



Proclamation

Conductive Education Day 2013

WHEREAS, Conductive Education, a unique teaching system that maximizes the independence and mobility of children and adults with neuro-motor disabilities like stroke survivors, and those with cerebral palsy, multiple sclerosis, acquired brain injuries and Parkinson's disease, was developed over sixty years ago in Hungary by Dr. András Peto.

Conductive Education operates from a core belief in neuroplasticity – the lifelong ability of the brain to reorganize neural pathways based on new experiences – and on the premise that no matter how severe the disability, people can learn and improve when they are motivated.

Conductive Education has the potential to make a significant, life-changing impact on the mobility and independence of close to 9 million people in North America.

March of Dimes Canada is a nationally-registered charitable organization providing support services to people with disabilities, their families and caregivers across Canada, including providing Conductive Education programs to Haligonians.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim February 21st as Conductive Education Day 2013 and encourage supporting this important program that increases the independence of people with disabilities in our community.



Original Signed

Mike Savage
Mayor

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mike Savage', is written over a horizontal line.