President's Message

Sorry, gang! Due to conditions beyond everyone's control, Habitat for Humanity did not have a site ready for our workday on May 22. Now you procrastinators have an extra two months to get your Emergency Contact Forms into Dave Wakeley for transmittal to Habitat. Their rule is: "No form, no work!" We will try again on Sat., July 24. This time it should work out. During that week all affiliated Habitat groups try to mount big campaigns, thus generating publicity and donations to support decent, affordable housing.

Hope all you members received your Membership Directories. My thanks to Sandy Moss for keeping up our database and printing out the directory. NOTE: Since Sandy will be working in CA this summer, our response to new members and member problems may be slower than usual. Please bear with us! On a brighter note, I just received notice from the National Council of 7 members who either joined us or renewed through NC. One was Esther Prestegard from Windsor, WI who served in Poland. I believe that makes her our first member from Eastern Europe! We may need to start an Eastern Europe table at next year's Parents Brunch.

5 of us met on Wed., May 12 to sort through 22 requests for donations of over $9,000 from our pot of $6,000. However, several people may have forgotten that these donations have always been for small projects. One thing to do at the next meeting is to decide where to place the break between small projects and larger projects. I prefer $750. If we agree to this or something similar, then the three requests for $1,000 donations and the one for an $800 donation would either have to be scaled back by the requestors or considered separately from another pot of money ($3100 so far). Our final recommendations for donations will be found in this newsletter. (I hope!). My thanks to Buck Trawicky for preparing the summary.

Fortunately, at least two problems have arisen since then. I was discussing our proposed cutback of Nancy's $1,000 request with her afterwards (she had no problem with the smaller amount we recommended) and realized that we had also cut her other request for no reason that I remember. I blame the psychology of the moment, but we need to deal with this problem. Also, a couple of hours ago I unearthed Gina Cowell's request for $500 for the Kandy Children's Center from a stack of other stuff on my worktable. Her request was submitted in time but not considered due to my error. Again, we have to consider her request at our next meeting. Sorry, Gina!

We must change the format of our discussion of these requests in one respect from past years. If all requestors take 5 minutes to summarize each of the 23 requests, we'll need two hours just to reach the first vote, by which time we'll be kicked out of our room. I'll read the submitted project descriptions instead in cases where we want more information than included in Buck's summary.
To get to Devil's Lake from Madison, head west on 12 toward Baraboo. After you climb the huge hill, start looking for the sign, then take a right on 159. After about a mile take another right on South Shore Road and proceed to Group Campsite 8.

Remember, vehicle admission stickers are required to enter the park—$14 annual/$3.50 daily. The cost for the campsites is $2/night for adults and $7.50/night for children ages 7 to 17. Children under 7 camp for free.

If you've never been there, Devil's Lake is beautiful—a crystal clear spring-fed lake nestled between the high ridges of the Baraboo Hills. The park offers swimming, fishing, boating, hiking and rock climbing. The group campsites are at the quiet, wooded south shore of the lake.

We will have a potluck feast on Saturday night. The rest of the time is unstructured for your enjoyment. So, come for the entire weekend of just for the day on Saturday for a relaxing time in God's Country!

Other RPCV organizations have our permission to use any material of interest in this newsletter.

Newsletter Policy
Since we're always trying to get new members, We'll send three copies of our newsletter to anyone we think will be interested. After that, you have to pay to stay on our mailing list. Details can be found on the back page. ONE EXCEPTION: Contacts in other RPCV organizations can continue to receive our newsletter if they will send us theirs.

NEXT MEETING: Monday, June 7, 7:00 p.m.
Union South, 127 N. Randall St.
GIVEAWAY!!!

FUTURE MEETING DATES:
Friday, July 9, 6:15 p.m., POTLUCK!!!
Mary Grace Brown-0tt's, Hwy 92
Brooklyn. Map in next newsletter.

****During the summer, you may contact the Peace Corps recruiter at the Minneapolis office: 1-800-328-8282.
Dates to Note

Friday, June 4 thru Sunday, June 6 - Group Camping at Campsite 8 at Devil's Lake State Park. Map and further details should be in this newsletter or call Gordon Malaise at 255-3261.

Monday, June 7 - 7:00 PM - RPCVW General Meeting at Union South, 127 N. Randall St. This meeting will feature the discussion and vote on projects to be funded from the calendar proceeds.

Sunday, June 13 - 10:00 AM - Calendar Committee Meeting at Barbara Chatterjee's, 5102 Coney Weston Place, off of Odana Rd.

Thursday, June 17 - Newsletter Deadline. Submit materials to Gordon Malaise, 1447 Spaight St., Madison, WI 53703.

Thursday, July 1 thru Monday, July 5 - National Conference of RPCVs in Berkeley. If you need registration material, contact Walt at 873-5257 or 262-1321.

Friday, July 9 - 6:15 PM on - Pot luck dinner and General Meeting at Mary Grace Brown-Ott's on Hwy 92 in Brooklyn. Join us for superb paper plate dining featuring our eclectic cuisine and lots of desserts in a beautiful country setting. And a business meeting! Map should be in next month's newsletter. If not, Mary Grace will be getting lots of calls at 445-1426.

Sunday, July 11 - 10:00 AM - Calendar Committee Meeting at Barbara Chatterjee's, 5102 Coney Weston Place, off of Odana Rd.

Thursday, July 15 - Newsletter Deadline. Submit materials to Gordon Malaise, 1447 Spaight St., Madison, WI 53703.

Saturday, July 17 - NOON - RPCVW-Madison Board Meeting at Walt Zeltner's, 393 Lake Kegonsa Rd. but several miles from Lake Kegonsa. Lunch/Business Meeting. Directions next month.

Saturday, July 24 - 8 AM to 4 PM - Rescheduled house building with Habitat for Humanity. We expect this one to occur!

AUGUST Meeting - To be scheduled once Mike McQuestion gets info on holding the meeting at Eagle Heights.

Weekend of Aug. 7 - CANOE TRIP - Put in at Muscoda. Other details will follow.

Sunday, Aug. 8 - 10:00 AM - regularly scheduled meeting of the Calendar Committee. I expect it to be rescheduled.

Tuesday, Aug. 17 - Newsletter Deadline.

Saturday, Aug. 21 - Minneapolis PC Recruitment Office has reserved 650 seats for Twins - White Sox game at $9.50 each. This is a good chance to meet with other regional groups. I expect more info later, so check the newsletter. Questions? Contact Randy Merideth at 800/328-8282.

Saturday, Aug. 28 - Start of our annual "Whatever we can roast (formerly Pig) Roast" at Mike Read's. More clean country living!
Returned Peace Corps Volunteers of Wisconsin/Madison
Friday Poker Potluck Meeting
7 May 1983 (the Year’s best month)
“Everybody’s here but no one’s paying attention.”

This was a dandy meeting, under the beautiful May sky. 52 were present for an ample potluck at the McQuestions’. Visiting was ardent and noshing constant. For their favorites, Lilli’s Argentine parents brought out their treasured Chilean wines. And Mike invoked a spurt of poker, at nickel-dime stakes—the Poker Committee intends to call regular meetings; phone Mike to enlist.

Our actual meeting was brief and admirably well-directed by Walt, contending against our natural neogentropic tendencies.

We introduced ourselves. Correspondence was passed around, without discussion.

Money: Total monies (apart from Calendar operating account): $14,630, thus: Operating—$2150; Savings—$5; Global Ed.—$37; 93 Cal. proceeds—for June Giftaway—$5,600; Cal.proceeds—for Subsequent donations, projects—$1675; Cal.proceeds/un-allocated—$3175.

Global Ed (Alan and Dave): We’re selling a few videos each month, sometimes about $100/ea. Re. ideas for future Global Ed. projects: Identify teachers wanting to do Global Ed. projects, and act as consultants and liaisons. (About 6 interested teachers have been turned up so far.) Keep good records of our work, and draw up conclusions; present these to the 1984 Conference in Atlanta. We’ll help other PC groups, and sell materials to them at cost. Look for more discussion in this and future Ms.

Membership: “ex-members”: pay your dues!

Speakers Bureau (Jim Smith): Nifty PC posters were given to all who wanted them. He sought helpers (PCV teachers) for the June 8-10 Wisc. Educational Recruitment Fair. Call him.

Community Service (Dave): Our Housebuilding project with Habitat for Humanity will not be on 22 May. We picked a new date—Sat, 27 July.

Calendar: We’re ahead of schedule, and both beauty and accuracy are a notch higher than for 93. Our next meeting is Donations Time! All were urged to get their suggestions in to the Donations Committee for compilation and recommendations. [See elsewhere for these.]

For the ‘94 Calendar: We voted AVX to print 17,000 calendars, at a cost of c.$21,500. And we approved printing postcards of Cal. photos, as part of the Calendar cover print (3 cards per cover), for a cost of c.$3155.

[But this has since been reduced to a printrun of 15,000. EarthCare, who were to account for 2000 calcs, are now in re-organization, and will buy none at all. Alan.] For up-front payments, we’ve $18,000 set aside; we’ll have no problem making all payments. And we’ve gotten a good source of recycled paper. (For you techies, it’s 50% recycled, and 10% post-consumer waste.)

We showed the typesetter’s printout of the ‘94 Cal; those with white gloves were permitted to handle it. It is scrupulous.

The Parents Branch (Helene): It went fine, as all know. About 130 were there, many folks exchanged addresses, and we had such a good time, the staff had to boot us out. And the income was only about $100 less than expenses.

Camping Trip (Gordon and Therese): Weekend of June 4 (Fri.-Sun.), Devil’s Lake (really “Spirit” Lake—bigoted missionaries renamed it), site #8. $2/night for adults, dead cheap for kids. Come! It’s inspiringly pleasant. Kids get to play with fire, under supervision.

National Conference in Berkeley, 4 July weekend: Tell Ken if you’re going.

Summer Meetings: Mon. 7 June—Union South. July—Jul 5th, Mary Grace’s. August—at Eagle heights, perhaps.

Hosting the 95 National Conference: do we want to, asks the National Council? No, we don’t. It’s too soon, and we’d like to be able to host it in the as-yet-unbuilt FL Wright Conference Center. 1996 will be in DC. So let’s plan on hosting it in 1997. Pencil it in your long-long-range calendar.


There, all done. We then resumed our dinner gabbing, and more poker, and attempts to speak Spanish with Lilli’s parents. A very fine gathering, indeed.

Back.

ATTENTION NEW RPCV’S

Whether you are newly returned or new to the Madison group, come meet other RPCV’S in your situation. We will meet before the next General Meeting, Monday, June 7 at the Red Oak Grill, Union South, 6:00 p.m. if it’s open.

Hope to see you there!

Any Questions? Call Amy Tweeten

233-9619
93 Calendar Donations
Report of the Donations Committee
Wed 12 May 1993

Walt, Meredith, Sharon, John Elder and Buck met at Meredith’s house. Herewith each donation request, the sponsor, the requested amount (‘$S’ = ‘Equal Share’: $235) and the committee’s recommendation (‘Rec.’).

We have a total of $8000 to give at this time. (In addition, we have about another $1000 to donate throughout the coming year, until next May. And c.$3100 that we’ve yet to allocate—long-range reserves, large donations, etc.) Recommended donation amounts total $6025.


Supported in past. Furnishes the straight skinny on the continent, to all media. When Walt was NL editor, we quoted from them monthly.

Ashoka Society. Don Sauer, John Click, Rose Ann Scott; $500 asked. Rec.: Yes; $500.

Supported in past. 3rd World public service entrepreneurs, doing work that will be widely imitated if successful. What our bent would do now if repeating PC, in our own country. Worth lots of support.

Cameroon: Association for Creative Teaching. Mike Jindra; $500 asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Supports research and teaching, partly to support local traditions. Has strong local participation, and Mike will shortly be in the area. Suggests that we allocate $50 now, for photocopying of primary texts; and set aside the other $200. Will write us with details of other specific projects, once on-site.

CAR: Shipping Medical Supplies. Nancy Westbrook; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $100.

An RHC/CAR is returning to work in a hospital, and will garner donated medical supplies; needs to raise funds for shipping.

CAR: Potable Water Well. Nancy Westbrook; $1000 asked. Rec.: Yes; $500.

Village has no well, but a dedicated teacher will make it happen. Villagers will do all the work. Money pays for essential materials, and services of a skilled mason; a tight budget.

Community Supported Agriculture (Madison). Meredith Green; $300 asked. Rec.: Yes; $300.

To subsidize a season’s produce for 2 local group homes, in a direct relationship with a local farm. Excellent food, support for a local farm, and a therapeutic relationship with the soil and its stewards. Discussed at previous meeting, with grunta of approval.

Educational Software for the Friendship Program (La Crosse). Vicky Wason; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

For a small well-established volunteer program, teaching literacy lifeskills, mainly for lots of Hmong immigrants. Money is for 2 copies of educational software, which the students ardently want.

Goose Pond (Dane Co.). Click/Scott; $1000 or $250. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Restores prairie and marsh, for the wildlife and for us all. Near Madison. $1000 gets a bronze plaque, $250 a brick—both w/ our name. (We’re modest.)


Supported in past. 3 PCVs work w/ Hondurans to set up and manage protected areas in the Tela region, w/ enlisted co-operation of local people. A young organization of great promise. If it survives, worth supporting annually.

Madison Community Health Center. Click/Scott; $300 asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Supported in past. Provides health services for all people without regard for ability to pay.

Madison Literacy Council. Scott/Click; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Supported in past. Literacy taught, very competently, to the analphabetic. Key to cultural power, and dear to readers’ hearts.

Migrant Literacy Project (Lansing HI). Carolyn Peacock; $310 asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Literacy and basic education for migrant Hispanic farm workers; tutors come to the camps to teach. She worked in the program, and vouches for it.

The Nature Conservancy. Scott/Click; ES asked. Rec.: No.

Protects the integrity of natural communities of water, land, plants, animals, and micro-organisms. Active in WI, the US, and Latin America.

However, it has a far broader base of support than the other projects nominated, our monies are scant, and other donations overlap on their field.

Nicaragua: City of Hope. Sharon Lewandowski; $400 asked. Rec.: Yes; $400.

To heal wounds of the war, by creating a community of disabled Contra and Sandinista soldiers, and homeless mothers from both sides (who’ll operate a carpentry collective).


Sincerely good people in deep distress. In 1985 John knew Eli Martey as a boy; in 1987 he was blinded in an accident, and now he and his daughter must be supported by his mother’s pension of $25/wk. A one-time grant, for them to use wisely.

Pipe Ridge Reservation (SD). Buck Trawicky; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

A shoestring non-profit corp. to preserve traditional life and culture on the Res. Provides basic survival necessities (stoves, windows...); for the Traditioanates (hated by the BIA); spread peace, health, and return sacred items looted from burials, and sponsors educational activities for Whites.

Project Kids For Hire (Madison). Scott/Click; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Kids (10-17yr) of Broadway-Simpson Neighborhood Center area are taught to get jobs with participating businesses. It works: responsibility and self-esteem are conferred.

Sri Lanka: Kandy Children’s Center. Gina Cowell; $500 asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Supported annually in past. Provides a home and schooling for street kids. Very effective use of money; faithful reporters on use. Our friends.

Tibetan Resettlement Project (Madison). Buck Trawicky; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Settles Tibetan refugees in Madison, so they’ll become self-sufficient in 2 months, & able to support their families (who will follow). Very successful, very cheap (1/5 of normal refugee set-up costs). Tibetans raise Madison’s tone (as do our own baseball team and our won brewery).

Women’s Peace Project. Peter Joyce; $1000 asked. Rec.: Yes; $500.

For a loan pool for the women of My Lai to buy piglets, and raise them for sale. VN gov’t provides technicians, training, and veterinary medicines. Mike Boehm, VN vet, will visit and report.

Trickle-Up (3rd World). Click/Scott; ES asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Small loans, administered by PCVs, help poor people start their own businesses.


Supported in past. For Hmong & Cambodian youth in Madison, a very alienated group, w/ many problems. Will foster connection back to their elders’ traditions, provide tutoring in US life-skills, and offer positive recreation activities.

Youth Transition Initiative. Gordon Malaise & Therese Ahlers; $800 asked. Rec.: Yes; $235.

Helps young adults, w/ mental illness or serious emotional disturbances, by providing skills for an independent and productive life. Money will go for teaching & training, and broadening outdoor activities. Both know the program well.
The RPCVs of Wisconsin - Madison conducted several ongoing activities during 1992. Considerable effort was devoted to preparing and selling our 1993 International Calendar. This project was quite successful as the print run of 10,000 was sold by the end of the year. In cooperation with the Minneapolis PC Recruiting Office, we held a Parents Brunch in the spring that brought together some 120 of our members, prospective PC volunteers, and members of the families of many current PC volunteers from this area. We also assisted our campus recruiter and the Minneapolis Office with their PC recruitment activities, as well as participating in several functions through our Speakers Bureau.

Two direct fund raising activities were conducted in 1992. Our Freeze for Food 10 K run (always held in January) raised some $850 for Oxfam America. We also held a pot luck benefit at the Cardinal Bar, at which we all bring a neat international dish and charge ourselves and anyone else interested $5 to partake. The resulting $600 donation to Doctors Without Borders was for activities in the Horn of Africa.

Thanks primarily to the efforts of Carolyn Peacock and Nancy Westbrook, we were able to complete our Global Education project - the production of a videotape and teachers manual to be used in conjunction with our 1992 calendar. The videotape contains 5 to 10 minute interviews with nationals from countries represented in our 1992 calendar. Although the topics covered in each interview vary, there is a general focus on the educational system, status of women, and holidays observed in the particular country. The teachers manual presents further background information about each country, as well as worksheets for activities relevant to each country. 150 units were produced and are being sold for $25 each. Over 100 units have either been sold or given away.

Our social life kept pace with our other activities. Besides our usual mix of parties, we organized a camping weekend, a canoe trip and continued our successful Pig Roast. A Winter Retreat weekend at the end of February provided an opportunity for people to relax and discuss future directions away from the distractions of Madison.

Financially, the sales of our 1993 calendar have provided us with more funds to distribute but also required us to develop stricter guidelines for distributing those funds. We were working hard to develop such guidelines at the end of 1992. Since calendar proceeds are not used to offset any internal administrative expenses of our group, primarily newsletter printing and mailing, we found it necessary to raise our annual dues to $15 for 1993. This increase in dues brings our budget back into balance. In addition, our application for 501.c.3 status was approved in December.

There are still some areas of concern for us that need to be addressed. 1) Several people tried to develop a functional regional association of RPCV groups in the Upper Midwest, but this effort fizzled out. This issue must be dealt with. 2) Our Speakers Bureau was not very active and needs more commitment from group members. 3) New Global Education initiatives are needed, hopefully including participation in the Peace Corps World Wise Schools program. 4) We have no organized means of educating ourselves about current conditions in the areas in which we served. 5) Etc. Thus, lots of challenges remain for 1993.
Global Ed Something

Dave Wakeley and Sandy Moss (that’s us) have gotten together to bounce around some ideas about which direction the Global Education Project might take. We wanted to share some of those thoughts with the membership. Most importantly, we wanted to get your input on how these ideas might intersect with some inspirations you’ve had, or get a sense for what people thought would be the most interesting or feasible course to pursue.

One concept that sounded exciting to us would involve a joint project with the chapter and one or more local classrooms. The notion is that we would search out a teacher (most likely at the high school level, but it would also work in a middle school or elementary school setting) that was interested in utilizing the resources the group has to offer in developing some sort of global education unit that would run throughout the year. The “core” global education committee would meet with the teacher at the start of the school year to discuss what course their global education project might take. This would probably involve sketching out what topics or areas of the world the teacher would like to focus on, and beginning to identify the resources that the group could provide. This might include speakers, slides, letters or audio cassettes from volunteers in the field (this would involve coordinating with National or World Wise Schools), artifacts, stories, factual information, lesson plan ideas, etc. An advantage would be that this approach would involve a number of volunteers from the group, some committing to help on a very limited basis, with others providing more sustained support. At the end of the year, we were hoping that this class would come up with some sort of cumulative project, again working with our group.

One possible outcome of this experience could be the production of a detailed summary of our activities over the course of the year (i.e. lesson plans, evaluations, instructional aides, etc.). To ensure that the experience has benefits beyond our efforts, a further possibility would be to put together our experiences in a format that we could “publish” and maybe even present at the National Conference in 1994. The hope is that other groups and teachers at the conference that want to undertake a global education project of their own could benefit from our ideas.

These are our thoughts on global education. Obviously, the more people involved, the more creative and successful the final project will be. If you are interested in discussing your ideas or giving some feedback on our thoughts, please contact David Wakeley. We’re hoping to get something off the ground by the end of June.

RFCVs of WISCONSIN MEMBERSHIP UPDATE:

**NEW MEMBERS:**

   Home: 608/723-7125 Work: 608/723-7474 Liberia 1985-87

2. **5/94** GREELEY, Elinor 2314 E. Johnson St., Madison, WI 53704.
   Home: 244-5488 Work: 246-4400 Togo 1965-67


**ADDRESS CHANGES**

1. **1/94** WIREMAN, Peggy 4001 Monona Dr. #101, Madison, WI 53716.
   Home: 221-4470 Work:

2. **1/94** WOLFE, Maureen 5150 Cottonwood Dr., DePere, WI 54115.
   Home: 221-4470 Work: Liberia 1989-90

Phone Number Changes: Sharon Hepler’s home number is 273-8212.

Name Change: John Gaska’s wife Carrie would prefer to be called Carrie Gaska.

Member Renewals: Karen Silbernagel-Moucha (Exp. Date: 6/94); Mary Grace Brown-Ott; Eric Hurley (Exp. Date: 1/95)
RPCV’S OF WISCONSIN/MADISON
INTERNATIONAL CALENDAR STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
5201 Coney Weston Place
SUNDAY MAY 2, 1993

Present: Walt Zeitner, Julie Olsen, Buck Treckow, Barbara Chatterjee, Rose Ann Scott, Don Sauer, Peter Joyce

The meeting commenced at 10:15 am.

1. The meeting scipte was selected by mutual coercion.
2. The minutes from the April 4, 1993 meeting were approved as submitted.
3. Calendar Production Update: The calendar production is on schedule and looks good. The typesetting goes to Susan on May 3 for a final review and few errors are expected. The final typeset goes to printing on May 10th. We expect to get the actual calendars printed and in our hands somewhere between June 5th and June 10th. This will be well before our first marketing effort at the PTA conference in Cincinnati at the end of June and the national RPCV conference in July. The final printing cost for 17,000 calendars is $21,500, which is slightly more than expected, but should be safer as we are using only proven printer technologies.

There may be 51,000 postcards printed at a cost of $13,555, which is $0.027 each. We need to get the postcard cost approved before May 10th, which is when they would be going to the printer. It was the committee’s feeling that the postcards would be an excellent educational and promotional tool. The postcards will be...

1) Renee Magee Senegal Shepard picture
2) Tony Hoyt Guatemala From 1992 calendar
3) Paul Rodgers Nepal Fruit vendor picture

Don stated a few reasons why we should print postcards
1) They help promote the calendar
2) We can recover some of our costs with post card sales to the National Council
3) We can recover more of our costs with separate sales
4) They do not have to be sold in a given time - we can keep them as long as we need them.

There were questions as to whether the post cards can make money on their own. One, would mailing income on post cards be in compliance with our contract with the photographers? Two, is selling post cards considered educational under our 501c3 status? Fundraising outside of our non-profit purpose is considered taxable income. Henry has negotiated a contract with each of the photographers on the post cards, but was not available to answer the first question. It is hard to answer the second question definitively, but in general the committee felt that the post cards had an educational component consistent with the 501c3 status.

4. Calendar Marketing Update: Earth Care has indicated that they want their 1500 to 1700 calendars this year. The National Council has not made a final decision to make the calendar part of their membership premium as they did last year. The National Council has also not decided as to using the post cards as they did last year. Don was not sure why they had not decided and could not say for sure if they would buy at this point. We figured out that the 51,000 post cards would only take up a pallet load of storage space, so that's not too bad. We will also be getting 4 poster size prints of the post cards for promotional purposes.

Don reported on the Cincinnati PTA Conference at the end of June. The RPCV's of Cincinnati will market our 1994 calendar at the conference and will share a booth with Rudy Sovinee, who will market his multimedia presentation. Rudy paid $620 for the booth, we paid him $310 for half of the booth. The RPCV's of Cincinnati will reimburse us $155 for the booth if they have a successful sale. Exact details are still to be negotiated, but we will provide 500 calendars for them to sell.

Don outlined this arrangement as being experimental and we will maintain our flexibility.

Don would like to put together a flyer that would promote similar marketing ventures with other similar entities that want to sell the calendar. There was considerable time spent by the committee discussing this arrangement.

5. Price Structure for 1994 Calendar:
The following price structure was suggested by Don and approved:

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In addition the members of the RPCV's of WH-Madison could buy calendars for $4.00 apiece until Sept 1, 1993.

By rough calculations the calendar is costing us about $1.87 each, up from $1.70 last year.

6. Collection Status: We still have $1200 outstanding from the National Council and $400 from the RPCV's in Indiana.

7. Accounting Issues:

8. Tasks for the coming months:

9. Next exciting meeting will be on...

A FEW MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The Sierra Club is looking for 8 volunteers to help Isle Royale National Park with trail maintenance from July 20 to July 31. The only cost is for food as transportation from Houghton, MI to the island is provided. There will be free time for hiking, fishing, etc. For more information, contact John and Mary Frants, 612 22nd Ave., Monroe, WI 53566 or at (608) 325-3242.

2. There will be an Ice Age Trail interpretative hike near Lodi on June 5 (which coincides nicely with the camp-out). For more information, call Barbara Chatterjee at 279-2405.

3. Need a babysitter? Contact Zachary Ginberg at 256-1246 or at 515 S. Orchard St. Zachary has completed his training and is certified to care for up to 3 children ages 2 to 10.

4. Does anyone have a current address for Mary Conklin who joined us recently? We have her at 415 College Ave., Milton, WI but her newsletters keep being returned to us.
### Budget for Fiscal 1992 - 1993
**Sept. 1, 1992 to Aug. 31, 1993**

**5/17/93**

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**OVERALL TOTAL**

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### RFCVMAD - All Accounts

**5/17/93**

#### 6 Month Report
**9/1/92 Through 2/28/93**

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| **EXPENSES**          |                  |
| Charitable Donations: |                  |
| Card Bar Donation     | 851.00           |
| FFF Donation          | 596.38           |
| **Total Charitable Donations** | 1,427.38 |
| Indivd dues colct for NC | 412.50         |
| Miscellaneous         | 1,721.81         |
| Newsletter Post       | 299.48           |
| Postage, etc.         | 52.42            |
| Printing NewsTr       | 272.85           |
| Expenses - Other      | 300.00           |
| **TOTAL EXPENSES**    | 4,498.45         |

**TOTAL INCOME/EXPENSE**

**708.15**

**BALANCE FORWARD**

**Global Education**

**738.33**

**TOTAL BALANCE FORWARD**

**738.33**

**OVERALL TOTAL**

**1,245.50**
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   ___ Joint - $20 (Two people receiving one newsletter)
   ___ Overseas Individual - $24
   ___ Overseas Joint - $29

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Name: ___________________________________________ Country of Service: ________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________ Service Dates: ________________________________
Present Job: ________________________________________ Telephone: ________________________________
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