



ShelterBox

Rotary



Rotary Quarterly Panel – World Water Day

ShelterBox Canada is very excited to invite you to our quarterly zoom meeting exclusively for Rotarians.

This quarter we will be hosting the panel on **World Water Day on Monday, March 22**. Water is a human right, and clean water saves lives. Tune into the live panel featuring Stephanie Christensen, Executive Director at ShelterBox Canada who will discuss the importance of water after disaster and how ShelterBox is supporting families with clean water.

Join us on Zoom:

Monday, March 22, 2021
1:00 pm EST - 1:30 pm EST

[REGISTER HERE](#)

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information on how to join the meeting.

If you have any questions for the panelists, please submit your questions ahead of time to make certain that they are answered to danibristow@shelterboxcanada.org.

Thank you for helping ensure no family is left without shelter after disaster.

Dani Bristow
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ShelterBox Canada

P.S. You can always [Request a speaker](#) to join your club at a meeting to learn more about ShelterBox or to get updates on our latest work in the field.



What does water mean to families recovering after disaster?

When disasters, including drought, devastate communities, it can be hard to ensure access to clean water. When families are unable to access clean water, water filters enable them to produce safe drinking water.

Water filters can remove viruses, bacteria, and pathogens that can be found within contaminated water, as well as chemicals, heavy metals, and fecal matter. **The water filters ShelterBox distributes to families can turn up to 1000 litres of unsafe water into clean, safe, drinkable water.**

By working with disaster-affected families, we've learned that it's important to provide water carriers along with water filters.

Water carriers ensure that families have a place to store purified water so it can be kept clean and safe to drink. Our collapsible water carriers were particularly welcomed by women, who told us they were light and easy to carry.

During a global pandemic, water means more than it ever has before. Water filters give families access to clean water and allow them to follow proper handwashing precautions to protect them from coronavirus. We've also added soap and wash basins to our aid package to help families stay as healthy as possible.

Join us on Monday, March 22 to learn more about the importance of water to families recovering after disaster. [Register here.](#)



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