

We need places to teach a love for, and protection of nature. There aren't many places like Beaver Creek Reserve. Everyone should have access to someplace wild. It's great knowing after we're gone, we'll be keeping it alive.

**Dan and Karen Mittag,
Giving Tree Members**

LEAVE A LEGACY



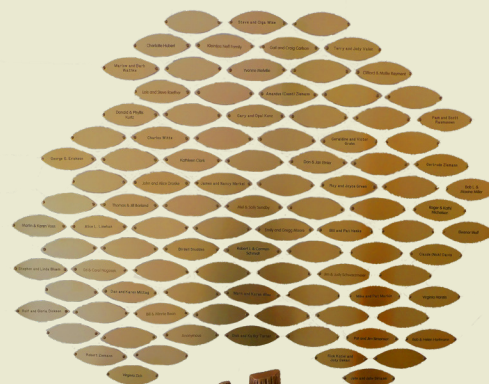
ENSURE THE FUTURE OF BEAVER CREEK RESERVE.

TURN FOND MEMORIES INTO A GIFT THAT WILL LAST FOREVER.

For over 70 years, Beaver Creek Reserve has provided exceptional nature education opportunities, a place for quality family time, and a unique environment to explore nature. Join the ranks of those that have made legacy gifts to Beaver Creek Reserve and allow us to continue our mission of connecting people with nature, for generations to come.

GIVING TREE LEGACY SOCIETY

- When you notify us that you have made a gift to Beaver Creek Reserve in your estate plan, you become a member of the Giving Tree.
- There are no fees or minimum amount.
- The amount of the eventual gift does not have to be revealed.
- You can designate your gift for a specific purpose or let Beaver Creek determine the area of greatest need.
- Once a member, you are always a member.
- You will be recognized with a leaf on our Giving Tree in the Wise Nature Center.



It is imperative we expose younger generations to the necessity of preserving our environment. The Beaver Creek Reserve Endowment Fund is the best way to perpetuate meaningful programs to accomplish this dream. Please consider adding your name to a leaf on the Giving Tree.

**Olga Wise,
Giving Tree Member**



LEAVE A LEGACY!

Preserve what you love about Beaver Creek Reserve for future generations.

WAYS TO GIVE

You can plan a legacy gift regardless of your current assets or income.

These gifts allow you to include charitable causes that are important to you into your overall financial, tax and estate planning goals.

The simple inclusion of a clause naming the "Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve" as the direct beneficiary of a specific amount of money, specific assets, or a percentage of your estate after other payments are made, will create a lasting legacy.

There are many other ways to leave a legacy gift to Beaver Creek Reserve. Some of these include:

**Wills • Trusts • Retirement Assets
Appreciated Securities • Cash Real
Estate or Property Assets**

The more time you spend at Beaver Creek Reserve, the more convinced you'll be of how great it is. It is a good feeling knowing after we're gone, we'll still be a part of something special.

**Terry and Judy Valen,
Giving Tree Members**



BENEFITS OF A BEQUEST

- Your assets remain in control during your lifetime.
- You can modify your bequest if circumstances change.
- There is no upper limit on the estate tax deductions for charitable bequests.
- It is private. Your will is not filed or made public until your death.
- It may significantly reduce your tax liability.
- You have the satisfaction of knowing your bequest will support Beaver Creek Reserve, even after you are gone.
- Consult your financial professional or family attorney. They can assist you in making the right decisions for you and your heirs.

Call Beaver Creek Reserve for more information.

USING YOUR GIFT

PROVIDING FOR THE PRESENT, SERVING FOR THE FUTURE.

You can determine how your legacy gift is used by designating for a specific purpose that is dear to your heart or you can let the Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve Board of Directors determine the greatest area of need for your gift.

The Beaver Creek Reserve Endowment Board oversees all legacy gifts and works to safeguard and increase their value through careful, professional management.

Gifts designated for the Endowment Fund support the long-term stability and growth of Beaver Creek Reserve. These funds are invested and remain intact in perpetuity; only income from the investment can be used to support Beaver Creek. Your gift lasts forever!

Wherever you decide to designate your gift, you can be assured it will have a lasting impact on the future Beaver Creek Reserve and its visitors.



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DECLARATION OF INTENT

All information given is kept strictly confidential.

As an expression of contribution to the Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve, I/we made estate provisions to the Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve through:

- Will
- Pooled Income Fund
- Life Insurance Policy
- Charitable Trust
- Retirement Assets
- Other _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

State _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Approximate Value of Gift _____

Percentage of Estate _____

Other _____

- I/We have included a copy of the portion of the estate document that names the Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve as a beneficiary. I/We understand that it will be kept in a confidential file.
- I/We give permission for donor(s) to be listed as members of the Giving Tree. Please list name(s): _____

This Declaration of Intent is an expression of my/our present plans and is subject to change or modification by me/us. If changes are made, I/we will notify the Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve.

Signature _____

Signature _____

Date _____

The undersigned, an authorized office of the Friends of Beaver Creek Reserve, hereby accepts this gift.

Office Name _____

Officer Signature _____

Date _____