

# Become a volunteer— here are a few agencies that need help

## HH-Dog

A dedicated group of volunteers meet each month to discuss leash-free opportunities and issues for Halton dog owners. Currently, we have nearly 150 members and growing! Come and meet new friends who all love dogs. All members/volunteers are welcome. Contact: Lisa Knie 905-873-1130, Maureen, mblyth@cogeco.ca or call Kathy Dorbeck, 905-702-1603. Go to [www.hhdog.com](http://www.hhdog.com) for membership and additional information.

## Heart and Stroke Foundation

Volunteers are needed for the Brampton office of the Heart and Stroke Foundation, which serves the Halton Hills area. Various office positions are available. Also, the Big Bike will be in Georgetown Sunday April 29. For information call 905-451-0021.

## Links2Care

Links2Care offers helpful programs to assist people of all ages. With a wide variety of programs and services, there are volunteer opportunities available, especially an ongoing need for Friendly Visitors, Telephone Assurance Callers, and drivers for lunch-time meal programs. For information, please call Marlene at 905-873-6502 or 519-853-3310.



Ninety-year-old Mae Hoare is an active volunteer, delivering Meals on Wheels for more than 25 years.

## Literacy North Halton

Literacy North Halton is your local adult literacy non-profit organization assisting adults who wish to upgrade their skills in basic reading, writing, math and computers. Volunteers who approach LNH are encouraged to come into the Georgetown office, complete an application, meet with a staff member, and discuss all the opportunities available for helping out. While many are interested in literacy tutoring, others may wish to focus their energy helping to market the program, assist with special projects or

become a board member. For details: 905-873-2200 or [www.literacynh.org](http://www.literacynh.org).



## Mito March

Volunteers are needed for the third annual Mito March: Kure for Kirkland that will be held Sunday, May 27. The purpose of the March is to promote awareness and raise funds in support of mitochondrial disease research at The Hospital for Sick Children. Volunteers are needed now to work on the event's organizing committee and also on the event day. Volunteers will have the opportunity to meet lots of enthusiastic people who really care about this critical health issue, to use their skills and talents for an important cause, and know they are making a difference. Anyone interested in volunteering is asked to call Tracey at 416-785-9896 or e-mail her, including all contact information at [traysea64@hotmail.com](mailto:traysea64@hotmail.com).

## POWER

Each spring and fall, POWER (Protect Our Water and Environmental Resources) works with Halton Hills elementary and secondary students to plant trees and provide extensive outdoor education experiences. To date, in the past seven years, we have engaged more than 12,000 students and community members in our local reforestation efforts. But we always need volunteer help. So if you can give us a hand for a day or more, please call 905-873-6382 or e-mail [trees@powerhalton.ca](mailto:trees@powerhalton.ca). Our planting and outdoor education days this spring are April 17-19, 24-26 and May 1-3. Info: [www.powerhalton.ca](http://www.powerhalton.ca)

## United Way of Halton Hills

United Way of Halton Hills is a volunteer-driven organization that works to improve lives and strengthen our community by funding various social service programs. Volunteers oversee agency allocations, special events (including the President's Ball and Holiday House Tour), as well as our annual

fundraising campaign. Funds raised in Halton Hills, stay in Halton Hills. We are currently looking for volunteers to sit on our Board of Directors, to assist with the President's Ball and to lend a hand with campaign. To get involved, please contact Kim Robinson, at [unitedwayhh@bellnet.ca](mailto:unitedwayhh@bellnet.ca) or 905-877-3066.

## Upper Credit Humane Society

Upper Credit Humane Society requires volunteers in all areas: for our dogs, more volunteers, more walks and attention; the cats love being petted and groomed...anything you can do for them will be gratefully received. Volunteers are needed for fundraising, planning, ideas and helping out at special events and always we need more assistance in the office at the Shelter. Our Thrift Shop located in Moore Park Plaza, Georgetown could open more hours if we have more volunteers to run it. If you have a love of animals and an hour or two to spare on a regular basis, please call UCHS Shelter at 519-833-2287 and volunteer — we will welcome you!



Shakes and Casey depend on volunteers.

**HALTON HILLS**  
Chamber of Commerce

Any organization is only as strong as its volunteers. Thank you to all the volunteers throughout Halton Hills that give so freely of their time and energy."

**328 Guelph Street, Georgetown**  
**905-877-7119**

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THANK YOU to our volunteers who dedicate their time and efforts to help make a difference. You are truly appreciated for all that you do!

For information on volunteer opportunities, contact Heather Thompson at 905-632-6513 ext 64 or toll free at 1-888-389-5535 or visit our website at [www.tfyhalton.ca](http://www.tfyhalton.ca)

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Bird Day and other special events at WPEC are dependent on volunteers.



**Mountainview Residence**

A heartfelt Thank You to our wonderful volunteers. Your presence is irreplaceable.

**222 Mountainview Rd. N;**  
**Georgetown**  
**905-877-1800**



Girl Guides of Canada Guides du Canada

As we celebrate National Volunteer Week, Girl Guides of Canada would like to recognize the women who give their time and energy to make a difference in the lives of Canadian girls.

**On behalf of the girls,**  
**Thank You!**  
1.800.565.8111  
[www.girlguides.ca](http://www.girlguides.ca)

**Georgetown Skating Club**

Sanctioned by: **Skate Canada**

Thank you to our many volunteers for a successful skating season at the Georgetown Skating Club & To our community volunteers!

[www.georgetownskatingclub.ca](http://www.georgetownskatingclub.ca)

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**COMMUNITY LIVING NORTH HALTON**  
Celebrating 52 years - 1955 to 2007

Community Living North Halton's mission is to provide supports and services to individuals with developmental disabilities and to enhance their personal growth and inclusion in the community.

**THANK YOU** to all of our volunteers who help us toward our vision; "An inclusive community, where everyone belongs."

We greatly appreciate all that you do and the difference you make in the lives of others.

For volunteer opportunities please contact Sara MacLeod at 905-878-7656 ext. 40