SINGLE DONOR, VOLUNTEER ORGANIZER AND WORK PLACE**



**United Way of Halton Hills 877-3066**

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