

Rededication for the Chief Son-i-Hat Whale House September 3, 2016 Donations

Naay l'waans ("The Great House"), Chief Son-i-Hat Whale House, is the only remaining traditional Haida Long House in the United States. Over the past four years, the Organized Village of Kasaan, in partnership with KAVILCO, Inc., has been working to restore Naay l'waans back to its original state. We plan to host a one-day "Re-dedication" and are asking for donations to help host this monumental event. Please see below the Four Donor Levels.

If you'd like to make a donation, please make it out to the Organized Village of Kasaan and send it to: P.O. Box 26 – Kasaan, Ketchikan, Alaska 99950-0340. If you have any questions and/or need any further information, please feel free to call the Organized Village of Kasaan at 907-542-2230.

Four Donor Levels¹:

***Gidaag (gift)* 0 - \$249**

Recognition: Thank-you letter and donor's name will be noted in the program that will be printed for the day of the event.

***Ja háw'aa (thank you very much)* \$250 - \$999**

Recognition: Thank-you letter; donor's name will be noted in the program that will be printed for the day of the event; and name of individual/company on a plaque that will be permanently displayed in the Totem Trail Cafe.

***Taw 'láa (good friend)* \$1,000 - \$4,999**

Recognition: Thank-you letter; donor's name will be noted in the program that will be printed for the day of the event; name of individual/company on a plaque that will be permanently displayed in the cafe; donor will receive a carved gift from the carving team; and donor will receive a MVP parking spot in the village (mailed in advance).

***Yahgwdangáa (thought highly of)* \$5,000 and Up**

Recognition: Thank-you letter; donor's name will be noted in the program that will be printed for the day of the event; name of individual/company on a plaque that will be permanently displayed in the cafe; donor will receive a **very special carved gift** from the carving team; donor will receive a MVP parking spot in the village (mailed in advance); and donor will be honored publicly at the Re-Dedication event.

¹ Haida words are from the *Dictionary of Alaskan Haida*, by Dr. Jordan Lachler. Sealaska Heritage Institute, Juneau, Alaska. 2010