

Thank you for choosing to give!

Here are some of the ways to contribute to CVCF:

- ◆ Pick. Click. Give. when you file for your PFD
- ◆ Planned Giving to the Legacy Fund
- ◆ Living Treasure contribution: honor someone special
- ◆ Memorial Fund: make a gift in memory of someone you love
- ◆ Recurring Gift options: every 2 or 3 months, or annually
- ◆ Like us on Facebook



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**Save
the Date!**

You are invited to the
**Annual Donor Appreciation
Celebration**

This year's party will be on **Monday, June 29th**
on the grounds of the Southeast Alaska State Fair.
Special guests will be the Board of the Rasmuson Foundation!
Enjoy appetizers, music, and games.
Watch for your invitation, with more details, in the mail.

COMMUNITY CONNECTION

Chilkat Valley Community Foundation, an *Affiliate* of ACF  Connecting People Who Care With Causes That Matter.

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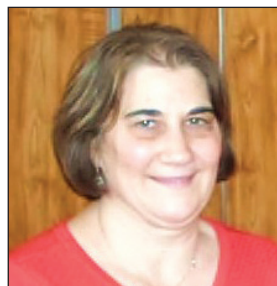
Ann Myren: Living Treasure

Ann Myren has just completed two terms, representing six years of serving on the CVCF Advisory Board, as well as having served on the Foundation's initial steering committee in 2006. Ann has worked tirelessly and creatively, and has served as a great inspiration for all other Board members. We are pleased to honor her as a new CVCF Living Treasure.

Thank you Ann!



Planned Giving Presentation



On May 7, BethAnn Chapman, of the law office of Faulkner Banfield in Juneau, gave free private consultations, as well as a public presentation on estate planning and planned giving, at the Haines Library. Eleven individuals had private sessions with Beth, and the presentation was attended by sixteen people. This successful event will continue to be offered to the Haines community by the CVCF.

Chilkat Valley Environmental Fund



Imagine a dedicated “field of interest” fund that will help to protect, manage, and sustain a healthy environment in the Chilkat Valley. With your help, the Chilkat Valley Environmental Fund will do just that.

A field of interest fund is a flexible fund that generates revenue for grantmaking in a specific interest area. In this case, 100% of monies donated to the fund will be invested in an endowed, permanent fund to support programs and services that protect our environment in perpetuity. Each year a portion of the fund revenues will be awarded to eligible nonprofits to support educational programs, services, or projects that promote a healthy Chilkat Valley.

In order for the fund to become endowed, a beginning balance of \$20,000 is needed. Currently more than \$9,500 has been pledged. If you are interested in helping establish this fund, or would like to know more about it or about establishing a different field of interest fund to support causes you care about, please contact: Kristin Hathhorn, Melissa Aronson, or Ann Myren. Or contact CVCF at chilkatvalley@chilkatvalleycf.org, or 907-766-6868.

CVCF Advisory Board:

Crystal Badgley, Anna Jurgeleit, Chip Lende,
Cynthia Allen, Connie Staska, Kristin Hathhorn,
Lew Lowery, Carolyn Ganner, Mary Jane Valentine.



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