

The  
White Memorial  
Conservation Center

# MEMBERSHIP



## WHITE MEMORIAL CONSERVATION CENTER

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### MEMBERSHIP and DONOR APPLICATION FORM

I wish to enroll as a member, and have checked the category and fee box below:

- Family \$60.00  
 Individual \$40.00

Membership Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Additional Contribution

I wish to make an additional contribution to the Center and its programs, and have indicated the amount in the space provided.

Additional  
Contribution \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Planned Giving will ensure the future of White Memorial. Check here to request an information brochure.

Mr. Ms. Mrs. (circle one)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Please detach and return this form with payment to:  
White Memorial Conservation Center  
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## WHITE MEMORIAL IS . . .

### **Conservation, Education, Research, and Recreation.**

We invite you to  
become a member of  
the Center and  
join the large group of  
families and individuals  
without whose support the  
Center would not exist.

The White Memorial Conservation Center is located in the heart of the 4,000 acre White Memorial Foundation property in the northwestern Connecticut foothills of the Berkshire Mountains.

In 1964, the Center was established in the former home of Alain White and his sister, May. Their vision of generosity led to the formation of the White Memorial Foundation in 1913. A non-profit, tax-exempt organization, the Center was incorporated to add the goal of Education to the Conservation, Research, and Recreational purposes for which the Foundation was instituted.

The Conservation Center operates a natural history museum with exhibits focusing on the interpretation of local natural history, conservation, and ecology. Dormitory and classroom facilities extend the opportunities for visitors to interact with the natural world. The outdoor arena includes the 4,000 wildlife sanctuary maintained by the White Memorial Foundation. Here the woodlands, streams, fields, ponds, and marshes harbor numerous and diverse plant and animal species.

Along with environmental studies for school children, the Center provides year-round public programs that include field trips, lectures, and nature study programs. Each year, the Center serves thousands of people of all ages.

## **BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP**

- Free admission to the Center's Natural History Museum
- Receipt of the Center's quarterly newsletter and calendar of events
- A 15% discount on purchases over \$1.00 at the Museum Gift Shop
- A 10% discount at the White Memorial Family Campgrounds
- Reduced fees for programs and special events for which there is a charge
- Voting privileges at Center annual meetings
- Eligibility for election to the Center Board of Directors and the Education & Activities Committee
- The opportunity to support and participate in the activities of the Conservation Center
- The enjoyment of the Foundation's 4,000 acre wildlife sanctuary

## **CATEGORIES OF MEMBERSHIP**

A **Family Membership** provides the benefits for two adults and their children under 18.

An **Individual Membership** provides the benefits to one adult.

## **CONTRIBUTIONS**

In addition to membership, many people choose to make a contribution to further the work of the Center. These gifts, large and small, make it possible for the Center to maintain the high quality of its exhibits and environmental education programs.

*Under Internal Revenue Service guidelines membership and contributions are tax-deductible.*

## **MATCHING GIFTS**

Matching gifts are a chance to make your contribution worth even more.

Your employer may be one of the companies that will match your gift to the Center. Please check with your community affairs department or personnel department at your place of work for more information.