

PADDLE THON 2022 REGISTRATION FORM

Sunday August 7th – Collingwood Harbour/Base of Birch Street – 8:30am Start

Team Name: _____

Team Leader Contact Information: Name: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Team Members Contact Information: Minimum 3, Maximum 5 (including Team Leader)

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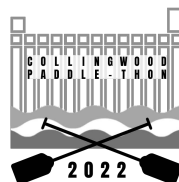
Team Fee: \$80

Please email Registration Form to rotaryclubofcollingwood@gmail.com

Please e-transfer Team Fee to rotaryclubofcollingwood@gmail.com

In comment area, please include Team Leader's name

Collingwood Rotary Club Contact: **Dominic Ellis 705-606-3070**



Paddle Thon 2022 is the Collingwood Rotary Club's unique event celebrating the Collingwood waterfront and the community that calls it home. Teams raise funds to provide under-privileged local youth access to swim skills; introduction of water safety, swimming and first aid lessons, life-guard training, swim instructor training as well as rescue and/or resuscitation training.

Why support the Paddle Thon?

The United Nations General Assembly (14 April 2021) proclaimed July 25 as World Drowning Prevention Day in order to raise awareness of the importance of drowning prevention and the need to improve water safety with the aim of reducing preventable deaths.

According to the Lifesaving Society Drowning Report (Ontario 2020), 43% of water-related fatalities occur in Lake/Ponds. Ontario has more than 250,000 lakes and contain about one-fifth of the world's fresh water.

How can you get involved?

You and your friends/colleagues can form a team for the Paddle Thon relay race – on a paddle board, canoe or kayak. This is a fun event where each member has to complete a minimum of one lap of the course. There will be a prize for the team with the most laps completed, a prize for the team with the most money collected for the cause, and there will be a prize for the best dressed team! So have some fun and theme your team!

The Event Format/Location:

Teams complete laps RELAY style around race course in the Collingwood Harbour at Harbourview Park. The starting site is at the base of Birch Street (behind The Beaver and Bulldog) at the Town Dock.

Event Agenda: Sunday, August 7, 2022

- 8:30 am – 9:10 am Teams Sign In, complete waivers and turn in pledge funds – serving coffee and snacks
- 9:10 am – 9:20 am Listen Up! Instructions and Rules for the course!
- 9:20 am – 9:30 am Get ready to Race! First team member in the water and ready!
- 9:30 am – 11:30 am Relay Style Race around the Harbour
- Noon – 1:00 pm After Paddle Social – Prizes to be awarded - Location TBA light lunch and beverage served

Collingwood Rotary Club Contact:

Chairman of the Collingwood Rotary Paddle Thon

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