

NDHS WORK-A-THON FUNDRAISER

Information and FAQs

Sunday, October 28, 2018 10 am - 3 pm

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR THE ELDERLY AND INFIRM IN OUR COMMUNITY!

What is a Work-A-Thon?

- Have you heard of a walk-a-thon that helps raise money for a worthy cause? On October 28th, instead of walking, volunteers will be working to help those in need through Nelson & District Hospice Society. Everyone is invited to participate in this special fundraising event.
- Our community elders and others in need can register to have volunteers come to them and perform up to 6 hours of raking leaves, garden cleanup, cleaning gutters, doing a dump run or other outside work.
- Volunteers will ask for pledges or sponsorship for the 4-6 hours of work they accomplish on October 28th. All donations will go to the Nelson & District Hospice Society.
- Hospice Work-A-Thon volunteers will meet in the morning at the Community First Health Co-op, rain or shine, to celebrate our efforts, receive community work assignments, and then fan out into our community to help those in need.
- This Work-A-Thon is a fantastic opportunity for you to support Hospice financially, raise awareness in the community, and volunteer to help others in need.

What can I do?

➤ **REGISTER AS A WORK-A-THON VOLUNTEER, or BETTER YET, AS A WORK-A-THON TEAM:**

If you would like to volunteer to work for work-a-thon clients, EITHER BY YOURSELF OR AS PART OF A TEAM, complete a Registration Work Form at <http://nelsonhospice.org/workathon-volunteer-registration/> and provide your name, your contact info and your Sponsorship Goal.

➤ **REGISTER AS A CLIENT:**

If you would like to have work done by our volunteers, please register at <http://nelsonhospice.org/workathon-client-registration/> providing your name, address, phone number, email, and a description of the work you need to have done.

To find out if you qualify to have work done through Work-a-Thon, please contact Jane DiGiacomo at 250-352-2337 or jane@nelsonhospice.org

➤ **PLEDGE TO SUPPORT THE WORK-A-THON AND NELSON HOSPICE:**

To sponsor a work-a-thon volunteer, go to donate at <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/nelson-district-hospice-society/p2p/2018workathon/> In the message box, please indicate the name of the person or team you are sponsoring. All donation of \$20+ will receive a tax receipt if contact information is provided.

If you would like to be a recognized sponsor of the event, please contact Jane DiGiacomo at 250-352-2337 or jane@nelsonhospice.org