The Davis Patio

PAVING THE WAY - SUSAN AND JACK DAVIS

_Fenner Conservancy supporters Susan and Jack Davis are major philanthropists in the Greater Lansing area. Thanks to their leadership gift in support of this donor patio, they have paved the way for others to support our mission of connecting people to nature in the heart of Lansing through conservation, education, and stewardship._

THE SETTING

In the shade of our beautiful visitor center, overlooking the pond and with a view of the butterfly garden, sits a campfire ring. The fires in this ring have cooked hundreds of gallons of apple butter, set the mood for families to enjoy some warmth after winter night hikes, and for decades, have helped youth learn how to build campfires during Nature Day Camp.

This ring, full of memories, will be the centerpiece of our donor patio. Your name, or those of your loved ones, will be read for years to come in the flickering firelight that bounces off of the trees, the pond, and the building itself. We invite you to pull up a seat, smell the wood smoke, and lose yourself in nature amongst the names of hundreds of other Fenner supporters, just like you.

THE NEED

Each brick that is purchased provides funding that is directly invested in a solid future for Fenner. We need this support to meet our mission, and this is a meaningful way to leave your mark in the history of our special place. 100% of the proceeds from each brick purchased will be used to deliver high-quality environmental education programs, care for our park through habitat improvement, and maintain our four miles of trails.

YOUR LEGACY, OR THAT OF A LOVED ONE

Purchasing one or more bricks is a great way to demonstrate your commitment to support Fenner. Whether you’d like to show your support by placing your name on a brick, or you’d like to memorialize the memories created with loved ones, your bricks will forever be a part of Fenner Nature Center.

About Fenner Nature Center

_FENNER NATURE CENTER_ is an environmental education center encompassing 134 acres of urban green space right in the heart of Lansing. Owned and originally operated by the City of Lansing, the day to day operations of the park, including summer camps, public programs, special events and trail maintenance are now managed by the 501(c)3 non-profit, Fenner Conservancy.

The property includes over four miles of trails that meander through hardwood and coniferous forests, wetlands, prairie, and a glacial esker. Two handicap-accessible paved trails loop through our Maple Grove, around our Central Pond, and through our newly restored Pollinator Garden.

Inside the Visitor Center, check out our collection of live native reptiles and amphibians; watch songbirds, deer and wild turkeys through our large picture windows; and explore our hands-on children’s exhibits.
Order Form

NAME
ADDRESS
CITY
STATE
ZIP
PHONE
EMAIL

GIFT INFORMATION

___ I want to buy a $250 brick (4" x 8")
___ I want to buy a $500 brick (8" x 8")
___ I would like to donate an additional $________

PAYMENT OPTIONS

___ Check payable to “Fenner Conservancy”
___ Credit card:

CARD TYPE
CARD NUMBER
EXPIRATION DATE
3 DIGIT SECURITY CODE

___ My employer matches gifts (please include form)

INSCRIPTION INFORMATION

4" X 8" BRICKS - Up to 3 lines with 12 characters (spaces included) per line.

8" X 8" BRICKS - Up to 6 lines with 14 characters (spaces included) per line.

ORDERING MORE THAN ONE BRICK? PLEASE INCLUDE A SEPARATE SHEET FOR EACH BRICK

INSCRIPTION DESIRED:

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