

Volunteer/Outdoor Pursuits



Volunteer Program

Since FY2019 the volunteer program has had

- 5,964 volunteers
- 14,073 hours volunteered
- Value= \$339,464.65 (State value of \$22.08 per hour in 2019, \$24.93 per hour 2020, 2021, & 2022)



Volunteers for 2022

- 73 park projects completed,

1487 volunteers

3,626.25 total hours

\$ 90,402.41 value



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Adopt A Spot Program

- The City of Pensacola partnered with Keep Pensacola Beautiful and the Adopt-a-Spot program invites individuals and groups such as neighborhood and athletic associations, church groups, youth groups, scouts, businesses, civic organizations and families to show community pride and take an active role in helping maintain and beautify one of our 93 parks and greenspaces.
- As of Sept. 2022 there is currently 28 parks and greenspaces on the active adoption list.
- Ocean Hour holds monthly and bi-monthly cleanups at 9 of the City's parks.



Eagle Scout Projects

- Frisco 1355
- Miraflores Boyscout Bldg.
- Fricker Center
- Chimney Park
- Hitzman-Optimist Park
- From the Ground Up Garden
- Mallory Heights 3
- Bay Bluffs Park



City Partners/Volunteer Groups

FWC

Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

Fish Florida

Klondike Archery Range

Panhandle Bowhunter's Association

Pensacola Recreational Fisherman's Association

UWF Outdoor Pursuits

Ocean Hour

Keep Pensacola Beautiful

UF/IFAS Extension Office

NATTC

Seacrest Fitness

Steve's Catfish Farm

Epilepsy Florida

Longleaf Alliance GCPEP Eco System Support

FFNWF

Panhandle Watershed

Earth Action/Earth Ethics

Scenic Hwy Foundation

From the Ground Up Garden

Outcast Bait and Tackle

Coastal Angler Magazine

Girl Scouts

BSA

UWF Delta Phi Lambda

Pensacola Christian College

CISMA

Audubon Society

Native Plant Society

Scenic Heights N.A.

L.D.S. Church

Fire Department

Human Resources

Sierra Club Emerald Coast

Belmont/Devilliers NA

DEFY (Drug Education for Youth)

UWF PIKE Fraternity

United Way Escambia

Skills USA Florida

Omega Delta Phi

UWF Honors

Catholic High Girls Basketball

Sea No Limits Fishing Clinic

IFAS UF Extension Office

FYCCN

ECCWA

Blackwater Canoe Rentals

Big Lagoon State Park

American Institute for Certified Planners

Cox Communications



Outdoor Pursuits

To provide educational experiences to kids through outdoor activities.

- Beginning Fishing Camps
- Advanced Fishing Camps
- SUP/Kayak Camps
- Adventure Camps
- Fishing/Archery days
- Intro to Outdoor Survival Skills



Beginning Fishing Camp

- This camp teaches children ages 7-12 the basics of fishing from knot tying, casting, and baiting their own hook.



Advanced Fishing Camp



- This camp takes kids 8-16 to different locations throughout our area to fish. They visit Fort Pickens, Palafox Pier, Maritime Park, and even took a charter trip in the Gulf. They learn species identification, morphology, rules and regulations, and ethical angling.



SUP/Kayak Camp

Kids ages 9-16 learn the fundamentals of kayaking and stand up paddle boarding. The kids spend the first day learning basic skills, paddling strokes, parts of the vessel, and safety afloat practices. The rest of the week is spent traveling to different locations with a river day trip on Thursday.



Adventure Camp



Kids will experience a new outdoor activity each day of the week.

- Fishing
- Kayaking
- Rock climbing
- Archery
- Hiking and more



Fishing/Archery Day Camps

- Fishing/Archery Day Camp is set up for days kids are out of school. I got a level 1 archery and a marine science certification through FYCCN where I can teach kids the fundamentals of fishing and archery. Kids will learn about types of bows and the parts, safe range practices, and various shooting techniques.
- They are also educated on fish habitats, species identification, morphology, regulations, and types of tackle and equipment used for both saltwater and freshwater fishing.
- FYCCN provides a curriculum and some equipment to help the camps be successful.



Intro to Outdoor Survival Skills Camp



Bayview Outdoor Pursuits Center

