

SAUSALITO WOMAN'S CLUB
DONATIONS COMMITTEE

To: Pat Penington, SWC President
From: Chairs Susan Daniloff & Julie Carlson
Subject: Year-End Report 2024-2025
Date: May 28, 2025

Statement of Purpose – ARTICLE XII Committees, Section 7. Donations

The Donations Committee shall have at least three (3) members. This committee shall propose to the membership at the monthly business meeting the distribution of the monies allocated in the budget to nonprofit organizations.

SWC's *Traditions* book (Rev. 2015) says recipients have been categorized, since 1988 as: Local, Environment and Children/Women's needs.

Today, we focus on local organizations where our gifts will be most meaningful and make the biggest impact.

Donations – We are grateful to President Pat Penington and her Board for this year's \$10,000 budget which was donated in full to non-profits in SWC's three traditional giving categories:

400 Bridge the Gap
500 Christ Church Senior Suppers – *formerly Open Door, SWC member Shelby Van Meter was a founder*
250 Griot Theatre Company – *3rd year*
500 Hannah Project – *SWC member Candace Curtis was one of the founders*
300 Mill Valley Philharmonic – *2nd year & member recommendation*
500 Our Sisters Keeper– *new this year*
500 Peace Lutheran Church – Fireside Brown Bag Program
250 Performing Stars
500 Play Marin – *3rd year*
500 RiseUp 94965, Sausalito Marin City Unified School District
250 Sausalito Village – *One Annual Membership, for a resident with financial need*

\$4,400 Sausalito/Local

250 MALT Marin Agricultural Land Trust – *31st year & SWC is their longest corporate doner*
250 One Tam – Youth Programs
500 Resilient Neighborhoods – *3rd year & Sustainability Committee recommendation*
500 WildCare – *48th year!*

\$1,500 Environment

250 By the Bay Health – *formerly Hospice*
350 Canal Alliance – *3rd year*
500 CASA Marin – Court Appointed Special Advocates
500 Center for Domestic Peace
1,000 Homeward Bound
350 Love is the Answer – *4th year & member recommendation*
350 Ritter Center
300 Trips for Kids – *2nd year*
500 Youth Transforming Justice – *3rd year & member recommendation*

\$4,100 Women & Children (Family)

\$10,000 Total Donations Budget

\$600 Memorial Donations, from General Fund – Eight (8) to Save the Redwoods @ \$75 each, honoring: Jackie Kudler, Tyke Glaser, Kayla Kahn, Claire Collette, Holland Gray, Elizabeth Nelson, Lillian Donald, Leonie Denney

Their families received a card from *Save the Redwoods* acknowledging SWC planted a redwood tree in their honor. Memorial Donations were established in 2016 @ \$75 each, to Save the Redwoods.

Extraordinary Expenses – See Community Enhancement report for LA Palisades fires

Welcome New Committee Member: this year we are delighted to welcome Candace Curtis!

Committee Members MaryKae Krause, Averel Wilson and Candace Curtis
Chairs Susan Daniloff and Julie Carlson