



Town of Shelburne
February 2024
Volunteer of the Month
Cheryll Blinkhorn

Community Participation & Volunteerism
Committee Volunteers of the Month



Cheryll Blinkhorn is being recognized as the Volunteer of the Month for February for her hard work and dedication to our community.

Cheryll's commitment to being a volunteer started many years ago and since retiring from a successful teaching career it has only increased.

For many years, Cheryll served as a Board member for the Osprey Arts Centre, working tirelessly to support art, theatre, and music in Shelburne. Her love of the Arts fueled her desire to share them with others.

On many Monday evenings, Cheryll can be found sorting through items for the NU2U shop which raises monies for the Roseway Hospital Charitable Foundation. She is always available for whatever the Foundation needs.

Another recipient of her volunteerism is The Loyalist Food Bank; she along with her husband continue to be a shopper for much needed food products.

Cheryll is also a long-time member of the Shelburne Curling Centre; she always steps forward to assist with Bonspiels and special events. Working in a kitchen is second nature to Cheryll, she can be found in the curling Centre kitchen, the Sandy Point Community Centre kitchen as well as during the wildfires, she helped at the Shelburne Community Centre.

On top of all this, Cheryll serves on two committees of the United Church of Canada, and she can always be counted on to assist those less fortunate at a moment's notice. She has even turned her hobby of knitting into helping others - she knits finger puppets for the IWK, pneumonia vests for infants and hats for the homeless.

For all that Cheryll has done and continues to do for this community, the CP&V Committee and Town Council recognize her as the Volunteer of the Month for February. Thank you, Cheryll!