Building a Vibrant Community of Volunteers

Thank you for your support and generosity you show us at the Volunteer Action Centre. This year we are launching a campaign called “VAC to the Future” and invite you to take part.

Our nation is built on a system of volunteer service to the community. This is something we are both proud of and often rely on. As we move forward the systems that we rely on are coming under threat from the misunderstanding of what it means to volunteer and contribute locally. We are working toward amplifying the good created in our past to create a positive, engaged and connected future for everyone. Help us amplify VAC in the present and bring “VAC to the Future”.

The goal of this campaign is to help us raise funds to accelerate into the future with services and resources that make us the most effective and accessible organization for volunteerism. With your continued help and support, we can serve the Waterloo Region in new ways, as we move into 2020.

Various way that you can participate:

1. Make a donation at volunteerwr.ca/donate
2. Enter the Volunteer Action Centre into the CanadaHelps contest that could nominate us to win $5,000
3. Share our campaign with your network of followers

Amazing ways we plan to support local volunteering:

1. Upgrading our technology to reach more students, newcomers & boomer volunteers
2. New central office space that is accessible to all volunteers
3. Resources to show our appreciation to key volunteers (Sponsorships welcome for the Volunteer Impact Awards)

Campaign key dates:

1. December 3rd, Giving Tuesday – Our board members have generously committed to matching funds for donations that come in on Giving Tuesday
2. December 8th–14th – During this week we will share VAC’s impact on individuals and organizations
3. December 15th – 20th - We will share our tech wish list that will accelerate us into the future of volunteerism

We look forward to launch into the future together!