


Organization Name: Family & Children's Services Niagara and FACS Niagara Foundation	
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Proclamation Requested: Mountainview LemonAID Day	
Date(s) of Proclamation: June 12, 2022	
<p>Purpose of Proclamation:          Family and Children's Services Niagara and Mountainview Building Group want to encourage children and families to give back to their community by registering online and setting up lemonade stands across the Town of Pelham and the Niagara Peninsula on Sunday June 12th. All the funds raised will go directly to sending vulnerable children supported by FACS Niagara to summer camps.</p> <p>Description of Organization  <i>(Please provide a brief description. Additional information may be attached to this form)</i>          Please see attached for description.</p> <p>Has the same or a similar proclamation been requested <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No          of the Town of Pelham Council in past years?</p> <p>You must provide the draft wording for your proclamation in order to receive an official signed proclamation from the Mayor.</p> <p>Personal information on this form is collected pursuant to the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and will be used for the purpose of processing your request. Question about this collection should be directed to the Town Clerk, 20 Pelham Town Square, P.O. Box 400, Fonthill, ON, L0S 1E0, 905-892-2607 Ext. 315.</p> <p>Please complete and submit your completed form at least two weeks in advance of the occasion.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 45%;">             _____            Signature         </div> <div style="width: 45%; text-align: right;"> <u>April 6, 2022</u>            Date         </div> </div>	

Family & Children's Services Niagara (FACS Niagara) is the mandated child protection agency for the Niagara Peninsula (population 447,888). In 2020-21, FACS responded to 6,299 referrals about the safety and well-being of children and youth, completed 2,469 investigations, and protected and served 5,439 children and youth (93% within their community, 7% in care).

**Our Mission:** To protect, support and strengthen the lives of children, youth, adults and families in Niagara.

**Our Vision:** A community where children, youth, adults and families achieve their full potential in a safe environment.

**Our Values:** Caring, Respectful, Collaborative, Acting with Integrity, Accountable.

Founded in 1999, the FACS Niagara Foundation raises funds and awareness to support the work of FACS Niagara helping vulnerable children, youth and families in Niagara to reach their full potential. Thanks to generous donors, sponsors and volunteers, the FACS Foundation raises funds so that local kids in need can enjoy a summer camp experience and youth in care have opportunities for college, university and job skills training.

The Foundation is also providing emergency COVID-19 supports so youth and families can help meet their basic needs and stay strong. The Foundation also supports capital improvements at FACS Niagara facilities and works with the community to support children and families during Holidays and the Festive Seasons.