

Tri-Waters Area Challenge - Community Service

2019-2020

The purpose of this challenge is to get your unit and girl guides out in the community. Please choose at least 3 activities, completing them in hours of community service. These hours are minimum suggestions.

Sparks/Brownies should complete minimum 6 hours

Guides should complete minimum 8 hours

Pathfinder and Rangers should complete minimum 10 hours

- Help out at Food Bank – volunteer or collect donations; learn about these organizations
- Attend a Remembrance Day Ceremony
- Organize an event of crafts/entertainment at a local nursing home
- Volunteer to help another organization in need
- Make cat/dog toys to donate to a local animal shelter
- Write a list of ways you can provide volunteer service to your community
- Participate in Park, Beach or Community Clean Up (i.e. Earth Day, Pitch In, Shoreline cleanup)
- Be creative and thank the workers in your community (health care, essential service workers, etc)
- Make greeting cards/craft for a local Nursing Home or Hospital Department
- Plant a Community Garden or help maintain an existing one
- Create a book drive and donate to a local shelter
- Find a local volunteer group that helps endangered species and find out what you can do to support or help them.
- Clean a river or Stream (<https://www.shorelinecleanup.ca/>)
- Make food for a shelter, or volunteer at a soup kitchen
- Clean up a local park or street
- Make mittens/scarves/other items for the homeless
- Create a Mitten drive and donate to homeless shelter
- Make Valentines for Vets (<https://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/get-involved/valentines-for-veterans>)
- Make tray favours for Meal on Wheels or similar organization
- Thoroughly clean a camp – Anne Fraser House or Kanada
- Partake in a water station or “cheering stations” at a benefit run/walk
- Create and run a service project to raise money for CWFF
- Participate in PITCH-IN in April 2020 (<https://pitch-in.ca/>)
- Participate in a reading program to help younger children
- Make toiletry bags for local shelters
- Complete a service project with a positive impact in your community

- All activities must be completed no later than **April 30th, 2020**
- The activities should not be similar – the whole idea is to explore and learn new things
- Ensure you have completed an SG.4 for all your outings and refer to Safe Guide to see if you require Safe Guide approval for your chosen activity.
- Complete a joint activity with another unit or Bridge with unit from another District – (this is a great opportunity to explore new and unfamiliar activities)

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Unit: _____

Guider: _____ Phone #: _____

District: _____

Number of Crest required: _____ (Cost per crest is \$1.25)

What did your unit do to complete this challenge:

Please submit your completed challenge with attached Payment to:

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