

## hank you for supporting your local refuge!

Fee dollars provide funding for many projects:

- Maintenance of walking trails, roads, bridges, public facilities and buildings
- ♦ Habitat restoration
- Informative materials such as the Auto Tour Route CD and various brochures
- Educational programs for school children and the general public
- Supplies for volunteers

Please remember to fill out a Green fee exempt form and put the stub in your window.



## Thank you for supporting the Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge

For more information about Ridgefield NWR, and to keep up-to-date on construction and closures, please visit our website and Facebook pages, or www.Refuge2020.info

- Ridgefield NWR comprises approximately 5,300 acres of marshes, grasslands and woodlands
- Management emphasis at RNWR is on providing habitat for wintering waterfowl, particularly the dusky Canada goose
- Visitors have observed over 200 species of birds on the Refuge
- Ridgefield NWR is one of over 560 refuges nationwide
- The Cathlapotle Plankhouse on the Carty Unit welcomes the public on weekends 12-4, May-Sept, per volunteer availability
- Ridgefield NWR is one of only two roosting areas in Washington State for sandhill cranes.
- Annually, the Friends of Ridgefield NWR, in conjunction with Refuge staff, host Birdfest and Bluegrass the first weekend in October; a family-friendly event with many activities suitable for all ages!

Please fill out a green fee permit each time you visit the Refuge. Not only does this keep you in compliance, but also helps us to maintain accurate records.

Pass sales directly support Refuge programs!