



GFWC FLORIDA: Narrative for Club Reporting (Click in gray box and type)

Official Name of Club:	Grand Haven Womans Club		
District Number:	6	Number of Members:	213
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Community Service Program or Advancement Plan:	Environment		

- 1. Flagler Humane Society (FHS)** – FHS is committed to the welfare of animals. Services include adopting/fostering of pets, veterinary care, micro-chipping, disaster pet shelters, care for feral or abused animals and 24/7 emergency service for domesticated animals and wildlife. FHS also runs a thrift shop where donations of clothing and household articles are accepted and re-sold. GHWC donated \$810 in Cash, \$120 In-Kind, and members volunteered 122 hours to this project.
- 2. Recycling and Community Cleanup** – Palm Coast provides recycling pickup once weekly. Many GHWC members recycle according to local requirements. Additionally, GHWC members participate in general cleanup projects around the community and beach areas. GHWC members volunteered 225 hours to this project for this reporting cycle.
- 3. Pet Care Volunteer** – A GHWC member volunteers time to work with pet adoption services at a local PetSmart store and volunteered 30 hours to this project for this reporting cycle.
- 4. Friends of Washington Oaks State Park** – Washington Oaks State Park is a 21-acre park located in Palm Coast FL that includes beaches, bicycling, fishing, hiking, picnicking, and wildlife viewing. Several members of the Conservation Committee volunteer at the park on a regular basis, and one member is the President of the Friends of Washington Oaks State Park. GHWC members volunteered 28 hours to this project for this reporting cycle.
- 5. Whitney Labs** – Members of GHWC volunteer at Whitney Labs to assist with the instruction of students from the Flagler School System. Visiting students are offered instruction in marine and biomedical research and are given an opportunity to attend classes in a highly interactive research environment. GHWC members volunteer at the lab several times a week to assist with the student instruction. GHWC donated \$1,000 to assist with this project. GHWC members volunteered 26 hours to this project for this reporting cycle.
- 6. Habitat for Humanity** – Habitat works in many ways: new construction, repairs to existing homes, small loans for incremental building and home improvements, help establishing title and ownership to land, advocacy for better laws and systems, disaster prevention and recovery, and more. GHWC members volunteered 4 hours to this project for this reporting cycle and an In-Kind donation of \$500.

- 7. Gamble Rogers State Park** – Gamble Rogers State Park is a 145-acre park located on barrier island named for Florida folk singer and storyteller Gamble Rogers. GHWC members volunteered 3 hours to this project for this reporting cycle.

- 8. Schnauzer Love Rescue** – One of our GHWC members interviews applicants interesting in adopting/fostering a schnauzer and matches them to a dog available for adoption/fostering. The GHWC member’s volunteer duties include maintaining an online data base of applicants and dogs. After placement, there are 3 follow up contacts made to ensure the dogs are treated properly. She volunteered 234 hours for this reporting cycle.