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The oversimplified Science

The earth is getting hotter

Human activity is the cause

The impact on Climate will be bad

2° C is the agreed on but arbitrary limit

 This limit is what was once felt was politically acceptable and is not based on scientific evidence

It's not the rate of emissions, it's the total

450 PPM is the concentration that will keep us below 2° C

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Mission

To inform, motivate, and mobilize the Canadian public to take action to combat climate change through political means

Who we are

National Organization

Local Chapters

Honorary Members

Stephen Lewis

David Suzuki

Desmond Tutu



National activities

Sponsored and organized several public information sessions in Toronto, Peterborough, and Guelph

Met with MPs in Toronto and Ottawa

Attended Copenhagen climate change conference

Written many letters to politicians and editors

Publish regular updates on 4RG web site

Send monthly national Newsletter

Sending delegation to NYC People's Climate March joining groups of Grandparents from other countries

Sponsoring some Peterborough Youth to go to NYC



Peterborough Activities

Organized Climate Change Rally in 2013 & 2014

Organized Painted Rain Barrel Contest – 2014

Held meetings with local politicians

Made presentations to local groups

Sponsored Purple Onion Festival

Sponsored several Trent U Climate Change meetings

Participated in tree planting activities

Written letters to the editor

Presented at No Parkway public council meeting

Promote information about carbon pricing

Price on Carbon

Carbon Tax

- A fee is charged at the point of origin or import on greenhouse gas emitting energy (coal, gas, oil)
- The fee increases gradually and predictability over time
- The fee is returned to the public



Don't Give Up

- Tell politicians that this matters to you
 - Tell them you will support or strongly oppose them based on what they say and do to address the climate crisis
 - Remind them that you and your cohorts vote
 - Tell them that you want them to support a policy that puts a price on carbon
 - Tell them to stop subsidizing fossil fuel investment



Get Involved

- Support the Peterborough chapter of For Our Grandchildren
- Attend the Climate Change Rally on September 21

If a 14-year-old boy can build a working windmill to power his village in Malawi, we can solve the climate crisis



