

American Cancer Society

9th Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk-- Walkers

Agency Description: American Cancer Society (ACS) is committed to fighting cancer through balanced programs of research, education, patient service, advocacy, and rehabilitation. Select one of the areas below to learn more about ACS, our history, and our progress over time.

Areas Served: Flagler and Volusia Counties

Project Information

Description: Making Strides Against Breast Cancer is a fundraising walk to raise awareness and money for the fight against breast cancer. We chose to do this project, because Making Strides is one of the signature events of the American Cancer Society. This is the 9th Annual Making Strides walk in the Volusia/Flagler Area, and it has grown exponentially in the past several years. In 2008, we had over 4,000 participants and raised over \$320 million for the fight against breast cancer. In 2009, we expect even further growth! All of the funds raised are used for programs of breast cancer research, education, advocacy, and patient services.

Who will benefit: Anyone affected by the breast cancer epidemic. More than 180,000 will be diagnosed this year and over 40,000 will die from the disease.

Long Term Impact: Early detection and breast health will benefit the whole Volusia/Flagler area.

Agency will provide: Everything

Location: Daytona Beach **Times:** 7am to noon

Volunteer Needs

Number of Volunteers Need – Minimum 50 Maximum -- Unlimited

Minimum Age: None

Special Skills or Other Requirements: None, everyone is welcome.

Volunteers asked to provide: Nothing



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