November 2020

TRASH TALK
VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER

Good Gravy!!!!!

This month, 121 Litter Ends Here volunteers removed 7,635lbs of trash from Greenville County!!! If we include the work from the Friends of the Reedy River volunteer cleanup, it adds up to 9,865lbs of trash being removed from Greenville County’s environment in one month by volunteers!

THANK YOU ALL SO VERY MUCH!!!!!!!

Lakeside Park Cleanup

In early October, 77 volunteers removed 3,580lbs of trash and tires from Lakeside Park in just a few hours!

Unbelievable Job!!!!!!!

The volunteers are athletes and coaches from the Greenville High School NICA mountain bike teams. The core values of NICA include strong character, strong mind, strong body, equity, and inclusivity. NICA participants are committed to giving back to the community and trails, and to teaching about the importance of trail maintenance and stewardship.
Simpsonville Anti-litter Warriors!

This group of seven Litter Ends Here App volunteers have removed more than 900lbs of litter this month from Standing Springs Road, Log Shoals Road, West Georgia Road, and St. Albans School Road in the Simpsonville area.

This area was a mess and looks so much better after all their hard work!

Thank you!!!!

Amazing Work !!!

FRIENDS OF THE REEDY RIVER CLEANUP RESULTS!

What an awesome job by all the volunteers at Friends of the Reedy River! 66 volunteers spent 37 hours, removing 99 bags of trash! Together, they removed 2,230lbs of the trash, plus 19 tires!

A huge thank you for all the work FoRR do year round!

Adopt a Road

Out with the old and in with the new!

We have overhauled the Adopt a Road program and it has a fresh new look.

It took more than 6 months, but all the old logo Adopt a Road signs have been replaced with the new logo Adopt a Road signs! Please help us out and let us know if you find any old logo Adopt a Road that we may have missed.

A huge thank you to everyone who makes this program a hug success!
**Hwy 418 Cleanup**

SCDOT, The Sheriff’s Office, and the Litter Ends Here program teamed up to clean part of Highway 418. In two days we were able to remove **5,780 pounds of trash from the roadside**! A huge thank you to SCDOT for providing traffic control so we could safety get to these sections of the road and to the Greenville County Sheriff's Office Environmental Services team for helping pickup this trash!

**Tarp It or We Ticket**

Thanks to a wonderful partnership with the Greenville County Sheriff’s Office and Palmetto Pride we were able to handout free tarps at the Blackberry Valley Convenience Center this month while teaching people about the importance of having their loads secured.

**Weird Halloween Finds**

The Litter Ends Here team found some spooky items during the month of October before Halloween! Don’t be a garbage goblin or trash troll! Keep your items secure in your vehicle so they don’t end up on the side of our roadway.