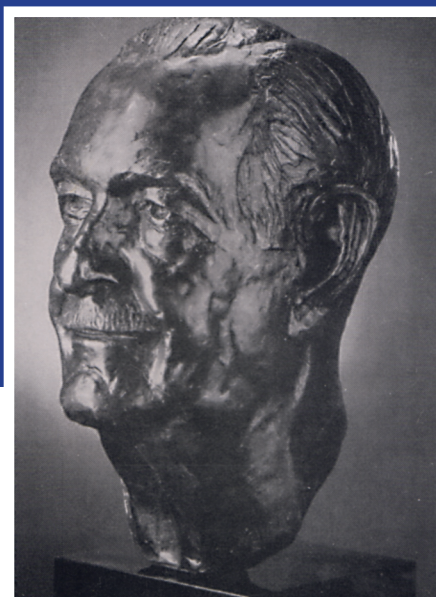




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IN MEMORIAM



JOHN F. DENNEHY

4/12/46 – 3/27/08

John Dennehy was raised in Jamaica and Richmond Hill, Queens, New York. He was married in 1966 to Carol Ann Alba and had three children—Kerry Ann, John Jr. and Teresa Marie.

He attended Iona College in New Rochelle, NY for 3 years and served with the United States Marine Reserves before joining the New York City Police Department in 1967. He completed his accounting degree at Marywood College in Scranton, PA while still a member of the NYPD. In 1987 he retired from the NYPD after 20 years of service.

John worked as an auditor for the Department of Defense from 1988-1991 where he had a finding that recovered over \$5 million for the government. He started his private CPA practice in 1991 in Mount Sinai, NY. He is a charter member of the Long Island Chapter of Certified Fraud Examiners.

In 1994 he became an accountant for The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation and worked with our Foundation until his death in March 2008.

John was instrumental in investigating and bringing the financial irregularities at the Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Center at St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center to light. He was dedicated to the work of the Foundation and brought his son, John Jr., to work as an apprentice.

The following quote is from John Jr., "Hundreds of people attended his wake and funeral. So many people have told me stories of how he helped them at some time in their lives. I always knew him to be generous and helpful to people, but I was truly amazed at the quantity of these stories. My dad was also a proud, loyal and extremely dedicated family man. Nothing was more important to him than the well being and happiness of his wife, children and 5 grandchildren."

IN MEMORIAM



JO-ANN C. CROCI

12/18/46 TO 9/17/08

Jo-Ann Stallone Croci was born and raised in Peekskill, New York. She attended Mount Saint Vincent College in Riverdale, New York. She married Thomas D. Croci in 1968. They have two children—Thomas D. A. and Kristina.

Jo-Ann received a Master of Arts and Bachelor of Science from Stony Brook University and a PD from CW Post College. She taught in the Connetquot School District for many years and was the Principal of Helen Duffield Elementary School and Assistant Principal at the Connetquot High School. She was an adjunct Professor of Spanish at CW Post, Brentwood Campus. Jo-Ann was an extremely popular educator in the Connetquot School District and retired in the capacity of administrator. She volunteered much of her life, and, when she retired, she gave most of her time to volunteer work. She loved working, particularly with children, and she was extremely interested and concerned that children should be taught at much younger ages about the dangers of alcohol use and abuse.

She volunteered at the Smithers Foundation for many years compiling information for the Annual Reports, editing and updating the Foundation's pamphlets and gave her very erudite opinions on all matters connected with education, information and prevention of alcoholism. She pleasantly and quietly clarified any misconceptions about the disease of alcoholism. .

The Board of Directors and staff of The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation will miss her—her warm smile—her caring ways and her infectious laughter. We will mourn her loss.

THE 56TH ANNUAL REPORT

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2008 was an extremely busy year. Alcoholism continues to be a neglected, stigmatized disease and it moved up from “among the 10 leading health threats to the world” to the “No. 1 health threat” by the World Health Organization.

Our Foundation continues to be the only one that concentrates on alcoholism. Requests for grants increased steadily. The Foundation's Directors worked very hard at the monumental task of reviewing requests and making decisions on funding. I want to take this opportunity to thank our directors past and present for their volunteer services. I would like to thank and recognize the work of individuals who provide service to us at “cut rates” and who participate in the Foundation's own projects.

Gloria Starr-Kins is our UN Consultant. Stacia Murphy is our “editor-at-large” and helps in the updating and rewriting of our pamphlets, which are much in demand. I also want to thank our consultants—Dr. Ernie Noble, Dr. Nicholas A. Pace and Dr. Albert Lowenfels.

Throughout the years my late husband and I participated and funded projects that were not necessarily considered alcoholism. However, because of the insidious nature of the disease of alcoholism, it seemed to pop up and become the focus of our work. For instance, we worked to establish a Parkinson's Disease Treatment Center at the New York Institute of Technology. We suggested that once a year we would assist in presenting a one-day symposium about alcoholism and other addictions. This turned out to be a most successful and very well attended program. We have continued to assist them in presenting the symposium for their students of osteopathic medicine to enable them to recognize the existence of alcoholism and other addictions in their patients.

We have also kept a very close relationship with The R. Brinkley Smithers Institute for Alcohol-Related Workplace Studies at Cornell University under the direction of Professor Samuel B. Bacharach. From time to time, we will be reporting on these special programs.

2008 saw the opening of the New Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Center at St. John's Riverside Hospital, Yonkers, NY. This was a much awaited and very special occasion. A report follows.

Reports of abusive drinking and highway and traffic fatalities have increased tremendously, as well as the increase in drinking among the younger population, age 8 and up. There are many excellent programs that need funding. The Foundation knows that with proper funding there would be more education and much earlier intervention and many lives would be saved. Our Foundation cannot do this mammoth job alone. We will seek involvement from other foundations and philanthropies.



Adele C. Smithers
President

The Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Center opened its doors at St. John's Riverside Hospital officially on May 21, 2008. Over 250 guests attended this much-awaited event. Mr. Darryl Strawberry who was a graduate of the original Smithers Center was the featured speaker. A recovering alcoholic with a long public history of substance abuse problems, Darryl talked about recovery and said, "Recovery is a process, it's a long journey and never ending for someone like me. Places like this are a start." When Darryl was a patient at the Smithers Center in Manhattan, he became very close friends with The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation's President, Adele Smithers. They have had a long and great working relationship through the years.

The Smithers Center at St. John's will offer inpatient rehabilitation and outpatient treatment, including a dedicated women's unit, along with training programs for medical professionals. A variety of accessible treatment programs are needed, doctors and hospital officials at the ceremony agreed, because alcoholism is one of the most misunderstood diseases and one that is highly stigmatized. Strawberry agreed. People say, "Why can't you just stop?" "Why can he just not drink or drug?" Strawberry said these questions are asked because of the total misunderstanding regarding the disease of alcoholism and addiction. With the work of the Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Program and the Behavioral Health Services at St. John's Riverside Hospital, there is great hope with the progress being made in erasing the stigma.

Other special guests at the ceremony included the Commissioner of OASAS, Karen Carpenter-Palumbo and Dr. Frank McCorry, Director of NYC Operations & Affirmative Action. Additionally, doctors from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point were invited so they could learn about the Foundation's plans and how they could work with the Center to reach out to veterans who were returning home with substance abuse problems. Two of the officers, Col. Andrew Friedman and Col. Van Coots, said the expanded partnership with the Smithers Alcoholism Treatment & Training Center at St. John's Riverside Hospital is valuable for their Keller Army Community Hospital, because West Point only offers outpatient treatment programs.

The Behavioral Health Services at St. John's Riverside Hospital is licensed by the New York State Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) and is accredited by The Joint Commission (JCAH) and has been in existence since 1967. They have provided highly accessible, high quality chemical dependency treatment services to the community. St. John's is the largest provider of treatment services to Westchester County.

Jim Foy, President and CEO of St. John's Riverside Hospital, said the Center would provide help for alcoholics from all walks of life. Additionally he said, "St. John's is fortunate to have a great friend in the person of Adele Smithers. Her devotion to this cause is world-renowned, and we are so pleased to be in the position to carry on her work."

Brain Kaley, Vice President of Behavioral Health Services at St. John's, said, "St. John's is so pleased that we have the opportunity to bring the Smithers name and the credibility it implies to the forefront of the services that we provide. Their reputation and our programs and experience will further enable us to serve a community where there is a great need."

THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION AWARDS RECEIVED

Over the years, Mrs. Adele C. Smithers, President of The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Officers of the Foundation and the Foundation itself have been honored with scores of national and international awards in recognition of their efforts to create public awareness of the disease of alcoholism.

In 2008 the following awards were bestowed:

- Philanthropist Adele C. Smithers received the Doctor of Humane Letters, Honoris Causa, from Adelphi University, Garden City, NY, at its 112th Commencement.
- Mr. R. Brinkley Smithers, Founder of the Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, was posthumously inducted into the 2007 Long Island Volunteer Hall of Fame on February 3, 2008 in the category of Health/Substance Abuse.
- Mrs. Adele C. Smithers was the 2008 Recipient of the Marty Mann Founder's Award at The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence and the Alcoholism Council of New York's 8th Annual Spring Luncheon held on April 24, 2008. This award was established to honor individuals of national prominence in the field of alcoholism and other drug problems whose life work strongly reflects the energy, dedication and focus exemplified by NCADD's founder, Mrs. Marty Mann and to recognize at least ten years of exceptional contributions to public and professional education about alcoholism and other drug problems as treatable and preventable conditions and as major public health concerns.
- On November 12, 2008 the National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence/Westchester, Inc. honored Mrs. Smithers with its Marty Mann Award "in recognition of her dedication and service in helping to eradicate the stigma of alcoholism and for all the lives she has given hope and meaning to" at its Benefit Awards Dinner at the Lake Isle Country Club in Eastchester, NY.

2007:

- Mrs. Smithers received the President's Volunteer Service Award from the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation. This Award recognizes volunteer service and signifies that she has served her community and her country with distinction. Through her volunteer efforts, she is demonstrating values that make our nation strong and is helping to build a culture of citizenship, service and responsibility in America.
- Mrs. Smithers was honored by the Boys & Girls Clubs of America at the second annual Jeremiah Milbank Society event on May 18, 2007. The goal of the Society is to honor the memory of Jeremiah Milbank and his dedication to the Boys & Girls Club of America as well as recognize those individuals who have committed

to leadership gifts that support their local Clubs. Mr. R. Brinkley Smithers and Mr. Jeremiah Milbank worked together on the establishment of the “Smart Moves” program in the Boys & Girls Clubs throughout the country.

- The Thomas Hartman Foundation for Parkinson’s Research, Inc. honored Adele Smithers with the Hartman Spirit Award at its Cure For Sure Dinner.

- Adele Smithers, along with Brian Cashman and Chien Ming Wang, received a Humanitarian Award from the Kips Bay Boys & Girls Club.

Some of the previous awards:

- The Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence honored The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation and the late R. Brinkley Smithers.

- Cornell University’s School of Industrial and Labor Relations presented its Jerome Alpern Distinguished Alumni Award to Adele C. Smithers.

- Adele Smithers received the 2006 International Humanitarian Service Award from the Gift of Life for her “tireless philanthropy for the benefit of mankind, specifically in the areas of alcoholism, drug dependency and with children who are in need of cardiac surgery.”

- Adele Smithers was invited to attend The White House Conference on the Nation’s Youth. Mrs. Laura Bush then invited Adele to The White House Breakfast on Helping America’s Youth. She and The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation were cited for their outstanding work.

- The Governors’ spouses initiative, Leadership to Keep Children Alcohol Free Foundation, presented Adele Smithers with its first award in recognition of her commitment to our nation’s youth.

- The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation and Adele Smithers were honored with the Gilbert Tilles Award at the 18th Annual Long Island Philanthropy Day Awards Luncheon.

- The New York College of Osteopathic Medicine and School of Health Professions, Behavioral and Life Sciences of New York Institute of Technology honored Adele Smithers with the Riland Medal for Public Service at the Osteopathic Medicine and Health Professions Convocation. The medal is awarded to individuals who have made significant contributions to the improvement of health care, medical research, health policy, osteopathic philosophy and community service.

- Derek Jeter’s Turn 2 Foundation presented Adele Smithers with its first “MVP Award” for “her unwavering commitment and support of the Turn 2 Foundation.” The Turn 2 Foundation strives to create outlooks for today’s youth to achieve academic excellence, develop leadership skills and remain drug and alcohol free.

- St. John's Riverside Hospital in Yonkers, New York, honored her with its Community Service Award "in recognition of her tireless work on behalf of those afflicted with alcoholism."
- The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence presented Adele Smithers with its prestigious "Gold Key" Award. This Award was established in 1959 to honor individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the field of alcoholism on a national level.
- The Freedom Institute honored Adele Smithers at its Benefit Dinner with the Mona Mansell Award. The award reads, "With deepest gratitude for your extraordinary contribution to the field of alcohol and drug dependence. You have left your mark."
- The Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence's Pioneer Award was presented to Adele Smithers in recognition of her many years of extraordinary service to the field of alcoholism and her devotion to the Long Island Council.
- Employment Program for Recovered Alcoholics first "Lamp of Knowledge Award"—"in grateful recognition of her dedication and commitment to EPRA's work and its mission."
- National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence prestigious "Silver Key" was given to Mrs. Adele Smithers at its Conference of Affiliates Award Dinner. This is given to honor individuals who have made outstanding contributions in support of its work, mission and programs at the national level.
- The Pioneer Award of the International Council for Caring Communities at the United Nations was presented to Mrs. Adele Smithers and the Foundation.
- On National Philanthropy Day 2002 the Association of Fundraising Professionals cited Adele Smithers as one of New York's Finest Philanthropists.
- The Cenacle Sisters honored Adele Smithers with the first Maude Adams Award at The Ronkonkoma Cenacle 75th Anniversary Gala.
- Veritas Villa, Inc., presented Adele Smithers with an Award that read, "for her dedication and outstanding contributions in the field of chemical dependency...on behalf of the countless number of alcoholics and addicts and their families who have benefited from her tireless efforts and generosity."
- The Foundation was bestowed with two prestigious awards for design and content for its website—www.smithersfoundation.org—one of the first alcoholism related sites on the web: Golden Web Award presented by the International Association of Web Masters and Designers for originality in web page design. The second award was presented by the Graham Nash Foundation. Its independent committee reviews and accepts select websites with content that "contributes to the betterment of the world."

- A special award was presented to Mrs. Adele Smithers by the American Society of Addiction Medicine. The award read...”in recognition and gratitude for her personal endeavors to create a better public understanding of alcoholism as a treatable disease and for continuing the vision of her late husband, R. Brinkley Smithers.”

- The Town of Oyster Bay, New York, named Mrs. Smithers “Humanitarian—Woman of Distinction.”

- The Laura Parsons Pratt Award from the Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies, New York, was presented to Adele Smithers.

- Spanning 50 years of dedication to the Grenville Baker Boys and Girls Club, Locust Valley, New York, the late R. Brinkley Smithers, the Foundation and Mrs. Adele Smithers have received numerous awards from this organization.

- The Boys and Girls Club of America presented its National Service to Youth Award to Adele C. Smithers...”whose continuing concern and deep involvement have played an important part in the development of The Boys & Girls Club and its constructive activities and guidance for youth. Awarded for 18 years of devoted service.”

- Adele Smithers was one of the first distinguished alumni inducted into the Washington Irving High School Hall of Achievement, New York City.

- She was presented with the Peter Fairclough Memorial Recognition Award from the Comprehensive Alcoholism Rehabilitation Program, Florida.

- Texas Rangers Baseball Club Recognition of Excellence presented to Adele Smithers and the Foundation “for their untiring efforts throughout the years. Our heartfelt thanks for their loyalty and friendship, which will long be remembered and appreciated.”

- Adele Smithers was recipient of the first President’s Award from the New York State Drinking Driver Program Directors Association.

- Adele Smithers received the Bowery Resident’s Committee Human Services Corporation’s Award.

A number of awards, citations and recognition have been presented by:

Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, Williston Park, New York; Detroit Affiliate of the National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, Detroit, MI; Family Service Association of Nassau County, Nassau County, NY; Veritas Villa, NY; Palm Beach Chapter of the Children’s Home Society, Palm Beach, FL; Gratitude House, West Palm Beach, FL; Wayside House, Delray Beach, FL and the Boys & Girls Club of Tampa Bay, Tampa, FL.

FOUNDATION GRANTS IN THE FIELD OF ALCOHOLISM

Adelphi University,

Garden City, NY

\$50,000

Alcohol Prevention, Intervention and Education Programming:

For the last three years, Adelphi has offered college students, generally considered by theoretical and empirical literature to be “at risk” for alcohol use and abuse, the CHOICES prevention program. The CHOICES™ program is conducted in small groups of 10-15 students and is facilitated by either a clinical staff member from the Student Counseling Center or a peer undergraduate facilitator. The one and a half hour interactive journaling program educates students on alcohol and the risks associated with its use. During 2008, we are pleased to report that over 27 students were trained as peer facilitators and delivered CHOICES™ programming to over 800 freshman students.

To determine the efficacy of the CHOICES™ program, participants are asked to complete a pre-test prior to and post-test upon completion of the program. Statistical analyses of the CHOICES™ data are an ongoing process. Accumulated data suggest that CHOICES™ is successful in increasing student knowledge regarding alcohol abuse awareness. The CHOICES™ program educates the students, but just as importantly, increases self-efficacy of the students regarding their knowledge of alcohol abuse. The CHOICES™ program is growing at Adelphi University and now includes student athletes, and fraternity and sorority participation. As the program continues, the data will continue to be aggregated, analyzed and reported.

The Brief Alcohol Screening and Intervention for College Students (BASICS) is the intervention program Adelphi has chosen to offer students who have been found in violation of Adelphi’s alcohol policy. Students are referred to the Students Counseling Center where they take part in the two-session alcohol skills training program that aims at reducing harmful consumption and associated problems. BASICS is a non-confrontational and nonjudgmental, evidenced-based technique whereby the student is given information and education around his/her alcohol use.

The student receives feedback about ways to reduce future health risks associated with alcohol use and participates in online pre and post-session assessment questionnaire called E-CHUG. This assessment tool is brief, easy to use, and utilizes personalized information about students’ drinking habits in comparison to other students in part to motivate change. Over 150 students have completed the E-CHUG assessment questionnaire.

New Greek Life members participated in alcohol education programming exploring high-risk consequences associated with college students using alcohol while being part of fraternal organizations. Over 40 students participated in education, awareness, and self-

assessment regarding alcohol abuse. Almost 230 students participated in Bring Your Own Banana (B.Y.O.B.) ice cream social and experienced the pleasure of attending a social event without alcohol. Students received information and tips about alcohol-free partying as well as health information related to blood alcohol concentration (BAC) and the physiological effects of alcohol.

Approximately 100 students participated in P.E.E.R.S. Drunk Driving Simulator. This fun, interactive, experience demonstrates real road driving conditions under the influence of alcohol and the dangers of drinking and driving. Through the use of visual graphics and video simulators while sitting in an actual car, students can virtually experience the hazards of driving under the influence of alcohol.

Over 350 scholar athletes attended alcohol prevention and education programming designed specifically for athletes. Topics included, but were not limited to, the impact of alcohol on the developing brain and body, effect of alcohol on physical endurance, binge drinking, sexual assault, and the legal risks and consequences of using and abusing alcohol.

Grants Funds: In combination with the SCC funds allotted for drug and alcohol counseling, the Smithers grant has enabled Adelphi to provide its students with high-quality programming and professional services. Funds from the grant were used to subsidize a full-time drug and alcohol counselor/grant coordinator responsible for the overall administration of CHOICES™, BASICS, and all other alcohol and drug programming for Adelphi students. Expenditures on the Smithers Foundation Grant for 2008 include: Counselor/grant coordinator salary, program evaluation research consultant, graduate student assistant, student facilitators stipend, E-Chug yearly subscription, office furniture and equipment, P. E.E.R.s simulator program, event refreshments, and materials necessary to offer BASICS and CHOICES™ programs. The Student Counseling Center hopes, with additional Adelphi University and community support, to continue providing comprehensive programming on campus through the expertise of our full-time grant coordinator/counselor after conclusion of the grant period.

Future Plans—AU New Initiatives: The social norms campaign and ecological approaches are premised on the idea that a person's behavior is strongly influenced by perceptions of how other members of his or her social group think and act. For example, many college students believe that binge drinking is the norm and may be tempted to binge drink because they think their peers do so. In fact, research shows that most college students do not binge drink. To combat such misperceptions, the SCC is exploring expanding our alcohol education, prevention, and intervention programs in include mounting a social norm marketing campaign and ecological approach aimed at giving Adelphi students accurate information about their peers, thereby reinforcing existing healthy behaviors. The new initiatives being examined target all students and the cam-

pus community and will be a fitting addition to the CHOICES™ and BASICS programs.

Alcoholism Council of New York,

New York, NY

\$66,756

The grant from the Foundation was utilized to support a number of its programs, including the Smithers Physicians Alcoholism and Addiction Training Program, the Scott Clark golf outing, which helps to raise funds for all of the programs the Council offers, the general operating fund and the Spring Luncheon.

American Society of Addiction Medicine,

Chevy Chase, MD

\$12,500

Two grants were utilized in support of programs at the Society's 39th Annual Medical-Scientific Conference in April 2008 in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

- partial support for the expenses of the Society's Annual Business Meeting and Breakfast for approximately 300 physician members.
- underwrote the Annual R. Brinkley Smithers Distinguished Scientist Award/Lecture. The award recipient was Ralph W. Hingson, ScD., MPH, whose lecture was enjoyed by an audience of approximately 700 physicians and other addiction caregivers.

Boys & Girls Club of Oyster Bay-East Norwich,

Oyster Bay, NY

\$1,000

The mission of the Boys & Girls Club of Oyster Bay-East Norwich is to provide its young members, grades K-12, with guidance and to offer constructive programs promoting responsibility and leadership. Our full-time professional staff strives to build good character in Club members for their own well-being and that of the community.

Grants, such as those provided by The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, provide the Club with the financial support necessary to implement many exciting new programs, all of which have been well received and which have enhanced the already successful schedule. In addition, the Club has been able to expand the number and variety of trips, and special events offered to the children and families of our community.

Boys & Girls Clubs of Tampa Bay,

Tampa, FL

\$75,500

The focus of the grant from the Foundation has been directed towards the implementation and expansion of the SMART Moves Prevention Programs. The SMART Moves Program is the key element of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Tampa Bay overall youth development strategy. SMART Moves provides training to help youth understand the dangers associated with the use of drugs, alcohol and tobacco. Additionally, youth are equipped with the tools and resiliency skills needed to overcome peer pressure to live healthy lifestyles.

SMART Moves uses age-specific modules that engage Club staff, parents, community members and older teen members in a team approach to prevention. Club members have participated in the following programs.

- SMART Kids, for children ages 6-9: Focuses on building self-esteem, positive social skills and skills to avoid drugs and other harmful influences.

- Start SMART, for preteens ages 10-12: Presents information and skills needed to resist pressures to get involved in alcohol, tobacco, other drugs and sexual activity. Group members analyze influences from the media and from peers; they also practice resisting peer pressure.

- Stay SMART, for teens ages 13-15: Provides information about alcohol, tobacco, other drugs and sexuality and develops skills to help teenagers make healthy choices. Teens practice problem-solving and decision-making, stress reduction techniques, and ways to resist peer and media pressures.

- SMART Girls is a small-group health, fitness, prevention/education and self-esteem enhancement program designed to meet the developmental needs of girls. Through dynamic sessions, highly participatory activities, field trips and mentoring opportunities with adult women, Club girls explore their own and societal attitudes and values as they build skills for eating right, staying physically fit, getting good health care and developing positive relationships with peers and adults.

- Passport to Manhood promotes and teaches responsibility to Club boys. Each Club member receives his own “passport” to underscore the notion that he is on a personal journey of maturation and growth. Passport to Manhood represents a targeted effort to engage young boys in discussions activities that reinforce positive behavior.

In 2008, 1,880 youth participated in SMART Moves curriculum-based programs, with 1,557 (82%) completing at least one component. According to pre- and post-test data, 85% of participating youth, who completed at least one component, showed increases in SMART Moves competencies. In addition, over 91% of youth surveyed reported no use of tobacco or alcohol. Overall, over 55% of our total registered members (3,549 out of 6,439 youth) participated in SMART Moves activities and special events.

Additionally, in 2008, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Tampa Bay was again recognized by the Boys & Girls Clubs of America as a model program site for SMART Moves. In 2009, the organization will pilot and create a best-practices guide for Stay SMART, as well as the new Date SMART, designed to educate teens about relationships and how to achieve mutually supportive relationships free of violence and abuse.

CLARE Foundation, Inc.,**Santa Monica, CA****\$1,000**

With a grant from the Foundation, CLARE has been able to continue its work in the field by providing compassionate treatment and recovery services for alcohol and substance abuse to individual families and the community. Each year over 25,000 men and women reach out to CLARE for help for themselves or a loved one. Over 2,600 of these people are admitted to one of CLARE's programs.

Some of CLARE's programs are:

Assessment & Referral, Detox/Primary Program, Women's and Men's Recovery House Programs, Sober Living Centers, Intensive Outpatient Program, Drug Court, DUI Program, Community Center, Women with Children Sober Living Program and Clarity for Youth Program.

Employment Program for Recovered Alcoholics, Inc.,**New York, NY****\$5,000**

EPRA celebrated its 30th Anniversary in 2008 and continues to help people who are recovering from alcoholism and substance abuse successfully reenter the workforce and maintain sobriety.

EPRA is proud of its track record:

- EPRA has consistently met its contractual commitments with the City and State
- 96 clients became employed with 81% placed in jobs paying above \$8.00 per hour and 52% were placed in jobs with benefits.

Since 1978, EPRA has provided the vocational rehabilitation link in the recovery process from the disease of alcoholism and substance abuse to over 8,000 individuals.

EPRA's unique recovery program focuses on building job skills and mastering the requirements of the workplace, experiences that graduating clients can use to find and keep work during their recovery. Studies have consistently demonstrated that job stability is a key factor in establishing long-term sobriety. The program enables clients to achieve meaningful employment and adopt the positive principles that will enrich their lives now and in the future.

In 2004, EPRA opened a Bronx Satellite office providing the same quality services to individuals of Hispanic origin. All services are conducted in Spanish and English. They are the only vocational program that provides these services in Spanish.

Statistics have shown that individuals who are working have less relapse than individuals who continue to be unemployed. Therefore, EPRA's mission continues to be paramount in assisting clients in their transition to employment.

The support received from The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation has enabled EPRA to continue to provide the best vocational rehabilitation services available to the recovering alcoholic and substance abuser.

We are very proud of this program as our Founder, R. Brinkley Smithers was a founder and supporter of the programs. Brink felt that employment was the “missing link” in the chain of recovery.

Freedom Institute,

New York, NY

\$2,000

The Smithers Foundation grant helped to benefit the Independent School Program, which provides prevention education and counseling services to over 50 independent schools in and around New York City.

In the past academic year, program counselors:

- achieved significant growth, including a 17% increase in the number of student presentations over the previous academic year.
- built in curricular enhancements with materials from nationally recognized organizations, such as the Institute for Prevention Research at Cornell Medical College. The goal of these enhancements is to strengthen students’ coping skills for dealing with risk factors for alcohol and other substance abuse.
- published a Faculty Handbook, and are now conducting corollary workshops. These workshops teach faculty and advisors the most appropriate methods for dealing with student alcohol and drug use—a growing problem in middle and high schools.

The challenges are many, but Freedom Institute remains steadfast in its commitment to educating young people about the dangers of alcohol and drug abuse, and to protecting them from the ravages of addiction.

Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club at Lincoln House, Inc.,

Glen Cove, NY

\$50,500

In 2008, The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Inc. contributed its final grant installment of \$50,000 as the remainder due on the \$300,000 Capital Campaign gift. Funds were utilized for capital improvements to its facilities, including the naming of its learning center as the “Christopher D. Smithers Foundation Learning Center.”

In addition, The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Inc. contributed a \$500 donation toward the 2008 Golf Outing. After expenses, the Golf Outing raised \$29,667 that was used towards the general operating and program expenses in 2008.

Their facilities provide programming in Youth Employment and Youth Development strategies that are designed to improve the competencies of their participants.

In the year 2008 the Club served an active membership of over 400 youths ages 6 through 20 in addition to over 200 youths and families served through community outreach.

Programs provided during 2008 included: Youth of the Year, Power Hour, SMART Moves, SMART Girls, Club Tech Technology programming, Fine Arts, Sports, Fitness and Recreation, Music and Dance, Pre and Post-Institutional Project (PPIP) and Youth Employment Services.

Hanley Center Foundation,

West Palm Beach, FL

\$20,000

This grant was used to support the new Hanley Resource Center, a residential treatment facility for men, women and older adults. It provides a variety of supervised outpatient programs dedicated to the treatment of individuals and families impacted by alcoholism and substance abuse.

Handley Resource Center proudly serves the local south Florida community with comprehensive recovery programs ranging from prevention to aftercare. They take great pride in providing a safe, caring environment that ensures dignity and confidentiality while striving to foster a physical, emotional and spiritual recovery.

Hero Network, Inc.,

Aliso Viejo, CA

\$5,000

The HERO (Higher Education Recovery Option) House is a recovery house for college students in early sobriety from addictions. They serve college students from around the country who are in need of support for their recovery from addictions while learning the skills necessary to go back to college and be academically successful.

The Smithers Foundation Grant has allowed them to take advantage of a number of opportunities they normally would not have been able to. Here is a list of the opportunities they had because of the grant:

Habitat for Humanity: Over the spring break their residents were given an opportunity to spend their spring break in Augusta, Georgia working for Habitat for Humanity. They asked for volunteers and told them their expenses for the trip would be covered. All but two of their residents volunteered to go on the trip; the two that did not participate had other family obligations over the break. Their residents chose to be of service and volunteer their time to help others.

BACCHUS Network Area 9 Conference: Their residents had an opportunity to attend and present our “Meet the HEROes” program at a conference for student peer educators and college health personnel in Milledgeville, Georgia. Over 150 people from about 25 campuses were in attendance. Six of their residents attended and all of them said it was an incredible experience to be with other students in that capacity. Three of their residents presented the program and all of them stated, “it was a great experience to talk about their addiction and recovery.”

American Counseling Association: They again had an opportunity to present their “Meet the HEROes” program at the national convention of the ACA. Over 100 people were in attendance and they brought two residents to the conference to present the program. Both said they loved the experience of sharing their recovery with those in attendance.

Relapse Prevention Training: Terry Gorski of the CENAPS Corporation is one of the leading experts on relapse prevention in the country. They had an opportunity for their client services director, Marc Pimsler, to attend a five-day workshop and become a certified relapse prevention specialist. By being certified, Marc will better serve all of their clients by providing relapse prevention lectures and doing one on one work with residents they feel are at risk for relapse.

**Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence,
Williston Park, NY \$40,500**

In 2008 the Foundation provided critical financial resources for the Council's alcohol and drug abuse education and prevention services.

Established in 1956 by R. Brinkley Smithers, the Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, Inc. (LICADD) remains one of the oldest and most-respected nonprofits committed to the prevention and treatment of alcoholism and substance abuse.

LICADD is dedicated to providing best practice prevention education programs to both the academic community and the general public. They serve as an effective link between therapeutic treatment and the individual and family struggling with the disease of alcoholism.

LICADD's EAP programs deliver confidential evaluation, referral and follow-up services for a broad spectrum of personal concerns for employees of companies, labor unions and school districts. Their EAP program helps employers identify and provide assistance to employees and members who may have problems with alcohol and/or other drugs. This program enables employers to resolve costly problems at their earliest stages while protecting against wrongful discharge or negligent retention suits.

LICADD endeavors to eradicate the stigma associated with alcoholism. Their goal is to increase public understanding of alcoholism, its nature and treatment. LICADD addresses the addictive climate of our times by providing expert evaluation and early intervention services to individuals, children and families impacted by substance abuse, by spearheading prevention education programs in a variety of settings, facilitating professional trainings, and mobilizing communities through task force development and public policy advocacy. LICADD's professionally guided family and workplace interventions, employee and union assistance programs, and substance abuse prevention programs including its proprietary evidence-based Footprints for Life program, have distinguished the agency as a regional leader in the reduction of alcoholism and substance abuse, the elimination of stigma associated with alcoholism and the promotion of recovery.

The financial support of The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Inc. provided LICADD with the resources to serve the community in the following ways:

- Chemical dependency evaluation and referral
- Comprehensive adolescent programs in high school
- Community education

- Employee assistance services for employees of companies, labor unions and school districts
- Family and workplace planned interventions
- Prevention programs in primary schools

As DWI arrests and deaths continue to plague the Long Island region, and the use of alcohol and other drugs continues to devastate Long Island's families, LICADD's programs have never been more vital. The funds from The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Inc. are critical to the viability of these programs.

Mountainside Foundation,

Canaan, CT

\$2,000

Mountainside used this grant for their residential treatment center for substance abuse. It also provided them with the opportunity to offer their Outreach Program that takes clients into the local public schools to talk with students about staying away from cigarettes, alcohol and illegal drugs. The grant has been used for this program that is so well received by school officials, parents and the students. In addition to all that it does in support of the message of "Prevention," it benefits their clients by providing them with the opportunity to give something back, thus helping them to restore their self esteem.

National Association for Children of Alcoholics,

Rockville, MD

\$10,000

In 2005 NACoA received a grant to support their work in The Clergy Education and Training Project®.

Their clergy training project focus in 2008 was primarily on the final development of the Seminary Curriculum, based on the Core Competencies for Clergy and Other Pastoral Ministers In Addressing Alcohol and Drug Dependence and the Impact on Family Members. This was the fifth product in their ongoing project to provide tools and educational programs for clergy across denominations and across the country—both seminary and post-ordination clergy.

As a result of their Clergy Education and Training Project®, thousands of clergy are receiving much needed education in addiction, its prevention, treatment, recovery, and its impact on family members, and they are receiving helpful materials to support their proper role in helping to break the insidious generational cycle of addiction and its family pain.

National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, Inc. (NCADD)

New York, NY

\$44,600

This grant provided support for the following programs:

- Investing In Our Future Campaign:

A multiyear campaign to expand NCADD's Public Education Capacity through website re-design, 800 number – Information/Referral line upgrade and Hope, Help and Healing Campaign.

- Tribute to NCADD Life Member Martha B. Baker:

This grant will help support publication/distribution of Hope, Help and Healing brochure/poster focused on women and dedicated to Martha B. Baker for her service to NCADD.

- 8th Annual Spring Luncheon

The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation was a Benefactor Sponsor of the Spring Luncheon. The Spring Luncheon benefits NCADD and its NYC Affiliate, the Alcoholism Council of New York (ACNY). The luncheon proceeds support the mission of NCADD and ACNY. At the 2008 Spring Luncheon, NCADD was proud to present the NCADD Marty Mann Founder's Award to Adele C. Smithers. Throughout her service and support of NCADD, Adele's life work strongly reflects the energy, dedication and focus exemplified by NCADD's Founder, Mrs. Marty Mann.

NCADD Tampa Bay,

Tampa, FL

\$1,000

The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation helped to further the efforts of the Tampa affiliate with support for one of its main events.

National Recovery Month: Sponsorships for the event were dedicated to a weekend long advocacy program which included a very successful concert for clients of treatment facilities, those individuals in recovery and people in the industry that help promote the hope of recovery. A nationally recognized speaker, Christopher Kennedy Lawford, was an integral part of the event by sharing his story at a reception as well as to the concert participants. A baseball game was also part of this weekend-long program which helped spread awareness of the disease while people in recovery or those affected by the disease were represented.

NCADD/Westchester, Inc.,

White Plains, NY

\$5,000

This grant to Westchester enabled the Council to continue to offer hope and help to the residents of Westchester County, by responding to their calls and offering referrals to detox, inpatient and outpatient services. Listed below are the programs the Foundation grant has helped to sustain:

- The Family Information Series, a four-part program designed to support and educate anyone who is touched by alcoholism and/or drug dependence.
- Adolescence Alcohol/Drug education program for Justice Courts, and Court mandated prevention programs.
- Parent and Student Alcohol Awareness Program, conducted in private high schools throughout Westchester County.
- A Comprehensive Alcohol and Drug Education, Prevention and Intervention Program for Colleges, beginning with Mercy College.
- Training Program for Assistant District Attorneys.

The National Institute of Social Sciences,

New York, NY

\$5,600

Our Founder, R. Brinkley Smithers, and Adele Smithers have been members of the National Institute of Social Sciences for a good number of years. They have presented information at teas, lunches and dinners of the NISS. In 2008 they asked Mrs. Adele Smithers to make a presentation. This is what Mr. Chauncey G. Olinger, Jr., President of the NISS, said, "The National Institute of Social Sciences is very grateful to the Smithers Foundation for its support of our program of identifying areas of major social concern in the nation, identifying those Americans who have made major contributions to the identification and solution of problems in those areas, and of sponsoring issue discussion gatherings where some of these issues are examined. For example, this past year city planning in New York City and the continuing problem of alcoholism were topics considered. On behalf of the officers and board of directors of the National Institute of Social Sciences, I express our great appreciation for the support of the Smithers Foundation."

New York Medical College,

Valhalla, NY

\$25,000

The following is a report on how New York Medical College utilized the grant from the Smithers Foundation:

Teaching and Mentoring Activities

1. Continued support for all teaching activities at New York Medical College:
 - Lectures to first year students on: Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Preventive Medicine, Life style, Health and Disease-role of alcohol.
 - Correlation Conference on complications of alcoholic liver cirrhosis to Second Year Students
 - Weekly conferences to third year surgical students focusing on diagnosing underlying alcoholism, treating alcohol-related diseases including: alcohol and injury, liver cirrhosis and liver cancer, gastritis, pancreatic disease, head and neck cancer, genetic diseases and alcohol, alcohol and tobacco interaction.
2. Mentoring activities
 - Interaction with surgical residents, attendings, gastroenterologists, and research fellows at New York Medical College and other USA and non-USA training centers concerning alcohol related research projects.
3. Teaching, lecturing, conducting seminars on alcohol-related disease in other medical centers within and outside the USA.

Research Activities

1. Pancreas Projects
 - Together with several European investigators they are studying the natural history of pancreatic disease in 500 patients with a first attack of acute pancreatitis-a disease with strong

links to drinking alcohol. These patients have been followed for more than 10 years allowing them to answer questions such as: What happens to these patients? How many develop chronic pancreatitis? What is the role of alcohol and tobacco in the progression of this disease?

- A large project with the University of Pittsburgh involves the study of 1,000+ patients with chronic pancreatitis. Extensive epidemiologic data has been collected on standardized forms and, in addition, genetic material (DNA) is available for each patient. The information is now being analyzed. Dr. Lowenfels is the senior member of the team evaluating this valuable, unique body of information.
- Risk factors for Acute Pancreatitis. Preparation of an extensive review to be published in "Current Gastroenterology Reports."
- Alcohol and pancreatic cancer. Together with an international group of investigators, Dr. Lowenfels helped prepare a report on alcohol and pancreatic cancer, based on data from more than half a million people in 10 European countries.
- Elevated pancreatic enzymes in persons without symptoms of pancreatitis. Nearly all patients with elevated pancreatic enzymes have pancreatitis usually related to prolonged heavy alcohol consumption, but there were some patients with a normal pancreas, but who have a positive blood test suggesting pancreatitis. How should these patients be managed? What eventually happens to them? Is alcohol involved? We studied this intriguing problem in a group of 1700 hospitalized patients where about 10% had abnormal enzymes, but a normal-appearing pancreas.

2. Alcohol and Tobacco Interaction.

- In 2004 Dr. Lowenfels contributed a chapter on alcohol and tobacco interaction to a textbook titled: Tobacco-Science, policy and public health. (Oxford University Press) He is now preparing a chapter for a second edition.

International Activities

- As in previous years, Dr. Lowenfels spent a month at the European Institute of Oncology, Milan, Italy working in the unit of Epidemiology. He has been a consultant to this unit for more than 16 years and the collaboration has led to 58 publications, mostly about alcohol-related disease. The Smithers Foundation has supported this opportunity to work with the highly qualified staff planning and conducting research projects where there is a special relationship to life style factors.

Other Activities

- Support for attending scientific meetings on surgery, alcohol, alcoholism, and alcohol-related diseases.

1. Attend American College of Surgeons Meeting, October 11-15, 2008

2. Attend American Pancreatic Association Meeting, November 7-9, 2008

- Support for purchase of texts, reprints, journals, computer supplies, etc.

North Shore Boys & Girls Club, Inc.,

Glen Head, NY

\$21,000

The grant enabled the Club to serve over 2,700 girls and boys with over 30 programs for young people between the ages of 5 thru 18 years of age.

- Sports and Activities Development Program
- The “Beyond the Bell” after school program, which provides a relaxed, friendly and safe atmosphere during the critical 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. hours Monday through Friday
- Summer Camp Program, offered to youth in grades K-9, Monday through Friday 8:30 am to 3:30 pm with extended care services offered from 3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Cultural Arts Programs – the Artist Café and its trademark Rock Lobster – Live Band Shows that offer unique opportunities for teens to showcase their talents.
- The Canteen Drop-In Lounge, open every Friday evening from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. for teens in the 8th, 9th and 10th grade.
- Movie Nights, offered one Saturday every month serving 45 boys and girls in 4th and 5th grade.
- Torch Club and Smart Moves, interactive programs that promote a positive self-identity, social, emotional and cultural competence, a commitment to community and civic involvement, a focus on health and well being and a moral compass.

While all of their programs focus on building self esteem and the life skills necessary to help our young people avoid the pitfalls of substance abuse they continue to offer The Smart Moves Program and they are proud to say that 35 boys and girls participated in the program in 2008.

St. Christopher’s Inn,

Garrison, NY

\$1,500

This grant was utilized for the scholarship fund. St. Christopher’s Inn gives away well over \$700,000 a year for medical and counseling services (in the past, that number has nearly reached \$1,000,000). Scholarships are reserved for exemplary candidates committed to recovery who do not have the means to pay.

Their scholarship fund has been instrumental in helping clients receive and complete treatment. This program truly keeps hope alive for all those who call on them for a better tomorrow. They are so grateful for the grant to assist them in healing wounds, uniting what has fallen apart and bringing home those who have lost their way.

Turn 2 Foundation, Inc.,**New York, NY****\$167,000**

This past year marked the 13th year of our Foundation's affiliation with the Turn 2 Foundation. Derek Jeter established the Turn 2 Foundation in 1996. A lifelong dream of his, the Foundation was formed as a mechanism for giving back to the various communities that are a part of Derek's life including West Michigan, Tampa, Florida and New York City. Since its launch, the Turn 2 Foundation has awarded more than \$9 million in grants to create and support signature programs and activities that motivate young people to turn away from drugs and alcohol and "Turn 2" healthy lifestyles. Through these ventures, the Foundation strives to create outlets that promote academic excellence, leadership development and positive behavior.

Turn 2 is managed by the Jeter family with Derek himself in a hands-on role as President. In addition to contributing his own funds, Derek hosts his annual Derek Jeter Celebrity Golf Classic in Tampa, Florida and the Turn 2 Foundation Dinner in New York City to raise capital needed to successfully continue his many signature programs including: Jeter's Leaders, Turn 2 Us Healthy Lifestyles, Turn 2 After School, Turn 2 Baseball clinics, Proud To Be Me, Turn 2 Smart Moves, Turn 2 Staying Smart at the Bay, Holiday Kidfest and the Turn 2 Endowed Scholarships. Recently, Derek donated \$1 million to launch the Derek Jeter Academy at Phoenix House in Tampa, Florida, a residential high school for troubled teens combining education and intensive substance abuse treatment. All Turn 2 programs build upon its vision and goal of helping today's youth become the leaders of tomorrow.

University of California,**Los Angeles, CA****\$45,000**

Listed below are some of the accomplishments UCLA and Dr. Noble have made with the grant funds provided by the Foundation.

In 1990 they published an article in the Journal of the American Medical Association that found an association of the A1+ (A1A1,A1A2) genotype of the DRD2 with alcoholism. A large number of national and international studies have validated this association. However, the question remains as to why alcohol is more rewarding or reinforcing in individuals who carry the A1+ genotype than those with the A1- (A2A2) genotype.

To attempt to answer this question, they conducted a study on individuals with A1+ and A1- genotypes who were not alcoholic or drug abusers. They were given alcohol (0.75 ml/kg) or placebo on two order-balanced days. Positron emission tomography (PET) with [F-18] fluorodeoxyglucose (FDG) assessed regional brain glucose metabolism. Mood was assessed by self-reported anxiety and fatigue.

The results showed that alcohol enhanced mood in A1+ genotypes ($p=0.008$). Alcohol increased activation in individuals with

the A1+ genotype in brain areas associated with craving or reinforcement (striatum, $p=0.005$) and interoceptive mood (insula, $p=0.001$), but reduced activation in A1- genotype individuals in the anterior cingulate region associated with cognitive coping ($p=0.03$). Alcohol-induced mood enhancement in A1+ genotypes accompanied activation within a right orbitofrontal region associated with cognitive control, and reduced activity in dopamine rich subcortical structures associated with anxiety (amygdala), fatigue (thalamus), and craving/reinforcement (striatum). Alcohol-induced mood reduction in A1- genotypes was accompanied by marginally reduced insula activity. Overall, the results suggest that alcohol is more reinforcing in A1+ individuals, thereby providing an explanation for their increased risk for alcoholism. This study was submitted for publication in the journal *Addiction*.

It is amply documented that alcohol releases brain dopamine (an inhibitory neurotransmitter) and reduces cerebral glucose metabolism most strongly in the right hemisphere, thereby reversing the normal rightward bias in activity. It is well established that the DRD2 A1+ genotype is associated with fewer brain D2 dopamine receptors and higher risk for developing alcoholism than the DRD2 A1- genotype. However, the role of the A1+ genotype in mediating the acute effects of alcohol on laterality of brain activity and its effect on mood is unknown.

In an attempt to answer this question, A1+ genotype and A1- genotype individuals were recruited, who had no prior alcohol or drug problems. They were administered alcohol (0.75 ml/kg) or placebo, and these individuals rated their anxiety and fatigue. They participated in [F-18] fluorodeoxyglucose PET study to assess the effects on brain glucose metabolism. Cortical laterality was calculated from the differing portions of brain radioactivity in the right hemisphere after drinking alcohol or placebo: $\text{Right/Left} + \text{Right} \times 100$. The results showed that alcohol worsened mood in A1- genotypes, but improved mood in A1+ genotypes. Alcohol reduced the laterality of brain activity ($\text{Right} > \text{Left}$ under placebo) in A1- genotypes, but increased right hemisphere activity preponderance in A1+ genotypes ($p < 0.01$). Alcohol-mediated change in mood was correlated with change in laterality ($p < 0.04$).

It is concluded that alcohol-induced shifts in functional balance between the cerebral hemispheres may alter mood and contribute to the enhanced risk for alcoholism by DRD2 A1+ genotypes. This study was submitted for publication in the journal *Biological Psychiatry*.

The University of Oklahoma,

Norman, OK

\$10,000

The funds provided supported a presentation on Alcohol Abuse and Prevention on the agenda of the VIII InfoPoverty World Conference, April 17-18, 2008 at the United Nations.

In addition, these monies supported the reception and Delegates' Luncheon meeting where UN delegates and world leaders gathered to informally discuss the furtherance of the InfoPoverty goals, including Alcohol Abuse and Prevention.

These activities have set the stage for scaling up Alcohol Abuse and Prevention on the world agenda. Subsequent activities can focus on developing the strategy and planned actions resulting in the elevated stature and recognition of Alcohol Abuse and Prevention related to issues affecting the health of nations and peoples around the globe.

Professor John E. Steffens, Assistant Vice Provost Emeritus and Executive Director of the University of Oklahoma who has been instrumental in getting this program off the ground, stated in his letter, "We thank you greatly on behalf of all those who have heard this message and will hear it in the future. The countries around the world are more knowledgeable and more equipped to act on this issue, so greatly affecting the health of their people."

FOUNDATION'S OFFICERS

Mrs. Adele C. Smithers, President of The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation has devoted herself to the field of alcoholism since joining the National Council on Alcoholism in 1960. Mrs. Smithers is an activist for creating greater understanding of alcoholism as a respectable and treatable disease from which individuals can and do recover.

Outspoken when necessary, always compassionate and always a fierce advocate for the cause, she has been dubbed “the real godmother of the new style of philanthropy” (“muscular style”) by The New York Times for her precedent setting work on behalf of charitable donors. Mrs. Smithers has also been dubbed the “godmother” of research, education, prevention and recovery in the alcohol abuse and dependence fields.

Adele Smithers is a member of the Board of Directors of the Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Center at St. John's Riverside Hospital. She is past chair of the Board of the National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, founding Chairman Emeritus of NCADD Tampa; Chairman of the Alcoholism Council of New York and Vice Chair of the Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence; Honorary Board of Directors Member of NCADD/Westchester; member of the Board of Directors of the Employment Program for Recovered Alcoholics (EPRA), North Shore Boys & Girls Club, the William Edwin Hall Foundation, Tucson, AZ; Council Member of the Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies, Vice President of the National Board of The National Institute of Social Sciences , NY; Trustee of Portledge School, Locust Valley, NY and was a Director of the Family Service Association of Nassau County for eleven years. Mrs. Smithers is an Honorary Director of Recovery Resources, Cleveland, OH.

She is a member of the Board of Overseers of the Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club, Locust Valley, NY; Founding Member of the Palm Beach Guild for the Children's Home Society in West Palm Beach, FL; member of the Advisory Board of Gratitude House, West Palm Beach, FL; Patron of the Peggy Adams Animal Rescue League of the Palm Beaches and is a member of the President's Advisory Board of the Humane Society of New York.

Additionally, she has worked and supported the innovative Parkinson's Disease Program at the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine of New York Institute of Technology and in 1998 the Adele Smithers Parkinson's Disease Treatment Center was named in her honor. She was also recognized by The Nassau County Chapter of The American Parkinson Disease Association for her contributions.

In 2007 Mrs. Adele C. Smithers was invited to be a member of the Biltmore Who's Who. She is an Honored Lifetime Member.

She served in the United States Air Force from 1951-1954 attaining the rank of Staff Sergeant.

Over the years Mrs. Adele C. Smithers has made many personal contributions in the field of alcoholism and to other than alcohol related charities, which are not included in any of the grants made by The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation.

Mr. Thomas D. Croci, Vice President and Treasurer, was elected a member of the Foundation's Board in June 1994. He is a graduate of The University of Montana and has an M.S. degree in Guidance and Counseling, Long Island University: a PD., Long Island University in Administration and Supervision and is a graduate of the Rutgers University Summer School of Alcohol Studies.

He has served as a health teacher at Connetquot School District; Assistant Athletic Director, Connetquot School District; Assistant Principal, Connetquot High School; Assistant Principal, Cherokee Elementary School; and Principal, Edith L. Slocum Elementary School. He was a founding member of the Advisory Board for the Employees Assistance Program in the Connetquot School District.

Mr. Croci served on the Executive Dinner Committee for Derek Jeter's Annual Turn 2 Foundation Dinner and the Committee for the Physicians Alcoholism Treatment and Training Program for the Alcoholism Council of New York. He also serves as Secretary for the Long Island Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence and was honored by LICADD at its Angel Ball in 2007. He received the Founders Award, named so in Honor of R. Brinkley Smithers. Tom Croci is a member of the Board of Directors at the Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Center at St. John's Riverside Hospital and a Member of the House of Delegates, University of Montana.

In 2006 The Connetquot Foundation for the Advancement of Children honored Tom for his dedication to the Connetquot community and school district. He was also awarded the Edward Krepela Award as Citizen of the Year by the Bohemia Fire Department.

Ms. M. Elizabeth Brothers, Honorary Vice President of The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, also serves on the Board of the Warren and August Hume Foundation. She is also Co-Chairman of the Financial Luncheon Group and Vice President of the Central Florida Chapter of the American Association of Individual Investors, both of which are dedicated to increasing financial literacy, as well as a member of the Development Committee of the University Club of Winter Park. She is the Club's first woman member and the first woman to be elected as its President.

After holding senior development positions at Mount Holyoke College and Rollins College, Ms. Brothers became a planned giving consultant. She is the recipient of many awards for professional accomplishment and volunteer service, including the Brakeley Award for Creative Fund Raising, the National Society of Fund Raising Executives' Outstanding Professional Fund Raiser of the Year Award, the University Club of Winter Park's Community Service Award, the William Fremont Blackman Medal from Rollins College and the Cam Lusk Award from Club #1066 of Toastmasters International. A graduate of Vassar College, she is also an honorary member of the Mount Holyoke College Alumnae Association and an honorary alumna of Rollins College.

Mr. Christopher B. Smithers, Vice President and Secretary, was elected a member of the Foundation's Board in May 1987. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the R. Brinkley Smithers Institute for Alcohol-Related Workplace Studies, ILR School at Cornell University. Mr. Smithers is a Board member of the Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club and a Board member of the Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club.

In 1994 he was elected a member of the Nassau County Chapter of the American Red Cross and a member of the Board of Governors of The National Arts Club. He also served on the Junior Committee for the Hume Society of New York's major fundraising event.

In 1994 he coordinated an innovative alcoholism and substance abuse education program, using Readers' Theater Workshops to teach students about alcoholism and substance abuse, which was a collaboration of The National Arts Club and the Alcoholism Council of New York.

In 1995 Mr. Smithers' work on this project, as well as on other programs of the Arts Club, was specially recognized and he received The National Arts Club President's Medal Award.

Mr. Smithers was appointed a member of the Advisory Board of The Christopher B. Smithers Chemical Dependence Education & Training Center at CARP (Comprehensive Alcoholism Rehabilitation Program, Inc.), West Palm Beach, Florida in 1997, and is also a member of the Advisory Board of CARP's Board of Directors.

Our Vice President and Secretary, Mr. Christopher B. Smithers, will no longer be able to attend meetings or perform many duties due to the fact that he has relocated to California. He has formally resigned, but we hope he will be able to reconsider in the not too distant future. At this time, the Board of the Foundation wants to thank Christopher for his input over the years and the tremendous job he did in helping to make our 50th Anniversary the success it was.

Joseph J. Calandra, MD, Vice President, was elected as a member of the Foundation's Board in April 2001. He received his Bachelor of Science degree, Summa Cum Laude from the State University of New York at Albany and a Medical Doctor degree

from New York Medical College. He is a founding member of South Carolina Sports Medicine and Orthopedic Center in Charleston, South Carolina. He served on the Board of the Trident Independent Physicians Association for five years, two of which he served as President.

Dr. Calandra received his board certification in orthopedics in 1992 and was recertified by the American Board of Orthopedic Surgeons in 2001. He has extensive experience treating patients who have been injured while under the influence of alcohol and is quite familiar with the medical consequences of alcoholism and related diseases. Currently, Dr. Calandra has started a new consulting company, Performance Consultants, LLC.

He is actively teaching both medical students and orthopaedic residents at the Medical University of South Carolina as an Assistant Clinical Professor in the Department of Orthopedic Surgery. He is serving as a Board member of the Charleston Metro Sports Council. Dr. Calandra continues to be involved in the care of many professional and collegiate athletes in the Charleston community. He is a founding Board member of P.L.A.Y. (Positive Life Attitudes for Youth), who's mission is encourage alcohol and drug prevention through healthy lifestyle alternatives for adolescents. Most recently he was selected to serve on the Board of The Charleston Ride for Hope Foundation, a non-for profit 501C foundation that raises money and awareness to help in the fight against cancer.

Thomas D. A. Croci, Esq., was elected a member of the Foundation's Board of Directors in June 1996. In 2008, he was appointed Secretary and Vice President of the Board. He is also a member of the Board of Directors at the Smithers Alcoholism Treatment and Training Center at St. John's Riverside Hospital. Tom received his Bachelor of Science from the James Madison University, and a Juris Doctor from the New York Law School. He is admitted to practice law in the State of New York.

As early as 1992, Tom has been active in creating programs to address binge drinking at the college level and writing about the dangers of alcohol abuse and alcoholism in the legal profession.

Tom has interned for the New York County District Attorney's Office, Office of Special Narcotics, been a Special Assistant in the United States House of Representatives to the Honorable Rick Lazio and most recently completed eight years of active duty service in the United States Navy. Tom was deployed to the Arabian Gulf and Afghanistan and holds a commission as a Lieutenant Commander in the U.S. Naval Reserve.

In August 2007, Tom received a Presidential Appointment and served as Director, Strategy and Resources on the Homeland Security Council, The White House.

*CONDENSED
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THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As of December 31, 2008

ASSETS

Cash	\$2,722,761
Accrued Interest and Other	
Receivables 28,204	
Securities at Market	1,978,153
Donations Received in Trust - FMV	515,939
Property and Equipment - FMV	<u>3,942,002</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$9,187,059</u>

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Liabilities	
Accrued Federal Excise Tax	\$ 61,145
Accrued Payroll Taxes	3,303
Accrued State Filing Fees	1,065
Credit Card Payable	115
Deferred Excise Tax	<u>49,449</u>
Total Liabilities	115,076
Net Assets	
Unrestricted	8,541,914
Temporarily Restricted	<u>530,069</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>9,071,983</u>
 Total Liabilities and Net Assets	 <u>\$9,187,059</u>

This statement of accountability has been condensed from financial statements audited by the independent Certified Public Accounting firm of Jerry Gevirtz, CPA Mount Sinai, New York

THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the Year 2008

INCOME:

Public Support and Bequests	\$ 80,364
Gain on Sale of Securities	17,057
Gain on Sale of Property	2,910,338
Net Income from Investments	154,872
Sale of Publications	48
Unrealized Loss on Investments	<u>(282,917)</u>
Total income	2,879,762

EXPENSES:

General and Administrative	455,149
Program Expenses	<u>18,528</u>
	<u>473,677</u>
Available for Grants, Awards, & Foundation Projects	2,406,085
Contributions & Grants	751,972
Foundation Projects	<u>5,238</u>
Total	<u>757,210</u>
Excess of Expenses Over Income	1,648,875
Net Assets, January 1, 2008	9,446,194
Assets Released from Restriction	115,076
Net Decrease in FMV Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	(342,341)
Net Decrease in FMV Real Property	<u>(1,680,746)</u>
Net Assets, December 31, 2008	<u>\$9,187,059</u>

This statement of accountability has been condensed from financial statements audited by the independent Certified Public Accounting firm of Jerry Gevirtz, CPA Mount Sinai, New York

THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS, GRANTS, AND SPECIAL PROJECTS Year Ended December 31, 2008

1. Foundation's Own Project:

Information & assistance to organizations in the field of alcoholism	\$6,054
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2. Contributions and Grants in the Field of Alcoholism:

Adelphi University	50,000
Alcoholism Council of New York	60,672
American Society of Addiction Medicine	12,500
Boys & Girls Clubs of Tampa Bay	75,500
CLARE Foundation	1,000
Employment Program for Recovered Alcoholics, Inc.	5,000
Freedom Institute	2,000
Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club	50,500
Grenville Baker Boys and Girls Club	50,000
Hanley Center Foundation	20,000
Long Island Council on Alcohol & Drug Dependence, Inc.	40,500
Mountainside Foundation	2,000
National Association of Children of Alcoholics	10,000
National Council on Alcoholism & Drug Dependence	44,600
National Council on Alcoholism & Drug Dependence Tampa, Inc	1,000
National Institute of Social Sciences	5,600
NCADD Westchester	5,000
New York Medical College	25,000
North Shore Boys & Girls Club	21,000
OCCAM Observatory for Cultural & Audio Communication	10,000
Regents, University of California	45,000
Saint Christopher's Inn - Graymoor	1,500
Turn 2 Foundation Inc, The	167,000
University of Oklahoma	10,000
Veritas Villa Foundation, Inc.	1,250

Total Contributions and Grants in the Field of Alcoholism	<u>716,622</u>
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THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS, GRANTS, AND SPECIAL PROJECTS Year Ended December 31, 2008

(Continued)

3. Contributions and Grants for Religious, Education, Medical, and Social Purposes

Adele Smithers Parkinson's Disease Treatment Center	\$ 10,000
AHRC	1,250
American Parkinson Disease Association	3,000
Boys & Girls Clubs of Oyster Bay-East Norwich	1,000
Gift of Life, Inc.	1,000
Locust Valley Fire Department	100
Suffolk County Police Athletic League	500
The Darryl Strawberry Foundation	10,000
The Hero Network	5,000
The New Bronx Chamber of Commerce	2,500
UNCA	1,000

Total Contributions and Grants for Religious, Educational, Medical, and Social Purposes	<u>35,350</u>
Total Contributions and Grants	<u>751,972</u>
Total Contributions, Grants and Foundation's Own Projects	<u>\$758,026</u>

THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

SCHEDULE OF UNRESTRICTED SUPPORT

Year Ended December 31, 2008

The Foundation received donations and gifts in 2008 of \$80,364 as follows:

I. Donations received with special dedications:

In Memory of R. Brinkley Smithers:

Mrs. Adele C. Smithers	\$54,634
Ms. M. Elizabeth Brothers	1,000
Ms. Camille L. Hansen	75

In Memory of R. Brinkley Smithers and

Honor of Adele C. Smithers:

Mr. Amiel W. Brinkley, Jr.	200
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In Memory of R. Brinkley Smithers, Jo-Ann Croci and

Honor of Adele C. Smithers:

Mr. Amiel W. Brinkley, Jr.	200
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In Honor of Adele C. Smithers:

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Calandra	1,750
Joseph J. Calandra, MD	1,700
Thomas D.A. Croci, Esq.	425
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas P. Anello.	250
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas D. Croci.	250
Mr. & Mrs. Gary Maccio	200
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Mesawich.	150
Mr. & Mrs. William Willis.	150
Ms. Kristin Calandra	100
Mr. & Mrs. Edward Christensen	100
Mr. & Mrs. Anthony D'Alessandro	100
Ms. Grazyna H. Pietkun.	100
Karen, Kyle, and Kyra Codner	75
Ms. Camille L. Hansen.	75
Mr. & Mrs. Gregory M. Inserillo	50
Mr. & Mrs. Anthony La Petri.	50

In Honor of Adele C. Smithers, Jo-Ann and Thomas D. Croci:

Mr. Tony D'Alessandro	75
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In Memory of Angelina Bello:

Mrs. Adele C. Smithers	100
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In Memory of Mrs. Kit Brinkley:

Mrs. Adele C. Smithers	500
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THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

SCHEDULE OF UNRESTRICTED SUPPORT

Year Ended December 31, 2008 *(continued)*

**In Memory of Connie Bracco, Juliet Tremamunno,
and Jo-Ann Croci:**

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Bertelli. 75

In Memory of Jo-Ann Croci and Juliet Tremamunno:

Dr. & Mrs. Peter Lucchese 150

In Memory of Juliet Tremamunno:

Mr. & Mrs. ‘ D. Croci. 200

John F. Dennehy, Jr. 100

In Honor of Jo-Ann Croci

M. Zezima, Inc 100

In Memory of Jo-Ann Croci:

Joseph A. Ingrisano & Erin M. Ingrisano. 1,000

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Calandra 500

Joseph J. Calandra, MD 500

Hirshcleifer’s, Inc. 500

Installations of America II, Inc. 500

The Thomas E. Van Wagner Foundation on

Alcoholism, Inc. 500

Maureen O’Donnell 400

Mr. Thomas D. Croci 300

Golfers & Wives in South Shores & Indian Landing. 300

Paul F. Scollan & Annette C. Scollan. 300

Homeland Security Staff at the White House. 250

Nicholas A. Pace, MD. 250

Steven J. Ruden, DDS, PC 250

Duffield Elementary School 220

Ms. Fran Carlson. 200

Ms. Karen Christensen 200

Thomas D.A. Croci, Esq. 200

Ms. Christine M. Latella-Valente 200

Ms. Mary E. Lively 200

Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Sombrotto 200

Deirdre & George Surber 200

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Mesawich. 150

Ms. Stacia A. Murphy 150

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Tropiano. 150

Mr. Anthonly D’Alessandro 125

Ms. Catherine Ambrosini 100

Ms. Harriet Baer 100

Ms. Sondra Baer 100

Mrs. Martha B. Baker. 100

THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

SCHEDULE OF UNRESTRICTED SUPPORT

Year Ended December 31, 2008 *(continued)*

In Memory of Jo-Ann Croci: *(continued)*

Mr. Richard B. Bennett, Jr.	100
Ms. Helen E. Bovick	100
Ralph & Audrey Ciociano.	100
Coach Carlsons Field of Dreams.	100
Peggy & Frank Colandro	100
Connetquot CSD - Transportation: Maureen Loffredo, Pat Brennen, Judy Piazza, Pat Arthurs, Judy Keffas, Diane Maffia, Buckley, Vivian Caputo, Ronnie Regnier, JoAnn Sincropi . .	100
Connetquot Principals' Assoc.	100
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Christensen	100
John F. Dennehy, Jr.	100
Diaz Family.	100
Mr. & Mrs Arthur J. Farley	100
Norma Fontane	100
James Gott.	100
Claire Graves.	100
Ann & Wayne Haskell	100
Mr. & Mrs. Gregory M. Inzerillo	100
Mrs Linda Klaus	100
Mary Ann Knoke	100
Mr. & Mrs Anthony La Petri	100
Karen & Whitey Leavandosky	100
Mr. & Mrs. John McAvoy.	100
Mr. & Mrs. Gary Maccio	100
Mr. & Mrs. John S. Maloney	100
Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore S. Matero	100
Mr. & Mrs. Theodore P. Marohn	100
Mr. & Mrs. Paul L. Meszik.	100
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Molinari	100
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shurina	100
NCADD, Phoenix, Arizona	100
Deirdre Nunez.	100
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph P. O'Brien	100
Mr. & Mrs. Sam Quattrone	100
Dolores Rooney & Walter Rooney	100
The Sajeski Family & Lynn Hitzigrath	100
Ms. Barbara L. Scollan	100
South Shores Riverside HOA Inc.	100
Adam Torman & Keren Torman.	100
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Tropiano	100
Mr. Stephen Tropiano	100

**THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS
FOUNDATION, INC.**
SCHEDULE OF UNRESTRICTED SUPPORT
Year Ended December 31, 2008 *(continued)*

In Memory of Jo-Ann Croci: *(continued)*

Mr. James W. Wallinder	100
John & Peggy Walsh & Family.	100
M. Zezima, Inc.	100
Arlene Anello.	50
Christine Barbato	50
Hon. & Mrs. John Barone	50
Mr. & Mrs. Richard H. Bilda.	50
The Bosti Elementary School	50
Mark Brodsky	50
Edward & Kathy DeLorme.	50
Silva & Di Marco, LLP.	50
Mr. & Mrs. William R. Donaldson	50
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur A. Fruauff	50
Robert P. Gorman & Francesca Gorman	50
Penny & Dominick Graziano	50
Harold G. Hathaway III	50
Mr. & Mrs. John Jurgensen	50
Mr. & Mrs. Vincent La Porta	50
Edward S. Lewis & Valerie E. Lewis.	50
Mr. & Mrs. Harry Lightstone.	50
Carmela Pesce-Jockel & Garry Jockel.	50
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Maniaci	50
Mrs. Antoinette Masi	50
Mr. & Mrs. James McConnell	50
Anna C. Paolantonio.	50
Grazyna H. Pietkun	50
Alison R. Provost.	50
Geraldine C. Quinn	50
Rosemary Riegger & Robert Riegger	50
Sandra Rubin & James P. Rubin.	50
Bardia K. Saadatmand & Lillian M. Benet Saadatmand . . .	50
Karyn & Matthew Smalley.	50
Rande & David Spengler	50
Winifred J. Speyer.	50
Lt. Col. Barbara A. Vogl	50
Mr. & Mrs. Martin Welch	50
Mr. & Mrs. Allen Welcome	50
Mr. & Mrs. William A. Willis, Jr.	50
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Wixted.	50
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Yabroudi.	50
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph A. Gallagher, Jr.	40

THE CHRISTOPHER D. SMITHERS FOUNDATION, INC.

SCHEDULE OF UNRESTRICTED SUPPORT

Year Ended December 31, 2008 *(continued)*

In Memory of Jo-Ann Croci: *(continued)*

Zofia Proniewska	40
Judith A. Williams	40
Patrice Higgins	35
Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Schultz	35
Frank J. Cassar	30
Yvonne Bender.	25
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Bertelli.	25
Claudia J. Bloch	25
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Bracco	25
Barbara Brodsky	25
James F. Crowley & Margaret Crowley.	25
Mr. & Mrs. John V. Davide	25
The Higgins Family.	25
Susan Isca	25
Mr. and Mrs. William Jeslinek	25
Linda Santamaria Jones.	25
Valerie Jones	25
Dierdre E. Kirwin	25
David Levenson & Frances R. Levenson.	25
Peggy Lombardo, Camille Murulli, Donna Eivers, Anne Gentile, Diane Monica	25
Mr. & Mrs. Raymond L. Manniello.	25
Dionisia Pesce	25
Mr. & Mrs. Michael V. Putaggio	25
Mr. & Mrs. Glen Ritter	25
Mr. & Mrs. William Rutkoske	25
Ms. Alice Schaefer.	25
Leo J. Soricelli.	25
Barbara A. Stuck	25
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Tantone	25
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Todarello.	25
Ms. Berenice C. Toomey-Welch	25
Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Vacchiano	25
Jerilynn Volkman	25
Barbara J. Zapolski	25
Mr. & Mrs. Bernard F. Zelinski	25
Marylou Assante & Michael T. Assante	20
Lynn Bermudez & Richard Bermudez	20
Elaine Wilson-Holz & Raymond C. Holz	20
Honey Kidd & Michael F. Kidd	20
Karen R. Tilbor.	20

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SCHEDULE OF UNRESTRICTED SUPPORT

Year Ended December 31, 2008 *(continued)*

In Memory of Jo-Ann Croci: *(continued)*

Janet & Barry Costenbader	15
Mr. & Mrs Roger A. Vanostrand	15
Mr. & Mrs. George Capuano	10
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Erdman	10
Mr. Emanuella Ingrisano	10
Mr. & Mrs. Dominick Padurano	10
Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Poserina.	10
Jennie Verron.	10

In Honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Dennehy:

Mrs. Adele C. Smithers	100
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In Memory of John F. Dennehy:

Mrs. Adele C. Smithers	1,000
John F. Dennehy, Jr.	250

In Memory of Christian & Mary Hansen:

Ms. Camille L. Hansen.	75
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In Celebration of Braden Kerewich:

Mr. James Gott	50
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In Memory of Phillip Kerewich:

Mr. James Gott	100
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II. General Donations:

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Bruno.	200
Ms. Toby Cohn	200
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Bracco	50
Mr. & Mrs. William Willis.	50

Total Contributions and Gifts \$80,364

During 2008, the Officers and Directors of The Foundation provided various services to and on its behalf for which they were not compensated. The value of such services has not been calculated and is not included in the above schedule.

Publications on various aspects of alcoholism
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