Outreach Tulane is a student-run tradition of service to New Orleans

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Last week Tulane students took part in a decades-old tradition of service: Outreach Tulane. This day of helping out in the New Orleans community, the university's largest student-run day of service, is now in its 33rd year. Students gathered on Saturday, Aug. 26, and fanned out to locations across New Orleans to perform service projects with Tulane's partner organizations, such as the Center for Sustainable Engagement and Development and New Orleans Area Habitat for Humanity ReStore.

The event is put on annually by the Community Action Council of Tulane University Students and the Center for Public Service.

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Outreach Tulane brought together hundreds of Tulane students to volunteer with community partners across New Orleans on August 26, 2023. The students gathered on the Tulane campus before they went to their official assignments.

President Michael A. Fitts talks service projects with students before they depart the campus.

President Fitts poses with some Outreach Tulane participants before the day begins. Students beautify park grounds with Sustain the Nine during Outreach Tulane. Habitat NOLA's ReStore was one location where Tulane students volunteered. Tulane students contribute service hours to Habitat NOLA.