



KASAAN HAIDA HERITAGE FOUNDATION

Newsletter - Fall 2018
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Háw'aa To All Generous Donors!

At last years auction the Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation raised over \$7,000.00. With so many generous donations of prizes and money, along with beautiful donations from Haida artists like Ardath Peterson, with her beautiful Haida drum, and Peytan Jones a young Haida artist making a quilt to be auctioned.



Peytan first made a small quilt for herself using a Northwest Native American art design printed on a cloth fabric found at a quilting store. Peytan's mom CJ, was so impressed by her small quilt that she talked her into making a quilt for the KHHF annual auction. The auction quilt took Peytan about 20 hours to make after gathering all the materials necessary for the project. The soft side of the quilt is made of a material called "minky."

The auction for the quilt got underway with renowned Haida artist Stormy Hamar making

the opening bid of \$350.00, Peytan was so touched by Stormy's willingness to pay that much for her quilt it brought tears to her eyes. Those tears soon started rolling down her cheeks as it soon became apparent this was going to be a record setting amount for any item donated to the KHHF. Peytan said she was so pleased to see how excited people were to bid on something she made with a heart full of love and joy.

The bidding was was fast and aggressive and did not slow down until Ron Leighton bid \$925.00! This was the first time the auctioneer said "going once, going twice." Mr. Chris Breinig then set the all time record and bid an even \$1,000.00 for the quilt. Peytan then settled into a state of stunned silence.



Jeane Breinig, Peytan Jones, Chris Breinig

Chris and Jeane Breinig have brought the quilt to Kasaan and it hangs on the wall at the Totem Trail Cafe with a plaque honoring Peytan Lida Jones for her work on behalf of the Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation.

Mark Your Calendars! KHHF Annual Auction November 10, 2018

The Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation is holding it's Annual auction after the Kavalco Annual Dinner on Saturday November 10, 2018 at the Landing Hotel in Ketchikan, AK. Remember to bring your dollar bills to help support us.

The Kavalco dinner and KHHF auction is open for all shareholders, their family, and guests; doors will open at 5:30 pm. There is no charge for dinner, as always.

PAIGE JONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

After the unexpected passing of long time Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation (KHHF) supporter Lathalia Paige Jones in February 2013, the KHHF established a scholarship fund in her name and made them available to Kavalco Shareholders and their descendants.

The recipient of the \$1,000 scholarships for the 2018/19 school year is
Hailee Miller

PASSAGES ...

*In loving memory of Shareholders who passed since
Fall/2017*

Nettie (Ralph) McDaniel 1949 - 2018

Johnny Trambitas 1941 - 2018

Frederick O. Olsen, Sr. 1937 - 2018

Dave D. Dailey 1944 - 2018

Háw'aa TO ALL OUR 2017 DONORS

Jeane and Chris Breinig: Mexico in Alaska Basket -- Mexican vanilla, candy, and coffee; Haida design coffee cup, Haida design sunglasses and flip flops; Ramona's Choice teal colored tea towel; teal and blue Haida style sunglasses; 7 bags hard smoke salmon; beaded Athabascan medicine pouch; gift certificates for beaded moccasins and gift certificate for 5 nights in Arizona house

Dianne Demmert: 1 case ½ pint smoked sockeye; afghan and crocheted hat; 6 empty baskets for filling; Haida coaster set; Raven wooden carved paddle

Ryan, Jaden, Brendon, and Dylan Demmert, Shannon Wilson, Peyton Jones: 2 large and 2 small handcrafted Seahawks blankets by artists named above

Peytan Jones: Haida designed quilt by artist Peyton Jones

Kavilco Board and CFO: \$200 to jump start the 50/50 raffle

Louis Jones Sr.: 2 fish platters (1 halibut design, 1 salmon design)

Larry Jones: Raven wallet from Massett; 3 bags candy; 2 gallon mixed nuts; 1 box cookies, 1 box Belgian candies.

Mary Jones: Fleece bear quilt, bear baseball hat; stuffed bear, stuffed killer whale; bear back scratcher, and bear vase with silk flowers – In honor/memory of Willard Jones

Eleanor and Ron Hadden: 2 scarves (Raven and Eagle); Haida mug by artist Corey Bulpitt;

2 crocheted pot holders; 1 bag Minnesota popcorn; 4 Haida decals; 1 bag southern grits; 1 bag life savers

Ardath Peterson: 1 hand crafted Bear drum by Artist Ardath Peterson

Organized Village of Kasaan: 2 pints deer meat; 1 pint deer stew; 1 pint smoked King salmon; 1 pint beach asparagus; 1 pint garlic beach asparagus; ½ pint fireweed honey; 2 Whale House T-Shirts (large and extra large)

Linda White: 1 purple and gold sequin pillow, 4 sequin wall hangings (turquoise & purple; gold and purples, red and black; gold and black) 3 Russian doll measuring cups; pink rubber boots; 1 pink rabbit tail key chain; 4 green foxtail key chains; 12 pair socks

Terry Wanzer: Gift Certificates for one night lodging and dinner for two at The Landing.

CASH DONATIONS

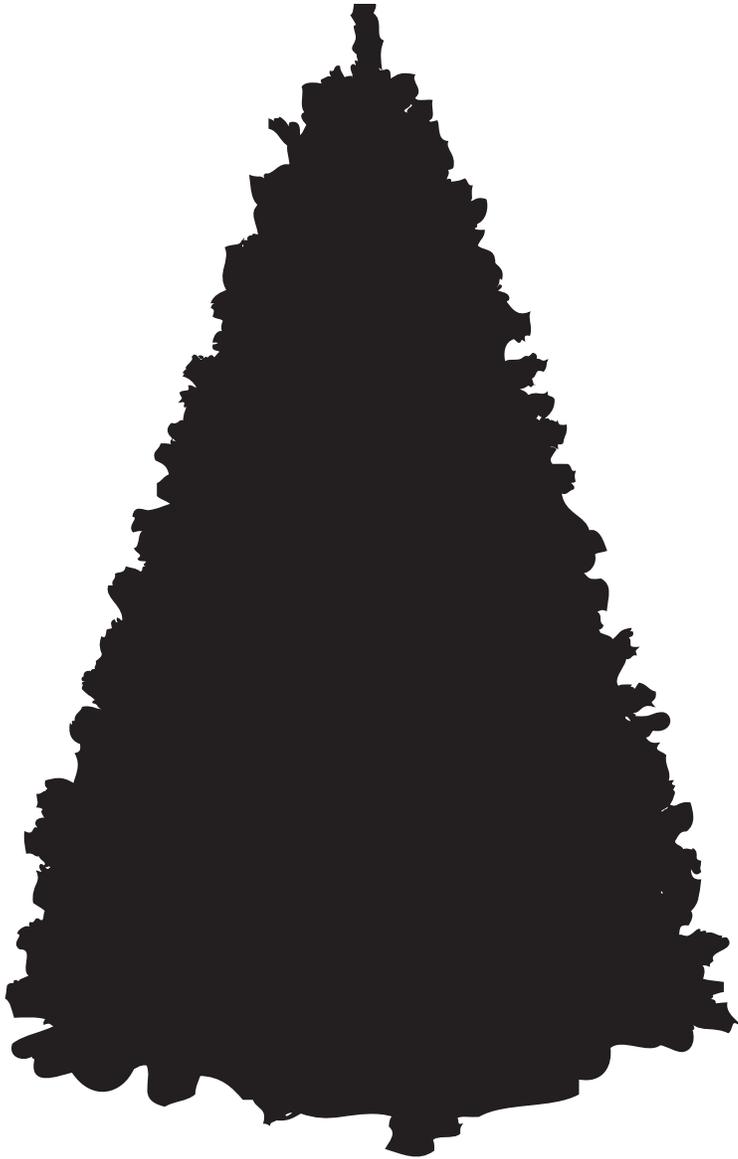
Kevin and Melissa Johnson: \$100 in honor of Mae Leask

Carol Enger: \$50 in honor of Willard Jones

Jeane & Chris Breinig: \$500 in honor of Anna Frank, Louis Jones Sr, Raymond Jones, George Jones, Henry Jones, Willard Jones, Leah Jones, Melinda Jones, Catherine Kerstetter & Julie Coburn

Jeane & Chris Breinig: \$500 in honor of Chris & Brian Coburn





Donation Tree 2017

CASH DONATIONS (cont.)

Terry Wanzer: \$200 in honor of Perry & Brian Coburn

Lorraine Kahle: \$200 in honor of David and Annabelle Peele

Marcia Coburn: \$100 in honor of Brian Coburn

Audrey & Mike Escoffon: \$100 in honor of Eliza M. Mcalpin

Audrey & Mike Escoffon: \$100 in honor of Caroline L. Hendrixson (Young)

Kenneth Gordon: \$100 in honor of Louis Thompson

Kevin & Melissa Johnson: \$100 in honor of Mae Leask

Carol Egner: \$50 in honor of Willard Jones

Louis Jones, Sr.: \$300 in honor of Paige Jones

**Because of our generous donors,
we have been able to support**

**\$5,000 for the Naay Iwaans/Whale House
Restoration celebration September 2016**

\$7,000 to OVK for carving tools

**\$8,000 for Paige Jones Memorial
Scholarships**

\$1,500 Haida Language Projects

Calling All Generous Xáadas to Donate!

We'd like to once again call upon our generous Kasaan people and other generous friends to contribute to the Annual Meeting Dinner/Raffle. We are looking for our favorite Haida foods: hard smoked fish, smoked sockeye, deer meat, soap berries, jams, jellies, asparagus, or anything delicious you can add.

We also welcome donations of any kind for other baskets: children's Christmas gifts, sweets, towels, kitchen items or anything you imagine someone would enjoy winning. **Donations will be assembled on Friday evening, November 9 at the Landing at 7:00 p.m. If you need your items picked up, leave a message for Jeane Breinig at the Landing (907.225.5166) and she will pick them up.** We also need empty baskets to be filled with raffle items. Please donate your empty baskets so we can fill them again. Háw'aa in advance for your Xáadas generosity!

Thanks to all who have contributed funds to support the Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation. A special thank you to Kavalco for paying for the dinner, assistance with publishing and mailing this newsletter and to Carol D'Angelis for editing this newsletter and helping with other KHHF projects.

KHHF Fundraisers support new projects we'd like to develop including: clan house maintenance, elders' interviews, and language revitalization. This Donation Tree recognizes donations made since Fall of 2017. Please help us keep it full.

Please send your tax-deductible donations via check, money order or PayPal (http://kavalco.com/khhf_pages/donation-tree.htm). IRS code 501(c)(3), EIN 92-0169568 Make your check or money order payable to: Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation.

VOLUNTEERS AND HELPERS AT THE KHHF RAFFLE /AUCTION 2017

Ryan Demmert ~ Jaden Demmert
Brendan Demmert ~ Dylan Demmert
Hailee Miller ~ Justin Jones
Randell Jones ~ Peyton Jones
Kristopher Hadden ~ Ron Hadden
Shannon Wilson

Háw'aa

"Share what you
have - giving makes
you richer." -Jeane Breinig

GRAND PRIZE WINNERS AT THE KHHF RAFFLE AND AUCTION 2017

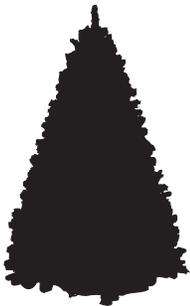
Grand Prize: Drum won by Henry Jones,
Bear Vase won by Laird Jones
5 Nights in Arizona Home with Pool won
by George Demmert Sr.
Night and Dinner at the Landing won by
Janelle Hyatt
Haida Quilt won by Chris Breinig
50/50 draw (\$500) won by Audry Escoffon

ABOUT KASAAN HAIDA HERITAGE FOUNDATION

In 1996, Kivilco Incorporated started the process to establish the Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation (KHHF) as a non-profit corporation in the State of Alaska. In 1999, KHHF became incorporated, with three members of Kivilco's Board of Directors serving as officers — Kenneth Gordon, President; and Jeane Breinig, Secretary/Treasurer.

The concern was clear that an effort should be made to document and preserve our culture. The projects important to the cultural heritage of the Kasaan Haida people include clan house and totem pole restorations, Haida language perpetuation, repatriation of Kasaan artifacts, videotaping and interviewing our elders, and cleaning up the creeks near Kasaan for the return of salmon runs.

Our mission is to honor the vision and unselfish actions of our Kasaan Haida ancestors and elders. Kasaan Haida Heritage Foundation aims to document, preserve and promote those things that make the Kasaan Haidas unique.



KHHF Officers:

Laird A. Jones, President
Frederick O. Olsen, Jr. Vice President
Jeane Breinig, Secretary
Eleanor Hadden, Treasurer

KHHF Advisory Committee:

Della Coburn
Mike Jones

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