

Treaty Studies, Room 2048
Waterdown District High School
215 Parkside Drive
Waterdown, ON L8B 1B9

March 31st, 2022

Your Honour,

On behalf of the students of the Waterdown High School's Treaties Studies class, we are inviting you to participate in the Platinum Jubilee Treaty Forest Ceremony which will take place on June 18th, 2022 at Joe Sams Leisure Park, 752 Centre Rd, Hamilton, ON L8N 2Z7 at 11:00AM.

This Platinum Jubilee event will include the planting of 70 trees approved by the Mississaugas of the Credit, the opening of a sacred space for Indigenous People in the community to host ceremonies, the revealing of designated areas to educate local residents of the treaties we are connected to, and monuments to honour the Crown-Indigenous Treaty relationship in our area. We have attached a more detailed letter, approved by the Mississaugas of the Credit, that explains our vision for the project, as well as its links to the Platinum Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth II.

Your Honour will be invited to formally plant a tree with the Giima and Council of the Mississaugas of the Credit. A reception for VIP's will be held at a separate location at 10:00AM to allow students to meet with the dignitaries (which will include the Giima and Council of the Mississaugas of the Credit). More details will be sent at a later date.

Sincerely,



Marissa Iozzo
Chairperson, Platinum Jubilee Treaty Forest

Attachments: Platinum Jubilee Treaty Forest Project Description

