

**Volunteer
Opportunities
for Youth
in North Leeds**

NLYCC

The North Leeds Youth Coordinating Committee was established in 1997. Our mission is to provide youth with opportunities to develop into healthy, responsible adults with a strong sense of community. Through United Way funds, we are able to financially support applications for youth oriented programs and activities. The committee is made up of youth, community members and local organizations. We decided to create this Volunteer Opportunities Booklet to help connect youth who are required to complete community service hours with organizations who have youth volunteer opportunities available.

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WESTPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY

3 Spring St.
Westport, ON
K0G 1X0

Description of Organization:

Public Library

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Scanning documents and photos from the Archives
- Transcribing documents to digital format
- Library is open Monday, Thursday, and Friday afternoons and Saturdays from 10-2 and will work with students to co-ordinate a volunteer schedule

Contact:

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COMMUNITY CLOTHING CO-OPERATIVE

Located behind the Portland Community Hall
24 Water St.
Portland, ON
K0G 1V0

Description of Organization:

Gently used clothing for sale to the community
and run by volunteers

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Saturdays 10am-2pm
- Sorting clothing
- Maintaining organized displays
- Assisting customers

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VOLUNTEER CENTRE OF ST.LAWRENCE-RIDEAU

105 Strowger Blvd.

Brockville, ON

K6V 5V2

Description of Organization:

Fosters and develops volunteerism in the community and connects people with opportunities to serve

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Check website www.volunteercentre.ca

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FORFAR HALL

Highway 42

Forfar, ON

K0G 1V0

Description of Organization:

Community hall in the village of Forfar located along Hwy 42 between Delta and Westport

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Strawberry Social last weekend in June
- Clearing tables and moving picnic tables
- Spring and fall yard work

Contact:

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ST. LUKE'S, ANGLICAN PARISH OF LEEDS REAR

Description of Organization:

Religious organization providing community initiatives

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Re-New Creation Thrift Shop
- After school program in Lyndhurst
- Special events such as Breakfast with St. Nick
- Summer kids' day camps in Seeley's Bay, Lyndhurst and Elgin

Contact:

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LOMBARDY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

6 Kelly Rd.

Lombardy, ON

K0G 1L0

Description of Organization:

A not-for-profit organization run by a wonderful group of hard working volunteers

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Spring cleanup around the grounds
- Set-up, service and clean up during catering events
- Lombardy Fair which is held the long weekend in August. Lots of work to be done in preparing the grounds and buildings before, during and after the fair
- Barn dance – set up and tear down of event in September

Contact:

Jackie Warrington 613-285-1609

PORTLAND UNITED CHURCH

10 Colborne St.

Portland, ON

K0G 1V0

Description of Organization:

United Church

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Helping with children's programs
- Helping to clear dishes and serve at community dinners

Contact:

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LYNDHURST ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION

Branch 504

306 Lyndhurst Rd.

Lyndhurst, ON

K0G 1N0

Description of Organization:

Royal Canadian Legion

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Helping with various events such as weekly/monthly euchre games, dances, fish fry's and seasonal events

Contact:

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RIDEAU LAKES PUBLIC LIBRARY

Five library branches in Elgin, Portland, Delta,
Newboro, and South Elmsley

Description of Organization:

Public library

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Library shelving
- Children's programming assistance
- Computer assistance

Contact:

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L.A.W.S. (LANARK ANIMAL WELFARE SOCIETY)

253 Glenview Rd.

Smiths Falls, ON

K7A 4S4

Description of Organization:

L.A.W.S. promotes the welfare of all animals, provides shelter and care, and prevents cruelty and suffering for those animals in need.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Cat room assistant
- Seasonal maintenance
- Fundraising
- On-call driver
- Education & public awareness

Contact:

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TOWNSHIP OF RIDEAU LAKES

1439 County Rd. 8

Delta, ON K0E 1G0

Description of Organization:

Municipal

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Special events such as Skate the Lake, Elgin Days, and Canada Day celebrations
- Youth Advisory Committee

Contact:

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**COUNTRY ROADS COMMUNITY HEALTH
CENTRE**

4319 Cove Rd.
Portland, ON
K0G 1V0

79 Bedford St.
Westport, ON
K0G 1X0

Description of Organization:

Provides primary care services and health promotion programs

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Leader at Move It after school program
- Prepare food/baked goods for snacks
- Make reminder phone calls
- Work in the gardens
- Data entry
- Play live music in waiting room
- Create display boards

Contact:

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WESTPORT LIONS CLUB

52 County Rd. 36 Westport, ON K0G 1X0

Description of Organization:

Service Club

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Cleaning the Sand Lake beach in Westport (spring, summer and fall)
- Assist with our metal recycling program (May through October)
- Help at one of our seniors' dinners (multiple times a year)
- Help at our dinner benefiting the Westport Food Bank (fall and winter)
- Assist with fundraising draws (multiple times a year)
- Help out at one of our annual events
 - Golf tournament (spring or summer)
 - Westport Santa Claus parade
 - Giving out candy at Halloween
 - Distributing Christmas cakes to seniors
 - Fish Fry (spring)

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