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*"I just love volunteering."*  
-Barb Hicks, President, REAL

Do you want to make a **REAL** difference in our community?



**Rideau Environmental Action League (REAL)**  
85 William St. W., Smiths Falls  
(opposite the Railway Museum)  
Box 1061, Smiths Falls, ON K7A 5A5  
[www.REALaction.ca](http://www.REALaction.ca)

For more information or to get involved, contact 613-283-9500 or at [info@realaction.ca](mailto:info@realaction.ca)

**Rideau Volunteers**

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Want to spend some of your time to protect our environment?

**REAL** needs you.



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Make a **REAL** Difference

# REAL needs you!

## Volunteer opportunities include:

- Organizing or participating in an environmental event or project
- Fundraising
- Repairing reusable items; re-purposing items
- Retail experience
- Volunteering from home
- Membership on the Board

## Your efforts and commitment to the environment will allow you to:

- Connect to our community
- Meet new people
- Receive free training
- Help out on your schedule
- Develop and share skills
- Make a difference in our community
- Protect your local natural environment
- Practice the 3R's directly and encourage others to

For more info on how you can make a REAL difference by volunteering with us, visit [www.REALaction.ca](http://www.REALaction.ca) and click on 'Volunteer'

With more than 20 years behind it, the Rideau Environmental Action League (REAL) is a widely respected not-for-profit environmental organization based in Smiths Falls and serving the counties of Lanark, Leeds and Grenville.

## Programs and successes include:

- REAL Deal Reuse Store
- Home Energy Audits
- Well Aware
- Kill-A-Watt meter loans
- Climate change education
- Water conservation and rain water use
- Annual Pitch-In
- Community garden
- Evergreen Avenue
- [www.RideauReuses.com](http://www.RideauReuses.com)
- Bicycle tour map
- Pesticide reduction
- Idle-Free campaigns
- Workshops and information brochures



# So you'd like to volunteer...

Please provide us with some basic details so we can create your volunteer profile.

Name .....

Home Phone .....

Other Phone.....

Email address.....

Street/RR Address.....

Town, Province .....

Postal Code.....

Position interested in .....

*Check [www.REALaction.ca](http://www.REALaction.ca) Volunteer for the list of job descriptions.*

Times Available.....

*Please return this portion to:*

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*"I just love volunteering here. It's the people."*

–Deb Thompson, Volunteer

