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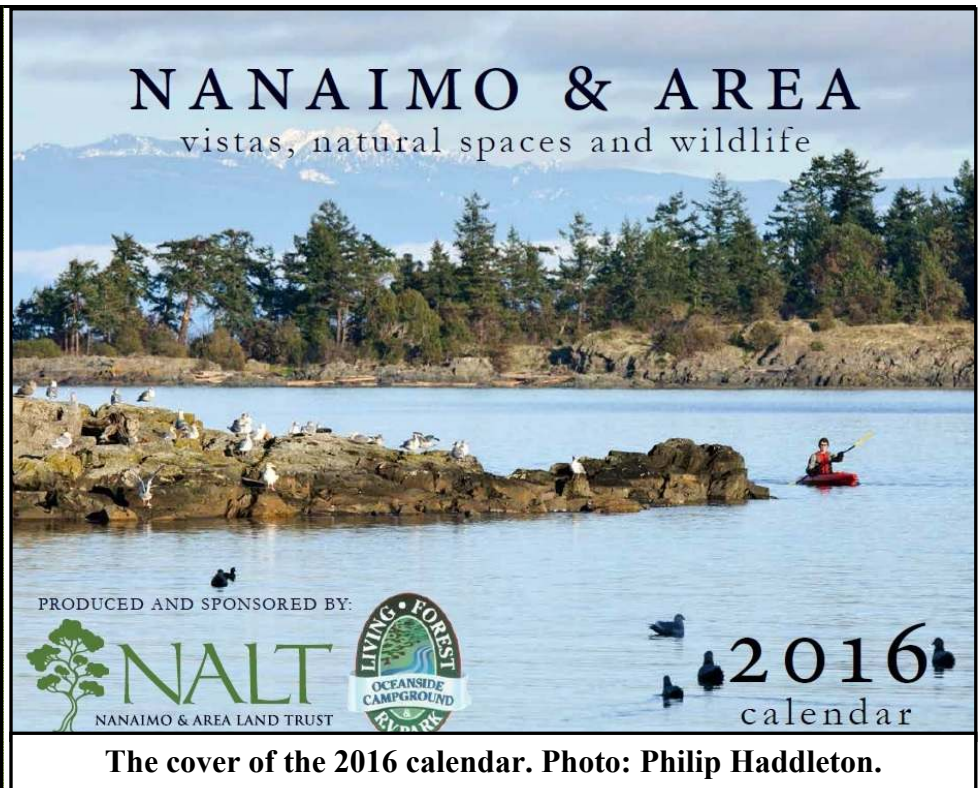
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Newsletter of the Nanaimo & Area Land Trust Society

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2016 NALT Calendars for Sale

The NALT 2016 Calendars are now on sale—and they look great! You can find them available for sale at Backyard Wildbird & Nature Store, Global Village (Longwood Station), Lucky's Liquor Store, Alberni Outpost, the Running Room, the Tourism Centre at the Northfield Road rest area, FrontRunners, the New Balance Store, the NALT office, the Green Store, Old City Organics, The Nanaimo Museum, and at our sponsor – the Living Forest Oceanside Campground & RV Park. Calendars cost \$10 each, and all proceeds go towards future land acquisition and protection activities. In 2016, we are working towards acquisition of properties on the Nanaimo River.

For the 10th year, the calendar features scenes and close-ups of natural places and wildlife in the Nanaimo area—and some glimpses of folks enjoying a variety of outdoor recreation opportunities. Once again, it highlights a variety of lands that NALT has helped to protect since we began land stewardship programs and projects in 1995.

NALT would like to say a special thank you to the Living Forest Oceanside Campground & RV Park, who is again sponsoring 50% of the calendar publication costs.

Thanks also to local photographers who contributed hundreds of photos featuring many moods of natural places in the Nanaimo area throughout the four seasons. And NALT would again like to thank Carra Simpson who, for the 10th year, has donated her time and skills to coordinate the NALT Calendar Project—undertaking the layout and desktop design work.

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NALT's Mission is:
*to promote and protect
the natural values of land
in the Nanaimo area*

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Farewell Sheila

In December, we will reluctantly bid adieu to Sheila Downey—who has been NALT's capable and compatible Bookkeeper since April of 2015. In that short time, Sheila has worked with NALT's Finance Committee to improve and clarify NALT's financial reports—resulting in documents that are easier to read and to compare from year to year.

Sheila has decided she needs to return to the Yukon to be close to her four children and two grandchildren. NALT's loss will be their gain.

We will miss Sheila's attention to detail, gentle disposition and warmth. Good luck Sheila, and thanks for all your quality work on NALT's behalf.

NALT at the Mall

Again this year, we will have presence at a local shopping mall. And again this year, you can find us in the Port Place Mall, in downtown Nanaimo. On the weekend of November 27th to 29th, as well as the weekends of December 4th to 6th and 11th to 13th, and the week of December 18th to 23rd, find the NALT merchandise table located near London Drugs.

Information about the Nanaimo River Watershed Roundtable, Mount Benson, Linley Valley and any and all things about NALT will be available—as well as new sets of notecards (with some featuring snow scenes that make ideal seasonal cards) and others that make great year-round gifts, native plant seed packets, signature NALT merchandise, trail maps of Linley Valley and Mount Benson, and, of course, NALT's 2016 Calendar.

NALT volunteers and staff will be happy to help you select seasonal gift items featuring NALT, Mount Benson, or Linley Valley logos. Merchandise will include sweatshirts, hoodies, T-shirts, ball-caps and bucket hats. Drop by to say hi, and pick up a holiday gift or two. *See you at the Mall!*

NALT Holiday Closure

The NALT Office will be closed for the winter holiday
beginning on December 24th

and re-opening on January 4th 2016

just in time to get ready for the next bottle drive on January 9th

We hope your holiday season will be happy, healthy and restful!

10th Annual Run for the Mountain

On September 12th, the 10th annual *Run for the Mountain* took place at Westwood Lake. It was a perfect fall day, and 223 runners and walkers raised \$2,700 toward acquiring lands to add to the Mount Benson Regional Park.

This year was a year of firsts, as most winning runners in the six categories reached the podium for the first time. They were:

Emperor - Craig Odermatt 21:37 - 1st time Emperor

Empress - Victoria Fiddick 26:31 – 1st time Empress

King - Andrew Howard 21:21 – 1st time King

Queen - Melissa Ross 23:33 – 1st time Queen

Prince - Miles Huynh 22:03 - 1st time Prince

Princess - Madison Heisterman 25:07 – 3rd time Princess

In the team category, the Oceanside Track and Field team—with an average time of 23:54—took the crown. The team consisted of Miles Huynh (22:03), Yosef Bassett (24:04), Jackson Isnor (24:12), Linden Kaps (24:15) and Jacob Bassett (24:56).

This was also a year of lasts. After the event, founder Mike Thibodeau, who for the past 10 years has spent countless hours, organizing, cajoling, sweet-talking, glad-handing and promoting the run, announced this would be his last year. It has been amazing to assist Mike each year, as he began thinking about and planning the next race almost before the current year's run was over - innovating and growing the event to ensure participants' enjoyment, and to maximize the benefit for land protection. Through his efforts, the 10 years of runs have raised well over \$40,000 for the next phase of land acquisition on Mount Benson. Great job, Mike! Thank you.

Thanks also to all the participants and volunteers who have taken part in this event over the years, and thanks to the 2015 sponsors: Bastion Running Club, Concept Photography, Front Runners, Island Optimal Health + Performance, Moksha Yoga Nanaimo, Nanaimo News Bulletin, the New Balance Store, Oak Bay Bikes (now known as Rock City Cycles), Quality Foods, Runners of Compassion, Starbucks Coffee, Vancouver Island University, The WAVE 102.3 FM, Westwood Running Club and the WOLF 106.9 FM.

More Bottles for the River

On Saturday, October 17th, NALT volunteers gathered once again to help with a *Bottles for the River* bottle collection in Country Club parking lot. Working together, we raised a total of \$1,200 that rainy day. Well done! Thanks to all the folks who were able to come lend a hand with the event, and to all those who braved the weather to drop off their refundable containers.

Thanks also to Lucky's Liquor Store for hosting us at their parking area, to the Country Club Centre for supporting us, to Starbucks Coffee (Country Club Centre) for the hot coffee and hot water that helped to keep us going, to Quality Foods (University Village) for supplying food and beverages for our volunteer lunch, to the Running Room and Clinton King for lending us their oh-so-necessary tents, and a big thank you to Dave from Mistaken Identity Vineyards for being so very generous in your support of our volunteers with a case of your quality product.

Our next *Bottles for the River* is scheduled for January 9th, 9:00 am until 2:30 pm, this time at the parking lot of the NALT Stewardship Centre, 140 Wallace Street. If you have not visited our location before, watch for the sandwich-board signs on Wallace Street in front of the Madrona Building, and head down the driveway at the side of the building. *See you then.*

World Rivers Day

Rivers Day has been observed annually on the last Sunday in September for almost 30 years. The celebration was begun by a Burnaby biologist and river-lover; and over the years it has expanded from being just a BC event, to become World Rivers Day. In Nanaimo this year, Rivers Day activities began on Friday, September 25th, and culminated on Sunday, September 27th with a celebration alongside the Millstone River in Bowen Park, hosted by the City of Nanaimo in partnership with NALT.

On Friday, September 25th, a nearly sold-out bus load of people joined representatives from the City of Nanaimo, Island Timberlands and TimberWest on a tour of the Nanaimo River Watershed—including the facilities of Nanaimo's drinking water reservoir at Jump Lake, as well as forestry practices within the greater Nanaimo River watershed. Participants also experienced an excellent display of problem-solving and professional driving skills by the bus driver.

On Rivers Day, many more folks took part in a number of other ½ day tours, including a guided hike through the Nanaimo River Regional Park, a bird-watching walk at the estuary, a raft tour of the estuary, and a visit to the Morden Colliery Mine site. After these tours, people were encouraged to come to Bowen Park to enjoy live entertainment, educational activities about the importance of rivers to our community and NALT's signature barbeque salmon burgers. Sunny weather, a scenic locale and great fun and food all contributed to make another successful Rivers Day.

Emerging as a keystone seasonal event, Rivers Day is beginning to catch on in the Nanaimo area. NALT will work with our partners in the Nanaimo River Watershed Roundtable and with the City to build on the success of this year, and increase community participation in next year's event.

Watch for it—always on the last Sunday of September—and tell your friends not to miss out.

Participants on the watershed tour ask Bill Sims, Nanaimo's Water Resource Manager, questions about the City's water supply.

NALT photo.



Wine & Cheese Soiree

The 3rd annual *Wine & Cheese Soiree* fundraiser on the evening of Friday, November 13th on the mezzanine floor of Lucky's Liquor Store, was a terrific success again this year. A full house of 74 people socialized, enjoyed the jazz stylings of the Kenton Dick Jazz Trio, and bid on a generous array of items displayed in the silent auction. In addition, there were free door prizes and a raffle. The snacks and drinks served by the staff of Lucky's were excellent once again.

The sirens of the Wine & Cheese.
Photo: Allan Davidson



Of course, the evening would not have been such a success without our generous donors. A special thanks to the following businesses and individuals who donated to the silent auction and raffle prizes: Aladdin's Café, Alberni Outpost, Arrowsmith Bikes, Art Knapp Plantland, Backyard Wild Bird & Nature Store, Cabela's, Carlos O'Bryans, Central Drugs, the Coast Bastion Hotel, Cutting Room Creative, Diana Dugas, Diane Bestwick, the Firehouse Grill, Galaxy Cinemas, Gina's Mexican Cafe, the Great Canadian Oil Change, Greenrock Liquor Store, Home Hardware (Brooks Landing), Kelly's Kitchen Café, Landmark Cinemas (Avalon), Laurie Shaw, the Land Trust Alliance of B.C., Lee's Carpet Cleaning, Long Beach Golf Course, Lucky's Liquor Store, Madsen Centre Massage Therapy, McLean's Specialty Foods, Mid Island Co-op, Nanaimo Toyota, Nanaimo Yoga Sanctuary, Nancy Lutes, Nesbitt Burns, Norah Sandager, Old City Organics, Patti Mitchell, the Port Theatre, Quarterway Pub, Real Canadian Superstore, Robert Haist Piano Tuning, Ron LePage, the Running Room, Saigon Kitchen, St. Jean's Cannery, The Bay, Tom Hutton, Trish Jennings, Valhalla Pure, Vancouver Island Symphony, and the Windward Pub. This truly is a great community that we live in! Altogether, we raised nearly \$4,000 for NALT stewardship activities.

Folks gathered together to enjoy an evening of conversation, music and merriment, oh and fundraising too!

Photo: Diana Dugas



Thanks also to NALT's dedicated volunteers and staff—with a special tip of the hat to NALT Board Director, Jennifer Davidson, for taking on the lion's share of organizing this popular event. We look forward to the 4th annual *Wine & Cheese Soiree* next fall.

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The Bluebirds Are Back!

Exciting news for Bluebirds, and for the folks who love to sight these beautiful, birds with their vibrant plumage. Over the past four years, the Garry Oak Ecosystems Recovery Team (GOERT) have engaged in an ambitious campaign to re-populate the meadows of Vancouver Island with coastal Western Bluebirds—and, by all accounts, it seems to be working!

Since the 1970s, Western Bluebirds populations on Vancouver Island have been diminishing, and 20 years ago, they were considered extirpated in this area – along with other Garry Oak meadow bird populations, such as Meadow Larks and Vesper Sparrows. Some years ago, GOERT staff got news of a recovery program in Washington State that had restored a Bluebird population from just one nesting pair to 50 adult birds—and growing; also expanding north to the San Juan Islands. GOERT folks got in touch with the Washington restoration team, and they worked together to expand that program north to Vancouver Island and the BC Gulf Islands.

In the spring of 2012, GOERT and the Washington group began translocating nesting pairs and their fledging families to waiting nesting sites in the Cowichan Valley—initially located at a Garry Oak nature reserve, and, as the populations grew each year, expanding to neighbouring private rural properties, where rural residents were shown how to attract and care for the nesting birds each year.

But the exciting part for Nanaimo and Ladysmith area residents is that, as populations have grown over the past four years, the returning birds have been expanding their territories from the first recovery site in the Cowichan Valley, some have been seen as far up the island as Cassidy the past two springs. If you live on rural property that features open meadow areas in the Cassidy/Cedar/Yellowpoint areas—or other adjacent neighbourhoods—get your nestboxes up and watch for the flash of a pair of Bluebirds next spring, or the one after. The male bird is the bright blue one; the female's plumage is a softer blue-grey.

If you sight a Bluebird anytime, anywhere, contact the Garry Oak Recovery Team and report your sighting, at bluebird@goert.ca

You can find countless accounts, personal stories, photos and videos on the GOERT website, as well as information about Bluebird nesting boxes, where to locate them to best attract a nesting pair—and everything you ever wanted to know about these beautiful birds. The male Bluebird in the photo by Chantal Jacques was spotted last spring near Old West Saanich Road, in Saanich. He was not banded, so was not part of the recovery program. Other un-banded Bluebirds are showing up on Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands—sometime mating with banded recovery birds, and adding to the expanding population. Thanks to GOERT for sharing the photo. You can also call them for information and advice at 1-250-383-3427.



A Bluebird perch. Photo: Chantal Jacques

2017 Calendar Photos Reminder

We love to see photos that depict all four seasons in the Nanaimo area; and we love to fill our file of possible photos for next year's calendar early—rather than at the last moment. So why not send us your recent (or not so recent) photos? Even if your photo doesn't make it into the 2017 calendar, it may be used by NALT in other ways—such as notecards, newsletter photos or a future calendar. And the credit will always go to you!

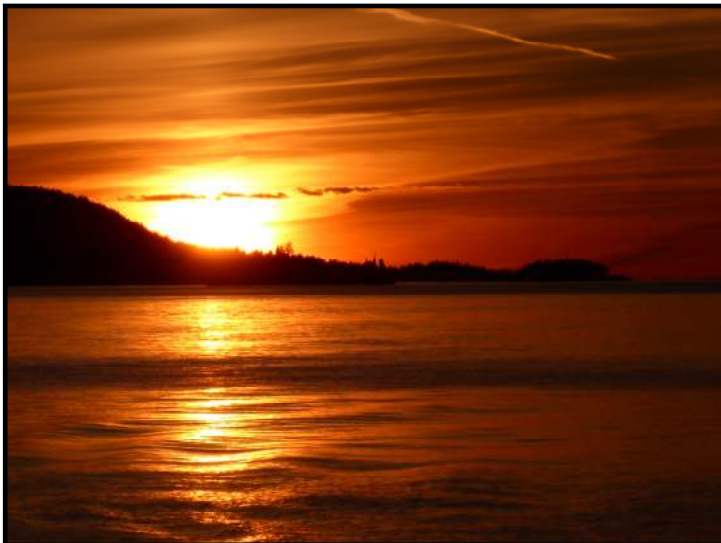
Here is what we are looking for:

Feature areas that NALT is or has been involved with—including the Linley Valley, Mount Benson (and views from), Harewood Plains, pretty much all the creeks and rivers (and their watersheds) in and around Nanaimo (with special emphasis right now on the Nanaimo River), Martha's Place in Qualicum Bay (now a NALT property), Hamilton Marsh, Moorecroft Park, the Yellowpoint Lodge property, the Parnassian Woods (Van Kerkoerle property in Cassidy), sites on Lasqueti Island, South Winchelsea Island, Gabriola Island and Mudge Island, plus local area parks where NALT has been involved with invasive species removal and habitat projects over the past 20 years. Also welcome are close-ups of local flora and fauna that are generally found throughout the Nanaimo region—and, although we generally do not use photos that *feature* people or pets, “fauna” may include outdoor hikers, paddlers or other recreation-lovers. A figure in the background can enhance a scene or setting, or add context to the “story”.

If you have a great photo of some site or feature that we may have missed on this list, send it in for consideration.

How to participate?

Please share with NALT your special photos that depict the natural beauty that makes this area such a great place to live. For photos to be considered for the calendar, they need to be shot in landscape (wide, not tall) and in a high enough resolution for clarity when they are enlarged to the calendar size of 8 1/2” x 11” (3+ MB is usually good). Please email your photos to paul@nalt.bc.ca or drop off a digital copy at the NALT office.



**A summer sunset from the Gabriola ferry.
Featured as the July picture in NALT 2016
calendar. Photo: Christy Wilson**

Photographers whose images are chosen for the calendar will receive five free copies of the calendar in which they are used. As you may have noticed, each year we try to select a balance of images and match them with an appropriate calendar month or season; so, if one of your photos is not selected the first year that you submit it, we will keep all un-used submissions on file, and may use one or another for a future calendar.

Your photos may also be used for other NALT fundraising items (such as note cards, postcards and posters). You will be notified whenever we do use one of your photos, and you will receive recognition each and every time your photos are used.

Life Insurance and Charitable Giving: Another Way to Support Your Favourite Charity

It is a fact.

Canadians are passionate about supporting causes that matter to them. The latest report from Statistics Canada indicates that 94% of Canadians, aged 15 or over, gave goods or food, or made a financial donation in 2010. The same study also reports that as Canadians get older, they give more. On average, people between ages 55 – 64 give \$52 per month and those age 75 and over give \$60 per month. But what if we can find a way to convert this average annual gift to \$35,000 for your favourite charity? The answer is life insurance.

How does it work?

There are three main ways in which a donor can gift life insurance to a charity:

- Bequest of a life insurance policy through his or her will
- Donate a policy during his or her lifetime
- Name charity as beneficiary of the policy

Bequests of Life Insurance through a Will

The donor owns the policy during his or her lifetime and the estate is the beneficiary of the policy proceeds. The donor's will indicates the amount of the life insurance proceeds that will be donated to the charity. The charity receives a lump sum of money from his or her estate upon the donor's passing. The donor will not receive tax credits for the premiums paid, but new rules for deaths occurring after January 1st, 2016 will allow certain estates ("Graduated Rate Estates") to allocate the donation on either of the following:

- The taxation year in which the donation is made, or any of the subsequent five taxation years.
- The last two taxation years of the deceased donor, to a maximum of 100% of net income.

The biggest advantage of this type of bequest is the donor retains full control over the policy until his or her passing. A perceived disadvantage of this approach is the life insurance proceeds may be subject to probate fees, creditor claims and estate litigation. Probate fees in BC are applicable to estate values over \$25,000 at a rate of 0.60% up to \$50,000 and 1.40% of any amount exceeding this threshold.

Donation of a Life Insurance Policy While Still Living

This approach consists in transferring ownership of an already existing Life Insurance Policy to a charity and naming the charity as the beneficiary at the same time, while the donor will remain as the life insured. The following discussion would also apply to a brand new policy purchased by the charity on the life of the donor and for which the donor will make premium payments.

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The premiums paid by the donor will be considered a charitable donation—making them eligible for a charitable tax credit. The donor may also be entitled to charitable tax credits if the existing policy being transferred has accumulated cash values, these credits will reduce the impact of potential deemed taxable gains upon the transfer of the policy.

No tax credits will be available upon the donor's passing for the life insurance proceeds received by the charity. The policy proceeds will not be part of the donor's estate.

Naming the Charity as Beneficiary of a Life Insurance Policy

The donor will not qualify for charitable donation tax credits for premiums paid during his or her lifetime. However, the donor may claim these tax credits on his or her final tax return for the life insurance proceeds paid to the charity. These tax credits may be carried back one year and be used against 100% of the donor's net income.

This alternative provides flexibility to the donor in the event that he or she no longer wishes to support the named charity. It also allows the death benefit to bypass the estate, resulting in savings while keeping these proceeds out of any creditors' claims (in most cases).

Interested in learning more?

Integral Wealth Securities Limited, formerly Patrick Sullivan & Associates, has helped numerous donors support their favourite cause on Vancouver Island since 1977. Integral also assists NALT by handling our investment accounts and advising us on investments pro bono. For more information, please contact the Integral office. Phone: 250-753-1124.

Email: andre.sullivan@integralwealth.com, daniel.martinez@integralwealth.com or elise.morgan@integralwealth.com,



A wary buck. Photo: Paul Chapman

"We are able to breathe, drink, and eat in comfort because millions of organisms and hundreds of processes are operating to maintain a liveable environment, but we tend to take nature's services for granted because we don't pay money for most of them."

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to raise money for
Park amenities at
Moorecroft Regional Park

I, _____

would like to **donate** to the Moorecroft Stewardship Committee

My donation of \$ _____ is enclosed;
cash, cheque or credit card (circle one)

VISA/ MC# _____

Expiry ____ / ____ Signature _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/ Town: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Cheques should be made payable to
"NALT – Moorecroft Stewardship Committee"

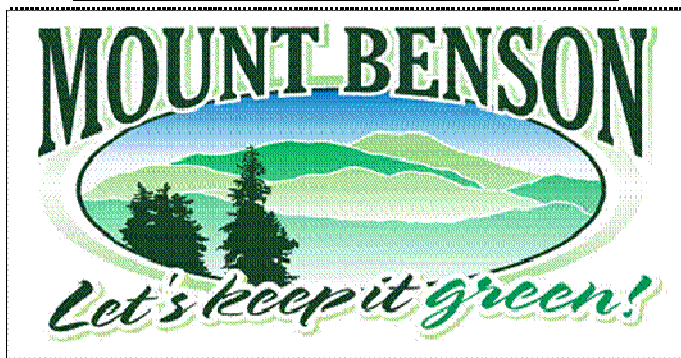
Charitable receipts will be issued for all donations of \$20 or more. NALT's charitable tax # is 893193771

Please record this contribution in the name of, if other than yourself:

I would like to remain anonymous on all NALT lists and literature (circle one) NO / YES

Thank You for Your Support!

Donation/Pledge Form
THE MOUNT BENSON CAMPAIGN II



DONOR CATEGORIES

\$50,000 or more	Ultimate Benefactor of Benson
\$10,000 to \$49,999	Benefactor of Benson
\$5,000 to \$9,999	Hero of Benson
\$3,000 to \$4,999	Grand Champion of Benson
\$1,000 to \$2,999	Champion of Benson
\$500 to \$999	Patron of Benson
\$100 to \$499	Friend of Benson
less than \$100	Sponsor of Benson

My donation of \$_____ is enclosed
 cash, cheque or credit card (*check one*) **AND/OR**
 I would like to pledge \$_____ in ____ (#)
 payments made monthly/annually/other_____

Make cheque payable to NALT- Mount Benson Acquisition.

Visa/MC#_____ Exp Date:_____

Tax receipts issued for donations of \$20 or more.

My name is _____
 (for tax receipt)

Please record this contribution in the name of :
 (if different) _____

I would like to remain anonymous (Check Here) ☐

My street address: _____

City: _____ postal code _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Thank you for your continued support!
 OFFICE ONLY: TR # _____



Nanaimo River Donation Form

I wish to donate to the Nanaimo River Project,
 to assist with the costs of developing a Nanaimo River
 stewardship strategy

Donation Categories

\$5,000 to \$9,999	Benefactor
\$1,000 to \$4,999	Hero
\$500 to \$999	Champion
\$100 to \$499	Patron
\$25 to \$100	Friend
less than \$25	Supporter

**My donation of \$_____ is enclosed as cash,
 cheque or credit card (*circle one*)**

Cheques should be made payable to **NALT – Nanaimo River
 Strategy Project** OR provide credit card info

VISA/ MC#_____

Expiry ____/____ Signature_____

Charitable receipts will be issued for all donations of \$20 or more.
 TO receive your tax receipt and be on our contact list, please fill out
 the section below.

NALT's charitable tax # is 893193771

My Name : _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/ Town: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____

Email Contact: _____

If this donation is being made in the name of someone other
 than yourself, please give their contact information

Their Name _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/ Town: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____

I would like to remain anonymous on all NALT thank you
 and recognition lists **NO / YES (*circle one*)**

NALT Thanks You for Your Support!

(OFFICE ONLY) TR# _____



NALT MEMBERSHIP FORM

Please send this completed form to:

Nanaimo & Area Land Trust
#8-140 Wallace St. Nanaimo, BC V9R 5B1

I would like to:

a) ☐ **Renew my NALT Membership**

b) ☐ **Begin a NALT Membership**

(Check the category that applies to you)

___ Senior/Low Income/Student - \$10

___ Individual/Family - \$20

___ Business- \$50

c) ☐ **I would like to become a monthly donor:**

(Please see Pre-Authorized Contribution PAC form)

OR

d) ☐ **I would like to make a one time donation of:**

\$ _____

Make cheque payable to: Nanaimo & Area Land Trust

OR

Please charge my Visa or Mastercard:

Credit Card # _____ Exp Date : _____

Signature: _____

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

name _____

mailing address _____

city _____ Postal code _____

telephone _____ email address _____

Would you like to remain anonymous? ☐

Tax receipts will be issued for contributions of \$20 or more.

NALT does not sell, trade or loan our database of donors, members or

contacts to individuals or other organizations

Thank you for your continued support!

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Pre-Authorized Contribution (PAC)

Includes Annual Membership

Complete this section ONLY if you want to become a monthly donor.

Yes, I authorize NALT to automatically withdraw from my bank account on the 1st of each month beginning

This date _____ (yr/month/day):

☐ \$10.00

☐ \$20.00

☐ \$30.00

☐ \$40.00

☐ Other amount: _____

☐ I have enclosed a cheque marked **VOID**.

OR

Yes, I authorize NALT to charge my Visa OR MasterCard the 1st of each month:

☐ \$10.00

☐ \$20.00

☐ \$30.00

☐ \$40.00

☐ Other amount: _____

Visa ☐ M/C ☐

#: _____ Exp: _____

Signature: _____

Beginning: (Month) _____, 20 _____

You may change or cancel your contribution at any time by sending NALT written notice.

Please note: You will receive one tax receipt for the total amount of monthly gifts after the end of each tax year.

Your membership & monthly contribution are greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your continued support!

~ THANK YOU ALL ~

***Many thanks to all the individuals, organizations and businesses who have donated their time and skills as volunteers, contributed items or services, made financial donations, renewed or started a membership, or begun a monthly pre-authorized contribution (PAC).
August 13 to November 23, 2015***

Donations – Moorecroft Acquisition Phase II: Kathryn Goldsmith – *In honour of Michael's birthday*, Marilyn & Phil Huffman,

Donations – Mt. Benson Phase II: William James Ross, Jennifer Henderson,

Donations – Nanaimo River Watershed Roundtable: Anonymous (1) In honour of my sister Jan Croft for her 65th birthday,

Donations – Nanaimo River Acquisition:

Donations – Linley Valley Phase II:

Donations and In-kind Goods – Natural Abundance Native Plant Nursery: Lynne Brookes & Derrick Grimes, Ruth Caspell, Deryck Cowling, Elise Hoy, Gemma Martin, Jenny Webb

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