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ANNUAL MILTON GOOD NEIGHBOURS COMMUNITY DAY SET FOR MAY 4

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Milton's largest community cleanup day takes place on Saturday, May 4.

Rain or shine, volunteers are asked to meet at Milton Town Hall, 150 Mary St. beginning at 8 a.m.

This is the 27th year that volunteers will be coming together on the first Saturday of May to clean up Milton.

Each year, some 800 to 900 volunteers come out to clean up town sites, parks, and other community areas throughout town.

They also help people who are unable to perform tasks such as washing windows, digging gardens, planting flowers and raking leaves.

Organizers say the great thing about this day is that while we have seen incredible growth in the town over the years, we've seen a larger jump in Miltonians who are getting involved in their community.

Everything gets kick started with a breakfast of bacon on a bun (or tomato and cucumber) cooked by the Rotary Club, with most of the food donated by local businesses.

Afterward, volunteers will be assigned tasks and if necessary their equipment - gloves, window cleaner, paper towels and garbage bags.

Each volunteer is provided with a Good Neighbours Community T-shirt.

The RCMP and Halton regional police will drive to the various sites to supply the volunteers with water, fresh fruit, and snacks.

To decrease on waste production, please bring a water bottle and organizers will be filling them up for you.

To learn more, go to www.miltongoodneighbours-day.ca.

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