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Press Release

KenCrest Gives “Gift of Time” to Heritage Conservancy

Adults in Alternative Program Perform Volunteer Services at Aldie Mansion

Doylestown, PA, July 24, 2009: Heritage Conservancy, an accredited, not-for-profit conservation organization that specializes in preserving our natural and historic heritage, was recently honored when five developmentally challenged adults and two dedicated staff members at KenCrest Services volunteered the “gift of their time” at the Conservancy’s preserved Aldie Mansion headquarters. By performing the administrative task of collating, assembling and stuffing promotional drawstring bags, the volunteers exemplified their benevolence through an act of true goodwill.



KenCrest, a 103-year-old non-profit human services agency, is the largest provider of community-based services in the Delaware Valley and Connecticut for people with developmental disabilities.

“The adults in our program never cease to amaze me with their ability to learn and perform,” said Cindy Seok, Team Leader for the Pottstown, PA-based Alternative Program. “We currently support a growing network of individuals from 18-55 years of age and each one rewards me in ways I never thought possible. Whether delivering meals to shut-ins, feeding the animals at the SPCA, doing mailings for other local non-profit organizations – or driving over an hour to come to Aldie Mansion and help the Conservancy work their mission of conservation – it’s truly a labor of love.”



“We couldn’t be more proud – or appreciative,” said Robin Folkerts, VP of Advancement & Communications for Heritage Conservancy. “Their selfless deeds are certainly heartwarming ... and they really demonstrate the power of the human spirit.”

To learn more about Heritage Conservancy, including volunteer opportunities, contact Larry Fiel, Director of Communications, at 215.345.7020 x125 or via email at lfiel@heritageconservancy.org. To learn more about KenCrest, visit KenCrest.org.

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About Heritage Conservancy

Based in Doylestown, PA, Heritage Conservancy is an accredited not-for-profit conservation organization that specializes in open space preservation, planning for sustainable communities, natural resource protection, property stewardship, historic preservation, adaptive reuse of existing structures, wildlife habitat restoration and biodiversity. Through 50+ years of professional land use planning and design; innovative land conservation and historic preservation strategies; public outreach and education; and the application of "best management practices" for property stewardship, the Conservancy has established itself as a acclaimed full-service leader. Its recent national accreditation by the Land Trust Accreditation Commission affirms Heritage Conservancy's commitment to excellence, trust and permanence. Learn more by visiting HeritageConservancy.org.
