



PASADENA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Meet Our New Board Member



Philip V. Swan

PCF Welcomes Newest Board Member, Philip V. Swan

The Pasadena Community Foundation is pleased to welcome South Pasadena resident, Philip V. Swan to its Board of Directors. A graduate of Pomona College and the Stanford Graduate School of Business, Phil began his career with the investment counsel firm of Clifford Associates and eventually founded the 23-year-old Pasadena-based investment firm Philip V. Swan Associates, LLC. In 1999 he developed a new career as a private trustee, consultant and advisor to individuals and family groups regarding investment and financial matters.

Swan brings a personal history of significant community engagement. He serves as a Trustee of Scripps College and an Overseer of the Huntington Library. He also serves on the Board of two local foundations: the Ann Peppers Foundation and the Forest Lawn Foundation.

“Because our Foundation is interested in the long-term growth of the over \$27 million in assets we hold and distribute for the benefit of our local community, we welcome someone of Phil’s background and exceptional experience” says Jennifer DeVoll, Executive Director of the Pasadena Community Foundation.

Legacy Society – Meet our Perpetual Fellows!

Phil and Sally Swan and others have joined the PCF Legacy Society through the creation of a named, unrestricted fund which effectively endows their annual Fellows gift to the Pasadena Community Foundation. The Swan endowment supports the grant-making programs of the Foundation in perpetuity.

Unrestricted, named endowments:

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| James Gamble Endowment Fund | Bernard & Mary Johnson Endowment Fund |
| M.A.M. Niven Endowment Fund | Peggy Phelps Endowment Fund |
| Sterling Pile Endowment Fund | John & Linda Seiter Endowment Fund |
| Philip V. and Sara Lee Swan Endowment Fund | |



PCF Board Member Dave Davis and PCF Fellow, John Seiter at the Fellows 10th Anniversary Celebration.

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Kidspace van sponsored by Pasadena Community Foundation

Grants in Action

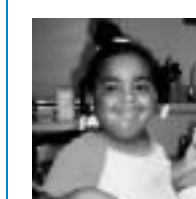
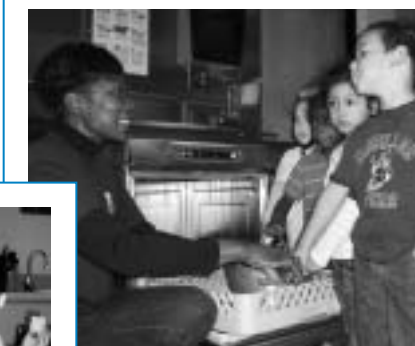
Kidspace on the Road!

With funding from the Pasadena Community Foundation, Kidspace purchased a van to support the offsite educational programs that Kidspace takes to schools. The Kidspace van accommodates all of the supplies and traveling-exhibit materials that provide hands-on lessons and activities. One popular program focuses on facts about

spiders, bees, mosquitoes and other critters!

Boys & Girls Clubs of Pasadena

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Pasadena “empowers kids to live the best version of themselves” in 50 weekly programs offered at six Pasadena sites. A commercial-grade dishwasher purchased by PCF helps the Scott Center pre-school provide 26 students breakfast, lunch and snack. State regulations prohibit the hand-washing of plates, and the new dishwasher minimizes the use of paper products.



Message from the Executive Director

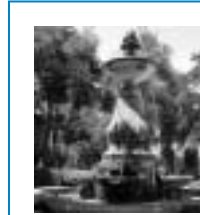
Jennifer DeVoll



The fall is often called the giving time of year. For the Pasadena Community Foundation, the spring is a “giving away” time of year. In May, the Foundation will announce 2007 grant recipients and distribute about \$750,000 to local non-profits.

We are also busy working with individuals, families and organizations to help them establish charitable funds so that they too might experience the joy of giving back to the community. We are delighted to share with you some of the community partnerships in which we are engaged:

- A Crowning Achievement: The Campaign to Restore Pasadena City Hall — *Community support opportunities*
- Hillgren Memorial La Canada Flintridge Community Benefit Fund — *Paying tribute to O. Warren and Mary Ellen Hillgren through a charitable fund*
- Leadership Pasadena Scholarship and Community Project Funds — *Training tomorrow’s leaders and putting them to work to help the community*
- Fritz Huber Memorial Soccer Endowment Fund — *Soccer Season in South Pasadena!*



A Crowning Achievement: The Campaign to Restore Pasadena City Hall



For nearly 80 years, residents, architects and preservationists have stood in awe of Pasadena City Hall's magnificence. The dome of City Hall is commanding yet graceful. The massive circular structure rises six stories.

Exciting progress is being made on the seismic retrofit and historic restoration of the magnificent Pasadena City Hall. This spring city offices will begin the move back! The structural and safety aspects of the building have been addressed with modern technology. Now there is an opportunity for Pasadena-area residents to ensure the preservation and restoration of the aesthetic features which contribute to the grandeur of this important landmark.

Pasadena City Hall was built in 1927 to inspire a city with beauty, boldness and vision. It is an important part of this community's rich architectural heritage. Although City Hall was very well built for its time, even the greatest engineers did not have the technical knowledge available today regarding seismic safety. A retrofit was needed and in 2004 City Council approved the project. Some of the finishing touches and high-level restoration work and landscaping

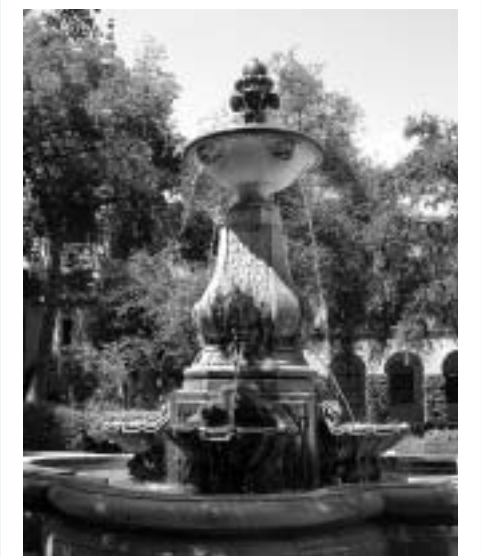
however were left as unfunded priorities due to budget constraints. Every effort is being made to raise these funds through grants and individual community donors.

The City of Pasadena has established a charitable fund at the Pasadena Community Foundation to receive local donations from those who wish to contribute.

All gifts to the PCF City Hall Fund are welcomed and appreciated. Donors who give up to \$999 will receive commemorative Pasadena City Hall gifts; donors who contribute \$1,000 or more will be recognized on a distinctive plaque in the grand entrance of City Hall.

The cast stone Baroque fountain is among several priorities in the restoration of City Hall.

The barrel-vaulted ceiling in the grand entrance.



You have the opportunity to ensure that City Hall is restored to its historic grandeur. Donations can be made payable to the Pasadena Community Foundation; indicate City Hall Fund.



Scholarship and Community Project Funds

Pasadena Community Foundation has recently partnered with Leadership Pasadena to establish two funds in support of the organization's mission to build community by building community leaders.

Leadership Pasadena has trained more than 140 emerging and experienced leaders from the private, public and nonprofit sectors. The organization's eighth class graduates in April.

Through the *Community Project Fund*, Leadership Pasadena graduates can apply for a grant that will help them leverage their know-how and resources to make a meaningful impact in Pasadena. This fund, initiated through the generous support of Flintridge Foundation, will unleash the full potential of Leadership Pasadena's growing Graduate Network to enrich our community life.

The Scholarship Fund, launched by Parsons Corporation, will provide a greater opportunity for people representing different voices and perspectives to participate in the Leadership Pasadena training model. Consequently, an even more diverse group of individuals will have the opportunity to engage in community-building through the efforts of the Graduate Network. To contribute to either of these funds, please call Leadership Pasadena at (626) 577-2296. You may visit the website at www.leadershippasadena.org.



Leadership Pasadena retreat.

Hillgren Memorial La Canada Flintridge Community Benefit Fund



O. Warren Hillgren

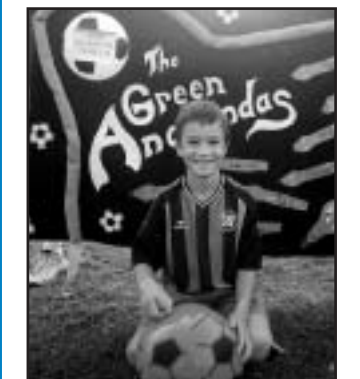
When civic leader O. Warren Hillgren died last fall, family members wanted to pay tribute to both Warren and Mary Ellen Hillgren, long time residents of La Canada Flintridge. To honor their active engagement in community life, a charitable fund was established through the Pasadena Community Foundation.

Hillgren was elected to the city's first city council in 1976 and served four terms as mayor. He was instrumental in organizing the incorporation of La Canada Flintridge. According to the Pasadena Star-News, "he is credited with shaping its initial direction and fiscal policies and establishing its business practices and its protective land use planning strategies which became a hallmark of the city."

Memorial contributions made by friends and family will be used to support the work of non-profit organizations in the La Canada Flintridge area. Donations can be made payable to the Pasadena Community Foundation; indicate Hillgren Fund.

Fritz Huber Memorial Soccer Endowment Fund

PCF is pleased to grant \$595 to AYSO in South Pasadena to ensure that all kids play soccer. This annual grant is made from the Fritz Huber Memorial Soccer Endowment Fund which supports the financial assistance that AYSO Region 214 provides each year to local families. Since the fund was established in 2004, PCF has granted \$1,735 to AYSO.



Adam Stanford-Moore