

Corrections to Treasurer's Report  
By Mark Roberts, Dec 7, 2003

**Keweenaw Land Trust  
2003 Annual Report**

**June 19, 2003**

KLT Board of Directors

Christa Walck, Houghton – President  
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Mark Robert, Hancock – Secretary  
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Terry Kinzel, Hancock  
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# President's Annual Message to the Membership

Christa Walck, KLT President

This is my last President's message. In the three years I have been President, much has changed at KLT. We have grown up as an organization, moving from the founders' dream to a venture into the real world of land conservation, and now to positioning ourselves to make a great leap forward. This has been the year of the leap.

Two years ago, as I was preparing for my sabbatical, we invited the Executive Director of the Grand Traverse Regional Land Conservancy, Glenn Chown, to the Keweenaw to share his vision for land trusts. Glenn was so impressed with the beauty of the area and the quality of our board and members that he challenged me to use my sabbatical to leave a legacy--a land trust with grants in hand for paid staff, an office, and a professional land protection plan. It seemed like a pipe dream, but here we are. Soon we will have an Executive Director on board in our first office in Lake Linden's E-Center as we embark on a more strategic approach to protecting land in our region. We are already at work on two big conservation easements to protect Lake Superior lakeshore and the Swedetown Creek gorge along with several new easements. It has taken hard work from a small core of dedicated people to get here, and it will take a lot more work from a lot more people to reach the next stage in our life cycle - "making it!"

Our funding from Land Trust Alliance and Americana Foundation and the generous donations from our members and friends give us a short window of opportunity to build a broad and permanent base of financial support in the community. I challenge everyone, as Glenn challenged me, to leave the legacy of a Keweenaw that remains one of the Last Great Places. For this to happen, we need each member to pass the word along to neighbors, friends, colleagues and families - anyone who has the good fortune to live here or to experience this special part of the world for a short time - that KLT is an organization deserving of their support. KLT has about 150 member households today. Surely there are more than 150 households in our region who care about this landscape and our quality of life. We need to let others know about the good work KLT is doing, and invite them to join us. While some organizations rely on a few big donors or grants to do their work, my vision for KLT is a large and expanding network of supporters who have been touched by their experience here and give what they can to make their dreams for the Keweenaw a reality.

I write this message from France, a long way from the Keweenaw. This past weekend I traveled through the French countryside, delighting in the relics of France's glorious past and in the beauty of her gentle green landscape. But in four days and 1000 kilometers of driving, I was rarely out of sight of human habitation and distinctive human marks on the landscape. As I drove past hedges and trees clipped into stiff rectangles in country as well as city, and past forests with their straight lines of planted trees, I was repeatedly reminded of Aldo Leopold's commentary on German forests over 70 years ago, in which he lamented the absence of wildness. Next weekend I will travel south to a national park in the Massif Central where volcanoes idle, green and tame, and see whether wildness survives there. France has shown me how deep we can sink our roots into a place. The Keweenaw has shown me a place worth protecting. It is wonderful to travel and see the world, but it will be just as wonderful to return to the Keweenaw, where I am sending out my own roots to curl around and anchor the very special place that I call home.

A bientot!

## Treasurer's Report Keweenaw Land Trust

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 Prepared by Steve Albee, Treasurer  
**Fiscal Year 2002-2003 (ending June 30, 2003)**  
 (Corrected Dec. 7, 2003)

**I. Statement of Revenues and Expenses**

Revenues:	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
Memberships	\$7,407	\$6,555
Contributors for Operations	2,944	4,787
Designated Contributions	1,495	---
Memorials	1,170	---
Special Appeal (Staff Position/Office)	7,030	---
Interest on accounts	275	247
Grants	20,000	5,000
Other (Merchandise)	---	<u>20</u>
Total Revenues	<u>\$40,321</u>	<u>\$16,609</u>
Expenses		
Photocopies, publications, maps, and postage	\$ 2,464	\$ 1,007
Computer services and supplies	192	231
Meeting expenses (Annual, workshops)	1,686	2,429
P.O. Box and Bank Box Rental	106	110
Nat'l Land Trust Rally and other travel	---	600
Organizational Memberships (LTA)	325	225
Liability Insurance (LTA comprehensive)	1,028	750
Indemnity Bonding and Incorporation Renewal	100	100
Title insurance and document recording fees	---	631
Property taxes	861	---
Professional services and independent contractors	4,872	3,920
Donations:		700
Gratiot Lake Conservancy	100	---
Center for Environmental Education	100	---
Audubon Preserve Purchase	500	---
Other Expenses (Ex Dir Recruitment)	<u>322</u>	<u>---</u>
Total Expenses	<u>\$12,656</u>	<u>\$ 10,803</u>
<i>Net Revenue</i>	<u>\$27,665</u>	<u>\$ 5,806</u>
Carryover	<u>\$12,513</u>	<u>\$ 6,707</u>
Current Funds Available	\$40,178	\$12,513
Restricted Funds	\$ 28,200	\$ 4,989
Non-Restricted Funds	\$ 11,978	\$ 7,524

**TREASURER'S REPORT (continued)**

**Fiscal year 2002-2003 (ending June 30,2003)**

**II. Statement of In-Kind Donations\***

Board members, member volunteers, and friends contributed in-kind donations of time, professional services, equipment, space rentals and out-of-pocket expenses:

	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
Total Hours	3,749	1,850
Valued @ \$10/hr.	\$37,490	\$18,500
Frequent Flyer Miles, Lodging & Per Diem, and space donation	1,615	2,137
Miscellaneous out-of-pocket expenses (postage, photocopies, mileage, ) (conference registration, library) (materials, and supplies)	1,625	2,043
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Total	\$40,730	\$22,680

\* In-kind items utilize the same definition as cash categories to reflect the value of services, and materials which are provided to KLT by volunteers or outside parties at no cash cost to KLT.

**III. Endowment Funds**

	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
Keweenaw Community Foundation Endowment Fund Investment Pool	\$32,369	\$25,735

**IV. Land Assessed Value**

	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>
Paavola Wetlands Preserve (40 acres)	\$18,600	\$ 10,600
Sixmile Creek Preserve (200 acres)	28,026	28,026
Marsin Conservancy (40 acres)	<u>20,000</u>	<u>20,000</u>
Total	\$66,626	\$58,626

***The KLT Board of Directors is grateful to everyone who donated their time, funds, and land to advance the mission of the Keweenaw Land Trust! Thank you!***

# KLT Committee Reports

A note about KLT committees. At the beginning of each fiscal year, Board members choose to serve on KLT committees, and each committee also includes member volunteers. We welcome committee membership and participation by our members.

## Membership Committee Report

Members: Emily Fiala, Dave Harmon, Dana Richter

### I. Membership

Current Membership                      140 Households

Membership categories:

Basic	\$ 20
Protector	\$ 50
Guardian	\$100
Steward	\$250
Conservator	\$1000

### II. Activities

Members continue to receive semi-annual KLT newsletters. All donors to KLT receive cards and letters of appreciation.

### III. Future Plans:

- Maintain membership by keeping members informed about our activities and accomplishments.
- Increase membership through personal contacts, community activities, and work of Executive Director

# Land Management and Operations Committee Report

Members: Steve Albee (Chair), Mark Roberts, Dana Richter, Pat Toczydlowski, Norma Boersma, Sandra Harting, Jill Fisher, Joe Kaplan, Christa Walck, and Valorie Troesch

## I. Activities:

The Committee's activities can be broken down into five categories: 1) making follow-up visits with landowners who are considering donating conservation easements or property to KLT, 2) working with private landowners to develop conservation easements and baseline documentation for their properties, 3) conducting stewardship work by doing annual monitoring on KLT held easements, 4) pursuing grant programs which seek funds for land protection, 5) inspecting and working on projects in KLT preserves, and 6) conducting landowner and community-based educational outreach to create interest in land conservation.

The committee has worked with three sets of landowners over this past year helping them develop their conservation easements (CE), and initiate baseline documentation reports (BDR). The landowners who reside along the Covered Road have just about completed both their CE and BDR. The committee is expecting to present this project to the Board for its acceptance in July. The landowners near the North Entry have given their CEs to the committee for review, and their baseline documentation reports are in the process of being developed. The third set of landowners located near old Electric Park by Highway Location are developing both their CE and baseline documentation, but are waiting on a survey to establish a property boundary and a building envelop.

KLT has been notified that Michigan DEQ has received approval of a \$258,700 grant to purchase and place an easement on a 24-acre parcel along M-26 with 623 feet of Lake Superior shoreline at Dan's Point between Eagle Harbor and Copper Harbor. Our partner, Houghton-Keweenaw Conservation District (HKCD) will own and manage the property and KLT will hold the conservation easement to protect this land in perpetuity.

Peg Kohring of the Conservation Fund conducted the baseline documentation on May 26<sup>th</sup>. We will be working with Gina Nicholas, the landowner, along with Tami Anderson and Sue Haralson of HKCD to finalize the acquisition. The property will be named in memory of Gina Nicholas's grandparents Joseph and Mary Lazzardo.

We have also received notice from our other partners, Keweenaw Nordic Ski Club and the City of Hancock, that the city has been awarded \$333,000, again from the Michigan DEQ, to be applied toward the purchase of about 180 acres in and around the Swedetown Creek Gorge area. The Michigan Natural Features Inventory identifies the gorge as part of the Glacial Drainage Channel. This project is part of the development of the Hancock-Calumet non-motorized corridor, a priority area identified by KLT for preservation.

The Simi Working Forest Conservation Easement, KLT's first easement, was inspected and monitored last summer for a second time. Janet and Erwin Simi brought us up to date on their forest management plans. During the tour of the property, Erwin took a series of photographs at the established photo points to show if any changes in the landscape had occurred since the easement was established 3 years ago.

Work on KLT's preserves consisted of reconnaissance during the summer and fall to determine how best to extend the trail system at the Paavola Wetlands. This is a 40 acre tract along U.S. 41 north of Hancock.. The Marsin Conservancy, 40 acre tract located on Red Brick Road north

of Schmidt's Corner off the Houghton Canal Road, however received the most activity. A new road culvert was installed in conjunction with the construction of a small parking area in the northwest corner of the preserve during late summer last year, plus a nature trail was laid out by Greg Kudray. This spring, Gabe Johnson, as his Eagle Scout Project, planned and organized the building of this trail on the preserve. Gabe is a member of Houghton's Boy Scout Troop 208. His scoutmaster is David Krym. Gabe was able to mobilize 15-18 scouts and 3-5 adults to construct the trail over a Saturday in May. The entire project consumed between 100-120 man-hours of manual labor to complete. It is job well done with KLT's thanks!!

## **II. Future Plans**

- Conduct conservation easement monitoring on the Simi and Kinzel-Kingsley easements.
- Complete preparation and accept the conservation easements from the three sets of landowners now being processed.
- Work to complete the acquisition and preparation of conservation easements for Dan's Point and the Swedetown Creek Gorge area.
- Brush out three boundary lines at the Marsin Conservancy.
- Mark and brush trail extensions at the Paavola Wetlands.
- Map with GPS unit, the features of the Six-Mile Creek Preserve.
- Recruit preserve stewards.

# **Publications and Education Committee Report**

Members: Emily Fiala, Valorie Troesch, Christa Walck

## **I. Activities**

Our publications this year included: two newsletters, continuation of the KLT website, and our annual report. The newsletter continued under the editorship of Valorie Troesch, with contributions from board members and others. The newsletter is a major outreach tool to members and its content continues to grow. We invite member feedback on the newsletter, suggestions for articles, written articles, and photos.

The web page continues under the work of Sue Hill. It can be found at [www.keweenawlandtrust.org](http://www.keweenawlandtrust.org). Sue continues to keep the web page up to date. It includes our newsletter, extensive information on our preserves, model conservation easements for members interested in pursuing this option for land protection, and extensive links to other websites. Our thanks go to Sue Hill for her continuing contributions to this publication.

Outreach activities included public talks on land conservation by invited guest speakers, community presentations about KLT by board members, and continued relationship-building with other regional land trusts.

KLT hosted or sponsored several speakers this year. In June 2002, Renee Kivikko from the Land Trust Alliance-Midwest spoke at our Annual Meeting. In November, KLT sponsored Peter Forbes from the Trust for Public Land who gave several presentations in the community. This spring, KLT was one of the sponsors of the visit by Ed McMahon of The Conservation Fund, who spoke to many audiences about the value of community planning.

KLT wrote, participated as partners in, and was awarded two grants which will help protect important properties in the Keweenaw – Dan's Point in Keweenaw County and the Swedetown Creek Nature Corridor in Houghton County. Funding to purchase the properties came from the Great Lakes Coastal Restoration Grant, provided through the Michigan coastal Management Program, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality and the National Oceanic and

Atmospheric Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce. Work to raise local required match contributions and to negotiate purchases of the Swedetown Creek properties is underway.

KLT continues to build relationships and to link with other land trusts to increase our effectiveness. KLT participates as a member of the Lake Superior Land Trust Partnership, which includes land trusts and agencies involved in land protection in the Lake Superior watershed in both the U.S. and Canada. This group meets regularly in Ashland, Wisconsin, to strengthen the land trust community's capacity to protect the watershed.

## **II. Future Plans**

Future publication plans and activities include:

- Continue to help bring quality speakers to our community to address land use and protection concerns
- Continue to maintain KLT's website and offer current information about KLT activities and opportunities for land protection
- Continue participation in the Lake Superior Land Trust Partnership and continue to seek opportunities to work cooperatively on land trust issues

## **Fundraising Committee Report**

Members: Terry Kinzel (chair) Steve Albee, Sue Ellen Kingsley, Dave Harmon, Valorie Troesch, Joe Kaplan, Pat Toczydlowski, Christa Walck, Suzanne VanDam, and Katie Alvord

### **I. Activities**

The Committee's activities during this fiscal period (2002-2003) focused on six areas of concern: 1) growing the KLT Endowment; 2) assisting in the Horse Tail Scramble; 3) seeking foundation support for staffing; 4) conducting a Staff Development Special Appeals Campaign; 5) raising funds to bring Peter Forbes, a land conservationist, to the Keweenaw; and 6) completing the Keweenaw Land Trust, Inc. Endowment Brochure.

- The effort put into building the KLT Endowment paid enormous dividends this year. Gifts to it totaled \$10,339, which was a 42% increase over last year's contributions. The Horse Tail Scramble Fund Raiser brought in \$4,412, with 72% coming from the Scramblers and the 28% came from the following supporters: The Keweenaw Memorial Medical Center and the Portage Health System who sponsored the Fitness Walk as part of their community wellness programs, and Lahti Apartments as this year's only business sponsor. A tip of the cap to all! The remaining \$5,927 of Endowment contributions are broken down as follows: a donation of \$3,402 for conservation easement monitoring and maintenance; a \$50 memorial for Bob Brown; and \$2,470 coming from supporters of KLT who wished to take advantage of Michigan's tax credit on their state income tax 1040 form at year's end for donations to designated community foundations
- Grant writing came into play as members of the Fund Raising Committee sought out financial assistance from the Land Trust Alliance Midwest (\$15,000) and the Americana Foundation (\$5,000) to establish a staff position of executive director and open a KLT office. Both requests were successful but require KLT to raise matching funds.
- To meet the requirement for matching funds, fiscal year 2002-2003 saw your Board of Directors launch a first-time ever, special appeals campaign, The Staff Development Project For many of you familiar with KLT and its operations, this decision represents a giant leap upward in organizational development. We can successfully report that 80 generous Members and Friends contributed \$10,000 for The Staff Development Project in 2003, and the same amounts in years 2004 and 2005. Your Board is very appreciative for the faith our



- Members of the committee also raised \$1,495 in cash donations and another \$1,114 of in-kind donations, covering such items as frequent flyers miles, space at Finlandia University, lodging and meals, and other transportation costs, to bring Peter Forbes to the Keweenaw for the weekend celebration, *“Our Land, Ourselves”*. Peter is an active land conservationist, writer, and storyteller, who inspires audiences with powerful stories that convey the importance of a strong human relationship with the land. Through the success of more than 130 conservation projects, Peter has championed a community-based expression for land conservation and human values.
- The final activity of the committee this year has been the completion of a brochure for our KLT Endowment Fund. We have worked with the Keweenaw Community Foundation to develop a brochure which better explains the Michigan tax credit, and how a contributor can take advantage of this opportunity to support KLT.

## II. Future Plans

- Send out the KLT Endowment brochure with the December newsletter.
- Send out the second year pledge solicitation for The Staff Development Project.
- Conduct the Horse Tail Scramble Fund Raiser.
- Develop a campaign to raise matching funds for preservation of the Swedetown Creek Gorge project in Hancock.. This is in conjunction with a Great Lakes Coastal Restoration Grant.

# Board Development Committee Report

Committee Members: Emily Dekker-Fiala (chair), Sandra Harting, Christa Walck

## I. Activities

A Board orientation session was conducted for new Board members Sandra Harting and Mark Gleason, and returning Board member Terry Kinzel.

Organizational capacity-building continued to be the primary focus of the committee. We utilized the remaining funds from the previous year’s organization development grant from the LTA Great Lakes Land Trust Matching Grants Program to consult with Tom Bailey, Executive Director of Little Traverse Conservancy. He critiqued our capacity building grant proposal, identified potential grantors and other funding sources, and helped us to develop a position description and hiring process for a part-time executive director. Tom’s advice, gained from many years of experience building a successful land trust, was very helpful.

Kate Alvord and Suzanne van Dam assisted in developing a successful proposal for a \$15,000 LTA Capacity Building Grant. The grant will assist us in hiring our first Executive Director and requires a \$15,000 match.

In September, the Strategic Plan was reviewed and revised to update the action items.

On November 12, the committee and officers conducted a detailed assessment of our operating practices and progress towards implementation of the Land Trust Standards and Practices issued by LTA. We continue to review practices that do not yet meet the Standards and Practices with the goal of bringing them into compliance by November 2003.

A position description and priorities were developed for a half-time executive director. The position was advertised locally and on five internet job search sites in March and April. Twenty-two applications were received and reviewed by the search committee. Seven candidates were selected for initial interviews. Two candidates were then invited to come to the Keweenaw for a second interview with the full Board. One candidate withdrew from consideration at this time. An offer of employment has been made to the preferred candidate and he is working to resolve matters with his current employer to enable him to accept the position.

## **II. Future Plans:**

- Develop written Board policies and procedures.
- Aid in the transition to having an office and paid staff.
- Bring operating practices into full compliance with LTA Standards and Practices.
- Seek Board members that represent the full geographic area we serve and that bring needed expertise to the organization.

## 2003 Keweenaw Land Trust Membership

Steve & Judy Albee, Hancock, MI  
Kate Alvord & Kraig Klungness, Houghton, MI  
Howard & Selma Anderson, Hancock, MI  
Dave Bach, Houghton, MI  
Ron & Judy Backus, Hermansville, MI  
Loyal & Andrea Hauge Bacon, Houghton, MI  
Andrea Baldrige, Houghton, MI  
Beverly & David Bandt, Applegate, MI  
Susan Barakat & Brian Logan, Presque Isle, WI  
Bruce Beaudoin & Gretchen Hein, Hubbell, MI  
Robert Beck, Cleveland, OH  
Nicholas Bell & Theresa Rekawek, Mohawk, MI  
Carol Berkenkotter & Jim Hefling, New Brighton, MN  
Nancy Bird, Hancock, MI  
William & Joanne Blumhardt, Houghton, MI  
Norma Boersma, Houghton, MI  
Ted & Laurie Bornhorst, Houghton, MI  
Jim & Alice Boyce, Houghton, MI  
Kristine Bradof, Houghton, MI  
Viola Brown, Houghton, MI  
Chuck Brumleve, Mohawk, MI  
Ellen Canterbury, Casa Grande, AZ  
John Paul Carpenter, Houghton, MI  
Steve & Joan Chadde, Calumet, MI  
Scott Clayton, Calumet, MI  
Marilyn Cooper, Houghton, MI  
Dan & Roberta Dalquist, Hancock, MI  
Janet Dalquist, Houghton, MI  
Becky & Bob Darling, Chassell, MI  
Bill & Jeanne Deephouse, Houghton, MI  
Sharon Emley & Don Arkin, Houghton, MI  
Frank Fiala & Emily Dekker-Fiala, Hancock, MI  
Jill Fisher & Casey Huckins, Hancock, MI  
Jeff Flam & Cindy Drake, Houghton, MI  
Beth & Kate Flynn, Hancock, MI  
Jo Foley, Laurium, MI  
Paul & Audrey Frair, Houghton, MI  
Sharon & Warren Gaskill, Black Earth, WI  
Ted Gast, Houghton, MI  
Andrew Geffert, Boyne City, MI  
Phil & Vera Gerhardt, East Lansing, MI  
Lynn & John Gierke, Chassell, MI  
Mark Gleason, Houghton, MI  
Janice Glime, Houghton, MI  
Pat Gotschalk, & Barry Solomon, Houghton, MI  
Anni Gregor, L'Anse, MI  
Friederika Greuer, Houghton, MI  
Rosemary Grier & John Welch, Pelkie, MI  
Robert & Janette Haase, Hancock, MI  
Isabelle Hagen, Houghton, MI  
Kathleen Halvorsen, Houghton, MI  
Dave Harmon & Susan Dlutkowski, Atlantic Mine, MI  
Chuck Harris & Diana George, Hancock, MI  
Sandra Harting & Vern Simula, Toivola, MI  
Bonita & James Hay, Philadelphia, PA  
George Hite, Eagle Harbor, MI  
George Hartmann, Racine, WI  
Karen Hubbard, Hancock, MI  
Craig & Amy Hughes, Hancock, MI  
Don & Mary Hunt, Lake Linden, MI  
Jackie Huntoon, Houghton, MI  
Dante & Joyce Iocovni, Mohawk, MI  
Geri Hawley, Ontonagon, MI  
Hanne & Angus Hellowell, Hancock, MI  
Robert & Nadine Janke, Hancock, MI  
Fred Johnson, Houghton, MI  
Connie Julien, Chassell, MI  
Don Keith, Eagle Harbor, MI  
Bruce Kelly, Grand Ledge, MI  
Ann & Paul Kemppainen, Hancock, MI  
Norm & Barb Kendall, Hancock, MI  
Phillip & Judith Kingsley, Bluffton, OH  
Terry Kinzel & Sue Ellen Kingsley, Hancock, MI  
Joseph Kirkish, Houghton, MI  
Elisabeth & Ken Kraft, Chassell, MI  
Greg Kudray, MT  
Craig & Jeanne Kurtz, Houghton, MI  
Ann Marie & James LaHaie, Hancock, MI  
William & Ethel Larsen, Petoskey, MI  
Jerry & Mary Lou Lenz, Avon, MN  
Hannu, Leppanen, Hancock, MI  
Gil Lewis & Susan Bagley, Houghton, MI  
Eloise Liddicoat, Ann Arbor, MI  
Robert Linn, Hancock, MI  
Janet & Tom List, Calumet, MI  
Robert & Maria Macfarlane, Fairfax, VA  
Carol MacLennan, Houghton, MI  
Janet & Bob Marr, Calumet, MI  
Geri & Rick Mason, Neenah, WI  
Jim Mihelcic & Karen Moran, Houghton, MI  
Terry & Paula Monson, Hancock, MI  
Michelle & Phil Morgan, Calumet, MI  
Philip Musser, Hancock, MI  
John & Laura Nemeth, Kalamazoo, MI  
Jon & Gail Neufeld, Calumet, MI  
Gina Nicholas, Elmhurst, IL  
Anne Okonek, Cornell, MI  
Shawn & Doug Opplinger, Hancock, MI  
Jeff Parker & Ann West, Houghton, MI  
Neil Paynter, Hancock, MI  
James & Leslie Eldridge Petersen, Whitehall, MI  
Candy, & Rolf Peterson, Houghton, MI  
Betzabé Praeger, Houghton, MI  
Barb & Phil Quenzi, Atlantic Mine, MI  
Cindy & Chip Ransom, Houghton, MI  
Dana Richter & Sharon Levine, Hancock, MI  
Mark & Kathy Roberts, Hancock, MI  
Stephen Roblee, Houghton, MI  
Dave & Linda Rulison, Pelkie, MI  
Scott Rutherford & Joyce Koskenmaki Hancock, MI  
Jon & Christine Saari, Marquette, MI  
Bruce Scharfenberg, Hancock, MI  
Steve Schmunk, Marquette, MI  
Samuel Schwartz, Ft Wayne, IN  
Phyllis & Bernard Senske, Rapid City, MI  
Richard Sewell, Madison, WI

Robert Sewell, Washington, DC  
Doug & Nancy Sherk, Mohawk, MI  
Jon & Ghazala Sherk, Lowell, MI  
Erwin & Janet Simi, Nisula, MI  
Mary Sinish, Houghton, MI  
Allison Slavick & Randall Matis, Cable, WI  
Bernice Smith, Calumet, MI  
David Smith, Newark, CA  
Alice & Ted Soldan, Pelkie, MI  
Dennis Sotala, Calumet, MI  
Vi Spiegel, Hancock, MI  
Janeen Stephenson & Leonard Bohmann,  
Houghton, MI

Doug & Norma Lee Stuart, Houghton, MI  
Shalini Suryanarayana, Houghton, MI  
James & Fredi Taddeucci, Houghton, MI  
Pat & Dave Toczydlowski, Calumet, MI  
Valorie & Keith Troesch, Dollar Bay, MI  
Marilyn Urion, Chassell, MI  
Sandra Uusitalo, Hancock, MI  
Christine van Domelen, Hancock, MI  
Peter & Patricia van Pelt, Eagle Harbor, MI  
Craig Waddell & Vicki Bergvall, Houghton, MI  
Christa Walck, Houghton, MI  
Bill & Shirley Weiss, Alden, MI

**Sorry if we've missed anyone! Please let us know if we have omitted your name, and accept our apologies. Remember, all memberships are due in June. Thanks.**