Hey there. We’ve updated our Terms of Service and Privacy Policy.
I love volunteering with 808 Cleanups because they take action! This first-rate non-profit tends our aina -- making an impact from mauka to makai and into the ocean. Powered by an all-volunteer community, we help to remove trash, discarded fishing nets, graffiti, and invasive plants. Join us for weekly and monthly events or lead your own cleanup. For me, I was interested in organizing a Kailua Beach cleanup of micro plastics. Michael helped me add it to their calendar and even brought cleaning supplies. Thanks to his help and all of the volunteers who came out, I'm happy to share that the event was a success! There are many ways to get involved: adopt-a-site programs, invasive plant removal, nature graffiti removal, and marine debris removal, to name a few. It is great for school projects, volunteer hours, and even family events. Personally, I have found it to be a wonderful way to catch up with friends, meet new people, and do some good for our beautiful island home. To find out what's going on and what areas need help, I highly recommend visiting 808cleanups.org, joining their Facebook group, or following them on Instagram. Mahalo nui to 808 Cleanups for all that you do to help restore Hawai'i's natural beauty!

About this time last year I reported a huge marine debris net that washed up on Diamond Head beach. It literally took about a month to remove off the beach and it gave me nightmares every night until then. I contacted EVERY government & City and County Office I could reach as well as DLNR, Marine and Wildlife, Coast Guard, Boat Safety division. I called, left messages, sent emails, filled out reports. Nothing. 1 rep from Boat Safety inspected it but nothing followed up. I was blessed enough to have enough friends willing to spend their day helping to drag it off the shoreline with all the energy they could spare. It wasn't until I went through social media and found 808 Clean Ups, that we were able to join forces to completely remove it from the beach and up to the road for bulky pick up. I cannot thank 808 Clean Ups enough, or the countless clean up ninjas that came by and did their part without being seen! It was one of the most meaningful community projects I have been involved with to date and I plan to always be an ally to this organization. Every person who volunteers in the name of this organization is a Hero. I love their posts of collections cleaned on various beaches and parks. It's scary that this day and age we have to endure so much litter on our islands. But as long as we keep the community mindset, we can prevail.
Awesome organization that is so easy to be part of. I can take my bags and clean up whenever I want to! That's the basic premise of the group, just clean up when can, and if you want or need help - CAN! If you need any help, it's easy to organize it on the Facebook page of the same name (808 CLEANUPS).

They will provide a cleanup kit with a bucket filled with things to help you at no charge - just tell them which beach(es) you want to adopt and they give you the tools to help you! Gloves, buckets, magnet (for metal litter), bags, a scale to weigh the trash you picked up, any signage you need, anything that can be of use - Michael will get to you .. even gives away shirts and stickers.

I volunteer with 808cleanups for several years. This organization actually DOES SOMETHING when there is unsightly graffiti tags on trees and park equipment or derelict nets washing up on our beaches, this group organizes thousands of volunteers across Hawai'i to clean up roads, parks, and beaches. Tons of litter picked up annually.

Organizers supply starter cleanup kits for volunteers, effectively using funds for the work of maintaining our land and oceans.

Almost every day there is a cleanup event on their calendar. Come just once or every week, all are welcome!
How awesome is this group? Just attend any of their events and you will see their love for our island radiating from every member. We join them as frequently as possible and find them fun, knowledgeable and ready to tackle any challenge big or small.

Roadside debris?
Beach Garbage?
Graffiti Removal?

Again.... if you want to be a part of people doing it right and making a real difference look no further!

808 Cleanups is truly a "mauka" to "makai" organization. Whether you prefer to have cleanups on trails, at the ocean or your neighborhood park, there’s something for everyone. Family oriented events/cleanups are a great way to introduce children to the importance of caring for the aina and that every person can make a huge impact. I love that 808 Cleanups is not only dedicated to trash/ocean net removals, but also graffiti tags on trees and rocks. Removing these eyesores makes such a remarkable difference in restoring the natural beauty of our trails/parks/beaches.

Gabe S.
Honolulu, HI
186 friends
17 reviews
17 photos

2/28/2019

JR M.
Waianae, HI
82 friends
6 reviews
5 photos

2/25/2019

Alison M.
Kailua, HI
4 friends
75 reviews
6 photos

2/25/2019

808 cleanups is a wonderful organization that provides continuous support and compassion for Hawaii. Each cleanup I have been to is well organized as they provide everything you need for an efficient clean-up alongside friendly like-minded individuals. Whether you live on island or just visiting, definitely use some spare time to help this group of amazing individuals out!
Great organization that is making a huge difference in Hawaii. This is not a passive group, chances are pretty good they are sponsoring or supporting a clean-up somewhere on the island. Everything from beach clean-ups to graffiti tag removal. From parks to trails to mountain peaks they are making an impact. My wife and I have been hosting a site clean-ups for the last almost 3 years and have had the pleasure of watching Michael and his crew grow. The support they give the hundreds of volunteers is always top notch. All the supplies and support you need whether it is a solo one time clean-up or a large regular group event. Highly recommend getting in touch with 808 cleanups, they will help make a positive change.

Since its inception 808 Cleanups has been an integral part in protect Hawaii from Mauka to Makai. The organization has been protecting Hawaii for many years now... The vision is to enjoy a world with clean and safe beaches, hiking trails, and natural spaces without encountering any evidence of human littering or graffiti on any natural spaces. Their long-term environmental goals are to restore the aina and educate the public on how to create a land stewardship of Hawaii's precious and sacred spaces. They have done an amazing job creating a self-motivating culture with the people here in Hawaii where we all take responsibility for our spaces and the places we love and spend time at. This is an amazing organization that if you live in Hawaii and have the opportunity to join you SHOULD! Mahalo Nui Loa 808 Cleanups for making Hawaii safer, cleaner and motivating us to take back our island home!

Truly the means to making a difference in your community! 808 Cleanups "Adopt a Site" program sponsors your stewardship by providing tools and supplies to facilitate your initiatives. At our adopted site, we've cleared out 47,000lbs of rubbish in 2.5 years, removed thousands of square feet of invasive species, and met many like minded people eager to assist. Participating in the monthly local
808 Cleanup sponsored events has been a great way for our community to connect and take ownership in the improvement of our local beaches and parks. Also, 808 Cleanups maintains a monthly calendar of recurring and one time cleanups projects, allowing you to get involved as little or as much as you wish. All cleanups begin with a safety briefing, all tools and supplies are provided, and the cleanups are a great family friendly activity suitable for all ages to participate in.

3/7/2019

808 Cleanups is a great organization to have around! I adopted Koko Head Stairs a few years ago and visited regularly to pick up rubbish along the trail and at the top. I regularly enjoyed the company and assistance from the founder Michael, and supplies were always provided for me (how could it get any easier!). Others on the trail were always appreciative of my cleanup efforts. Fast forward a few years, I do not go to the trail as regularly as I used to, and I've noticed a dramatic reduction of littering. I'm sure it's a combination of people being more conscious about littering and other individuals chipping in to help maintain this beautiful spot, hopefully by observing my example, along with more people in general lending a helping hand. Oh yeah, I once noticed some graffiti on rocks at a beautiful neighborhood waterfall reported it, and other 808 Cleanup volunteers quickly headed out and cleaned things up. What a great group this is. What I like the most is the support that is lent to anyone who wants to seriously get involved.

5/7/2016

If you’re a person that loves nature, your neighborhood, a local park, beach or snorkel spot (that’s pretty much everyone, right?!?) 808cleanups is your group! I've been a member for a few years and I am so proud to be involved with such an awesome community of like minded individuals. 808cleanups will provide support (in the form of an online social media community) as well as supplies you need to get your favorite spot into shape! This includes supplies to clean beaches/parks, get rid of graffiti, or clean the reef. I’ve adopted a section of Kāhala beach and usually snorkel the reef for rubbish that washes out of the canals and derelict fishing gear. I also participate in group clean ups and other random events that members post online when they need help at their adopted locations. There is always work to be done and friends to help! That being said this is a life style and I (as well as most of us that are passionate enough to dedicate our time to these places) clean wherever I go. Protect what you love, and do what you can to support your community when you can. That's the idea. Join us! All the cool kids do.

5/7/2016

Cleaning up the islands one piece of litter at a time! The most fantastic group of people ever, who daily restore my faith in humanity. Mahalo 808 Cleanups!
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