

The Deep River Earth Day Community Cleanup

If you belong to an organized club or any type of community group in Deep River, be it Minor Soccer, the X-Country Ski Club, or the Chess Club, any of the many different clubs we are fortunate to have, then here's your chance to participate in a truly community effort. We are once again in the process of planning a coordinated Community Cleanup for this year's Earth Day activity and your contribution is needed.

Our local Tim Horton's has been a supportive sponsor of the Community Spring Clean up in Deep River for a number of years and will again be supplying free t-shirts to the first 120 participants. Gloves and garbage/recycle bags will also be provided to everyone involved.

We are looking for your club members to volunteer a few hours of their time to participate in a town wide cleanup. Earth Day is April 22 and with the growing concerns about our environment this is a perfect opportunity for the young and old to get out and help set a positive example for all to follow. To make it even easier for maximum participation we are setting **Saturday April 24th** as the day for your club to get active and join forces with the community on whole. If you want to get involved please contact Brian as soon as possible so that a plan can be developed, the contact information is below.

There are many projects that might come to mind when you consider what your small (or large) group would like to do in the Community Coordinated Earth Day effort. The simplest of which would be to pick up some of the trash that has accumulated over the winter, but if you have another idea that your club would like to do than we will accept that.

To be sure that you are not covering the same area as one of the many other clubs, we ask that you please contact us with any independent projects your group may be proposing. You can synchronize your plan with Brian anytime between 10:00 and 6:00. Call 613-584-2118 or send an e-mail to: brian.mcinall@sympatico.ca

Last Year The Deep River Earth Day Community Cleanup is supported by:

The Town of Deep River, The DR Community Foundation, The DR Horticultural Society, The DR Rotary Club, The DR Cross-Country Ski Club, The DR Underwater Club, The DR Lawn Bowling Club, The North Renfrew Environmental Action Group, Donna Watt - State Farm Insurance Agent and Staff, Canadian Tire, Home Hardware, Valley Wines, Giant Tiger, The LoonsNest, Fleury's Valu-Mart, P&G Pumping, Bagg's Road Landfill SLC, The S.K. James L. Masterson Squires Circle, The Sparks, The Path Finders, The Girl Guides, The Chalk River & Deep River Brownies, The 1st Deep River Scouts, and all those individuals who just showed ready and willing to help out.

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