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A gift of any amount will be deeply appreciated and will help us to continue our mission of supporting the NEW Zoo to build a new Education & Conservation Center, acquire new animals, and to strive to keep the quality facility that it has become.

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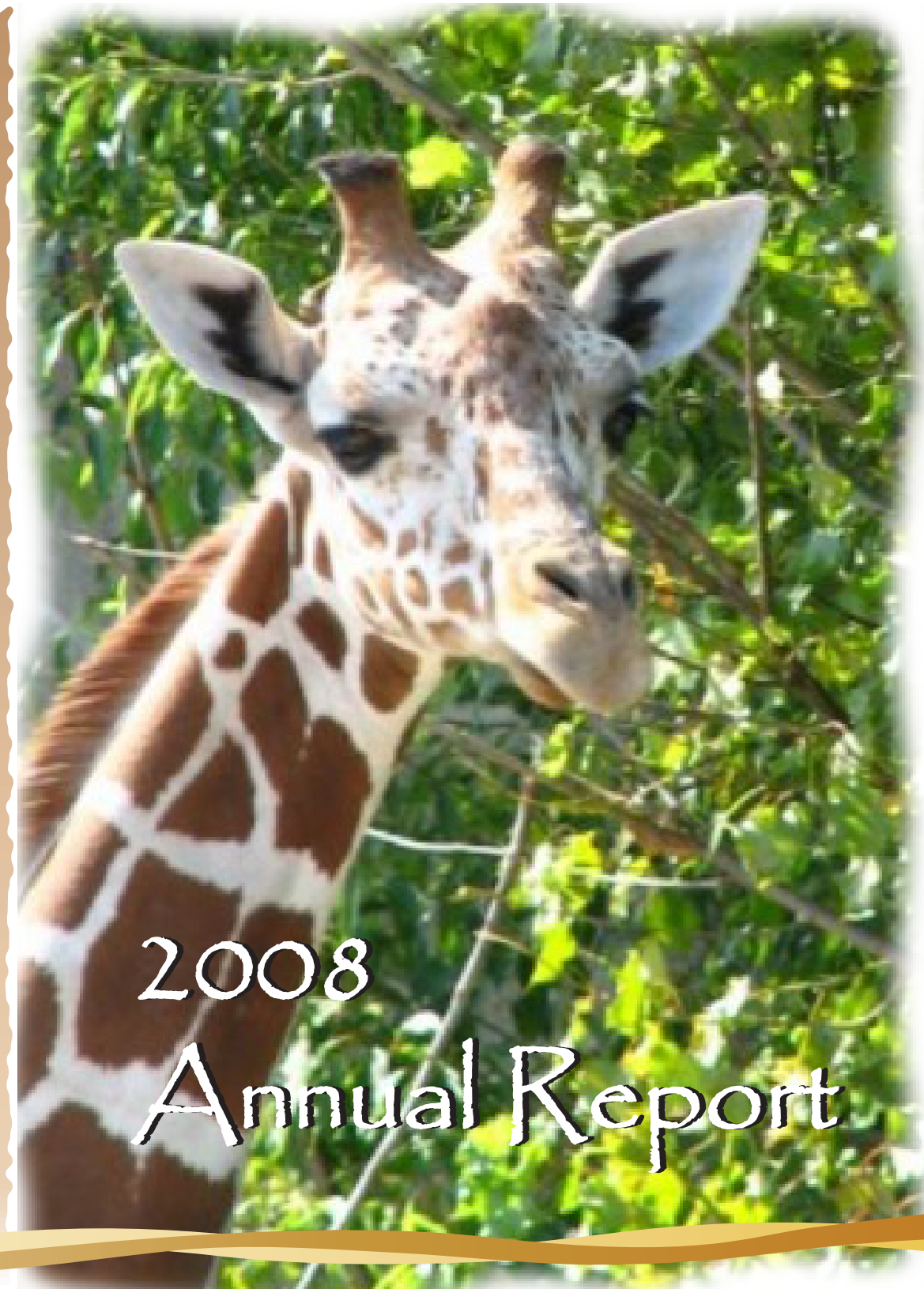
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2008
Annual Report

N.E.W Zoological Society, Inc.

Do you remember the Zoo Boosters, founded by Ernie Ehrbar? Incorporated in 1985, a dedicated group has recognized and sought ways to preserve and enhance the NEW Zoo so that it will provide families, youth and adults with ongoing educational opportunities to be up close to the animals and birds in a natural setting. The Boosters changed their name to the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. in 1998.

The Zoological Society takes into account the history of our little northern zoo. Originally, the Reforestation Camp included a place for orphaned wild animals and birds. It was open to school groups and visitors. As the collection grew, the county decided that the facilities needed improving or removal. The Boosters came together to visit other zoos and researched the American Zoo and Aquarium Association (AZA). The county funds would be used for habitats, support facilities or infrastructure.

Today, the NEW Zoo is one of only six AZA accredited zoos in the country that is self-supporting and does not receive local or regional tax support for its annual operations. The N.E.W. Zoological Society works toward continued growth and improvement of the zoo.

Education, conversation and recreation are the springboards to creating a world-class zoo for our community. The Master Plan is in place and through generous contributions to the non-profit corporation; the Society is working toward its completion. The Society boasts success for the new giraffe exhibit (where you can feed the giraffes crackers!), a newly renovated Japanese snow monkey house, the lions, the tortoise and a continuing fund to build a much needed educational building.

There are many methods through which you can support the NEW Zoo and preserve its attractions for generations to come. The methods include charitable gift annuities, bequests, life estate arrangements, trusts and others.

Often, our surroundings blend in with each other and assumptions exist that every community has offerings of recreation and things to do. The hard work and foresight of the Boosters and especially Aurelia Barth and her family, which fed the food to Reforestation Project workers, has resulted in our Northeastern Wisconsin Zoo.

Be part of history and the ongoing success that began with an occasional raccoon in what was barely a petting zoo. The N.E.W. Zoological Society seeks to involve the community through financial and in-kind support to foster growth and improvement of facilities and educational programs. We do this brick by brick and one-step at a time, like our giant turtles as they make their walk in winter to better shelter.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO CONTINUE OUR MISSION



(New Education & Conservation Center to be built as soon as funds are raised)

The mission of the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. is to assist the NEW Zoo in enhancing the education, conservation, and recreation programs that it offers.

The Society is actively working to raise funds to build a new Education & Conservation Center at the NEW Zoo. Ultimately, the NEW Zoo is here to educate and inspire all who visit and our plan is to grow our community zoo to create the experience of a lifetime. The zoo provides our community with a unique and powerful resource.

The new Education & Conservation Center will promote and show-case the zoo's Sustainability Program. It will comply with Brown County's policies to use green building design and construction for new buildings.

The cost of the Education & Conservation Center is \$1,100,000.00 and naming rights are available. The center will house the following:

- *A 40x40 classroom for public programs and classes
- *Education program animal exhibits and holding room with glass viewing
- *Volunteer program office for volunteer staff
- *Conference room for staff/volunteer training as well as corporate/group rentals
- *Conservation in Action Hall
- *Administrative offices, education materials storage, public restrooms
- *Outdoor covered orientation and gathering area

The existing Aurelia Barth Education Center was built in 1953 and has been utilized to the full extent. The small rooms can no longer accommodate the rapid growth of our education classes, volunteers, visitors, and zoo staff.



(Aurelia Barth Center, Education Center, built in 1953)

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 2008 and 2007

ASSETS	2008	2007
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 61,437	\$ 523,054
Accounts receivable	-	1,750
Unconditional promises to give	20,000	20,000
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	81,437	544,804
OTHER ASSETS		
Investments	339,373	82,657
Unconditional promises to give less current portion	-	20,000
TOTAL OTHER ASSETS	339,373	102,657
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 420,810	\$ 647,461
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ 12,759
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ -	\$ 12,759
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted		
General	38,113	362,662
Designated	255,430	-
Designated - endowment	83,943	82,657
Temporarily restricted	43,324	189,383
TOTAL NET ASSETS	420,810	634,702
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	420,810	647,461

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Year Ended December 31, 2008, with summarized financial information for the year ended December 31, 2007

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Totals	
			2008	2007
SUPPORT AND REVENUE				
Contributions	\$ 101,374	\$ -	\$ 101,374	\$502,698
Special events - net	11,106	-	11,106	8,678
Investment return (loss)	(37,792)	-	(37,792)	3,561
Net assets released from restrictions	146,059	(146,059)	-	-
TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUE	220,747	(146,059)	74,688	514,937
EXPENSES				
General and administrative	26,651	-	26,651	24,159
Fundraising cost	13,673	-	13,673	15,915
Habitat outlays	248,256	-	248,256	242,328
TOTAL EXPENSES	288,580	-	288,580	282,402
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS	(67,833)	(146,059)	(213,892)	232,535
Net assets, beginning of year	445,319	189,383	634,702	402,167
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$ 377,486	\$ 43,324	\$ 420,810	\$ 634,702

See accompanying notes to financial statements, Contact Rita Dufour, Society Treasurer, for full audit information at ritaldufour@hotmail.com or by calling (920) 499-8708

Dear Friends of the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc.,

The year 2008 was a good year for our zoo thanks to generous community-minded persons, businesses, and foundations that contributed to the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. We continue to stay focused on our mission of education, conservation, and recreation. The society has funded and supported the zoo in many ways as the zoo continues to be one of the major attractions in the area. Some of the noteworthy accomplishments in 2008 were the completion of the Snow Macaque Exhibit. We purchased a male and female Pronghorn Antelope, a female Red Wolf, a male African Lion, a female Cougar, and additional Waterfowl. We were able to fund scholarships for the zoo staff to attend AZA training, provide funds for the Center for Ecosystem Survival, and pay the AZA membership dues for the zoo and the society. We were able to provide river rock benches and cedar style benches at the zoo, provide funds for hospital equipment for the NEW Zoo, and purchase aquarium rock for various exhibits. We provided the funding for the position of the Education/ Volunteer Coordinator at the zoo and sponsored the Volunteer Appreciation dinner. The Society awarded four Conservation Grants and co-sponsored the printing of the NEW Zoo brochures. Our total cost for these varied projects came to approximately \$112,000.00.

The year 2008 was a good year for our zoo thanks to generous community-minded persons, businesses, and foundations that contributed to the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc.

organization exempt under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. All donations made to the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. are deductible to the full extent of the law for income tax purposes. Contributors can feel satisfaction from the fact that no professional fund raising organizations are ever used. The society partners with local businesses or organizations for fund-raising events which keeps costs down and more donation money available to support the NEW Zoo's continued growth.

Please contact the society with questions regarding our Pave the Way brick program, Wall of Honor, Memorial Benches, Endowment Fund, or other society programs at N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc., P.O. Box 12647, Green Bay, WI 54307-2647 or by phone at (920) 434-6814.

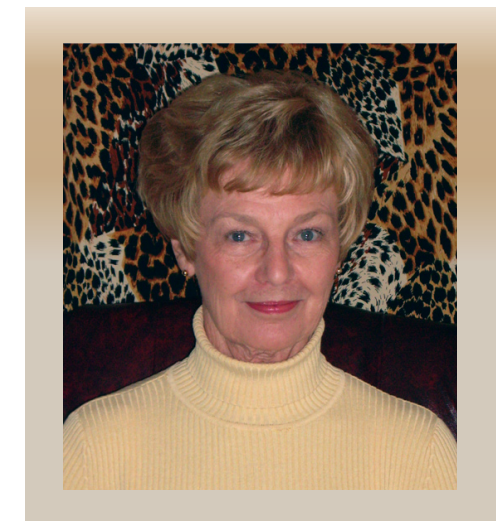
Please visit our website at newzoo.org. If you have questions regarding society finances or would like to discuss how you can become an exhibit sponsor, please contact the society treasurer, Rita Dufour, at ritaldufour@hotmail.com. Sincerely,

Judy Krawczyk
President

We raised approximately \$10,000.00 for educational needs by co-hosting, with the Wisconsin Restaurant Association, the annual "Feast with the Beasts" event in August. The society partnered with Weidner Center Presents to bring the "Jungle Jack Hanna Show" to the Weidner in September. This raised an additional \$4000.00 for conservation and education programs at the zoo.

The members of the Board of Directors for the society are all volunteers who lend their varied fields of expertise to help achieve the goals of the society. The society is the fund-raising partner for the NEW Zoo. We solicit funds from businesses, individuals, and foundations to build new exhibits, refurbish existing exhibits, and purchase the animals for the exhibits. Completed capital improvement projects are turned over to the zoo for ownership.

The society financial records are audited annually by an independent accounting firm. We are a charitable



A Report from the Zoo Director Neil Anderson



The Northeastern Wisconsin Zoo completed another successful year. Thanks to the people of Northeastern Wisconsin who continue to visit and support this organization. Attendance for 2008 was 248,906, surpassing industry standards of 80% of our metropolitan index. And if that wasn't enough good news, there is plenty more to be proud of from 2008. Here are just a few highlights:

- Zoo Pass membership increased by 18%
- The new Japanese Snow Macaque Exhibit was completed and opened
- Total Volunteer/docent hours for 2008 were 10,990 hrs.
- A new contact station and goat bridge was added to the Children's zoo
- We opened a new Albino Alligator exhibit
- Staff successfully hand raised 2 African lion cubs
- Three more lion cubs were mother raised and are doing very well
- The North American Aviary was renovated
- A pair of Pronghorn antelope was added to the North American Plains Exhibit

The NEW Zoo is one of 216 of the more than 2800 zoos and aquariums in the United States that are accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums having achieved the very high standards of the industry. The NEW Zoo is in elite company of only 7 of the 216 AZA organizations that are self supporting, meaning that the zoo generates all its own revenues to support the cost of operations and does not receive local, regional or state tax support.

Although we are self funded for our operations, we could not have achieved self funding if not for the generosity of

our community by their giving of their time, talents and gifts. The N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. supported our volunteer and education programming and continues to provide the necessary fundraising for our capital projects that are all part of the zoo master plan. The N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. continues to need your donor support for zoo capital projects.

Although 2009 will pose tough economic times for the country in many economic sectors, we are positioned very well to weather the tough times. Tough times do not last forever, however, your generosity and involvement in the NEW Zoo will.

Thanks for making a difference!

Neil Anderson



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Making sure the NEW Zoo maintains its presence as a first-class institution requires hard work, dedication, and strong financial and in-kind support from individuals, businesses, and foundations.

Thank you for your support and friendship.

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PROGRAMS OF THE N.E.W. ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY, INC.

WALL OF HONOR PROGRAM

The Wall of Honor Program was introduced by the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. to honor community-minded generous individuals, businesses, and foundations that have given support either financially, or with in-kind gifts and/or services. The Wall of Honor is located at the zoo out the rear doors of the Visitor Center.

WALL OF HONOR DONATION LEVELS

\$500.00-\$999.00	BRONZE
\$1,000.00-\$2,499.00	SILVER
\$2,500.00-\$4,999.00	GLOD
\$5,000.00-\$9,999.00	PLATINUM
\$10,000.00-AND UP	MAJOR

ENDOWMENT FUND PROGRAM

The N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. established the Endowment Fund so that the growth and quality of the NEW Zoo will continue to expand well into the future. Funds are used to insure the Zoo's continued success and sustainability by upgrading and expanding exhibits and facilities.

Your gift to the Endowment Fund is deposited and invested through the combined efforts of local investment institutions. The earnings from these investments are used to update existing exhibits and facilities at the NEW Zoo.

CONSERVATION GRANT PROGRAM

The N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. along with the NEW Zoo proudly introduced the Conservation Grant Program in 2007. Each year grant monies are awarded to qualified individuals/projects that will support wildlife conservation, education, and research efforts worldwide. A committee evaluates all applications and awards monies to those projects dedicated to results-based solutions.

2008 Conservation Grant Recipients

1. Carnivore Ecology Program in Botswana, Africa-This study will serve as a blueprint for carnivore management in the region. \$1,000.00
2. Leave No Trace Education in Chili, SA-To develop and distribute education packages to 5,000 children to help them acquire preservation ethics. \$988.85

3. Conservation Assessment and Prioritization of Habitats based on their diversity in Bangladesh. \$500.00
4. The Martial Eagle in Kenya-To secure the survival of the Martial Eagle which may otherwise become locally extinct. \$500.00

We need the public's help to financially support* projects around the world which will contribute to the well-being of species in their native environment or even the preservation of endangered species.

- This activity is a requirement for certification by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA). The monies that are awarded are from specified conservation fund-raisers.

PAVE THE WAY BRICK PROGRAM

The Pave the Way Brick Program was introduced at the zoo over 20 years ago. Today the engraved bricks line the pathways to many of the animal exhibits. The N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. relies on engraved brick sales to help offset the costs of operating expenses.

Personalized memorial bricks make great gifts for a birthday, wedding, anniversary, employee or boss appreciation, pet appreciation, remembering a loved one, or for the person who has everything. An investment of as little as \$75.00 for a 4x8 personalized brick will help build the NEW Zoo and serve as a memorial for all to enjoy.

MEMORIAL BENCHES PROGRAM

NATURAL RIVER ROCK BENCH

The hand crafted natural river rock bench is designed of two natural rocks and a hand polished granite seat 39" x 16" x H18". The raised arm of the bench is the perfect place to have a loved one's name engraved. The cost of the bench is \$1800.00 which includes up to 20 engraved letters.

100% RECYCLED PLASTIC CEDAR-STYLE BENCH

The hand crafted plastic cedar-style bench is approximately 5 feet long by 3 feet high with an engraved backrest. The cost of the bench is \$1000.00 and includes 2 lines of engraving with up to 20 letters per line.

*Both benches can be placed at the zoo in an area of your choice for all to enjoy.

Volunteers are the foundation on which the NEW Zoo is built.

A day at the NEW Zoo leaves lasting memories. As our zoo grows, the wonder of a day spent with family and friends becomes deeper and more meaningful than ever before. Our zoo could not exist without our much needed and appreciated volunteers. Their hands-on help with the animals, special events, and everyday maintenance at the zoo is priceless. In 2007 the volunteer hours at the zoo totaled 8,448 and in 2008 the volunteer hours total increased to 10,990.

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Each year the N.E.W. Zoological Society, Inc. sponsors the Volunteer Recognition Dinner to thank the many people that give generously of their time to the NEW Zoo.

In 2007 the NEW Zoo awarded the first Mary Matzke Volunteer of the Year Award.

Mary Matzke has been an educator, horticulturist, and volunteer at the zoo for the past 10 years and has given over 10,000 hours of her time to help make the zoo what it is today.

2007 Mary Matzke Award Recipients
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