

## **Honor a Loved One with a Special Gift to LRWP**

If you have a loved one to whom natural areas, wetlands, native plants or wildlife have been important, please consider honoring that special person with a gift to LRWP.

### **Special Occasions or Messages**

A donation to LRWP in honor of your loved one's birthday, anniversary, graduation or other special occasion says that you care—and that you know the honoree cares about the natural world and the creatures that live there. Or, you can send a special message not tied to an occasion—such as “Thanks for helping” or, “With love.”

- Your honoree will receive a letter telling of your gift, and a donation of \$20 or more will bring the honoree a LRWP membership for a year.
- Your name, the name of the person honored, and the reason for the honor will be published in LRWP's quarterly newsletter, *On the Marsh*.
- You will receive a letter acknowledging your gift as your tax-deductible donation to LRWP.
- For gifts of \$500 or more, you and/or the person honored can also be recognized on our website if you wish. Please call 260-478-2515 and ask to speak to our executive director if you would like to consider this option.

### **Memorials**

When loved ones pass away, family or friends often wonder how best to honor them. Donations to LRWP that are used at our preserves become a tribute to the loved one's memory that will live forever. Donations to our nature programs will help others understand and more greatly value the natural world. Either gift is a fitting way to honor someone who cared about nature or LRWP.

All donations in memory of a person who has passed away will be recognized in LRWP's quarterly newsletter, *On the Marsh*, and each donor will receive a letter acknowledging his or her amount as a tax-deductible gift to LRWP. Memorial gifts totaling \$500 or more can also be recognized on our website if desired.

### **A thoughtful gift that lasts forever**

All gifts given to LRWP will be used to further its mission: to restore and protect wetlands in the Little River watershed and to provide educational opportunities that encourage individuals to be good stewards of wetlands and other natural ecosystems.

Donors may also choose to direct their gifts toward particular needs or projects. LRWP's use of significant gifts may be planned in consultation with our executive director, Sean

Nolan. Just call Sean at 260-478-2515 and he'll be glad to share ideas for how best to honor your loved one.