

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR WILDLIFE REFUGE CLEANUP**

Volunteers are gearing up for a cleanup of the Laguna Atascosa National Wildlife Refuge on Saturday, August 28.

Registration begins at 8:30 a. m.at the Amphitheater next to the Refuge Visitor Center and volunteers will work from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Children and students under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or adult/teacher.

Please bring your own water bottle (water will be furnished), sun screen, hats. gloves, bug spray, trash pickers, etc. Long pants and closed toe shoes are required due to high grass and vegetation.

This cleanup will concentrate on the Bayside Wildlife Drive It is sponsored by the Friends of the LANWR, the Valley Proud Environmental Council and the Valley Sportsmen Club.

The Wildlife Refuge is located 14 miles east of Rio Hondo , on FM 106. To volunteer, or for directions, call the Valley Proud Environmental Council at 956-412-8004.