



## 2023 Reef & Beach Clean Up Rules & Regulations

- **Safety:** Safety is a paramount consideration in this event. ALL participants are encouraged to wear gloves while collecting trash. Gloves will be provided at check in. PLEASE return gloves to designated buckets. We wash and re-use these at other events. We also recommend you wear long pants, long sleeve shirts, closed toe shoes and use bug spray and Sunscreen.
- **Divers:** No competitors are to exceed the recreational diving limit of 90 feet, or the maximum depth your training allows. Do not push your training limits or violate any safe practices. If there is a piece of debris that has become significant habitat for sea creatures and would cause more damage to remove it, please leave it there! LEAVE CONCRETE.
- **TRASH needs to be sorted by category prior to weigh in.** We will have bins on hand, to use in sorting process prior to weighing the trash. Recycling items include plastic and glass. Aluminum cans are recycled with Metals. Chain needs to be detached from the anchors and rope and weighed in the metals category. We have tools on site to assist with this step. Each team may designate ONE "item" they wish to enter in the "Most Unique" category.
- **Registration:** Is available in advance online, onsite each day, and prior to the weigh-in process.
- **Cash Payout Entry:** No team/individual is officially entered into the tournament until the tournament staff has received all properly filled out paperwork. This includes, Team registration forms, waivers for each individual on the team, and scorecards completed during the weigh-in.
- **Weigh in:** The weigh-in will take place on Saturday, September 16 from 1-5pm and Sunday September 17 from 1-3pm. Event location is Seabreeze Park, 55 Horseshoe Loop Rd, Terra Ceia, FL 34250. A representative from each team must be in the weigh in line no later than 3:00 PM on Sunday to be eligible to be entered for cash prizes. If your team weighs trash each day, your totals will be tallied together by event staff.
- **Awards and Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded on Sunday afternoon after all trash is collected, sorted, weighed and scored. If you are a winner in ANY trash division, you do not have to be present to win.
- **Raffle tickets:** Participant Blue Prize table ticket winners must be present to draw items from the table. Purchased Red Raffle tickets, must be present OR legibly print Name and phone # on the back of each ticket. We will contact you within a few days of the event if you are a winner.
- **Photos/Videos:** I hereby consent to be photographed while participating in the Reef and Beach Clean-up event. The term "photograph" includes video or still photography, in digital or any other format, and any other means of recording or reproducing images. I hereby authorize the use of the photograph(s) by, or disclosure of the photograph(s) to: Suncoast Aqua Ventures promotional material including but not limited to their website [www.SuncoastAquaVentures.com](http://www.SuncoastAquaVentures.com).

- A separate liability release must be signed by each individual upon registering for this event.

By signing below, I agree to all 2023 Suncoast Reef & Beach Clean Up  
**RULES AND REGULATIONS.**

**Signatures Required**

**Print and Sign your name.**

(If 17 or under must be signed by parent or guardian)

**TEAM Captain.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Member #2** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Member #3** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Member #4** \_\_\_\_\_

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