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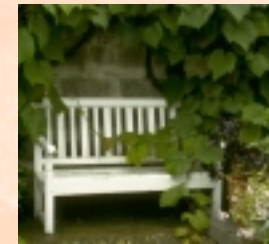
The University will retain the right to move, alter, or remove the item should the needs of the University change over time with respect to the gift, site, Master Plan, or campus in general.

Any proposed exceptions to University policy will be given proper and fair consideration within the context of the vision shared for the function and aesthetics of the University campus.

People or groups seeking to preserve the memory of a person or event are reminded that other forms of commemoration may be more meaningful and appropriate. Such alternatives might include a scholarship, a book or collection in the library, a work of art, equipment for classroom or laboratory, or other items related to the primary mission of the University. Contact the UNH Foundation at 603-862-2570 for further information on such gifts.

For information about trees, gardens, or benches contact the Office of Campus Planning, 603-862-2271.

For information about courtyards, sculpture, and other features contact the UNH Foundation, Director of Stewardship, 603-862-2570.



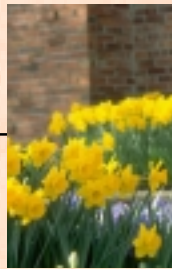
MEMORIALS AND TRIBUTES FOR THE CAMPUS LANDSCAPE

UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE community comprises the people who study and work here, alumni and their families, and friends of the University. Their engagement with the institution takes place within the setting of the campus architecture and landscape. These features form a unique aesthetic and ecology at UNH—fostering a University community with a shared sense of place.

A goal of the University's Master Plan is to preserve and enhance this common sense of place as provided in the physical attributes of the campus. New features, including buildings and athletics fields, are approved by the Board of Trustees within existing policies. Ancillary features, such as trees, walkways, benches, and public art, are selected and placed in keeping with the overall vision. The University strives to make the most appropriate choices for the ongoing development, enhancement, and renewal of the campus. These choices often include dedicated landscape memorials and tributes.



Policies for the design, selection, installation, and maintenance of memorials and tributes may be obtained from the Office of Campus Planning. This office will develop and maintain a plan and listing of items and locations where commemorative gifts would be appropriate and beneficial to the campus. Generally, landscape memorials and tributes will be of a size, material, design, location, species, etc., consistent with University standards and the Comprehensive Master Plan.

TREES. Because of their stature, longevity, beauty, and their relationship with nature, trees can make a particularly appropriate memorial or tribute. Species and site selection must be in keeping with the Master Plan, with the conditions and projected future of the site, and with the educational goals of the University. A minimum trunk diameter of three inches is normally required, up to eight inches or more for a large specimen. As living memorials, provision for long-term maintenance is included in the cost.

GARDENS. A long-term goal of the University is to enhance the campus grounds, moving toward a more aesthetically pleasing landscape with a solid foundation in natural systems and a strong educational component. Opportunities exist to establish memorial or tribute gardens at various scales in the campus landscape. As living memorials, provision for long-term maintenance is included in the cost.

BENCHES. As the University moves toward a more pedestrian-friendly walking campus, the need for additional outdoor seating increases. Granite benches follow a University standard, which specifies size, stone, finish, and mounting, in keeping with the campus aesthetic.

COURTYARDS. Where major pathways intersect and where campus architecture encloses a space, opportunities are provided for the development of outdoor courtyards. Such gathering places help create lively environments for the exchange of ideas, opportunities to engage in social life, or places to read and relax.

SCULPTURE. As a center of culture in New Hampshire, the University encourages the expansion of its public art collection. The landscape provides many sites for public outdoor sculpture, from the monumental and exuberant to the small and subtle. A policy has been adopted for the selection, installation, and care of public art.

OTHER RELATED FEATURES. Features and fixtures for the University landscape might include pedestrian pathways, bicycle trails, walls, staircases, lighting, fountains and pools, murals, bridges, and any number of other possible landscape enhancements which could be gifted to the University as a memorial or tribute. Each will be considered on its own merit with reference to University policies and standards, the Master Plan, current needs, and long-term costs.

Memorials and tributes will be recorded in a Book of Names, maintained permanently at the reserve desk in Dimond Library.