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OSHAWA STUDENTS TO RAISE RAINBOW TROUT FOR OSHAWA CREEK - OUELLETTE

Oshawa MPP and Local Conservation Group Continue Successful Classroom Hatchery Program in Area Schools

Oshawa – Jerry J. Ouellette, MPP Oshawa is continuing his successful Classroom Fish Hatchery Program through local schools in Oshawa in conjunction with the South Central Ontario Fish & Wildlife Association and the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources.

“It’s great to see the students involved and the groups and organizations working together to conserve one of Oshawa’s treasures – the Oshawa Creek,” says Jerry Ouellette MPP, Oshawa.

The Oshawa MPP today provided rainbow trout eggs for the classroom aquaria where they would be raised by the Oshawa students and then released back into their natural environment.

“The South Central Ontario Fish & Wildlife Association is proud to partner and support the Classroom Hatchery Program and the unique educational opportunities it provides”, affirms club representative, Gary Foreman.

The Classroom Hatchery Program, which has been running for ten years, provides students with valuable knowledge about the natural environment and the life cycle of salmonids while assisting in the conservation of our local fisheries.

“I am delighted the staff and students are committed to this project from an educational standpoint and also to assist with the enhancement effort of the Oshawa Creek,” declares Mr. Ouellette.

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