

Cleanup volunteers also collect information about the items they find and this data is given to The Ocean Conservancy. The Ocean Conservancy then compiles and studies the data in order to learn more about the global debris problem, educate the public and find solutions.

Contact Keep Martin Beautiful at info@keepmartinbeautiful.org or 781-1222 to register to participate in the International Coastal Cleanup. Visit www.KeepMartinBeautiful.org.

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Fun Facts

Last year, Keep Martin Beautiful volunteers collected:

- 17,000 cigarette butts
- 4,500 beverage containers
- Most unusual items – a parachute and a wooden shoe.

Keep Martin Beautiful is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit volunteer-based, community action organization based in Martin County. Our mission is to provide sustainable solutions for volunteers to make a direct impact in their communities through their own individual actions. These efforts to reduce waste through public/private partnerships and strategic alliances motivate and encourage individuals and communities to clean up, beautify and improve their environment, while creating a safer and more livable Martin County. For more information, visit www.KeepMartinBeautiful.org or call 781-1222.