

BENEFITS OF PARTICIPATING IN ONE-DAY EVENTS

- Get a big job done with many hands.
- It is an introduction to your club and the difference it makes to your community.
- Involves people in supporting the community that can only volunteer in a One-Day Event.
- Community visibility to issues and problems.
- Brings publicity to the club.
- Builds community pride.
- Contributes to social capital.
- Makes the club an example of civic engagement.
- Builds goodwill for the club.
- Participation in national and/or global service/volunteering events allows the club to part of something bigger than just their community.
- Attracts ‘Walk-ons’ – people who did not know about your event or did not know they would be interested until they stumbled on it and got involved.
- Reflection – most volunteers want to be a part of something larger than them. Reflecting on their service gives them the opportunity to “own” their service and enhance the “feel good” aspect of a job well done.