

## GROUP VOLUNTEERING PROGRAMME OVERVIEW 2021

### *'BUILDING TEAMS : BUILDING COMMUNITIES'*

*"Group volunteering provides an opportunity for new experiences – an opportunity to challenge assumptions, become alert to new ideas, orient to what ideas mean for those volunteering personally, and take action towards new behaviours rooted in inclusivity, compassion, and empathy – resulting in better employees, better individuals, better communities. Ask us for the latest project list; tell us how many in your team, what you want to do and when you want to do it. We will put it all together. For businesses, group volunteering provides an opportunity for employees to connect with the community within working hours – boosting the business's profile - and at the same time providing a unique team-building experience. Send us some pics from the day and we will spread the word about what YOUR team is doing in the community. It's a win/win!"*

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#### Teams (totalling 747 people) included:

##### Local Businesses

Travel Associates  
Hampton Jones  
Chorus  
IAG  
CRC  
EY  
MBIE  
Groundline Engineering  
Spark  
Avanti Finance  
Deloitte  
Jade  
Kiwi Property Group  
CareerForce

##### Community Groups

US Embassy Youth Council  
Ferrymead Boys Football Club (U13s and (U14s)

##### Students from:

University of Canterbury  
Lincoln Uni Future Leaders Programme  
UC College of Education, Health and Human Development  
Casebrook Intermediate  
St Andrews' College (Yr 8)  
Christ's College  
NZ Institute of Sport  
Mairehau School  
St Bedes

#### Here's who benefitted (approx 3,070 hours contributed):

	Hours
0800 Hungry	835
Summit Road Society	50
Christchurch South Community Garden	50
McQueen's Valley Mountainbike Club	95
Richmond Community Gardens	725
Packe Street Park and Garden	131
CCC Parks (The Groyne)	50
CCC Parks (Travis Wetlands)	208
Neighbourhood Trust	92
CCC Graffiti Off the Wall Programme	236
Conservation Volunteers	75
NZ Spinal Trust/Burwood	100
Habitat for Humanity	48
SPCA	90
Willowbank	24
Cultivate	50
Smith Street Community Gardens	100
Estuary Trust	100
<b>Cancelled: 2021</b>	
COVID Alert Level Cancellations	2 projects
Mandates unable to be met	3 projects
Weather unsuitable	2 projects