



News from the Farm

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The Farm is proud to kick off our education programming with a special family oriented hands-on workshop on the practice of Permaculture (an eco-system approach to gardening) facilitated by Jane Hayes. Learn key Permaculture principles and hands-on techniques for garden designs that are productive, healthy and engaging for people of all ages. Find out how to work with challenging sites and learn how to build and maintain soil fertility. For more information on Jane and her work visit www.gardenjane.com.

Time: 10 am to 1 pm, Saturday May 31

Location: Schomberg Community Farm

Cost: \$10/person or \$25/family

To register contact: julie.schweizer@sympatico.ca



Our new mascot made a statement at the Main Street Christmas parade last December. Watch for it to pop up at other events.



In April we will be launching our first fund raising campaign called "Field over to Farm" to raise money for the construction of a bridge to access the farm property. Although there is limited access now, a bridge is required to provide permanent and long term access to the property for future members and maintenance/emergency vehicles. There will be an opportunity for anyone to contribute and support this campaign and be a part of this exciting community initiative. More information will be circulated in the near future.

The Farm executive has been working hard to expand our presence in the community and develop partnerships with other community groups. Look for us at the Schomberg Fair (May 24) and selling our own garlic from the Farm at the Schomberg Farmers Market (starting in June).

For updates check www.schombergcommunityfarm.ca