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Celebrating Volunteers

The Ontario Volunteer Service Awards are a way for the government to recognize volunteers for their undeniable contributions. The awards, including a pin and certificate, are also a way to thank volunteers for their continuous years of commitment and dedicated service to a group. This year, six Community Living Essex County volunteers were recognized at a formal event held in April at the Caboto Club in Windsor; they included **Carabel and Hector Ringrose** for 35 years of continuous service to the Ruthven Apple Festival, **Bob Blair, Faye Thibodeau, and Len Turton** of the Jingle Bell Run, Walk and Wheel event for 15 years and **Fred Mitchell** for 5 years of continuous service with the Community Living Essex County Charity Golf Classic.

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