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August 3, 2015

Dear friends at Sobel Associates LLC,

On behalf of the Metro YMCA of the Oranges I would like to thank you for your amazing efforts at the Community Volunteer Day at our South Mountain Branch and for dedicating time to fundraise for a great cause.

From your joyous rendition of the *'Alligator Song'* to the final post lunch *'World Record dumpster filling speed challenge'* it was certainly a day to remember 😊

With 86 dedicated volunteers from your company, we benefitted from over 300 volunteer hours and you made a huge impact on our facilities and ultimately, our programs that serve so many children, youth and families in our community.

To re-cap, here is what you achieved on Monday 27th July 2015:

- Decorated seven 18 foot long 'crowd scene' banners to beautify the sports field
- Painted the Early Learning Childhood Center staff Conference Room
- Loaded two 30 yard dumpsters with junk from storage areas, closets, attics, sheds and rooms
- Painted the playground fence complete with decorative chalk board panels
- Mulched the entire premises to enhance the beautiful gardens
- Painted the interior of the historic Civic House

It was a great experience to see people give their time to help a place like the Y that exists to help others, and it was inspiring to see the spirit in which the work was carried out

Thank you all and a GIANT round of applause for the incredible interns that organized a fantastic event.

Dan, Vincent, Daniella and Tenzin.....you were amazing!

James Goodger
Executive Director
South Mountain YMCA