



## Upcoming Events

- ❖ 3/02 – Marsh Grass Seed Planting
- ❖ 3/04 – Composting Workshop
- ❖ 03/06 – Community Service Committee Meeting – New Realm Brewery 5pm
- ❖ 3/08 – FOTM Food Drive
- ❖ 3/09 – Marsh Grass Seed Planting
- ❖ 3/13 – IOP Litter Sweep
- ❖ 3/14 – Soldiers’ Angels Food Drive
- ❖ 3/16 – BCCOC Farmer’s Market
- ❖ 3/16 – Marsh Grass Seed Planting
- ❖ 3/17 – Books & Beyond – Cainho Elementary School
- ❖ 3/22 – FOTM Food Drive
- ❖ 3/23 – Marsh Grass Seed Planting
- ❖ 3/25 – Walk for Water
- ❖ 3/25 – Downtown Litter Sweep
- ❖ 3/27 – IOP Litter Sweep
- ❖ 3/30 – Marsh Grass Seed Planting

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# Community Service News

March 2023

## Soldiers’ Angels Veteran Food Drive



Rotarians Ed Rominger and Mike Geier lent a hand at the monthly Soldiers’ Angels mobile food distribution.

It was a beautiful sunny day on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> when 50+ volunteers helped bag and distribute nearly 20,000 pounds of fresh and non-perishable food to over 200 veterans in need.

Cadets from the Citadel were handing out Valentine’s Day cards along with the food. To help in the future, contact Mike Geier.

## Feeding of the Multitudes



The RCDI supported Feeding of the Multitudes at its Fresh Express food drive on Wednesday February 22nd.

This month, a bountiful array of fresh produce, shrimp, chicken, and canned goods was given to the more than 200 families who participated.

Thanks to Lowcountry Foodbank, Publix Supermarkets, Lowes Foods, who all contributed to a successful event. Feeding of the Multitudes is a Duck Race beneficiary and proceeds from this year’s race will go to supporting our friends in the Cainho community. To participate in a future event, contact Maureen Cannon.

## Book and Beyond



Led by Literary Chair, Colleen McGregor, Rotarians supported Books and Beyond at its pop-up book fair at Sandhill Elementary on February 22 and 23rd in Summerville.

Through free pop-up events, Books and Beyond is helping children build at-home libraries with a variety of quality children’s books that they can enjoy again and again. Each of the more than 1000 children in the school received 2 books and was eligible to win a prize in the book-themed raffle.

**NEXT BOOK FAIR AT CAINHOY ELEMENTARY ON MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup>. FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT COLLEEN MCGREGOR.**



# Community Service Events

The Community Service Committee aims to provide monthly service opportunities for all RCDI members that support:

- INCLUSIVENESS – promote opportunities all members can actively participate in
- IMPACT – have a long-term positive impact in our community and build strong relationships
- IMAGE – continue to promote the positive image of RCDI throughout our community



Have a great idea for a community service project?



Want to lend a hand in our community?

## For More Information

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## Composting Workshop

Learn how to compost home food scraps in the FREE workshop!

**When:** Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 11am-12pm

**Where:** Daniel Island Recreation Center



## Marsh Seed Planting

Join SCORE and Charleston Waterkeeper to plant marsh grass seedlings at Fort Johnson! These babies will then be stored in greenhouses as they grow into the tall, strong Spartina that we all know and love. Email [SCORE@dnr.sc.gov](mailto:SCORE@dnr.sc.gov) to RSVP as space is limited.

**When:** Every Thursday 1pm-3pm

**Where:** Fort Johnson



## Litter Sweeps

**When:** March 13<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>

**Where:** 3/13 - IOP Public Beach Walkover  
3/25 - 100 Aquarium Wharf  
3/27 - IOP Public Beach Walkover

Registration required for Downtown Litter sweep. Register [here](#).

IOP Litter Sweeps, no registration needed



## Walk for Water 2023

Raises money for Water Mission to provide clean water worldwide.

**When:** March 25, 2023  
Starts at 9:00am

**Where:** Riverfront Park Charleston

See Bill Greene to join RCDI Team