

# Cave Conservancy of Hawai`i



2003 Annual Report



# The Cave Conservancy of Hawai`i Incorporated

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Cover – Ancient gourd remains in the Maelstrom section of Kipuka Kanohina. Photo by Don Coons.  
Ki`i pōhaku (petroglyph) logo design by Wes Bogner

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## Our Mission

The Cave Conservancy of Hawai`i (CCH) exists to preserve and protect caves in Hawai`i. It sounds like a simple mission, yet we know that Hawai`i caves are anything but simple. The caves of Kipuka Kanohina form one of the most complex – and longest – lava tubes of the world. This is not merely a “cave”, but an entire ecosystem. Kanohina acts as a time capsule to preserve and protect the ancient archeology found within. It is a home to several species of cave dwelling arthropods. It contains several formations found no where else in the world.



All of these wonderful resources are threatened by increasing development. Hawai`i is a beautiful place and everyone wants a part of the “American Dream”. That includes a vacation home in a scenic spot. Kona has already become a large city, complete with traffic jams. Land prices are now equal to mainland California – through the roof! In order to preserve and protect the caves that we love, we must act quickly while land prices are still within grasp.

The CCH is continuing to work with land developers, mapping lava caves and directing building pads and roads off of cave bearing passage. We are working to purchase land and gain lease agreements so cavers can still legally access their favorite caves. We are starting to expand outward from the Kanohina system and work toward protecting other caves on the islands. Won't you consider getting involved?

## Message from the President

*Don Coons, President and Director*

I had thought to write a glowing review of all of the conservancy accomplishments since our inception just two short years ago. During this time we have applied for and received our IRS 501(c) 3 status, written an extensive management plan for the Kanohina System, launched a highly successful fund raising drive, and landed several grants from the NSS. We have also successfully purchased two cave bearing parcels of land and have two larger parcels in escrow at this time. Our initial net worth of \$50 has now risen to just over \$41,000. These numbers are based on the original purchase price of our land holdings. Current day markets would support values even higher. Ric Elhard has written a comprehensive secretarial report on all of these aspects of the conservancy business. Please refer to it for further details.



Photo by Peter and Ann Bosted

In short, we've done exceptionally well and accomplished a great deal in a very short period of time. Accolades are especially due to Cindy Heazlit and Emily Davis. As treasurer, Cindy has done an excellent job in establishing a financial records system and managing the conservancy funds. As fund raising chair, Emily has done an exemplary job in garnering the financial support needed to make our land transactions possible. All of our directors have also been there at every juncture to support the efforts of our newly formed conservancy. Congratulations are due and fully deserved by everyone involved in the effort.

We've done good guys. The next obvious question is what can we do next?? Most of the available funding opportunities for a start up conservancy have already been tapped. Our current funds are mostly being spent to purchase a large new parcel of land. We are rolling from a cash friendly base to one with a sizable mortgage. The first obvious step is to pay this puppy down and get back to a debt free financial status. We're off to a good start on this goal. Most of our first year mortgage payment will be made at the closing of the transaction. We'll basically be one full year ahead with a bit less than \$20,000 remaining to pay. Let's work toward that goal.

Shopping for any additional land purchases will be an interesting exercise, but not one that we'll likely be able to pursue with another purchase until our current mortgage is paid in full. We're hoping that establishing a viable newsletter and encouraging memberships in our organization will make a good step in this direction.

In the meantime we have another valuable opportunity available. Several land leases have already been signed in the Kanohina area. These parcels are owned by directors and basically establish an access lease with a good faith agreement to manage the property in accordance with the management plan laid out by the conservancy. Cavers and their immediate family now own several more parcels of the Kanohina properties. Signing leases for these additional properties will establish the backbone of a more comprehensive plan to protect the entire cave system. Seeking out opportunities to sign similar leases with individuals outside the caving community will also offer an important avenue toward better protection of the resource.

Pursuing all of these goals into the year 2005 will keep us more than busy. As president I'm looking forward to working with everyone toward the immediate goal of protecting the Kanohina System and also expanding our sphere of influence to include more of the many caves known on the Big Island. The opportunities are vast. Let's all work together to make more happen.

I'm personally looking forward to a very bright future for the conservancy and will especially enjoy the opportunities to meet and make new friends through working together to protect the awesome resources preserved in the underground of Hawai'i.

Thank you one and all for your efforts to date. Let's all look forward to the coming years.



## Statement of Activities

### Cave Purchase

- Ole's Puka – Purchase price of \$2200.00, paid in full.
- Lot 63 – Kipuka Kanohina System – Purchase price of \$13,800.00, paid in full.
- Lots 42 and 43 – Kipuka Kanohina System – Purchase price of \$42,000.00, \$1000.00 down, still in escrow. We will have a \$24,000 mortgage at close of escrow.

### Cave Access

The CCH established cave access agreements with owners of lots 27, 28, 29, 30, and 81 in the Kipuka Kanohina system, for a total of 15 acres. This gives us legal access to these sections of the cave.

### Cave Management

- The CCH published a cave management plan for the Kipuka Kanohina Cave System.
- All owners that signed access agreements with the CCH also signed on to follow the Kipuka Kanohina Cave Management Plan.

### Grotto/Corporate Involvement

- San Francisco Bay Chapter was the first grotto to donate money to the CCH.
- In March, the Cave Conservancy of Hawai'i became the 12<sup>th</sup> NSS conservancy.
- Several cavers performed cave survey in Kaumana Cave for the Department of Hawaiian Homelands. The survey was used to determine the extent of the caves under a new housing development. The information gained from this activity was used to reroute roads and building pads, preventing any bulldozer "crash-in" of the caves. The Towell Company made a donation to the CCH for these services. This was truly a win-win situation – Kaumana cave was protected, and the money gained by this activity was used to purchase Ole's Puka.
- We received a \$1000 education grant from the NSS to develop an education kiosk at Ole's Puka.
- We received a \$5000 grant from the NSS to assist us with the purchase of Lot 63 in Kipuka Kanohina.

### Public Relations

- Don Coons did several presentations on Lava Tubes, including an "After Dark in the Park" presentation for the National Park Service at Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. This has led to a great deal of visibility for the Cave Conservancy of Hawaii, and support from the Hawaii Volcanoes Natural History Association.
- Ric Elhard's presentation on the caves of Ocean View was warmly received by He Kula Na Mea Hawai'i – The "School of all things Hawaiian". We are delighted to see support for the Conservancy from the Hawaiian community.
- Emily Davis and Mike Warner provided a CCH presence during the National Speleological Society Convention. They also set up a nice display for the whole week. As a result, the CCH gained several new members
- Don Coons presented 5 papers on Kipuka Kanohina and related lava tubes at the National Speleological Society convention.
- Cindy Heazlit provided a CCH presence and display during the Western Regional Meeting.
- Cindy also provided a CCH presence and display at the annual Cave Research Foundation Board of Directors meeting.
- The Cave Conservancy of Hawaii supported the Western Cave Conservancy at its fundraising dinner. CCH members collected dinner tickets, served food, and assisted in logistics. In all, it was a great bonding experience with our sister conservancy
- The CCH established a presence on the internet at <http://www.caves.org/conservancy/cch> (Ed note: we now have our own domain at <http://www.hawaiicaves.org> )

### Articles of Incorporation

This year the CCH rewrote their Articles of Incorporation. This was to bring them into alignment with Federal law so we could gain tax exempt status. Please see the CCH web site for the complete articles, or contact the Secretary.

### Tax Exempt Status

The CCH applied for and received Tax Exempt status at both the Federal and State (Hawaii) level. Your donations are now tax deductible!

### Elections

Cindy Heazlit and Mike Warner were re-elected to the CCH Board of Directors. Their terms will be complete at the end of 2006. Dr. Fred Stone was confirmed as a member of the CCH BOD, and will complete a 2 year term, ending in 2005.

*'Ōhi'a roots pierce the roof of Kanohina in many places. The 'ōhi'a lehua tree seeks moisture from the cave that is not available in the surface desert environment. The roots provide a habitat for plant hoppers and other cave dwelling arthropods.*

*Photo by Don Coons*



### Description of Properties

Name	Cave	County	Acreage	Significance	Comments
Ole's Puka	Ole's Puka	Hawai'i	1	Large Puka entrance next to road. CCH educational site in Hawai'i Ocean View Estates	Own
Lot 63	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	3	Provides an access corridor to several CCH properties. Contains the Galaxy Chamber and the Brickyard Passage	Own
Lot 42	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	21	Contains the refuge (Maelstrom)	5/7 undivided share. In escrow
Lot 43	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	21	Contains the Cordwinder passage	In escrow
Lot 27	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	3	Poha Section	Access Agreement
Lot 28	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	3	Poha Section	Access Agreement
Lot 29	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	3	Poha Section	Access Agreement
Lot 30	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	3	Poha Section	Access Agreement
Lot 81	Kipuka Kanohina	Hawai'i	3	Kula Kai Section	Access Agreement

Total Acres Protected for Ole's Puka	1
Total Acres Protected for Kipuka Kanohina	60
Total Acres Protected	61

## Report from the Secretary

*Ric Elhard, Secretary and Director*  
CAVE CONSERVANCY of HAWAII 2003-2004

As secretary for the CCH I have spent approximately 2 hours a week attending to the various business of the Corporation business. While the bulk of the financial work is orchestrated by the Corporation Treasurer, Cindy Heazlit, there is a necessary function of secretarial work to be done "on island".

Administering the bank account locally regarding the deposits of checks received at the Ocean View address for the Conservancy is an important item of business that needs to be administered by some one living here in Hawaii. This secretary checks the P.O. Box about once a week and it seems sufficient to maintain the CCH mail transactions. Checks received for deposits are made in a timely manner so the treasurer can follow up via Net connections for on-line banking. Copies of the checks are forwarded to the Treasurer via the mail.

Other items received are filed in local files maintained at the Kanohina Field office, forwarded to the treasurer as necessary or secured in the safe deposit box at the CU Hawaii Federal Credit union, Kona Branch.

The secretary has forwarded escrow documents regarding the purchase of Ole's Puka for signing by authorized corporation officers as well facilitated cashiers checks for the transaction.

As part of the secretarial documentation I have printed various and important e-mail communications regarding motions and voting for various agenda items regarding conservancy business. These files are maintained for reference at the Kanohina Field office. Other files maintained are a banking file and a copy of the IRS determination papers and letter.

The secretary received and counted the votes for the board of directors for the CCH.

The secretary generated the minutes of the meetings of the CCH board of directors.

The secretary registered the CCH name with the Department of Consumer affairs. This is an annual filing and is done on -line.

The secretarial position, while not nearly as time consuming as a treasury position, is an important facet to the corporate business and best administered by a person with access to the post office and bank. This should be considered for future secretarial agents for the CCH. This secretary is willing to serve in the current capacity for another year or longer as may be necessary to fulfill the needs of the CCH.

Sincerely  
Ric Elhard for the Cave Conservancy of Hawaii.



*The Maelstrom section of Kipuka Kanohina. The Kanohina Cave System has numerous intertwining passages, connecting on at least 4 different levels. This type of passage development is considered unusual for a lava tube. The CCH is working to protect this entire system. Over 93% of your donation goes directly to purchase and management of Hawai'i caves!*

*Photo by Peter and Ann Bosted*

## Board of Directors

### **Don Coons – President/Director**

Don is a Fellow of the National Speleological Society and a Fellow of the Cave Research Foundation. He has received numerous research fellowships from the NSS, National Geographic Society, and the Fulbright Foundation. He is a certified cave diver and the recipient of the prestigious Lew Bicking award for exploration. Don currently lives in Illinois.



### **Mike Warner – Vice President/Director**

Mike is a Fellow of the National Speleological Society. He has a long history of working with cave conservancies – first with the Michigan Karst Conservancy, then with the Northeastern Cave Conservancy, and now assisting with the CCH. He is a co-owner of Speleobooks. Mike currently lives in New York.



### **Ric Elhard – Secretary/Director**

Ric is currently chair of the Hawaii Grotto of the National Speleological Society. He has served on the Hawaii Caves Task Force, and assisted in the research and public input sessions for the Hawai'i Cave Protection Act. Ric is a co-owner of Kula Kai Caverns. He lives in Hawaii.



### **Cindy Heazlit – Treasurer/Director**

Cindy is a Fellow of the National Speleological Society and a Fellow of the Cave Research Foundation. She qualified as an instructor for the National Cave Rescue Commission, and has coordinated the only NCRC cave rescue class in Hawai'i. She also participates in cave exploration and research at Lava Beds National Monument. Cindy currently resides in California.



### **Chrissy Frotten – Director**

Chrissy is one of the land owners at Kipuka Kanohina, and is responsible for the Cave Conservancy of Hawai'i's first landowner access agreement. Chrissy has assisted with the survey of the Maelstrom section of Kipuka Kanohina. She currently caves and resides in Alabama.



### **Rose Herrera – Director**

Rose is an active island caver and the Treasurer of the Hawaii Grotto. She is also a co-owner of Kula Kai Caverns. Rose is always working behind the scenes at CCH, making sure all our projects somehow come together. She lives in Hawai'i.



### **Steve Lewis – Director**

Steve is a Fellow of the National Speleological Society, and is a landowner at Kipuka Kanohina. He has been involved in exploration and study of the karst lands of Southeast Alaska since 1988, serving as a director of the National Speleological Society's Tongass Cave Project since its inception in 1991. In 1995 he began a doctoral study at the University of Alaska Fairbanks, working under Dr. Joe Cook at the University of Alaska Museum.



### **Dr. Fred Stone – Director**

Fred is a Fellow of the National Speleological Society, and has long been involved in cave conservation. In the 1960's, he purchased McFails Cave and donated it to the NSS – the first NSS cave preserve. On moving to Hawai'i, he started the Hawaii Caves Conservation Task Force. With Dr. Francis Howarth, he has discovered several cave dwelling arthropods on the islands. Fred currently lives in Hawai'i and teaches environmental science and ecosystem management for Hawai'i Community College.





**Report from the Treasurer**  
**January 1 through December 31, 2003**  
*Cindy Heazlit, Treasurer and Director*

The initial year for the CCH has been a busy one. We filed tax returns with the IRS. We set up 2 years of budgets, which we soon had to revise because of overwhelming generosity from our members. We set up an accrual based accounting system where we keep track of *all* of our assets, and accurately track expenses. We also set up a computerized financial program that handles our chart of accounts, and is able to generate the reports we need to comply with SFAS 116 and SFAS 117. These are accounting standards that one must follow to comply with Generally Accepted Accounting Principals (GAAP) for non-profits. Following these standards allows us to qualify for large grants, and to accurately report our activities to the IRS. It sounds like a lot of extraneous work, but it actually helps us in the end.

In addition to setting up the finances, we have established an account with a Hawai'i based credit union. Credit Union Hawai'i has offices in both Kona and Hilo. They have been very supportive of our efforts and we are happy to keep all of our money within the state. We have also received tax exempt status with the IRS and the State of Hawai'i. This means that donations are deductible on both federal and Hawai'i state taxes.

Speaking of donations, we have been blessed by many gifts from more members than we ever expected! Special thanks go to Martin Haye, for donating \$15,000 for part of "the refuge" section of Kipuka Kanohina. We would also like to thank Dr. Fred Stone, who not only gave us a \$5000 donation, but also contributed several rare books for us to sell for fund-raising. We also received 2 grants from the National Speleological Society. The first grant was a \$1000 education grant to support the construction of an information kiosk at Ole's Puka. This will be used to educate our neighbors at Hawai'i Ocean View Estates about the impacts that they can have on the cave systems underlying their property. The second grant was for \$5000 to aid us in the purchase of Lot 63 of the Kipuka Kanohina system. This was a badly needed donation for our small start-up conservancy. A look at the financial charts will show that most of our income is the result of donations and grants, not membership fees.

The Towell Company made a generous contribution of \$1500 as thanks for survey of Kaumana Cave. This was used for the purchase of Ole's Puka. The San Francisco Bay Chapter established a matching grant program to raise the money for closing costs. The members and SFBC raised over \$700 for us. Thom Engel also donated his survey capability and \$1000 for Kipuka Kanohina. Thanks to all!

We have enhanced our web site by installing a couple of new internet based fundraising programs for CCH. These programs both involve PayPal. The first program is an on-line donation, membership, & renewal system. This allows everyone the convenience of **secure** on-line credit card processing. Our second program is our sustaining donor program. When you subscribe as a sustaining member, your credit card will be billed monthly at the rate that you determine. We will continue to bill you monthly until you tell us to stop. This provides the conservancy with a steady reliable income throughout the year. Donations can be as small as \$5 per month. Won't you consider joining us in this endeavor?

In all, it's been an incredible year. I'd love to repeat it!

**Statement of Accuracy**

The following financial statements reflect the position of the Cave Conservancy of Hawai'i as of December 31, 2003. The complete financial reports are available for public inspection via written notice to the Treasurer. Please contact:

Cindy Heazlit  
5672 Bluegrass Lane  
San Jose, CA 95118  
cheazlit@self-rescue.net

I, Cindy K. Heazlit, do hereby swear that these statements are an accurate reflection of the finances of the Cave Conservancy of Hawai'i Incorporated. They have been kept in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principals for the United States of America.



## Cave Conservancy of Hawaii Statement of Financial Position

As of December 31, 2003

**Accrual  
Basis  
Dec 31, 03**

<b>ASSETS</b>	
<b>Current Assets</b>	
<b>Checking/Savings</b>	
Checking	151.34
PayPal Money Market Account	96.83
Savings	<u>23,051.03</u>
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>	23,299.20
<b>Other Current Assets</b>	
Inventory Asset	624.69
Undeposited Funds	<u>295.00</u>
<b>Total Other Current Assets</b>	<u>919.69</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	24,218.89
<b>Fixed Assets</b>	
<b>Land</b>	
<b>Kipuka Kanohina</b>	
TMK-9-2-151-42	500.00
TMK-9-2-151-43	500.00
TMK 3-9-2-193-063 (lot 63)	<u>13,800.00</u>
<b>Total Kipuka Kanohina</b>	14,800.00
Ole's Puka	<u>2,200.00</u>
<b>Total Land</b>	<u>17,000.00</u>
<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>	<u>17,000.00</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b><u>41,218.89</u></b>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	
<b>Liabilities</b>	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
<b>Accounts Payable</b>	
Accounts Payable	<u>143.01</u>
<b>Total Accounts Payable</b>	143.01
<b>Other Current Liabilities</b>	
Reimbursements Owed	15.14
<b>Short Term Loans</b>	
Amy Cox	<u>3,000.00</u>
<b>Total Short Term Loans</b>	<u>3,000.00</u>
<b>Total Other Current Liabilities</b>	<u>3,015.14</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<u>3,158.15</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	3,158.15
<b>Equity</b>	
Retained Earnings	50.00
Net Income	<u>38,010.74</u>
<b>Total Equity</b>	<u>38,060.74</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	<b><u>41,218.89</u></b>

**Statement of Activities**  
January through December 2003

	<u>Accrual Basis</u>			
	<u>Jan - Dec 03</u>			
	Unrestricted	Temporary Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total
<b>Revenues, gains, and other support</b>				
Contributions	3,763.65	25,190.00	0.00	28,953.65
Grants	0.00	6,000.00	0.00	6,000.00
Dues	2,125.00	0.00	0.00	2,125.00
Program Fees	1,530.00	0.00	0.00	1,530.00
Other Income	2,607.62	0.00	0.00	2,607.62
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>10,026.27</b>	<b>31,190.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>41,216.27</b>
<b>Expenses and Losses</b>				
Closing Costs	0.00	1,512.85	0.00	1,512.85
Land Management	164.64	0.00	0.00	164.64
Cost of Goods Sold	736.56	0.00	0.00	736.56
Premiums	202.87	0.00	0.00	202.87
Bank Fees	65.57	0.00	0.00	65.57
Licenses	350.00	0.00	0.00	350.00
Postage	89.60	0.00	0.00	89.60
Supplies	73.01	0.00	0.00	73.01
Other Expenses	10.43	0.00	0.00	10.43
<b>Total Expenses and Losses</b>	<b>1,692.68</b>	<b>1,512.85</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>3,205.53</b>
<b>Change in Net Assets</b>	<b>8,333.59</b>	<b>29,677.15</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>38,010.74</b>
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Net Assets at End of Year	8,383.59	29,677.15	0.00	38,060.74

**Statement of Cash Flows**  
January through December 2003

	<u>Jan - Dec 03</u>
<b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>	
Net Income	38,010.74
Adjustments to reconcile Net Income to net cash provided by operations:	
Inventory Asset	-624.69
Accounts Payable	143.01
Reimbursements Owed	15.14
Short Term Loans: Amy Cox	3,000.00
<b>Net cash provided by Operating Activities</b>	<b>40,544.20</b>
<b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>	
Land: Kipuka Kanohina: TMK-9-2-151-42	-500.00
Land: Kipuka Kanohina: TMK-9-2-151-43	-500.00
Land: Kipuka Kanohina: TMK 3-9-2-193-063 (lot 63)	-13,800.00
Land: Oles Puka	-2,200.00
<b>Net cash provided by Investing Activities</b>	<b>-17,000.00</b>
Net cash increase for period	23,544.20
Cash at beginning of period	50.00
<b>Cash at end of period</b>	<b>23,594.20</b>

## Get Involved!

The Cave Conservancy of Hawai'i Incorporated is composed entirely of volunteers. This means that we are able to minimize our expenses and use over 90% of your donation for purchase and management of Hawai'i caves. We would love to have you join us in this exciting adventure, either as a volunteer or a member. Our membership structure is:

- Student - \$15 per year
- Regular - \$25 per year
- Family - \$35 per year
- Contributing - \$50 per year
- Supporting - \$100 per year
- Institutional - \$100 per year

Most of our financial support comes directly from donations of our members. All donations are allocated according to the wishes of the donor. The CCH is committed to following responsible accounting practices and disclosure.

Send your membership fees and/or donations to:

**Cave Conservancy of Hawai'i**  
PO Box 7032  
Ocean View, HI  
96737-7032  
Phone: 808-929-7539

Name	
Address	
City	
State	
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Phone Number	
E-Mail	

We can use more of your donation toward CCH projects if we provide you with an electronic copy of the Annual Report instead of mailing a paper copy. You will be notified via e-mail when the download is available on our web site. May we provide you an electronic copy of the Annual Report (PDF format)?

Yes\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_

The CCH also needs volunteers in the following areas:

- Land Acquisition Committee – seek out and negotiate purchase of cave properties.
- Education and Research Committee - oversee research and education projects on CCH preserves.
- Legal Committee - help with access and land trust agreements.
- Publicity Committee – get the word out on what we're doing.
- Finance Committee - help with budgets, audits & financial planning.
- Fundraising Committee – assist in fund raising campaigns and come up with ideas to create income.
- Publications Committee - help with annual report & newsletter.
- Web Committee – maintain our web site and expand it to meet our increasing needs.
- Staffing Committee - coordinate volunteers and assign them as needed.

I am interested in volunteering with \_\_\_\_\_

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### **Mahalo Nui Loa – Thank You Very Much to our Donors**

**Gifts above \$10,000** Martin Haye • **Gifts between \$5000 and \$9999** Dr. Fred Stone, National Speleological Society • **Gifts between \$1000 and \$4999** The Towell Company, Thom Engel • **Gifts between \$250 and \$999** Peter and Ann Bosted, Barb Capocy, Don Coons, Aaron and Amy Cox, Ric Elhard and Rose Herrera, Hawaii Forest and Trail, He Kula Na Mea Hawaii, Cindy Heazlit, Joyce Hoffmaster, Ken Kloppenborg, John Pearson, Bob Richards, San Francisco Bay Chapter - NSS, Bernie Szukalski, George Veni, Mike Warner • **Gifts between \$100 and \$249** Nevin and Judy Davis, Kevin Downey, Bruce Dunlavy, Dr. William R. Halliday, Pat Kambesis, Kula Kai Caverns, Steve Lewis and Rachael Myron, Mark and Rene Ohms, Julie Schenk, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Sides, Paul Wendt • **Gifts up to \$99** Page M. Ashwell, Carole Baker, Matthew Blum, Cave Research Foundation, Ashley Chan, Charles Chavdarian, Michael Cooper, Kyle Dwyer, William J. Folsom, Bill and Peri Frantz, Bill and Carol Fritz, Jon Giffen, Andrew Grubbs, Hawaii Natural History Association, Dr. Louise Hose, Hillarie Howitt, David Hubbard, Paul E. Johnson, Mindie Kaplan, Ed LaRock, Dr. David Lemberg, Pete Lindsley, Vivian Loftin, John Lyles, Kirk MacGregor, Cintia Margi, Danica Martocci, Roger McClure, Doug and Hazel Medville, John Moreno, Dale Pate and Paula Bauer, Arlin Pound, Merrilee Proffitt, Steve and Barbara Ruble, R. P. Ruplinger, Steven Smith, Lynn Van Erden, John Vose, Drs. Richard and Patty Jo Watson, Jock Williams