Niagara's Big Move cancer ride

2026 Information Sheet: Bike Sweepers

Volunteer Lead: Kelsey Kaupp 289-783-9965
Sweeper Lead: Sue Noble 905-401-5786

Bike Sweeper Overview:

Thanks very much for volunteering to be a sweeper. It's a very important job and many people will be happy that you are helping make this a safe and enjoyable ride.

- Wear the designated sweep rider jersey to identify yourself. This can be picked up at your volunteer training.
- Carry your fully charged cell phone. Plug in important cell phone #'s (numbers to be confirmed) in advance of the ride.
- There are minimum 4 sweep riders assigned to each route. The intent is to have 2 sweepers start near the front/middle of the group and the other sweepers bring up the rear staying behind the last rider. The front 2 sweepers will "patrol" the group looking for riders who need their assistance.
- Ensure your own safety first before assisting other riders. Make sure you get off the road when helping others.
- If you are able, assist riders who need help fixing flats etc. Make sure your bike is well-maintained before the ride. If you have a pump and can carry it that is recommended.
- In case of a medical emergency Call 911. In case of minor first aid please contact your assigned van support crew (see reverse).
- Try and always identify where you are on the route like nearest crossroads so you can help to your location.
- Ensure riders' safety along the road and re-enforce the rules of riding etiquette.
- Advise any riders who have lagged too far behind that support is available (support crew vans) if they need it.
- Support vehicles have designated areas to patrol. Make sure you have the cell phone # of each support vehicle and contact the relevant driver for the location needed.
- Call your support crew to arrange to pick-up riders who cannot finish due to mechanical reasons or fatigue.
- **BACK SWEEPERS: You MUST inform the rest stop volunteers and every marshal that your assigned group (14K, 25k, 50k, 75k) has gone through. The rest stop staff and the marshals will determine if they can pack up or whether they need to wait for another group to go by.**

SWEEP VOLUNTEERS					
75k Sweep Riders, please meet at White Meadows at 8:00 am					
Matt Steeve	Brandi Steeve	Costa Metallinos	Chris Toole	Jessie El Farram	Paul Weerdenburg
50k Sweep Riders, please meet at White Meadows at 8:30 am					
Harold Thai	John Walsh	Lyle Turner	Alfie D'Uva		
25k Sweep Riders, please meet at White Meadows at 9:30 am					
Ken Kwan	Harshal Dalal	Sovan Sahu	Pritesh Mistry		
14K Sweep Riders, please meet at White Meadows at 9:30 am					
Sue Noble 905-401-5786	Spencer Glass	Aaron Oppenlander	Andrew Bryce		

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS		
Location / Duty	**Name**	**Phone**
Head of Sweep Riders	Sue Noble	905-401-5786
Head of Truck Sweepers	Kelsey Kaupp	289-783-9965
Truck 1 – Sweep 75km	Rod & Jacques	905-650-3520
Truck 2 – Sweep 50km	TBD	
Truck 3 – Support for 75km & 50km	Floyd Bell	905-931-1747
Truck 4 – Sweep 25km	TBD	
Truck 5 – Sweep 14km	TBD	
Truck 6 – Support for 25km & 14km	Dan Toppari	905-341-4335

Thank You!