

# **Bourne Conservation Trust**

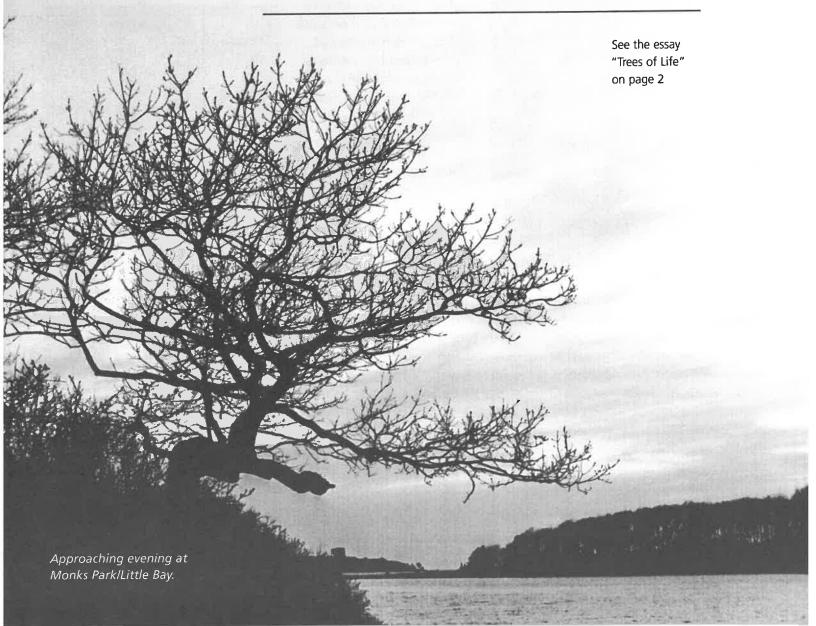
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"A tree is beautiful, but what's more, it has a right to life; like water, the sun and the stars, it is essential. Life on earth is inconceivable without trees."

-Anton Chekhov



## **Trees of Life**

Trees are the lungs of our planet, inhaling carbon dioxide and exhaling life-giving oxygen. A single oak tree provides a year's supply of oxygen for eight people.

The Bourne Conservation Trust's 200 acres of open space protects a

precious assembly of these life-supporting marvels. Most of the local trees are pine, oak and cedar but there are also numerous holly, sassafras, birch and maples as well.

Native Americans in this area depended on trees for shelter, fuel and tools, and European settlers developed a successful economy around management of lumber for shipbuilding and production of turpentine.

These immovable and self-sustaining neighbors are a vital force

that supports many areas of human life. Trees provide food, shelter, paper, rubber, plastics and medicinal products. Nine-tenths of the fuel in developing countries comes from trees. Willow trees are the source for the chemical in aspirin. The

chincona tree produces quinine. Recently, the Pacific yew tree, once considered a weed tree, has been found to contain a chemical, taxol, that is an adversary to ovarian and other cancers.

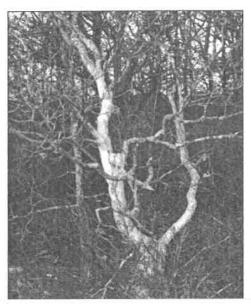
But anyone walking a BCT trail is more likely to think of trees in more personal terms. Trees give us the cooling shade we seek on a summer afternoon. Their leaves whisper to us with surprising intimacy. The fall cycle of spectacular color and inevitable shedding is an annual, poignant reminder of mortality and rebirth that inspires mystics and poets. Gerard Manley Hopkins's poem, Spring and Fall, expresses the central question of human existence in the line, "Margaret, are you

grieving over golden-grove unleaving..." And John Muir's advice, "Every root is an anchor..." allowing us to rest and become "sufficiently calm to feel the joy of living," could be the BCT mission statement.

How can you not love BCT trees like these?

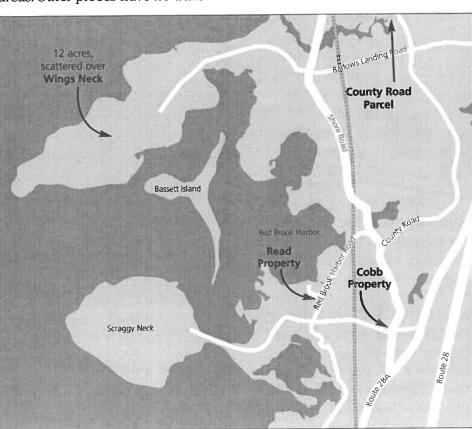






# Recent Acquisitions

The Bourne Conservation Trust happily announces the acquisition of several new parcels of land. Trails on some of these holdings provide access or links to other conservation areas. Other pieces have no trails donation in December 2005 of half an acre at the intersection of County Road and Scraggy Neck Road. The large trees and bucolic stream on this gem will forever welcome residents and visitors at a major Cataumet "entrance." (We regret that Sue passed away shortly after donating this land. She is corner of Red Brook Harbor Road and Scotch House Cove Road, this 2.3 acres of inviting, mixed hardwood/ softwood piece is across the street from the Kingman/Robinson Conservation Area. Purchase of the property for \$200,000 over the next four years will preserve another valuable piece of our rural landscape.



#### **Money Matters**

Your donations, large, medium, and small, have made these purchases possible. We hope you will continue to support the BCT as we face our mortgage obligations for the purchase of the Read property. Your contributions also allow the BCT to have funds available for the purchase of key parcels and for the maintenance of our ever-increasing inventory of woodlands and wetlands habitats, farmland, scenic vistas, and expanding system of trails.

but are vital wildlife habitats and preserve both valuable vistas and local rural character for future generations.

In the fall of 2005 a gift from the Wings Neck Conservation Foundation added twelve acres of forested habitat to BCT holdings. Scattered over **Wings Neck**, these pieces will ensure that a portion of the Neck's beautiful woodlands, including Pink Lady slipper sites, will remain undisturbed. Heartfelt thanks are due to Nick and Joanie Baker's diligent efforts in accumulating the Wings Neck properties.

Thanks are also due to Mary Susan Cobb for her generous

missed by all who knew her but her kindness will always be remembered as we pass "John and Sue Cobb Corner.")

In yet another Bourne village, BCT member donations purchased wetland and wooded upland acres in Monument Beach. This **County Road parcel**, bought in the summer of 2005 for \$45,000, may someday allow improved access to the Bourne Sisters Woodland situated to the rear of it. Purchases such as this prove the worth of a dedicated membership.

Finally, on Red Brook Harbor Road in Cataumet, the **George S. Read property** will enlarge the Cataumet Greenway, located at the



Brook at the Cobb property on the corner of County Road and Scraggy Neck Road.

# **NEWS & NOTES**

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Trail Guide

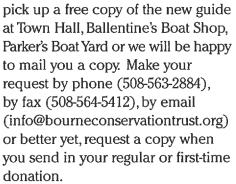
Conservation

#### Hot off the press

Complete with GPS mapped trails, a brand new and very accurate BCT trail guide is now available. The guide includes Nickerson Conservation

Area, Bourne Sisters

Woodland, Little Bay, Monks Park, Red Brook Pond Conservation Area, Cataumet Greenway, and Lawrence Island. To avoid the embarrassment of being lost in the woods of Bourne,





#### TOM BURT, CAPE COD RUNNERS

#### On the road again

Again this year the Cape Cod Roadrunners held their Winter Fun Run to benefit the BCT. Just over 100 runners finished the 5-mile race. Ken Gartner was the first male with a time of 27:00 minutes and Tina Dowling was the first female in 30:19. The traditional chowder and corn fritters were enjoyed with the after-race camaraderie.

#### Coming soon, well, not too soon.

Having sold out the original planting of Christmas trees, the Dimmick

> family have replanted and expect the first trees will be ready for living rooms and decorations in the year 2012 (mark your calendar)! The new planting of about 200 trees includes Balsam Fir,

White Spruce, Blue Spruce, and Scotch pine. The trees grow at various rates and the Dimmicks plan to institute a rotation schedule for future plantings, meaning that there should be trees ready every year from 2012 on. BCT members lucky enough to have purchased a tree from the first planting know how delightful a "cut your own, Cataumet grown" Christmas tree can be. There is the added bonus that the proceeds

from the sale of these trees have been and will continue to be donated to the BCT.

#### Work in progress

Information about the BCT. downloadable trail maps, and lots of pictures will soon be accessible at www.bourneconservationtrust.org. Check it out!



Freddie Dimmick stands next to the new sign at Dimmick Field on County Road.

#### Have you noticed....

- ◆ The new sign on the fence at Dimmick's field?
- ♦ New benches at various locations around the BCT's properties?
- New cross trails to explore?

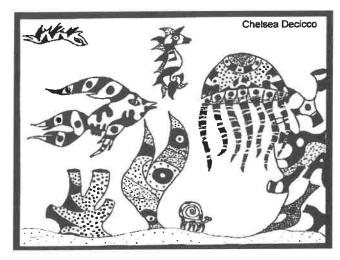
A new trail guide will help you to find all of these treasures.

#### **Board of Directors**

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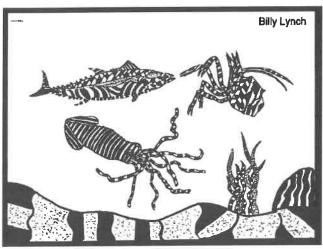
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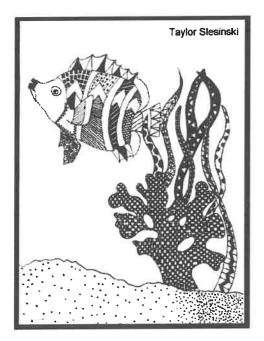
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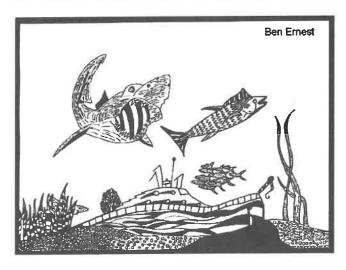


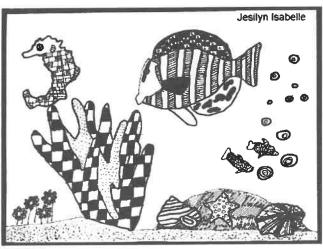
is dedicated to the memory of Kahlin Jespersen, a child full of sunshine and a love of nature, and also to all children for whom we preserve a part of the natural world.

These wonderful drawings were done by students at Bourne Middle School.









Kahlin's Korner is a regular feature of the Newsletter, featuring children's articles or drawings. Included will be activities that are fun and will also help children to understand their natural environment. We hope you will submit ideas for future issues. (BCT, Box 203, Cataumet, MA 02534)

# **Memorial Donations**

#### In memory of

# ELIZABETH GIEBEL JOYCE

who enjoyed quiet walks in the woods and spent many happy hours on the shores of Lawrence Island.

Nancy York Ambler Susan Barnes Joan Bolton Linda Carpenter Fritz Casselman/Susan Ashbrook Elizabeth Dubuque Miriam Dubuque George, Julia, & Evan Eckstrom Pete & Kris Fisher John & Sarah Gwynn Marie Johnson Heidi Lewitt Amanda Muckle The Myerson Family William & Janet Percival Sara York SP Associates, Inc. Charles M Stasey

#### In memory of

#### **DODIE CASSELMAN**

for whom every day in Cataumet was a Dividend Day.

Nancy York Ambler Susan Barnes Joan Bolton Linda Carpenter Fritz Casselman/Susan Ashbrook Tom & Line Corcoran Rich & Debbie Dow Robert Downey Peter & Kris Fisher Patricia Flynn/Peter Doeringer Sarah Gwynn Marie Johnson Gail & Elliott Laffer David Laurie Amanda Barnes Muckle Eleanor & Mort Myerson William & Janet Percival Rick & Maureen York Sara York

# In loving memory of DOROTHY "DOTTIE" PARKER

who enjoyed an 88 year love affair with Cape Cod, from growing up summers in Barnstable and Pocasset, to raising her own family in her beloved village of Cataumet. She is remembered as a caring nurse in her husband "Doc" Parker's family medical practice, an active participant in community projects, and in her spare time, a spirited swimmer, sailor, and fisherman.

Lena & Joseph Agrillo
Aptucxet Garden Club
Steve & Sally Ballentine
Paul & Beth Baptiste
Joan Bolton
David & Margaret Douglas
Miriam Dubuque
Jan & Lee Finton
Peter & Kris Fisher
Dutchy & Lois Hollander
Marie Johnson
Joyce McLane
Lorraine & Jonathan Parker
Wendy & Ted Rose
Martha Rosewell

#### In memory of

#### ANNA E.CAMPBELL

who loved the smells of the woods and shores and the song of the birds through all the seasons.

> Gladys Burgess George & Julia Eckstrom Mary Fuller

Alberta Hayden
Richard & Eileen Jackson
Steve Mack
Mr. & Mrs. John Pesa, Sr.
B. Marguerite Pueschel
Mr. Edward Recoulle
William & Crystal Ribich
Walter & Esther Schmidt

#### In memory of

### WALTER (WALLY) EVERETT

who donated several years of service as treasurer of the Bourne Conservation Trust. He spent part of every year of his life in Pocasset. Those were his happiest times.

> Steve & Sally Ballentine Shirley T. Bean

The Clapp Family
LaVerne R. Collard
Philip DeNormandie
Robert L. Harwood
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Horton & family
Margaret & Ted Peters
Dr. Theodore D. Peters
Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Ramsay
Hollis G. Rand

Grace Rowe/Hal DeWaltoff
Dorothea Schissler
David & Mary Ellen Stevenson
Barbara Vlachos
Rotary Club of Watertown
Roger & Sylvia Westcott
J. Malcolm & Edith Whitney
Daniel & Kimberly Wiggin
Mrs. Randolph Woodruff

#### In memory of

## CRAIG WRIGHT MUCKLE, JR.

1903-2003

whose love of the sea was a thread which ran through his entire life: childhood summers at the Jersey shore, service in the U.S. Coast Guard, sailing his boat, "The Teal," on the Chesapeake and lastly, summers in Cataumet, a place he loved and wished its beauty to be preserved for future generations.

Dutton Alden
Nancy York Ambler
Susan Barnes
Nancy Barry
Joan Bolton
Linda Carpenter
Fritz Casselman/Susan Ashbrook
Miriam Dubuque
Peter & Kris Fisher
Sarah Gwynn
Mr. & Mrs. George Hatch, Jr.
Patricia Hatch

Mr. & Mrs. Mark S. Hughes
Maureen & Dick Jason
David Laurie
Amanda Barnes Muckle
William & Janet Percival
Brent, Alice, & Emily Smith
Mr. & Mrs. Franklin Sweetser
Alyssa Ware
Ann Ware
Paul Ware/Abigail Goss
Sara York

# In memory of WALTER SIKORA

Cape Cod Times
Lucille M. Day
Margaret Mehmel
Donald & Carolee Packard
Sophie Van Zandt

In memory of

#### CHARLES W. HENRY

Bourne Middle School Jane Dalton Steve & Charlotte Ryan

A walk in the woods on a BCT trail.



#### In memory of

#### MARCIA JENKINS

who enjoyed 45 years of summers in Bourne before becoming a year round resident of Wings Neck.

Talbot Baker Jr.
Richard Boyden
John & Susan Carpenter
Alan & Barbara Daniels
Robert Reed &
Kathleen Devlin-Reed

Richard & Debbie Dow
Dan & Madeline Gregory
Barbara & Hastings Keith
Peter & Judith Loomis
Kathleen C. Mays
Shirley Muirhead
Jane Nam
Henrietta C. Noyes
Jean & Raz Parker
Shirley W. Scaife
Fred & Priscilla Trezise
Ruth Tucker
Madeline Virbasius

#### In memory of

#### CATHERINE C. WEAVER

who finished out her years just as she wished with her little white Scottie dog at her beloved home in Cataumet.

> Win & Joyce McLane Jane Nam Mario & Rose Nardella Paul & Linda Barlow Palo Raz & Jean Parker

## **Celebrations**

In appreciation of Linda & Ted Cocca Dorothy & Sandra Cofran

In celebration of Chris Mehmel's birthday Margaret Mehmel

In celebration of **Mrs. Hope Haslam**'s 100th birthday The Haslam Family

In appreciation of the tour of Ballentine's Boat Shop Duxbury Cruising Club

In appreciation of the **Dimmick Family** for all the grazing "Cassie" and "O'Brien"

In appreciation of Dick & Maureen Jason for all the grazing "Hobbs" and "Finny"

In appreciation of
the second grade volunteers
at Hoxie School
Joyce Bjelf
Kevin Brooks
Sue Butler
Karen Fleming
Debbie Klier
Jean Lananhan
Wendy Margraf
from: Barbara Sabulis

In appreciation of

John & Anne Lunedei

and their son, John

for many hours of snowplowing!!

Barbara Sabulis

In honor of
Jane Downing & Howard Crow
Alison Fisher
Denise & James Sullivan

In honor of **Flo Prince** Ann & Ron Sefrna In honor of **Leigh Stokey**Edith Stokey

In appreciation of the Cataumet homeowners who opened their homes during the house tour to benefit the Cataumet Schoolhouse. Robert & Genie Birch Robert & Callie Connor Priscilla Cross David & Freddie Dimmick John & Lisa Langston The Morrall Family Mark & Kim Rotunno James & Denise Sullivan Ann Ware from: The Cataumet Schoolhouse Preservation Group



#### DOGS

In memory of "Chloe" Jessica Leone

In memory of "Ernie, The Big E" Chuck, Bonny Emily, & Nathan Rose

In memory of "Happy" Linda Carpenter Sara York

In memory of **"Waldo"**The Gegg Family
The Ballentine Family

In memory of "**Fritz**" Ida Little & Michael Walsh

# **CATS**

In memory of "Rosie" Marie Tournas

In memory of "Taffy" The Ballentine Family Marie Tournas

In memory of "Jacob" Steve & Sally Ballentine Phil & Maryellen Kozar

#### **HORSES**

In memory of "**Duro**" The Ballentine Family Alyson Rando

In memory of "Parada-Madrid"

Sally Ballentine
Alyson Rando

BCT trail at Nickerson Conservation.

# **Memorial Donations**

Memorial donations received after March 15, 2006, and donations received for Mary Susan Cobb will appear in the next newsletter.

In memory of **Louise Alden**Drs. Henry & Marie Cote

In memory of **Carol Annable**Kristen & Christopher Straub

In memory of Ernie Arsenault Steve & Sally Ballentine Callie & Bob Connor Margaret Mehmel Grace Rowe/Hal DeWaltoff

In memory of **Anne Austill** Emily & David Beal

In memory of **Anita Baccheacchi** Mr. & Mrs. Robert Gaynor

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Amanda & Craig Muckle

In memory of

Tom & Jeannette Barnes

Susan Barnes

Amanda & Craig Muckle

In memory of **Pamela J. Barrett**Edward & Mary Johnson

In memory of **Dr. & Mrs. S. M. Beal** Emily & David Beal

In memory of **Shirley Beale**Drs. Henry & Marie Cote

In memory of **Dr. Harold Berk**Don, Nina, Julia & Robin Berk
Ruth E. DeLynn
Alun & Anne Serrell-Jones

In memory of **Jane Hart Berk**The Fred Berk Family

In memory of **James Birmingham** Anne & John Meade

In memory of **William Black** Victoria & Frederic Mulligan

In memory of **Bill Bolton** Joan R. Bolton In memory of **Jack Bolton**Joan R. Bolton

In memory of **Phillip H. Burgess, Jr.** Kathleen & Phillip Burgess In memory of

Warren & Eleanor Coolidge

Jeff Stolz &

Elizabeth Coolidge-Stolz

In memory of

John & Mary Corcoran

Eliana & Robert DeNormandie

In memory of **Mary Cosgrave** George & Lillia Holmes



In memory of

Ellen DeNormandie Cannon

TC, Joey, & Emma Scornavacchi

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  John & Susan Carpenter
  Deborah Goff Handschin
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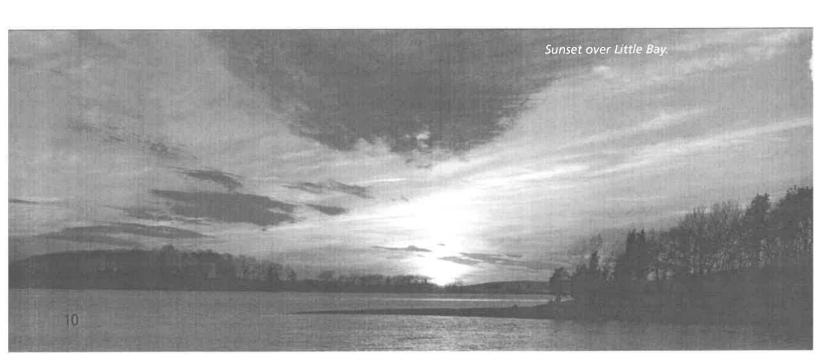
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  & Kit Angland
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  Alice DeNormandie/
  Surendra Shah
  Maureen & Al Kent
  Anne & John Meade
  Elizabeth R. Kiebala
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- In memory of **Theresa Winsor Pratt** Charles & Joan Pratt
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  Adeline & Bill Kerrigan
  Lennart & Ann Lindberg
  Helen Chin Schlichte
- In memory of **Ann Richards**Bob & Penny Schofield
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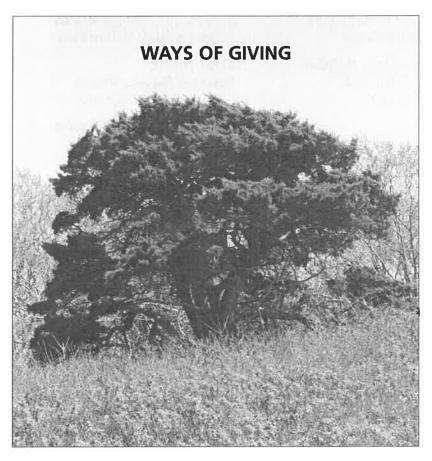
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