



Rewards of volunteering

Each year more than 600 Peel secondary school students volunteer at the Festival. In addition to learning about important water issues, volunteers provide peer education and mentoring to the Festival's participants and develop valuable leadership and interpersonal skills.

"It's really entertaining. I really like to help the kids and be able to send the message the Water Festival is trying to put out to the community."

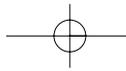
Volunteer

Sponsorship opportunities

The Festival's organizing committee encourages all sectors of the community to support the Festival. As a sponsor, you will contribute to the environmental education of your present and future customers, employees and neighbours. All donations go directly towards providing a unique educational experience for the Festival's participants and guests.

For more information about the Festival and sponsorship opportunities, contact:

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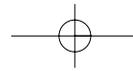
Peel Children's Water Festival 2004
 May 27, 28, 31, June 1, 2

Public Day
 Saturday, May 29, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Heart Lake Conservation Area
 10818 Heart Lake Rd., Brampton

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“There are so many activities that interact with various different parts of the curriculum.”

Teacher



Since its inception in 1996, the Peel Children’s Water Festival has provided an environmental education experience to over 35,000 Peel elementary school students. The Festival brings together educators, government, industry and community representatives to educate children about water quality, quantity and sustainability.

“Every student needs to go to the Water Festival at least once while in the elementary system. A worthwhile learning experience. Bravo!”

Teacher

Through over 50 hands-on, interactive activities that support the Ontario curriculum expectations, students in grades 2–5 learn about:



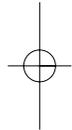
- the physical science of water
- the treatment and distribution systems for Peel’s water
- surface water and groundwater as resources
- the interdependence of people, animals, plants, soil, air and water
- the interaction between people and water and how this interaction affects the environment
- the role of water in present and historic processes and technology

“I really like the Festival because you learn all sorts of cool stuff here.”

Student

The Festival’s Public Day is a great opportunity for both parents and children to try out some of the activities and to learn about the Region of Peel’s water conservation efforts and the importance of protecting our water supply.

**Public Day -
Saturday, May 29, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.**



“There are a lot of hands-on activities for the kids to participate in and the cost per student was fabulous.”

Teacher



“I learned lots about water and the environment.”

Student

