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Ignat Kaneff heads list of outstanding volunteers

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Three Mississauga men whose volunteer efforts have enriched the lives of thousands of local residents will be honored at the thirteenth annual Citizens of the Year Banquet.

Between them, the trio have been volunteering their time and efforts toward making Mississauga a better place in which to live for more than 50 years.

Ignat Kaneff, who will receive the Gordon S. Shipp Memorial Award, has contributed his skills and resources to many local agencies, including Erinoak, Community Living Mississauga, Erindale College, University of Toronto, Mississauga Hospital, Credit Valley Hospital, Mississauga Arts Council and the Mississauga Symphony.

Since his arrival from Bulgaria in 1951, Kaneff has become deeply involved in bettering the lives of Mississauga residents, as well as sponsoring and acting on behalf of dozens of new immigrants.



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Hartington Ct. resident John Lamb and Hayford Cres. resident Wilfred Buckel have both been selected as Local Heroes for their volunteer efforts.

Lamb, 64, has been involved with the Arthritis Society, Scouts Canada, St. Bride's

Anglican Church, and the inter-denominational Mississauga Community Church Volunteers group.

His civic interests are also wide and varied and include donating many hours to endeavors such as the Peel Regional Police Liaison Committee, Park Royal Community Association, Mississauga/Oakville Residents Committee, Airport Expansion Committee, and most recently, the city's Transitway Committee.

Buckel, 78, has been an active volunteer for more than two decades. A widower with five children in the late 1960s, Buckel married a widow with 12 children and moved to Mississauga.

He has been active in Sts. Martha and

Mary's parish, St. Vincent de Paul Society, St. Francis of Assisi parish, Park Royal Advisory Council for Seniors and the Cawthra Seniors Centre.

Since his retirement, Buckel has spent much of his spare time entertaining and visiting patients at Mississauga Hospital and Extencicare.

The contributions of these volunteers will be recognized at an awards banquet on Sunday, May 3, at the Delta Meadowvale Inn, also with those of the Peel Regional Police Officer of the Year and the Mississauga Firefighter of the Year.

Tickets to the event are \$25 available by calling The Mississauga News at 273-8192.