



Lower Thames Valley
Conservation Authority

**Conservation
Awards
2021**



LTVCA Awards for Volunteer Heroes

- These awards honour & recognize those in the community for their outstanding volunteer time & services towards conservation activities that educate about or improve our natural environment & ultimately the health & quality of life in the Lower Thames watershed & region.
- We recognize those whose time, energy & resources help the LTVCA make the Lower Thames watershed a great place to live through their work in environmental education, special events or Board & Committee work.
- Certificates & customized pins are awarded to people for their years of service.



LTVCA Awards for Volunteer Heroes

Environmental Education Category

- Dr. Chris Ellis - Dept. of Anthropology, Western University



-for invaluable assistance in the Artifact Display Case Project at Ska-Nah-Doht Museum.

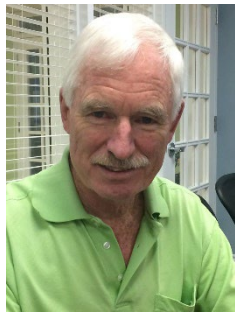
-cases given to local schools for education programs



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Special Events Category

□ Barry Frazer



- volunteered to improve C-K community over 10+ years
- planted prairie plugs along McGregor Creek
- helped at CK Paddle & Clean event with the Downtown Rotary Club of Chatham
- encourages Lake Morningstar community to plant pollinator friendly gardens
- an advocate for our programs



LTVCA Awards for Volunteer Heroes

Board & Committee Category

□ Andrew McCallum



- completed many stewardship projects on his property
- member of ALUS Elgin Partnership Advisory Committee (PAC)
- assisted LTVCA staff with Thames River access points



LTVCA Environmental Awards

- Outstanding Individuals
 - This award honours & recognizes an individual in the LTVCA watershed for their outstanding work towards environmental stewardship on their own land or in the community.
 - A customized wooden plaque will be awarded for their efforts towards improving the environment through stewardship projects such as tree planting, reforestation, tallgrass prairie restoration, & wetland creation.



LTVCA Environmental Awards

Most Generous Landowner

□ Robert Glenn - The Glenn's



-16 acres restoration legacy project in Cedar Springs
- demonstrating exemplary leadership in environmental stewardship on their property





LTVCA Environmental Awards

Most Dedicated Organization

- Joan Durdan-Fitzpatrick - President
& District 33 - Chatham-Kent Retired Teachers of Ontario



-for funding tree donations
and the grant writing
efforts by Joan and District 33
Chatham-Kent RTO ERO

(Joan far right)



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**CONGRATULATIONS TO
ALL LTVCA 2021
CONSERVATION AWARD
WINNERS!**
