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- ~ Visiting and thanking alumni and supporters along the Eastern Seaboard ~
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# FOR CHILDREN 2019 Volume 1 KURN HATTIN HOMES



#### On the Cover:

Elijah, Grade 1 poses with the wooden sculpture carved by PJ Furgat from PJF Trucking & Logging who cleared some trees on campus.

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## Happy 125th Birthday, Kurn Hattini

In the early 1890s, The Reverend Charles Albert Dickinson developed a dream—a dream to provide a wholesome home for children from destitute and indigent circumstances. The early years of planning and implementation saw a few fits and starts, but by the spring and summer of 1894, The New England Kurn Hattin Homes were operating, serving 21 boys that first year. The beginnings and much more of the history of the Homes were written by John L. Hurd, an early alumnus, in <a href="Kurn Hattin">Kurn Hattin</a>, The Story of Home, which was originally published in 1989. In preparation for the 125th Anniversary, Hurd's work was continued to the present by Jaimie Scanlon and re-released in 2017. This book details wonderful stories of the life and people of the Homes over the years and is a must-read for all Kurn Hattin fans!

As we move into the commemoration of our 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year, there is much to report, to plan for, and to do. A 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary kick-off musical tour, *The Star-Spangled Heritage Tour* in April, will feature the KH Select Choir on a 7-day-long performance and educational bus tour to Philadelphia, Washington, Mystic Seaport, and much more—the first of its kind for Kurn Hattin! For this year's Kurn Hattin Day on May 18, all alumni are strongly urged to come back to campus for a special group of class reunions and celebrations. An 11-panel display of Kurn Hattin's history in the context of U.S. history will be on a rotational tour at various sites throughout our region all year long. Community lectures, concerts, and gala events are being planned for internal and external constituencies, not the least of which is a community-wide Fall Festival on campus in September. Stay tuned for specifics as the year progresses.

In addition to the external celebrations for the 125th anniversary, there is much going on internally and perhaps behind-the-scenes regarding this milestone year. As we prepare to celebrate the milestones and high-points of our history, I do feel a need to address certain issues that are particularly relevant in our #metoo influenced world of 2019. In any youth-oriented residential organization with a history as long as ours, there are elements of its past which, in the light of modern standards, would likely not be acceptable. We cannot change the laws and the cultural milieu of the past, but we can unequivocally state that we at Kurn Hattin express sorrow and apologies to any individual who may have suffered in any way from the practices of KHH staff in the past. Today our first priority is the safety and nurture of our children! In order to ensure that all children at Kurn Hattin are safe and well cared for, we have initiated a complete review of all child protection policies and practices and are instituting enhanced staff training for appropriate best-practices in child care as well as re-emphasizing the legal responsibilities of all staff as "mandatory reporters." Kurn Hattin must be an unparalleled safe refuge for all children here at all times! Other aspects of behind-the-scenes work going on are our efforts to achieve accreditation from the New England Association of Colleges and Schools (NEASC) by next fall. Additional work is being done by a Campus Master Planning group tasked to match program planning with facilities' use to determine our overall needs for renovation and construction of facilities. Their efforts are designed to keep Kurn Hattin relevant for the next 25 to 50 years and thus will launch us into our next Strategic Plan and a Capital Campaign for optimal campus utilization and endowment growth!

We thank all of our families, staff, volunteers, and supporters for the glorious legacy of where we have come from in the past, and we encourage you all to help us celebrate and participate fully in the wondrous vision of the solid future of the New England Kurn Hattin Homes for Children. May our rich, and sometimes flawed past, inform and inspire our future practice as we meet the surmountable needs of the children entrusted to our care, generation by generation—one child at a time!

Many blessings on you,

~ Stephen Harrison
Executive Director

## Charles Albert Dickinson AWARD

#### 2018 Awardees: David J. and Barbara Maysilles

The Charles Albert Dickinson Award, established in 2013, is given annually in recognition of individuals or organizations whose philanthropic commitment embodies the mission of Kurn Hattin Homes for Children. Named for founder Charles Albert Dickinson, the award recognizes those who make a significant contribution to the field of child welfare and help to transform the lives of children and families forever. A beautiful cast crystal relief sculpture, honoring the award recipient, features an image of Reverend Dickinson. The sculpture was designed and created by Vermont artist, Robert DuGrenier. Past honorees have been: the National Society of New England Women (NSNEW), Rite Aid Foundation, John and Carol Hubbard, George Nostrand, and Father Lance W. Harlow.



This year, the award was presented by Executive Director Stephen Harrison to David J. and Barbara Maysilles for their very long and extremely supportive relationship with the Homes. David came to Kurn Hattin as a young boy of 6 in March of 1936 and remained until graduation in 1943. While here, he was variously called David, D.J., or, affectionately by Mr. Mayo, "Herc," because of his physical strength and also his strength of character—both of which he has maintained throughout his life. David went on to Vermont Academy, Class of 1947, and then to Middlebury College, Class of 1951. While at Middlebury, he returned to Kurn Hattin to work in the summers and was introduced to his wife, Barbara, who was a young teacher here, by Mr. and Mrs. Mayo. David then made a 25-year career in the Marine Corps, serving with distinction in Korea and Vietnam before retiring as a Lt. Colonel in 1976.

In 1977, he returned to Kurn Hattin and joined the staff as Director. Mr. Maysilles presided over some major transitions at Kurn Hattin as farm life and manual arts diminished and modern educational programs and primary household chores became emphasized more. The physical campus saw significant transformations under his direction. He presided over the funding, planning, and construction of the Mayo Memorial Center, which opened in 1989. Mr. Maysilles also took on the challenging task of consolidating the Warner and Westminster campuses, constructing three new girls' cottages on this campus, and moving the girls from Saxtons River to Westminster in 1994, in time for our Centennial Celebrations. There is no doubt that the look and feel of Kurn Hattin, as we know it today, bears the appearance and imprimatur of David and Barbara Maysilles.

David and Barbara were unable to be present, so the Award was accepted on their behalf by their daughter, Cathy Zublic, and son, Duncan Maysilles. Duncan remarked that David and Barbara served Kurn Hattin throughout their lives, but their very ability to do so was because Kurn Hattin first served them. David was so grateful for the role of the Duncans in his life (James and Margaret Duncan were his first houseparents) that he named him Duncan and gave his siblings other sturdy Scottish names: Catherine and Bruce. Duncan named his firstborn Andrew Duncan, who later named his son Samuel Duncan. That's four generations of Duncans!

(Mrs. Margaret Duncan was a houseparent from 1928-1951. She was quoted as saying, "Every one of those boys had a good part in him and that's what I looked for; that's what I remember now.")

## SUPPORT FOR Happiness and Success

It's been just over six months since I assumed the position of Director of Residential Services. I love answering the questions people ask me about what my typical workday looks like and what my responsibilities are to the Homes' community. My answer is always the same: there is no such thing as an average day at Kurn Hattin Homes, and while I certainly have a job description, my love for our mission and the children and families we serve inspires me and guides my steps throughout the day. Undoubtedly, some aspects do follow a pattern. Most mornings begin for me at 5:45a.m., when I send out a copy of the new daily log and try to convince my 13-year-old dog that it really does make sense to go outside before sunrise. By 6:30a.m., I'm up at the school, unlocking the front door, turning on lights, and trying to sort through the mysterious pile of papers and other items that have



accumulated in my office. Breakfast starts at 7:15a.m., and I touch base with other staff while grabbing my morning cup of coffee. By the time the caffeine starts to kick in, I've learned something new and interesting about our community.

Once my cell phone chimes, however, or the first child shows up at the front door, my day can quickly go in any direction. I might find myself visiting a cottage to support a student or using both my cell phone and my landline simultaneously to track down important information. Ingenuity may be needed to retrieve a forgotten flag that has frozen to the pole overnight or to track down a missing backpack. On a musical performance day, I may be safety-pinning an errant sweater into place while searching for bobby pins and my perpetually misplaced keys before heading off to a series of meetings, some of which I may be running. Other days one might find me conducting interviews with potential new house parents, coordinating family visitations, playing a bass drum in the marching band, or practicing driving one of our yellow school buses. The students are always a big part of any day. Spontaneous hugs, lunchtime invitations, conversations, and impromptu card games and coloring sessions are always highlights that lead me to reflect on my own life experiences and the values they have instilled in me.

The key ingredient is always support—whether that be solving an immediate problem or taking time to really sit and listen to someone who is struggling. Sometimes it is also being humble and seeking help from others or acknowledging that one may need to apologize to someone or approach something differently. To those who ask, I simply say my job is certainly not a typical 9-5 position, but rather a calling and a firm commitment to honoring childhood and giving children and their families a solid chance for happiness and success.

~ Nancy Richardson Director of Residential Services

## FAMILIES, Thoughts and Experiences

Each child and each family has their own, unique story. We appreciate the letters, comments, and feedback that we receive from families who have entrusted their children to our care. Nothing can express the difference that Kurn Hattin makes the way their words can. Thank you to the family members quoted below who have offered to share some of their thoughts and experiences.

"After great consideration we have decided to withdraw our daughter from Kurn Hattin. This was a very difficult decision. Three years ago when she entered Kurn Hattin, the makeup of our home was very different. She made it very difficult for the other children in our house, causing a tremendous amount of stress. Kurn Hattin offered her a place to live—and work on many social skills, academics, behavior, the list is endless. It also provided us the opportunity for our two older children living at home to get through high school in a calm, more relaxed environment.

Our daughter was so fortunate to have wonderful houseparents, and an outstanding group of teachers, coaches, counselors, nursing staff, and administrators. Everyone worked so hard to support her challenges and teach her in all areas, and she made so much progress over her three years at Kurn Hattin. We feel that now that the older children have finished high school and have moved on to the next stages of their lives, it will be easier to focus on her needs, so that is why we have decided to have her come home.

We will be forever grateful for all the support all the staff at Kurn Hattin has provided for our family, and we extend our deep appreciation and gratitude to everyone. "



"I've been very open and honest about my addiction and other issues. I figure if you know the truth, my son can be more understood and can be directed to the correct people and get appropriate and correct help by the staff at Kurn Hattin. I never want to be a selfish parent. I am not able nor in a position to give him what you guys have and do. His love of sports and the history of the extracurricular activities has made it possible for my son to be able to be part of a team and spend time in practice and on a field or court, rather than being in front of a TV, pressing buttons or running wild unattended in the streets of where we live. It has given him something to look forward to and something to be part of. He has turned into such a strong young man from being a lost, angry boy who did not want to do anything but play video games. He has a sense of direction—a child who didn't care about school attendance now wants to make sure he returns to campus in time for school. Previously my son had no worries except loving me and telling me what I wanted to hear. I wanted for him to stay home from school, away from the outside world. Away from people, school, human interaction, always afraid.

He now looks forward to his sports. Now, school means something, doing and being good has rewarded him. He has taken the time to use what he has been learning, and has grown from it. As he continues to grow—accepting responsibility, gaining a work ethic, and being respectful and showing concern about consequences. He is more focused and responsible. His school work is important to him and he now truly cares about the right things.

I thank you all for being there for me, but most importantly, being there for him. Thank you for helping me help my child. Thank you for the time spent on and with him. Thank you for giving him the chance to be a child and creating the young man he is becoming."

Kurn Hattin truly does transform the lives of children and their families forever.

Consider giving the gift of childhood to someone you know. If you'd like to discuss the opportunities that the programs at Kurn Hattin Homes provide, please contact the Admissions Office at (802) 721 6932 or skessler@kurnhattin.org. Thank you.

~ Sue Kessler Director of Admissions

## The St. Nicholas Project



Volunteer Father Lance W. Harlow just keeps getting more creative in his friend-and-fundraising projects for the Kurn Hattin children. His St. Nicholas Project has raised funds for many of the children's needs, including swimsuits and shoes. This autumn, Father Harlow created a dessert cookbook, *A Kurn Hattin Christmas Dessert Cookbook*, with information and quotes from the children, staff, and volunteers; and of course, a collection of yummy dessert recipes. Books are available to purchase!

Father Harlow also created an essay contest for high school students and high school-aged homeschoolers. They wrote a description of what Kurn Hattin Homes does for children, including at least one social issue, and a fundraising or publicity idea for how the student's school,

family, or church can help support the children at the Homes.

Three prizes were awarded. The 1<sup>st</sup> Prize winner received a \$125 Amazon gift card in honor of the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of Kurn Hattin Homes for Children. Excerpts of the essay are published below and in the *Vermont Catholic Magazine*. The winner is also invited to Kurn Hattin for an official recognition. Second and third prizes were a \$75 and a \$50 Amazon gift card.

The winning essay was written by Charlotte Kellett, a 7<sup>th</sup> grader at St. Monica-St. Michael School in Barre, Vermont. Thank you to all the participants, and congratulations Charlotte!

#### Kurn Hattin

At Kurn Hattin, their core purpose is transforming the lives of children and families, which is guided by their core values. They teach them to never give up and to always try their best; to take care of their bodies, minds, and spirits; to make the world a better place by having compassion for themselves and for others. They show them that hope will carry them through the hard times and beyond. And they also teach them sense of worth, that they matter, and to find, accept, and live their passions without regret. Every child needs to be taught these values in life.

## **Fundraising**

It is important for Kurn Hattin to receive donations to continue to provide the children with food, shelter, school supplies, and many other necessities. One way St. Monica-St. Michael school could help to raise money for Kurn Hattin is by hosting a movie night. Everyone from our school, surrounding schools, and local community members would be invited. All profits would go to Kurn Hattin. There would be several signs notifying people about Kurn Hattin and how they could help support the school.

## The Joy of Music

Some people say that time passes quickly—and they are not wrong. Fondly, I remember arriving at Kurn Hattin as a 21-year-old recent college graduate. The position of "Director of Music" consisted of heading an incredible program with general, instrumental, and choral music. It was and still is a dream job. As a young teacher, I was able to direct a marching, concert, and jazz band, and several choral groups. I was also given amazing mentors who were beyond patient and allowed me to gain great knowledge. I thought that being submerged in this world for a few years would allow me to gain experience. After 33 years, I am still here!

What is the secret ingredient to the success of our music program? It is the staff, volunteers, students, and parents. Our community is what makes Kurn Hattin unique and highly regarded. Each child is treated with respect and dignity. The bar is set high, and they reach it. Also, at every performance, it is all hands on deck. Each and every department at Kurn Hattin helps ensure that we are a team and the needs of the children are the top priority. From clothing to meals, to getting somewhere on time—it is Team KH!

Music at Kurn Hattin builds self-esteem, creates discipline, and showcases many talents. Every child is able to achieve success and be a part of joy. It is a Kurn Hattin tradition to perform multiple times a year—at least 35—at many venues. This brings awareness to Kurn Hattin and continues the tradition of promoting the importance of the arts.

We are now approaching the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Kurn Hattin Homes and looking forward to showcasing our Select Choir. In past years, they have performed the national anthem at several venues including the Boston Red Sox at Fenway (twice!), the Vermont State House,



WGBY - PBS Television—and the list goes on. They are wonderful ambassadors for our home and school and deserve a great deal of recognition. In April 2019, we are about to embark on a seven-day adventure to Washington, D.C. and other sites of historical interest. The students will be able to see and perform in historical venues on our Star-Spangled Banner Heritage Tour.

I am truly appreciative of my Kurn Hattin family, all of my assistants and volunteers past and present, and our amazing children who help assist me each and every day to make music. Thank you all for your support. Please come and watch one of our many upcoming performances!

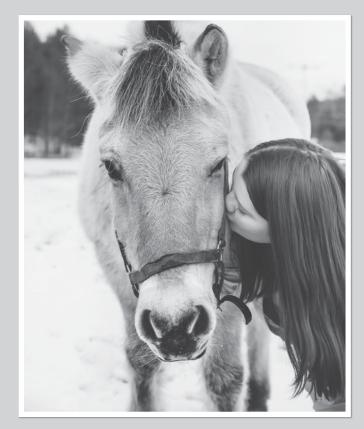
~ Lisa Bianconi Director of Music & Institutional Advancement Associate

## KURN HATTIN Album



The guests to Adopt-a-Cottage Sponsor Night in September enjoyed spending time with the children throughout dinner and cottage visit time. True North Networks from Swanzey, New Hampshire gave their best shot at learning to do "The Floss' with the Dickinson Cottage girls.

Rebekah Rounds '16, now a senior at Bellows Falls Union High School, attended Kurn Hattin as a day student in 7th & 8th grade. During that time she developed a deep love for working with the horses. This year, she plans to do her Senior Project at Kurn Hattin with Horse Program Instructor, Mrs. Stine, as her mentor. Her project will focus on the Horse Program and how it benefits the children. This beautiful photo of Rebekah and one of the Kurn Hattin horses was taken by one of our teachers and professional photographer Mrs. Kristie Lisai.









On October 26<sup>th</sup>, Harry Potter Night was a magical event and perfect complement to Kurn Hattin Homes' Halloween Dance. The dining hall was transformed into the Great Hall at Hogwarts. Everyone enjoyed a roast beef dinner while being entertained by stilt walkers and a magician. They made wands, tried their hand at Quidditch (game played on broomsticks), and learned about snakes in the Chamber of Secrets.

The  $6^{th}$  grade class partnered with Vermont Academy's  $10^{th}$  grade class in our new 6/10 Mentoring Program on October  $28^{th}$ . The Kurn Hattin 6th graders quickly bonded with their new VA buddies while carving pumpkins and enjoying some treats.

The Kurn Hattin marching band, dressed in costumes, led the Westminster School Halloween Parade through town after a colorful and mysterious I Spy Adventure on campus on Halloween day. Fun times for everyone!

Seventh grader, Tayshaun, greets guests Colonel Bruce Martin, U.S. Army, Retired, and, Staff Sergeant Pete Banning, Vermont National Guard, at Kurn Hattin Homes for Children's Veterans' Day celebration. Including readings, candle lighting, music, and lunch, the ceremony, now in its 23<sup>rd</sup> year, is planned and hosted by American and world history and civics teacher, Richard Long.







The holiday season at Kurn Hattin is always very special. This year, the children selected Christmas trees donated by Christmas Trees of Vermont. The trees were later decorated with traditional and handmade ornaments. Santa Claus made an appearance several times. Chester Rotary Club organized one of his visits, which included stops at each cottage. Vermont Academy students hosted the younger children at a Christmas dinner. Some of the area businesses and clubs visited the cottages they sponsor through the Adopt-a-Cottage program. Walgreens employees stuffed stockings full of items donated by their generous customers. The entire campus went caroling in the

nearby community, and Landmark College students caroled at Kurn Hattin. The very busy music program had performances both on and off campus. There is much celebration and receiving of gifts during the holidays. Though the children receive a lot, they also give back. They proudly share their community spirit at the Night of Giving dinner. Thank you for all your support to the children during this time and throughout the year.



Team sports of cross country running, soccer, and basketball were in full swing throughout the fall. Kurn Hattin Homes' 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade girls' basketball team showed good sportsmanship against the Dummerston Wildcats at a home game in December.

The middle school students in Mr. Fontaine's science classes are getting an experiential introduction to woodworking in their study of trees. As a result of a generous donation of wood by Tina Woodall, classes have been creating their own cherry cutting boards. The children worked on their measuring, estimation, and observation skills, as well as practicing staying on task while working on a multiple-step project.







All decked out and ready for a swim. Father Lance W. Harlow organized a fundraiser through his St. Nicholas Project and raised funds for new swimsuits. In the fall, funds were raised for shoes. We also received socks!



# Emerging FEATURING THE CREATIVE GIFTS OF OUR STUDENTS PAST AND PRESENT

It's always good to be kind no matter how anyone acts or how they look or what they have for clothes. Be kind. Every child is fighting their own war. You never know what it is. That's why here at Kurn Hattin Homes for Children we are kind to others. We make everyone feel safe and important, and we give them our best to help them when they are in need.

~ Caden Cotter-Sparrow, Grade 7

I think it is important to be kind because the world today needs more kind people. The way I see it, kindness should be the way to make a lot of friends. I also think that being kind will get you far in life. You wouldn't just be known as the one in school who was popular, but you would be the one known for being kind, helpful, and respectful. I read a quote once, "You don't need a reason to be kind, just do it." Even if someone is mean to me, I will always be nice to that person because in my heart I know that everyone needs love and kindness in their life. You never know if those mean words are the last words you will say to a person. No matter what, be kind.

~ Catrina Greene, Grade 8

"To all of you who are having a hard time in school, I feel the way you feel. For all of you who are having a hard time at home, I feel the way you feel. For all of you afraid to try something new, I feel the way you feel. For all of you pushing yourself as hard as you can, I feel the way you feel. I wasn't perfect during my time at Kurn Hattin, but I tried. I didn't have the best grades, but I tried. I can tell you what I did have: self-worth, perseverance, hope, and compassion. That's what drove me to work hard. I don't think you guys realize how much KH does for you. It gives you a home and a family. It gives you a good education and many opportunities I never would have dreamed of. Kurn Hattin made me the person I am today. It helped me get into Hershey (school) so I can gain more knowledge and hopefully get into a great college. Lastly, I just want you guys to take advantage of everything you can in your time at Kurn Hattin. It will help you a lot in the long run. Good luck, 8th graders. Hope to see some of you at Hershey.

~ Korbin Jones-McDougal, Class of 2018

## Home for a visit

Among our many visitors this fall was Duane Wiley, Class of 1967, who came all the way from his home in Lincoln City, Oregon. Duane and his wife, Deborah, enjoyed a tour of campus and reminiscing about his experiences at Kurn Hattin. Duane admitted that while he got into a bit of mischief when he was here, he had many positive memories of learning from staff and houseparents, playing trumpet in the band, and visiting Steamtown USA (which was in Bellows Falls, Vermont at the time). Duane owns and operates a successful plumbing business in Lincoln City, and enjoys living on the Oregon Coast with his family.



~ Tom Oxholm Director of Institutional Advancement

#### FROM FACEBOOK



for Children



Kurn Hattin Homes "I recommend everything about Kurn Hattin to everyone. Their family atmosphere is amazing. My kids always feel at home at this school. They do an amazing job with academics. I wished I had sent our oldest child here. This place is so amazing."

 $\sim$  a grateful parent

## Volunteer SPOTLIGHT



Mr. Terry Gulick, lovingly known to the children as Mr. T, came to Kurn Hattin in the 1970's as a summer volunteer. Mr. T returned to Kurn Hattin about four years ago and volunteers regularly in the library. He also works in our gardens, makes wreathes, and mentors the children. He learned about Kurn Hattin as a young boy when his neighbors gave up their farm to work at Kurn Hattin.

## Thank You All for your support

Kurn Hattin Homes for Children relies on your support to transform the lives of the children and their families. Ninety-five percent of Kurn Hattin's revenue comes from charitable donations. Our annual budget is just over 5 million, and we must use our endowment to cover almost half our annual expenses. This means approximately 2.5 million needs to be secured each year through grants, trust distributions, bequests, corporate support, and individual donations. Our annual fund goal this fiscal year (July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019), which includes programs, food, clothing, and housing, is \$803,000. As you can imagine, this is a significant fundraising challenge. Every gift makes a difference, and there are many opportunities to give. Your generosity to Kurn Hattin makes what we do for children and their families possible. Thank you!

Would you like to visit and see first-hand how Kurn Hattin transforms the lives of children? At Get Acquainted Day, guests are given an overview of the Homes are led by the children on tours of the school and a residential cottage, treated to a musical performance, and learn the life story of an alumnus/na. Lunch is also provided. Our next G.A.D. will be on April 5, 2019 from 10a.m.-noon. RSVP to Kim at (802) 721-6914 or kfine@kurnhattin.org.

> ~ Kim Fine. Director of Development & Public Relations

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