

Helmets on Kids Community Partnership

The fifth annual Helmets on Kids event held on June 27, 2006 was a great success. Over the past 5 years, the Helmets on Kids Community Partnership, organized by Barbara Legate, has provided over 5000 helmets to needy children.

The partnership provides education and awareness respecting bicycle helmet use. This project is intended to put a helmet on the head of every child in London who needs one.

This year's event included the attendance of the Honourable Mr. George Smitherman, Minister of Health.

In addition to supplying helmets, the program includes a videotape presentation and educational material for distribution at local schools.

The current community partners for the Helmets on Kids Community Partnership include:



Ontario Trial Lawyers Association
Brain Injury Association of the London Region
London District Catholic School Board
Thames Valley District School Board
London Health Sciences Centre Trauma
Middlesex-London Health Unit
London Police Department
Children's Safety Village of London and Area