



DEAFBLIND AWARENESS MONTH
Make a *wave* from coast to coast

MOIS DE LA SENSIBILISATION À LA SURDICÉCITÉ
Créez une *vague* d'un océan à l'autre

Yarn Bombing to Build Awareness about National Deafblind Awareness Month

Throughout the month of June community objects across the country are being “yarn bombed,” a form of street art where yarn that is knit, crochet, or wrapped around an object in a public space. This largescale global tactile arts initiative symbolizes the coming together of individuals who are deafblind, friends, families, community groups and knitting and crocheting clubs to raise awareness and knowledge about this unique disability.

We are *making a wave* to celebrate the contributions of individuals who are deafblind in the following locations across Canada:

British Columbia – Penticton (KVR Middle School)

British Columbia - Vancouver (Sir James Douglas Elementary)

British Columbia - Burnaby (metal frames shaped like sheep that will be yarn bombed)

Ontario – CNIB DBCS –private spaces and municipal spaces in Hamilton and Ottawa

Ontario – CNIB DBCS – yarn bombing display, CNIB Community Hub, Toronto

Ontario - CHKC - tree at Training Centre, 210 Empress Avenue, Toronto, ON M2N 3T9

Ontario – CHKC - Berczy Park Doug Fountain – Front St near St. Lawrence Market, Toronto

Ontario - CHKC – Tree in St. James Park, King St. East & Adelaide St. East, Toronto

Ontario – Sensity –Sensory Garden and Property, Sensity Head Office, Paris

Ontario – Sensity – Residential/Family home programs in Toronto, London and Kingston

Ontario – Sensity – Wallaceburg – Partnered with Community Living Wallaceburg

Ontario – DeafBlind Ontario Services in collaboration with CNIB DBCS yarn bombing railings and metal pillars, Guy Lombardo Pavilion, Spring Bank Gardens, 285 Wonderland Road South, London

Ontario – DeafBlind Ontario Services installation on trees at Township Hall, Notre-Dame Street, Russell, Ontario

Ontario – DeafBlind Ontario Services - Columns and Balusters, Innisfil ideaLab & Library, 967 Innisfil Beach Road, Innisfil

Ontario – DeafBlind Ontario Services - Fence, North Dumfries Community Complex, 2958 Greenfield Road, Ayr

Ontario – DeafBlind Ontario Services - Gazebo, Jackson's Point Parkette, 21093 Dalton Road, Georgina

New Brunswick – installation on tree in front of Legislative Building, Fredericton, New Brunswick