



## **Barrie Block Parent® Volunteer Letter**

Welcome to the Barrie Chapter of the Block Parent® Program and thank you for your participation. As a Block Parent® you will both enrich your community and make a difference in your neighbourhood. With your help we can make Barrie a safer community to live in - one block at a time.

To become a Barrie Block Parent® you will be required to attend the Barrie Police Service - Records Department located at 29 Sperling Drive in Barrie for a Criminal Records Check. The Records Department is open Monday through Sunday from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

**Please present this letter along with your completed Block Parent® application form when visiting the Barrie Police Service's Records Department.** In the event household members are applying individually you may print additional copies of this letter from our website at [www.barrieblockparent.ca](http://www.barrieblockparent.ca) . The cost of the record check is \$40 but is free for a volunteer position, as long as you provide our letter.

All household members over the age of 12 years must visit Barrie Police Service in person to fill out the Police Record Checks and Vulnerable Sector Search. Please bring two valid forms of identification with you. For more information on the Police Record Checks and Vulnerable Sector Search, please visit [www.police.barrie.on.ca](http://www.police.barrie.on.ca) .

It will take approximately 4-6 weeks to process your application. The completed Police Checks and Vulnerable Screening will be mailed directly to you. Once all members of the household have successfully passed the Police Record Checks and Vulnerable Screening, your Block Parent® application will be forwarded to the Block Parent® Program in Barrie. We will contact you to arrange an appointment to meet with you and your family and to deliver your sign. At that time you will receive additional training and information. The Block Parent® sign is only displayed when you are available to help.

We would like to thank you for volunteering to become a Block Parent® in Barrie. Should you have any additional questions, please contact us at (705) 734 -1596 or at [barrieblockparent@gmail.com](mailto:barrieblockparent@gmail.com)

Thank you again and welcome to the Barrie Block Parent® Program!

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