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GREENING OF LONG ISLAND DONATION

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The most recent Greening donation by SSAS went to the Marine Nature Study Area in Oceanside. Greening donations are always native plantings.

Black Tupelo, American Elderberry, Bald Cypress, Purpleleaf Sand Cherry, Pagoda Dogwood, Blackberry, Dense Blazing Star, Bearberry, and St. John's Wort were planted in late September with the help of volunteers from Girl Scout Troop 924 and Boy Scout Troop 192 of Bellmore, Girl Scout Troop 2426 of Oceanside, Woodmere Middle School Class 7 of Hewlett-Woodmere School District and the Oceanside High School Special Education Department. Mike Farina, Conservation Biologist at the Marine Nature Study Area, scheduled the plantings for September 24-26 to coincide with National Public Lands Day. The Public Lands Program aims to engage local communities to help care for our public lands.

The plantings are visually pleasing but most importantly are a benefit to the wildlife within the preserve. SSAS appreciates the time and effort extended by all of the students and troop members, who will now have a special connection with the preserve whenever they visit.

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Option 1. You can join SSAS for a year by sending $15 payable to ***South Shore Audubon Society*** using the form below. Our address is P.O. Box 31, Freeport, NY 11520-0031.

Option 2. To join NAS and your all-volunteer local chapter, you can help SSAS survive NAS's major dues-share cutbacks by joining Audubon through us for the same price that it costs if you join through NAS (we get $0 unless you join through us). Mail the form below and your check payable to ***National Audubon Society*** to SSAS at the address above. The special rate for the first year is $20 per household; $15 for students and seniors.

Renewing? Please send NAS renewals directly to NAS (we now get $0 for all NAS renewals).

Donations to SSAS are always welcome!

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Yes, I'd like to join: ❒ *SSAS only* ❒ *National Audubon too*

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