

Andrew Skensued, 1, and Choee Park work on

crafts during the Family Literacy Celebration and

Free Skate at the Albert McCormick Community

📤 Loval volunteer Marie Morneau, enjovs

hospitality at "Celebrate the Good",

the last day of 12 Days for Good for

a meal and House of Friendship

Noah Hilker, 13, takes guitar advice from Richard Labbe during the free Rock Out School

program at Clemens Mill Public Library on

HELPING hands

The Desire2Learn Human Resource Department took part in some team

▶ 5,000 children in Waterloo Region woke

organized a toy drive at KPMG.

up to a wonderful surprise on Christmas thanks to people like Simeen who

Economic Outlook 2014: Poised for Growth senters at CIGI Auditorium on November 28, 2013

> Waterloo Region Record employees sort books from their Books for Kids Drive in

support of the Salvation Army

(a) KPMG employees donated 8 bags and 2 boxes full of winter coats, boots and mitts to Goodwill to help make winter a

little warmer for many.

This year we were able to



Attendees enjoy fellowship at House

event, where we recognized the

who fed over 4000 families and

of Friendship's "Celebrate the Good"

accomplishments of 600+ volunteers

individuals in need during our 12 Days

Lindsey Ceasar work on crafts during the Family Literacy

Celebration and Free Skate at the

Albert McCormick

January 17.

Executive Director of House of

Good, this past Christmas.

Aichard Labbe teaches Katie Campbell, 12, about

guitar during the free Rock Out School program at Clemens Mill Public Library on January 20. The

program aims at helping to introduce beginners to

Friendship, John Neufeld, and volunteer, Marlene O'Brien can't help

but smile because of all the good that happened during 12 Days for

Community Centre on

few life events away from needing one of the services House of Friendship provides. It's a privilege to support an organization whose philosophies and practises reflect the care and dignity everyone in our community deserves."

Marlene O'Brien House of Friendship Volunteer



"Opportunities to design, build AND help my community ---volunteering with The Food Bank of Waterloo Region provides that and more. I am pleased to offer my expertise to the annual Canstruction event happening Mar 8-16 at Conestoga Mall so the public will see what local companies CAN do."

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FOODBANK OF WATERLOO REGION

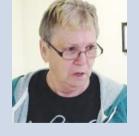
Erb and Erb staff raised over 200 pounds of food in our annual holiday food drive. We also will be donating \$500 to the Foodbank of Waterloo Region as a promise to all our friends who visited our Season's Greetings page online. To learn more about how you can help people of Waterloo Region please visit

www.thefoodbank.ca

WHERE'S THE BROKER -**FACEBOOK CONTEST**

Starting this month head over to our Facebook page. Every month you'll find a picture of one of our Brokers somewhere in the local area. Enter the contest by liking our page and commenting where the broker is. www.facebook.com/ **ErbandErb.** This month if you have the correct answer you could win a \$25 gift Bon Appetit card!

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Bev enjoys volunteering at the Cambridge Self-Help Food Bank because she loves meeting new people and helping in any way she can. Bev orientates new clients and makes them feel welcome. She is an amazing support to

Bev Gillis

Food Bank

Erb and Erb Insurance Brokers Ltd. and Waterloo Region Record are proud to share the Helping Hands community pages. You will find people in your neighbourhood working together to build a strong community and reaching out to support people in need. We hope that you will share your charitable stories with us by sending us photos for the next edition. It is our hope that these pages will give us an opportunity to shine the spotlight on our local heroes.





Jim Gerrard, A.Sc.T. Conestoga College Architecture Professor and Canstruction Volunteer Team Lead The Food Bank of



our staff.

Co-op Store Volunteer Cambridge Self-Help

Look for the next Erb and Erb "Helping Hands" feature February 22nd, 2014! Deadline for photo submissions is February 17th, 2014!

📤 Carol Dewar and her team were

happy to volunteer and help

neighbours in need.

House of Friendship distribute donated turkeys to their

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page for moments in the sports community, arts community and local business.

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