



2024 Giving Challenge at The Bay

April 9-10, Noon to Noon

Pop-Up Giving Station

Tuesday, April 9

Session #1: 12-2pm | Session #2: 6-7pm

Stop by the park to engage with these non-profit partners who positively impact the community in many ways:

- Art Center Sarasota
- Bay Park Conservancy
- Minorities in Shark Sciences
- Operation Warrior Resolution
- Sarasota Performing Arts Foundation
- Science and Environment Council
- Suncoast Waterkeeper
- Westcoast Black Theatre Troupe



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Enjoy a dozen FREE and fun activities presented by Pop-Up Giving Station partners showcasing that The Bay is “*one park for all!*”

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12:00-12:30pm	Westcoast Black Theatre Troupe Performance (Click to register) <i>Enjoy performers from Westcoast Black Theatre Troupe (WBTT) as they feature songs from the popular “Soul Men” and “Sistas of Soul” shows. You won’t be able to stop yourself from singing (and dancing) along!</i>
1:00-2:00pm	Lunchtime Tunes I Shindig (Click to register) <i>Enjoy seasoned Guitarist Ed Maryon as he grooves playing classic, alternative and acoustic rock.</i>
4:00-6:00pm	Shark Gaming I Minorities in Shark Sciences (Just show up and play!) <i>You don’t have to be brave to play a variety of shark-themed games in the park.</i>
5:00-7:00pm	Happy Hour Drink Specials I The Nest Concession (The more, the merrier!) <i>Wind down from the day by stopping by The Nest for your favorite beverage.</i>
6:00-9:30pm	“Friendly” Cornhole Competition I Operation Warrior Resolution (Just show up and play!) <i>Who doesn’t love a little “friendly” competition when tossing bean bags into holes on boards?</i>
6:00-6:45pm	Bootcamp Fitness I The Y (Click to register) <i>Under the watchful eye of The Y’s trained fitness professional, and through a series of well-designed circuits, you will work at building muscle, reducing body fat, and increasing your overall fitness.</i>
7:00-8:00pm	Sound Bath I Petra Ratner (Click to register) <i>Rejuvenate and relax your body, mind and spirit with the power of healing sound and guided meditation.</i>
8:00-9:30pm	Special Cinema at The Bay I “Stand By Me” Rated: R (Click to register) <i>Enjoy this free, outdoor 1986 movie “classic” under the stars about a writer who recounts a childhood journey with his friends to find the body of a missing boy.</i>

Wednesday, April 10

7:00-8:00am	Sunrise Yoga I Operation Warrior Resolution (Click to register) <i>Wake up and get into the flow with an hour of mindful yoga at The Bay led by Operation Warrior Resolution’s Dan Bue! A great way to start your day (and the FINAL day of Giving Challenge!)</i>
8:00-8:45am	Tai Chi I The Y (Click to register) <i>Find your Zen and get moving with this low impact class putting minimal stress on muscles and joints, making it safe for all ages and fitness levels.</i>
8:30-10:30am	Guided Kayak Tour I Ride & Paddle + Special Guest from Suncoast Waterkeeper (Click to register) <i>Explore the restored mangroves and other flora and fauna of The Bay on this free, guided kayak tour led by a Ride & Paddle experienced guide and an expert from Suncoast Waterkeeper.</i>
10:00am + 11:00am	Live Streaming of Shark Survey in Sarasota Bay I Minorities in Shark Sciences (Just show up and watch!) <i>Witness the live action of a team preparing and surveying sharks in Sarasota Bay – all streamed on the large LED Screen at The Bay.</i>
10:00am-12:00pm	Intro to Pickleball (Municipal Auditorium) I The Y (Click to register) <i>Learn the basics of the game so you can feel comfortable playing at other venues. For beginners only.</i>