



JANUARY IMPACT



BGG SPOKE AT GIVEBACKJAX ON 1/18

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Calling all HS seniors or college students!

BGG began accepting applications for its (2) \$2500 scholarships to qualified students who have demonstrated significant commitment to environmental or wildlife conservation.

Applications are accepted January 1, 2020 - March 31, 2020 11:59 PM EST.

To apply go to:

www.beachsgogreen.org/scholarship

2019 BGG FEEDBACK SURVEY

BGG released our 2019 Feedback survey. We are asking community members to take 3 minutes to tell us how we are doing & where YOU would like to see our educational efforts focused in 2020!

To take the survey visit:

www.beachsgogreen.org



REUSABLE BOTTLES FOR FINISHERS AT THE GO GREEN RUN ON ON 1/25



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

FEBRUARY

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RISE ABOVE PLASTIC COALITION
FLORIDA STATE CAPITOL, TALLAHASSEE

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**BGG BE THE CHANGE SERIES-
THE CONSCIOUS CONSUMER**
COOP 303, ATLANTIC BEACH



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**BEACHES TOWN CENTER'S COASTAL
CARNIVALE**
ONE OCEAN HOTEL, ATLANTIC BEACH

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**PONTE VEDRA COMMUNITY
& BEACH CLEAN UP**
MICKLER'S LANDING, PONTE VEDRA



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BEACHES WELLFEST & FUN RUN
JOHANSEN PARK, ATLANTIC BEACH

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON UPCOMING
EVENTS PLEASE VISIT:
WWW.BEACHESGOGREEN.ORG**

PAST EVENTS

BGG OCTOPUS GARDEN AT DTC

JAN 1

Our Octopus Garden, a single-use plastic art installation, brought environmental education to 70K+ over 40 days at Deck the Chairs.

SIERRA CLUB MEETING

JAN 13

Dr. Maia McGuire's presented "Microplastics: What's the BIG deal?" at the January Sierra Club meeting.

ST. AUGUSTINE FILM SOCIETY - A PLASTIC PARADISE

JAN 15

BGG & the St. Augustine Film Society showed the FREE film "A Plastic Paradise" on the impact of single-use plastic in our oceans.

COFFEE+CONNECT: PRESENT TO GIVE BACK JAX

JAN 18

BGG presented about the dangers of plastic pollution at the January GiveBackJax meeting to 30+ attendees.

GO GREEN WINTER BEACH RUN

JAN 25

Beaches Go Green partnered with JTC and 1st Place Sports to reduced the race's footprint to 3 bags of recycling, 1 bag of compost, and 1 bag of garbage. HUGE!

"I always wondered why somebody didn't do something about that, then I realized, I am somebody."

Unknown