


>>> SNDMOW NEWSLETTER <<<

THE BRIGHT SIDE



TOP NEWS OF THE MONTH

APRIL 30TH: AGM

>>> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

It's that time of the year again, with our fiscal year ending March 31, 2025, we are hosting our AGM on April 30th at 1:30pm at our chairpersons, Lorna Hoare's, home. An invitation has been sent out, if you didn't receive one, please let the office know so we can forward it to you. It is vital that we have as many members as possible attending the AGM, which will also be available via Zoom. The Zoom invitation will be sent by email prior to the meeting. We thank you in advance for your participation!

HAPPY EASTER <<<

Easter is typically celebrated with family dinners, outings, beloved Easter egg hunts and, for some, church services. No matter how you and your family and friends celebrate this joyful event, we hope you have a chance to enjoy Easter with those you love doing something you love. Happy Easter from the Surrey Meals on Wheels team!

APRIL 20TH: EASTER DAY

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

VOLUNTEERS MAKE WAVES - TOGETHER, WE CREATE RIPPLES OF CHANGE

➤➤➤ APRIL 27TH - MAY 3RD, 2025

Volunteers Make Waves is the theme for National Volunteer Week this year, which focuses on the power, impact and importance of individual and collective volunteer efforts. Like a wave, volunteering is movement building.

Water is always flowing, shifting, and transforming with every powerful wave or quiet ripple. Just as each volunteer's contribution toward creating impact in our communities. Every volunteers contribution creates momentum and has the power to influence and inspire, joining a wave of positive change. Our actions ripple out to broader community benefits, like improved well-being, increased social harmony, and enhanced resilience in the face of change and uncertainty.

Each wave is unique and brings something vibrant and new to the ecosystem.

During National Volunteer Week, we come together to recognize and celebrate

all the ways volunteers make waves from coast to coast.

By coming together, dedicating our support, and increasing our collective efforts and impact, volunteers contribute exponentially to the quality of life we all strive for. National Volunteer Week is a chance to highlight the value of volunteers and their positive impact on society.

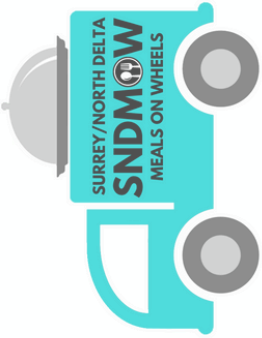
We want our volunteers to know that without them our service would not exist. They are the cornerstone to our entire operation. Not only do we rely on volunteers to deliver our nutritious meals, our clients rely on them for human contact, for a short visit to know that someone is looking out for them. Volunteering matters! Sharing your time, skills, empathy, and creativity is vital to the strength of our communities and our own well being!



**THANK YOU
FOR YOUR
TIME,
SKILLS,
EMPATHY &
CREATIVITY!**

➤➤➤ CONNECT WITH US

We invite you, as well as your family and friends, to join us on social media, if you are able. You can find us on Facebook, Twitter and Linked In @sndmow or on Instagram @sndmow2021. We would also love to hear your feedback on Google.. Leave us a review on our business page: Surrey-North Delta Meals on Wheels!



APRIL 27 - MAY 3

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THE SCOOP AT SNDMOW

SHARING ALL THE LATEST NEWS WITH YOU

»»» ANNOUNCEMENTS

The AGM is a great place to learn about what happens behind the scenes at SNDMOW - what our finances looked like last year, our budget for the coming year, our accomplishments and challenges, discuss any changes to staff, programs, meals, and to learn about opportunities available on our Board or on our team of volunteers. Our AGM just happens to fall in the middle of National Volunteer Week. What a perfect time to get the team together and talk about something that is important to each and everyone of us. We look forward to your participation!

»»» VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We have a URGENT NEED for volunteer drivers!

As a volunteer driver for Meals on Wheels, you would be responsible for: the pick up of meals from our location, the delivery of meals to our clients as well as a wellness check-in, and the return of delivery supplies to our location. Volunteers are needed from Monday to Friday from 9:30am to 12:30pm and are required to have a class 5 Canadian drivers license.

»»» VOLUNTEER ANNIVERSARIES

On April 1st, we celebrated Ellie & Ron Newell's 5 year anniversary as volunteers for our charity! These 2 drive their regular weekly route as well as provide relief for other drivers. Ellie is the newest member of our Board of Directors and we are so grateful to have her on the team Thank you for your commitment to our charity and our clients!

MARCH STATS:

Meals Delivered:

1,878

Lunches

Delivered:

931

Clients Served:

96

Volunteers

Delivering:

197

Kilometers Driven:

4,202.3