

OPERATION LEGACY

Service Project Ideas



Operation Legacy service projects bring veterans, families of fallen heroes and inspired civilians together to fill pressing needs in communities. These projects allow Spartans nationwide to lead with character and unite people from all walks of life through service. Although individual projects may vary, one common thread is that each honors a fallen hero who gave the ultimate sacrifice for our country.

Here are several examples of projects you can organize in your community:

- Collect food or clothing items to donate to a nonprofit organization
- Volunteer to rebuild or repair the home of a veteran in your community
- Organize volunteers to serve meals at a shelter
- Visit or deliver handwritten cards to a veterans home or VA hospital
- Walk dogs or clean kennels at an animal shelter
- Volunteer to clean, work the front desk, beautify or serve meals at a children's hospital or veteran senior living facility
- Enlist volunteers to safely collect trash at a park, beach, or street in your community
- Prepare a home-cooked meal for first responders
- Start a community garden
- Clean up a veterans cemetery or war memorial
- Partner with a meal service organization to prepare or deliver meals
- Help younger students in your neighborhood with homework after school
- Organize a blood drive

Here are some examples of projects that include a rucking element:

- Collect and ruck canned goods to a food pantry
- Package and ruck kits of personal care items to a shelter in your community
- Collect and ruck clothing donations to a predetermined collection point
- Ruck to a playground, park, or hiking or biking trail and haul away trash
- Take pets awaiting adoption at an animal shelter on a ruck/walk