



American Littoral Society

New York State Beach Cleanup 2016

If you would like to become a Beach Captain for the New York State Beach Cleanup, please fill out this form and email to NYSBC@littoralsociety.org or mail to the address on the back of this form. Information with a * is required for your registration to be valid. Please refer to the back of this form for more information about filling out this form. If you prefer, you can fill out this form online at www.NYSBeachCleanup.org.

Coordinator - (List address to which all materials will be sent)

*Full Name: _____

Organization: _____

*Address: _____

(No P.O. Boxes. FedEx will not deliver to P.O. Boxes.)

*City: _____ *State: _____ *Zip: _____

Is the above address a home address? (check one) Yes No

*Phone (Home / Work / Cell): _____ Make this public? Yes No
(circle one)

*Email: _____ Make this public? Yes No

Cleanup Sites - (The Coordinator can be listed as a Beach Captain)

*Site Name: _____ Shoreline: _____
(ex. Atlantic Ocean, LIS, Hudson River, etc.)

Nearest Road or Landmark: _____

Site Coordinates: Longitude: _____ Latitude: _____
(to learn how to find the longitude and latitude of your site, see the back of this application for instructions)

Beach Captain(s): _____

Organization: _____

Beach Captain Contact: Phone: _____ Email: _____
(Phone/email that volunteers can contact you about your cleanup. Please separate each one with a comma. These will be displayed on the site list unless private.)

City/Town/Borough _____ County: _____

Date: _____ Start _____ AM PM TBA Rain Date: _____ Start _____ AM PM TBA

Mode of Data Collection (check one) Land (beach, shoreline, or inland) Underwater Watercraft Cleanup

Type of Environment: (check one.)
 Saltwater (Ocean/Bay/Estuary) - Freshwater (River/Stream/Lake) - Inland (No Water Body Present)

Is this cleanup part of: Long Island Sound? Jamaica Bay? (see map on flip side of the Cleanup Report)

Is this a private cleanup? (check one) Yes No
(Private cleanups are not open to the general public.)

Website for volunteers to find out more information about your cleanup(s) or your organization:

Materials Needed

(If you can reproduce certificates, please request **one**.)

*Trash Bags _____

*Data Cards _____

*Certificates _____

(Estimate 1 per 3 volunteers)

Helpful Information

Total Estimated Volunteers _____

FedEx Number _____

UPS Number _____

I can pick-up the materials.

Yes/No

Call 718-869-3488 or email: NYSBC@littoralsociety.org for details

How did you hear about the American Littoral Society's New York State Beach Cleanup?

Participated previously

Other _____

Registering online is easy! You can register online at www.NYSBeachCleanup.org. If you registered last year, you received a personal identification number (PIN). Enter that PIN in the box provided on the online registration form and it will fill in several fields on the form. Fields such as date and time will still need to be completed. Automatically filled in fields like address, phone and emails can be modified if they have changed.

The first part of this form is for the Coordinator. In most cases, the Coordinator and the Beach Captain are the same. It is possible for a Coordinator to oversee multiple cleanups. This year the site list will have more information including clickable email address for Beach Captains and Coordinators (should they choose to make their information public), times that the cleanups will be taking place, and a link (should the Beach Captain provide one) to a site where volunteers can learn more about the Beach Captains' organization or the cleanup.

Ocean Conservancy has changed the data and summary cards. The new data cards require additional information such as *Nearest Road or Landmark* and *how many children under the age of 12* participated. They are also requesting the type of environment that will be cleaned (i.e., *Saltwater, Freshwater or No Water Body Present*).

Longitude and Latitude coordinates are essential and will be used to map where volunteers can find a nearby cleanup as well as a reference for the Ocean Conservancy and the American Littoral Society. Finding the coordinates for your site is easy! Log onto www.maps.google.com and zoom into the starting area of your cleanup. Right click on that area and left click on "What's Here?" In the Google search box up at the top will be two numbers separated by a comma. This is your coordinates. Longitude is first, followed by latitude (which will be a negative number). For those that have the newer version of Google Maps, simply zoom into your starting location and click on it. In a box on the upper left of the map you will see your longitude and Latitude coordinates. If you require additional help, please don't hesitate to call me.

For cleanups that have a Coordinator and a Beach Captain who are not from the same organization, please list the Beach Captains' organization name under the "Cleanup Sites" section. This year, I will compile a complete list of all the organizations who participated to be published in the American Littoral Society's Annual Report.

If there is any part of the form that you are unsure of, I would be more than happy to help you out. Please don't hesitate to contact me for more information.

Sincerely,
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