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Savannah River Site Kicks Off the 2024 Heart Walk Campaign



American Heart Association of the Central Savannah River Area Development Director Sarah Curry shared words of encouragement during the Savannah River Site American Heart Association Heart Walk Coaches Kickoff.

AIKEN, S.C. (January 24, 2024) - The 2024 Savannah River Site (SRS) American Heart Association (AHA) Heart Walk Campaign is officially underway and will run until March 22.

Site employees from Savannah River Nuclear Solutions (SRNS), Battelle Savannah River Alliance (BSRA) and Savannah River Mission Completion (SRMC) recently met in preparation for the upcoming campaign.

During the kickoff meeting, participants were inspired by words of motivation and encouragement from AHA of the Central Savannah River Area (CSRA) Development Director

Marah Curry. They also gained insight on the influence the campaign has made across the CSRA and the nation.

“We are so appreciative of the efforts towards a world of longer, healthier lives. As we celebrate the centennial year of the American Heart Association, we need your continued support to help make bold moves into the second century,” said Curry.

Curry went on to mention that heart disease remains the nation’s No. 1 killer, claiming more lives than all forms of cancer combined. “These statistics underscore the urgency of the AHA’s mission,” she said. “Every dollar raised contributes significantly to improving the health of the CSRA.”

Over the next several months, SRNS, BSRA and SRMC will host a variety of fundraising events to support their company goals —BSRA with a fundraising goal of \$20,000; SRNS with a fundraising goal of \$150,000; and SRMC with a fundraising goal of \$36,000.

Last year, Site employees celebrated a successful campaign by raising over \$200,000. SRS contractors continue to lead contributions to the CSRA AHA Heart Walk. Their efforts help improve cardiovascular health and stroke awareness in the local community.

The annual [CSRA Heart Walk](#) will take place Friday, March 22, at SRP Park in North Augusta, South Carolina.

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