# hanks To Our Dedicated Volunteers

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by providing quality personal support, assisting with fundraising and advisory groups. The NHADH has a fund-raising Bike-a-thon slated for May 25 and a golf tournament on Sept. 10. Contact: Liza Livingston, 877-5239.

#### Halton District Health Council

The Health Council is the local voice for health service planning, providing advice to the Ministry of Health. Contact: Linda Rothney, (905) 842-2120.

#### Crohn's and Colitis Foundation

Volunteers participate in fund-raising activities, which fund medical research projects to find the cure for inflammatory bowel disease. A Heel 'n' Wheel-a-thon is set for Sunday, May 4. Contact: Paige Stirling, 1-800-387-1479 or (416) 920-5035, ext. 19.

#### Halton VON Volunteer program

Volunteers are active in many of the VON programs: Friendly Visitor Program offers visits to seniors; Hospice Volunteer Program provides assistance and support to those experiencing a terminal illness; Special Steps Program supports visits and walks with memory impaired clients. The Oakville Independent Schools are holding a fund-raising fashion show and raffle on April 17. Proceeds go to the Hospice program. Contact: Linda Shaver, 1-800-387-7127.

#### North Halton Distress and Information Centre

The centre offers spring and fall training programs for those interested in telephone suicide and crisis intervention. Volunteers also provide friendly telephone visiting, one-to-one, and group bereavement support. Fund-raising efforts include a garage sale in May, a mini golf and ice tea tent at the Highland Games, a bake sale slated for June, and a raffle in the fall. Contact: Judith Rasanen, 877-1211.

#### Halton Helping Hands

Volunteers help seniors and disabled adults by providing companionship, odd jobs around the house and yard, escort to community outings including shopping, errands and appointments. This year, the group will be celebrating 25 years of service in Halton. Contact: Denise Charles, volunteer co-ordinator, 878-6403 or (905) 844-0252.

#### North Halton Literacy Guild

Volunteer tutors are trained by the Guild to provide literacy

training to adults who wish to improve their reading, writing and math skills. This year the Guild is holding a garage sale at St. George's Anglican Church in Georgetown on April 19. Contact: Dympna Dewar, 873-2200.

#### CNIB Halton/Peel

Volunteers assist in all aspects of the agency, enhancing services provided by staff. Currently needed are shoppers, drivers and visitors. The Million Dollar Hole-in-One golf tournament will be held May 29 to June 1. Contact: Josie Quinn, (905) 275-5332 or 1-800-390-5780.

#### Halton Police Service volunteers

The Halton Regional Police Service has long been supported through the efforts of many Georgetown citizens who have donated their time volunteering for the police service. The service would like to recognize and thank the members of the Victim Services Unit, Police Auxiliary, Neighbourhood Watch and the Community Consultation Committee. The dedication and work performed by these people certainly enhances the services provided to the community by the Halton Police.

#### Seniors make "grand teachers"

The Grandteacher program, which is in its 12th year of operation, promotes links between seniors and students at Holy Cross School in Georgetown. St. Brigid's School and St. Francis of Assisi School have also welcomed seniors in their midst. Both teachers and students have benefited from the many talents and resources these retirees bring to the classroom. Seniors demonstrate their skills in arts, crafts, story telling, reading, or assisting the teacher in a classroom routine. By their presence in the school, an appreciation of the value and contributions of all generations is cultivated, and for some children who have no senior figure in their lives, the seniors become surrogate grandparents. The Halton Roman Catholic Board has encouraged his blending of generations through the Grandteacher Program.

Any senior who would like more information is asked to phone either of the co-ordinators: Geraldine Barnes at 877-4054 or 877-4451; or Margaret Dewdney at 877-3977.

#### Georgetown Bread Basket

Georgetown Bread Basket opened last year by volunteers to help provide assistance to needy families. The group is holding a craft and bake sale in the hall at St. Andrew's United Church Saturday, May 3, 1 to 4 p.m. Contact: food bank coordinator Colleen Brown at 877-2893.



All volunteers



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Thanks all our volunteers for sharing and dedicating their time with us over the past year.



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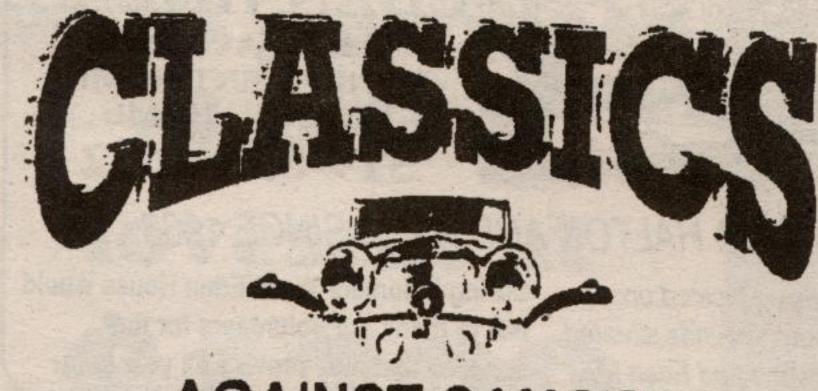


Celebrating 25 years in Halton

### Child Find

A missing child is everyone's responsibility.

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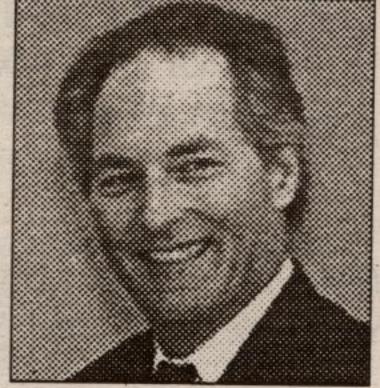


#### AGAINST CANCER

The Annual Classics Against Cancer Antique Classic and Modified Car & Truck Show at Cedarvale Park, Father's Day, Sunday June 15, 1997 has over the past nine years, thanks to its faithful volunteers, raised thousands of dollars for the Cancer society.

If you wish to spend a few hours helping at this ever expanding, fun-filled family event call Diane Masters at 877-5694.





Thank you to all the volunteers in Halton North.

Your time & caring are appreciated and I am pleased to recognize your dedication to our community.

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