



## Heirloom Circle

Wolfe's Neck Center invites you to envision your legacy. Planned gifts, large and small, have the potential to transform the farm, and you the donor.

WNC has grown and prospered through the generosity of many individuals since 1959. Through our Heirloom Circle, we recognize and honor them and assure that their contributions will not be forgotten.

Join the Heirloom Circle of individuals who have made a planned gift to the farm. Qualifying gifts include bequests, life income gifts, gifts of life insurance policies, tax-deferred retirement plans, and gifts of tangible properties.

*Wolfe's Neck Center for Agriculture & the Environment is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.  
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## A Center for Change

*Transforming our relationship  
with farming and food  
for a healthier planet*

A sustainable coastal farm for over 50 years, Wolfe's Neck Center for Agriculture & the Environment is a one-of-kind place on the coast of Maine that connects farmers, eaters, and learners to the land and animals at the core of our food systems.

Wolfe's Neck is home to an oceanfront campground, leading demonstration farm, and educational resource center for innovative practices in regenerative agriculture and natural resources.

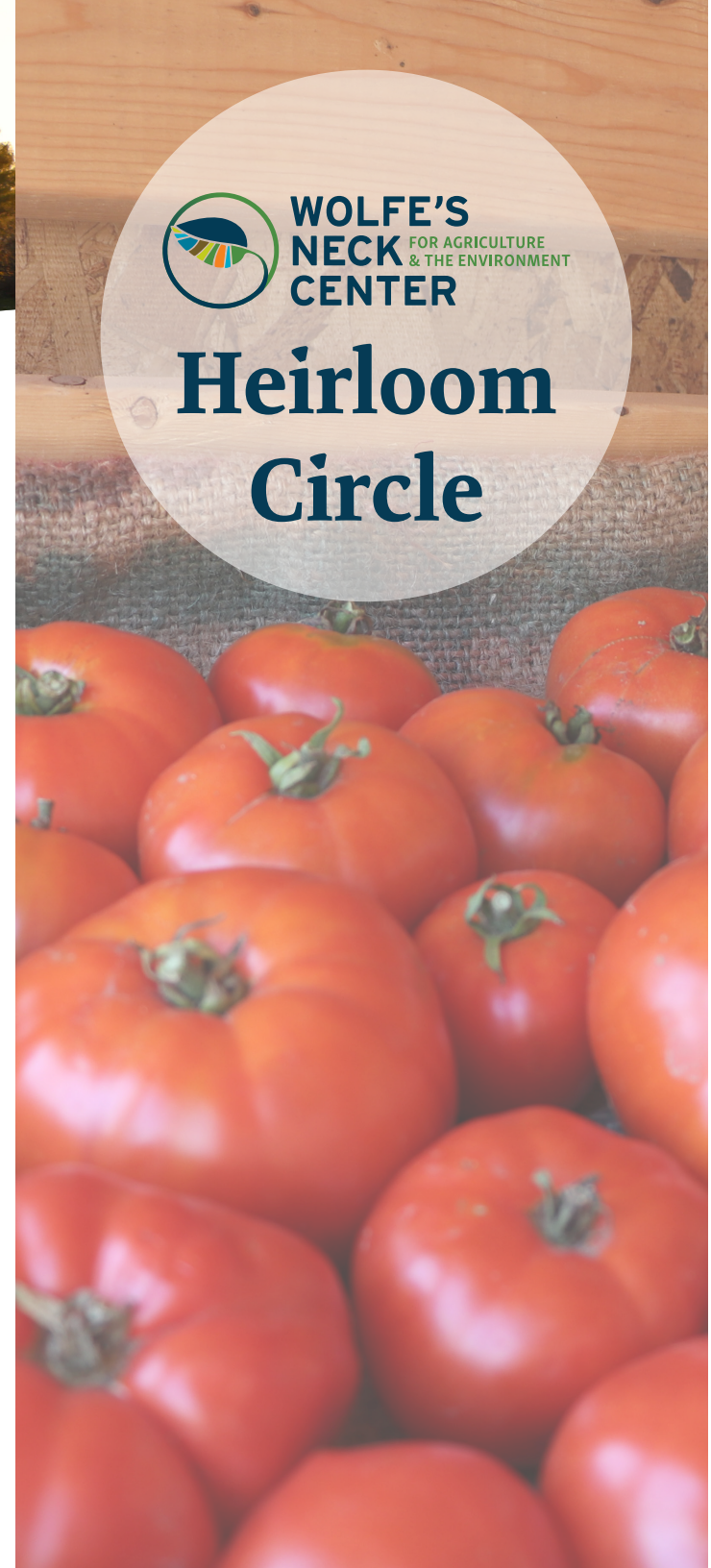
**Learn more at [wolfesneck.org](https://www.wolfesneck.org)**

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## Why Does WNC Matter?

For over 50 years, Wolfe's Neck Center has been a leader in agricultural demonstration and education, and a place for everyone to enjoy the shore, pasture, barns and woods. We are training the next generation of farmers, providing place-based learning experiences for people of all ages, and contributing thousands of pounds of fresh organic produce each year to area food pantries.

As we look to the future, WNC will play a key role in finding solutions to climate change through innovative farming practices. Our work has never been more important—to our health, to our economy, and to the planet.

## Types of Planned Gifts

Please contact Jeannie Mattson, Development Director, [jmattson@wolfesneck.org](mailto:jmattson@wolfesneck.org)/207.865.4469 x110, to discuss options and details in confidence. Individual circumstances are unique and WNC encourages individuals to seek professional legal and financial advice to determine which tools work best for you.

Contributions are tax deductible as provided by law. All donors receive a written acknowledgement of their gifts for tax records.

## Bequest

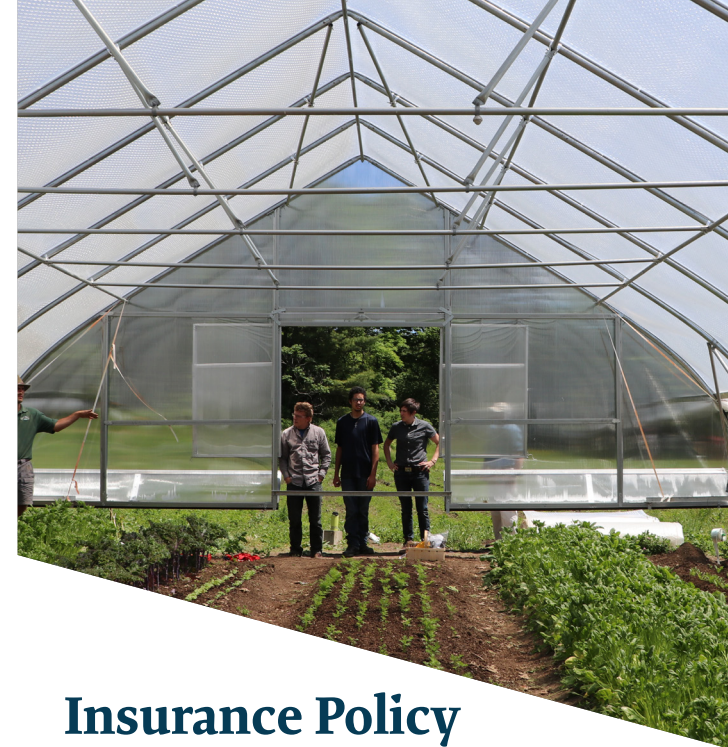
Giving to WNC via your will or trust is straightforward. Simply specify a set dollar amount, a certain percentage of your overall estate, or list specific assets that you would like to bequest to the farm. If you already have a will or revocable trust, your attorney can draft a codicil to your will or an amendment to your trust agreement to add Wolfe's Neck Center as a beneficiary.

## Charitable Remainder Trust

Trusts accomplish important goals: protecting your family, expressing your charitable intentions, and maximizing tax savings. Your estate attorney can craft an arrangement through your trust to benefit WNC, while at the same time providing current income and tax savings to you or your family.

## Retirement Plan Designation

Designating a retirement asset to go to WNC may be beneficial to your estate and easy to do. When you make a charitable nonprofit organization a direct beneficiary for all or a portion of your IRA or pension, there often is no income tax on the designated amount.



## Insurance Policy Designation

Life insurance policies are contracts that name one or more beneficiaries who will receive the policy's value upon the death of the policy holder. If you designate WNC as a beneficiary, the farm will receive the payout upon your death, and your estate will receive a charitable deduction.

If you are interested in receiving a tax deduction now, you can name WNC as both the owner and the beneficiary of your policy. As you continue to pay future premiums, you may deduct those payments as charitable contributions as well.

## Gifts of Tangible Property

Acceptance of personal property or assets may be considered in accordance with WNC Gift Acceptance Policy. Real estate, securities, and private collections are examples of these types of gifts.