

## Spring Run Charitable Foundation 2025 Community Feedback Engagement Survey Results

1.) Are you aware of the Spring Run Charitable Foundation?

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
Yes	151 Votes	99.34%	99.34%
No	1 Votes	0.66%	0.66%
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>152 Votes</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

2.) Have you visited SRCF's website <https://springruncharity.org/>?

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
Frequently	5 Votes	3.31%	3.29%
Once	10 Votes	6.62%	6.58%
Every once in a while	79 Votes	52.32%	51.97%
Never	57 Votes	37.75%	37.50%
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>151 Votes</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

3.) You visit the SRCF website ( check all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
when a link is available through articles, emails, social media, etc.	52 Votes	34.21%
to obtain the latest SRCF news	27 Votes	17.76%
to obtain information about a charity.	26 Votes	17.11%
to obtain information about an event	53 Votes	34.87%
never visited the website	48 Votes	31.58%
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

4.) Which of the following charities are you familiar with? (Select all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
A.N.A.'s Friends	32 Votes	21.05%
Feed Thy Neighbor	58 Votes	38.16%
Harry Chapin Food Bank	119 Votes	78.29%
Interfaith Charities of South Lee	57 Votes	37.50%
Laces of Love	104 Votes	68.42%
New Horizons	50 Votes	32.89%
Operation Open Arms	58 Votes	38.16%
Tri-County Challenged Athletes Assoc.	25 Votes	16.45%
Spring Run Charitable Foundation Scholarship Fund	133 Votes	87.50%
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

5.) What SRCF Programs interest you? ( check all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
Events such as the Tour of Home, Golf Outing, or Main Event (Live Auction)	114 Votes	75.00%

Annual Raffle	119 Votes	78.29%
Volunteering for SRCF	18 Votes	11.84%
Volunteering for a SRCF sponsored charity	18 Votes	11.84%
Monetary donation	68 Votes	44.74%
Other	2 Votes	1.32%
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

6.) Including Spring Run Charitable Foundation, how many charities do you support financially?

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
1	6 Votes	4.03%	3.95%
2-3	57 Votes	38.26%	37.50%
4-5	51 Votes	34.23%	33.55%
More than 5	35 Votes	23.49%	23.03%
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>149 Votes</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

7.) What inspires you to give to SRCF? ( check all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
Giving back to the community	114 Votes	75.00%
My faith	39 Votes	25.66%
Providing basic needs for people	96 Votes	63.16%
A tax deduction	9 Votes	5.92%
See lives transformed	43 Votes	28.29%
The types of charities SRCF support	82 Votes	53.95%
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

8.) How would you prefer to donate to SRCF? ( check all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
Deliver written check to the Spring Run Golf Club's receptionist/office personnel	57 Votes	37.50%
Give written check to a SRCF Board Member	31 Votes	20.39%
Mail to the club	31 Votes	20.39%
Venmo, Zelle, Paypal, etc.	19 Votes	12.50%
Prefer to participate in SRCF event(s)	81 Votes	53.29%
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

9.) How do you learn about SRCF events, charities, etc. ( check all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
SRCF Social Media : Facebook, Youtube, Instagram	25 Votes	16.45%
SRCF Website	38 Votes	25.00%
Spring Run's Club Connector	126 Votes	82.89%
Spring Run's News on the Run	105 Votes	69.08%
Email blast from the club	101 Votes	66.45%
Sign up tables in the club lobby	31 Votes	20.39%
Club employees	9 Votes	5.92%
Posted notices throughout the club and outdoor facilities	31 Votes	20.39%
Neighbors and friends	77 Votes	50.66%

Totals:		152 Responses
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10.) Each year at our Main Event, we have a live auction. Below is a list of auction items. Which item would you bid on?

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
Vacations	61 Votes	40.13%
Chef Meals for a party of 8	58 Votes	38.16%
Bundled packages of like items such as restaurants	89 Votes	58.55%
Bundled packages of items such as restaurants, ball games, limo service, classes, etc	41 Votes	26.97%
Golf Trips	41 Votes	26.97%
Golf equipment	55 Votes	36.18%
Artwork	19 Votes	12.50%
Services: handyman, spa, car repair	42 Votes	27.63%
Other	2 Votes	1.32%
Totals:		152 Responses

11.) Is there something you would like to bid on that is not on the list?

The following are the responses received for auction items.

- Tennis or pickleball equipment
- Golf, tennis, pickleball lessons from a pro
- Gift certificates to golf, tennis, pickleball clothing sellers
- Game set (mahjong-they can be expensive!)
- Masters' tickets
- Wine Country trip
- Rounds of golf at other clubs
- Round of golf for four at local clubs
- Pro teams spring training games.
- Season tickets to Barbara Mann performances, Artis, the Stage, etc.
- One week vacation rentals
- Car washes
- Golfing with a pro
- Interior house painting
- Sending kids to summer camp
- Decorating services
- A Chef meal provided for the various individual Charity Leaders and a few Spring Run Charity organizers. This would require several Spring Run residents to come together to provide the financial support. It could even be structured as a competition between neighborhoods??

12.) What is the maximum amount you would pay for a evening of dinner, dancing and a live auction where \$20 of the price would go to charity?

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
\$50-70	28 Votes	19.58%	18.42%
\$71 - 100	77 Votes	53.85%	50.66%
\$101 and up	38 Votes	26.57%	25.00%
Totals:	143 Votes		152 Responses

13.) Would you be willing to donate your talent or skill set to SRCF for auction or a drawing? Example: An artist donates their artwork or a handy person donates X hours for home repairs.

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
Yes	8 Votes	5.88%	5.26%
No	128 Votes	94.12%	84.21%
Totals:	136 Votes		152 Responses

14.) If yes, please enter your Name, Contact Info and Talent/Skill Set below

Responses(s) not shown to respect the privacy of the responder(s)

15.) Which of the following ranges includes your age:

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
25-35	0 Votes	0.00%	0.00%
36-45	0 Votes	0.00%	0.00%
46-55	2 Votes	1.32%	1.32%
56-65	13 Votes	8.61%	8.55%
66-75	56 Votes	37.09%	36.84%
76-85	73 Votes	48.34%	48.03%
85 or older	7 Votes	4.64%	4.61%
Totals:	151 Votes		152 Responses

16.) Are you employed

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
No	134 Votes	88.74%	88.16%
Part-time	9 Votes	5.96%	5.92%
Full-time	8 Votes	5.30%	5.26%
Totals:	151 Votes		152 Responses

17.) Are you a

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
Full-time resident of Spring Run	61 Votes	40.13%	40.13%
Seasonal resident of Spring Run	91 Votes	59.87%	59.87%
Renter	0 Votes	0.00%	0.00%
Totals:	152 Votes		152 Responses

18.) What activities at Spring Run do you participate in? ( check all that apply)

Response	Votes	% Total Resp
Golf Leagues	126 Votes	82.89%
Bocce	81 Votes	53.29%
Tennis	19 Votes	12.50%
iLife	91 Votes	59.87%

Player's Club	3 Votes	1.97%
Club Events	112 Votes	73.68%
Happy Hours	117 Votes	76.97%
Wednesday Special Dinners	60 Votes	39.47%
Neighborhood Activities	106 Votes	69.74%
<b>Totals:</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

19.) Would you be interested in volunteering for the Spring Run Charitable Foundation or one of our local charities?

Response	Votes	% Total Votes	% Total Resp
Yes	29 Votes	19.86%	19.08%
No	57 Votes	39.04%	37.50%
Will consider with more information	60 Votes	41.10%	39.47%
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>146 Votes</b>		<b>152 Responses</b>

20.) Your input regarding SRCF is valued. Please comment and/or make suggestions that will help us to help those in need.

Below are the responses:

- How about a "Night at the Races" Event?
- Participate by funding scholarships.
- Consider adding to the Lee - Collier Veterans Honor Flight Organization.
- A personal conversation with potential volunteers to discuss the benefits of participating in an event or a project that would support the needs of the Board.
- We've only been owners for a year. Is there a publication that highlights those groups you support? I looked on the website after talking with John F. I was unaware of how much you do for the community. It's different than our Employee Relations Committee, and I can understand if part-timers support it more than the greater community. I assume many support charities in the communities in which they live in the summer/fall. A challenge to get them to support both!
- You're doing a great thing. Keep it up.
- Share the survey results with all members when completed.
- The Spring Run Charitable Foundation does an excellent job supporting worthwhile causes.
- You do a great job!
- Need to interest more members in participating and volunteering in the SRCF.
- We enjoy the golf, home tours, & make donations, but I am an anti-auction. Our local community has 10 different auctions per year & I have been burned both on the donation & purchasing ends of the auction experience.
- Limit donations to organizations that keep total overhead expenses to less than 10% of the total money raised.
- This year's Main Event was extremely expensive but only \$30 per meal was going to SRCF. That percentage of my ticket price that went to the charities was very disappointing. I would rather have a less elaborate event where more money went to the charities. Consequently, we did not attend.
- The auction items are fabulous but too costly for most members to afford.
- I feel the SRCF needs to be scaled back so more of members' money is actually going to the charities.
- SRCF is not the only charity we donate to. Since we have two homes, we have organizations we support in our hometown.
- Can the foundation do more to help SR employees. They are a very dedicated group and deserve our assistance where and when it is needed.

- I believe that we are trying to support too many charities. Trim the list and increase support for those charities that function mainly in Lee County.
- It's wonderful to see what SRCF has accomplished, and we support as best as we can through monetary donations.
- The foundation needs to do its homework when selecting charities to support. In no case should we fund charities where more than 10% of the funds raised go to overhead, including salaries.
- I would be happy to volunteer for the Homes Tour.
- We always used to bid & win local vacations using the silent auctions. This was a way of donating without attending the live auction. Bring that back??
- Too many events.
- Events have become too expensive.
- Members feel pressure to participate.
- While the chosen charities do good work, you should provide more info on how effective they use our money, ie: admin costs vs program spending, independent ratings, etc.
- I volunteer at New Horizons. I'd love to see more SR folks volunteer at any of these charities.
- Great work is being done through SRCF.
- The dinner held at the Main Event last year was very expensive. I think some members did not attend because of the cost. Lower the price & get more people to attend & get caught up in the bidding. We are at an age where we can't eat as much as we used to. We would rather spend some money bidding.
- John, I have already suggested to you and Patty an active effort to bring younger residents into the SRCF Board and committees. Getting younger members involved creates buy-in, a sense of involvement and a willingness to reach out to their peers ... other younger members.
- We love the ease of one big contribution that the foundation chooses for us. Easier than searching ourselves.
- We enjoy continuing our philanthropy here in Florida.