

C&O Canal Pride Days 2009



Restore
Revitalize
Renew



Join us for the 2nd Annual
C&O Canal Pride Days!

Saturday, April 18: Great Falls

Saturday, April 25: Brunswick & Lander

Saturday, May 2: Williamsport & Hancock

C&O Canal Pride Days is a great opportunity to enjoy the outdoors and meet new people while helping beautify the C&O Canal Historical Park. Anyone can join in and every little bit helps. So gather your family, friends and co-workers and be part of restoring our heritage.

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For more information or to get involved,
please call **301-714-2233** or visit
www.canaltrust.org today!



The C&O Canal Trust is an independent, nonprofit organization founded in early 2007 to protect, restore, and promote the C&O Canal National Historical Park. The Trust pursues its mission through a combination of fundraising, volunteerism, community outreach and education, and hands-on restoration. By working in partnership with the National Park Service, the Trust seeks to ensure that the park's natural, historic, and recreational potential is fully realized.



Get your Pride On!

The C&O Canal Trust is an independent, nonprofit organization, which brings the resources of the community—its energy, expertise and economic capacity—to the task of protecting, restoring and promoting the C&O Canal National Historical Park. We recognize that everyone plays an important role in stewarding the Park's natural, historic and recreational qualities. And during the C&O Canal Pride Days, we're working in tandem with the National Park Service to engage volunteers to do just that.

With more than 700 volunteers, the first C&O Canal Pride Days in 2008 was a huge success. In fact, it was the largest volunteer effort in the C&O Canal National Historical Park since the clean-up effort following the floods of 1996.

**2,450 hours and
74 projects completed**

240 parking spaces striped

**85 bags of garlic mustard
(an invasive plant species)
removed**

21 picnic tables painted

20 existing grills repaired

**10 truckloads of leaves
were raked and bagged**

**6 new barbeque grills
installed**

**More than 72 yards
of mulch spread**

... and much, much more!



And we're doing it all over again!

So join us in this epic revitalization project. Whether you commit to one afternoon or a few days, you're bound to be part of a legacy for the ages.



Please show your pride for your Park today by volunteering for this year's C&O Canal Pride Days! Completed forms may be mailed to the address listed at the top of this page. With your help, this can mark the beginning of a lasting relationship between yourself, the C&O Canal National Historical Park, and our future.

- Yes! I would like to volunteer during C&O Canal Pride Days
- I am unable to volunteer at this time, but would like to participate in future C&O Canal Trust Events
- Yes! I would like to receive periodic email updates
- Yes! I would like to receive information on how I can help the Trust's efforts to protect, restore, and promote the C&O Canal!

NAME: _____ EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____