

The Chatham Fund

of the Cape Cod Foundation

\$10,000 was distributed to 7 organizations in 2013 through
The Chatham Fund grantmaking program.

Cape Cod Commercial Fishermen's Alliance, \$1,000

To support The Chatham Fish Pier Outreach Program. This program connects the public with the fishing industry in a unique and effective way in order to build a sense of community and greater appreciation for the Cape's maritime traditions. The goal of the program is to create a better understanding among the public about Chatham's commercial fishermen and the importance of protecting this traditional way of life.

Chatham Historical Society, \$1,000

For Constructing Wilderness, a multifaceted project that will celebrate the 50th anniversary of passage of the Wilderness Act and the Monomoy Wilderness in Chatham.

Chatham Marconi Maritime Center, \$1,000

To install an Automatic Identification System (AIS) exhibit in the Hotel Building. Automatic Identification Systems detect the real-time location of ships and boats. The planned exhibit will incorporate a live display of local marine traffic and an explanation of how the AIS enhances safety at sea.

Chatham Orpheum Theater, \$1,000

For the purchase of assistive listening equipment. This Auditory Assistance System wirelessly transmits to individual patrons through ear speakers. The system meets the standards for the number of receivers that are required to be hearing aid compatible. The equipment will be offered at every showing in both theaters in an effort to make the theater accessible to all patrons.

First Night Chatham, \$1,000

For performing artists for the 23rd annual celebration of the arts held on December 31st. First Night Chatham is a town-wide event that annually attracts about 9,000 attendees.

Monomoy Community Services, \$3,500

To help restore the Roger Pollack Scholarship. The scholarship provides financial assistance to Chatham families to help cover the rising cost of childcare and nursery school. More than 180 families have benefitted from the scholarship.

Pleasant Bay Community Boating, \$1,500

For sail repair, allowing for affordable sailing lessons for all community members.