RSF Mission Statement

The Rhododendron Species Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to the conservation, research, acquisition, evaluation, cultivation, public display and distribution of Rhododendron species.

The Foundation provides education relating to the genus and serves as a unique resource for scientific, horticultural and general gardening communities worldwide.

More information at RhodyGarden.org

Creating a Legacy

Plant Your Legacy Where It Will Grow and Flourish
The RSF is not engaged in rendering legal or tax advisory service. We recommend you seek the advice of your tax advisor, attorney, and/or financial planner to make certain your considered gift fits well with your overall circumstances and planning.

Leave a legacy. Plant a seed. Inspire the next generation. Celebrate the extraordinary. There’s no greater reward than making a charitable gift to inspire future generations.

Every day the Rhododendron Species Botanical Garden (RSBG) inspires and educates visitors about the amazing botanical world. Your gift to the Rhododendron Species Foundation (RSF) helps the Garden continue its dedication to research and conservation of the world’s more than 1,000 Rhododendron species.

A planned gift is a way to extend your support of the RSF beyond your lifetime, and this kind of long-term provision ensures that the RSBG will be here to share the inspiring story of the natural world with generations to come. Planned giving helps maximize the tax benefits of your charitable giving while allowing you to provide a gift that you may not have thought possible. There are many creative ways to provide a contribution to the RSF while enhancing and safeguarding your own financial situation.

The Rhododendron Legacy Circle honors those who have made gifts through bequests, trusts, and other planned gifts. Benefits include invitations to special events, recognition in the RSBG Newsletter, and recognition in an area of the Rhododendron Species Botanical Garden that honors planned gift supporters.

Some of our friends name the RSF in their estate plans and never let us thank them for their invaluable support. If you have included the RSF in your plans, we hope that you will share this information with us. We would appreciate the opportunity to express our gratitude, and welcome you into the Rhododendron Legacy Circle. Of course, if you wish to be anonymous, we will respect your wishes.

Please see the enclosed enrollment form for more information.

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