



Funds Distribution Report

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Organization's General Goals:
The Stanwood Area Historical Society operates the historic house museum known as the D.O. Pearson House, The Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center and The Eldridge Center. We discover, preserve, and display materials which help to establish, illustrate, and interpret the economic, social, and cultural heritage of our area.

Date of Award:	Level:
2020 Q4	\$2,501 to \$5,000

For more information, please read the attached report from Stanwood Area Historical Society.

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Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions

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On March 30, 2021, we received [REDACTED] from Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions to paint and restore The Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center. This, along with other generous donations, allowed us to resume work and complete the south, east and west sides of the building before our Memorial Day Tribute on May 31, 2021. (see attached DGH Invoice 2020053)

We included your logo in our program for the Memorial Day Tribute, which drew over 200 people from as far away as Portland, Oregon and families from Seattle who came to watch us honor our local fallen Veterans. (see attached program and photo)

In May we were selected to be the spotlighted member in Stanwood Chamber's newsletter and we put together a flyer to highlight the historic "places" at our complex with our beautiful new restored east side which is the most ornate side of the building and has been completely restored. (see attached flyer)

We appreciate all of the support the Tulalip Tribes have given us over the years and we look forward to continuing our strategic partnership.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Hanks
Past President
Stanwood Area Historical Society



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The Stanwood Area Historical Society is made up of a collection of special places. These include the D. O. Pearson Heritage House, the Dave Eldridge Center, the Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center and the SAHS Veterans Memorial. Each of these places offer the visitor a unique experience.



The D.O. Pearson Heritage House is a period museum and home of the first mayor of Stanwood. The home was built in 1890 and some of the artifacts belonged to the Pearson Family.



The Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center has a large public hall, ticket booth and cloakroom downstairs and an exhibit hall upstairs with much of local area history on display. The 1902 hall has two kitchens, an elevator, smaller rooms, and is available for rent.



The Dave Eldridge Center (behind the Pearson House) holds much of the SAHS collection of photos, newspapers, obituaries, yearbooks, books, research materials in an archive upstairs and vintage cars, farm equipment and a carriage are stored downstairs.



The SAHS Veterans Memorial honors 50 local veterans who died in an American conflict and has a Veterans Wall for all veterans living or dead who served in war or peace

and there are over 200 engraved bricks. This memorial is lit at night and is open all the time.

In 1972 a group of local citizens formed the Stanwood Area Historical Society and in 1975 they purchased the D.O. Pearson Heritage House. According to oral history, they paid their bills by passing a hat at the meetings. In the first ten or fifteen years they had acquired so many artifacts that they built a museum and storage facility behind the Pearson House. In 2000, through the generosity of the Norgaard family, they acquired a 1902 public hall, the 1888 Tolin House, and three rental houses north of the hall. In 2018, the community built a Veterans Memorial in the lot between the Tolin House and the 1902 IOOF Public Hall.

Today the maintenance of this complex lies solely with the historical society and therefore, with the community. There are many ways for the community to help the Stanwood Area Historical Society, including volunteering their time and talents. There are business sponsorships, membership dues, memorials, donations, renting the public hall, purchasing books and photos, attending events or purchasing an engraved brick for the Veterans Wall. Your participation will not only assist in the crucial protection of our past, but it will make you part of our important work.

We begin Memorial Day at 11:00 am at the Anderson Cemetery, where the American Legion Post #92 continues their tradition of honoring the veterans who are buried there. At noon, we will close 102nd Ave. NW from 271st to 272nd Street and we will set up chairs in front of the SAHS Veterans Memorial. The Cookie Mill will have cookies and hot drinks available and Ed Pearson will be performing live music.

There will be an art and military exhibit on the first floor of the Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center highlighting the life and work of Fred Pilkington. On the third floor there will be an exhibit on the Von Moos family tradition of placing flags on veterans graves at Anderson Cemetery. There will also be an exhibit on Bob Neale of the Flying Tigers, who was Camano's Ace of Aces.

At 1:00pm, the ceremony begins and service flags will march up 102nd Ave. to the south entrance of the Memorial. We will welcome the veterans and make announcements. Then everyone will stand for the presentation of the U.S. flag, the National Anthem, the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer by Pastor Scott Brents. Ed Pearson will play service songs and all service flags will be posted. Richard Hanks will read a story from his book and Dave Hayes and Tracey Meck will read all of the 50 names of the local fallen heroes. Mary Pilkington will carry the POW/MIA flag and post it, Ed Pearson will play God Bless America and the American Legion Post #92 will perform a 21-gun salute. The ceremony ends with Samuel Stanton playing Taps.

Following the ceremony we will continue to have cookies and drinks, the exhibits will be open until 3:00pm and Richard Hanks will be selling and signing his book on our fallen heroes for \$21.00 (cash or check please) with all proceeds going to the Veterans Memorial.



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