**GENERAL FUNDS**

*Aquatic Visitors Center*
Fund used to support vital public Lake Erie outreach and education programs through the Ohio Sea Grant Aquatic Visitors Center.
(313339) 2–25–2010

*Cooke Castle*
Fund used for the preservation and restoration of Jay Cooke's 1864 summer residence on Gibraltar Island. Acquired by Ohio State University in 1925 it is now listed on the National Registry of Historic Landmarks.
(301508) 6–1–1998

*Friends of Stone Laboratory*
Fund used by our support organization to promote education and outreach at Stone Lab.
(303701) 1–13–1982

*F.T. Stone Laboratory/Sea Grant Annual*
Fund used to support the needs of Ohio Sea Grant and Stone Lab.
(308272) 12–18–1986

*Jeff Reutter Stone Lab*
Fund used to support REUs, scholarships and/or equipment for research and education.
(482765) tentative

**GENERAL ENDOWMENTS**

*John H. Dunlap*
Fund used to support education, outreach, and development programs at Stone Lab that will ultimately improve the Lake Erie ecosystem and enhance economic development.
(241860) 2–6–2004

*Karen Jennings Facility and Institutional Support*
Fund used to build or renovate housing, purchase scientific equipment for education, and improve facilities for instructional programs.
(243446) 6–5–2015

*Ohio Sea Grant*
Fund used to support Ohio Sea Grant education, research, and outreach efforts.
(205406) 2–6–1987

*F.T. Stone Laboratory Sustaining*
Fund used to enrich the research, teaching, and service programs and facilities at Stone Lab.
(207015) 12–8–1983

**SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENTS**

*Wilbert (Spark) Baumler Memorial Scholarship*
Fund used to provide financial assistance to students attending Stone Lab with first preference to studying fisheries and second preference to studying Lake Erie aquatic sciences.
(200389) 3–5–2004

*Arley Duff Blankenship Memorial Scholarship*
Fund used to provide financial assistance to students taking introductory courses at Stone Lab with first preference to students from Appalachia.
(240573) 5–14–2010

*V. Ray Frederick Memorial Scholarship*
Fund used to provide financial assistance to non-Ohio State students or those from out-of-state.
(202290) 4–4–1986

*Kelly Prochazka Memorial Scholarship*
Fund used to provide financial assistance to high school students taking introductory courses at Stone Lab with first preference to students from Elyria High School and second preference to students from Lorain County.
(205928) 3–5–2004

*A. Jackson and Sally Koepp Smith Scholarship*
Fund used to provide financial assistance to students attending Stone Lab.
(246690) 11–5–2004

*F.T. Stone Laboratory Scholarship*
Fund used to provide financial assistance to students attending Stone Lab.
(207012) 9–2–1983

*F.T. Stone Laboratory Tuition Reduction*
Fund used to reduce the cost of tuition for all students attending Stone Lab.
(247005) 6–18–2010

*Wiczulis Family Scholarship*
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**RESEARCH AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE FOR UNDERGRADUATES (REU) ENDOWMENTS**

*John L. Crites Research Experience Forum Fellowship*
Fund used to support research fellowships for scholarly work at Stone Lab.
(201510) 9–6–2002

*Thomas Huxley Langlois Research Fellowship*
Fund used to support research fellowships for scholarly work at Stone Lab.
(203930) 12–5–1986

*F.T. Stone Laboratory Research*
Fund used to support research and related expenses at Stone Lab.
(202289) 9–6–2002

**TEACHING ENDOWMENTS**

*Fortner Teacher Enhancement Scholarship*
Fund used to provide scholarships for teachers in environmental science education and Great Lakes studies at Stone Lab.
(262261) 9–22–2006

*F.T. Stone Laboratory Visiting Professor*
Fund used to help provide for one or more visiting professorships to enrich the instructional programs at Stone Lab.
(207014) 9–7–1984

*Ronald L. Stuckey Stone Laboratory Teaching*
Fund used to support faculty teaching with preference to plant science courses at Stone Lab.
(247052) 2–2–1996
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The Friends of Stone Laboratory (FOSL)

FOSL was formed in 1981 to help provide “the best possible facilities, equipment and professors, and make this unequaled learning experience available to all outstanding students.” Students, alumni, faculty, researchers and others donate time and money to support the goals of the lab by establishing endowments for scholarships, equipment, researchers and professors.

The mission of FOSL includes:
- Promoting better understanding of academic resources, research achievements and public services of Stone Laboratory
- Encouraging the creation of endowments, bequests, gifts of money, and gifts-in-kind to enhance the Stone Laboratory experience
- Developing closer fellowship among students, alumni, faculty, researchers, and others
- Providing modern instructional and research equipment and improving the physical facilities at Stone Laboratory
- Advising in the long-range planning for Stone Laboratory

Events sponsored by FOSL occur year-round and contribute to the mission of FOSL by raising money, promoting the laboratory, supporting scholarships and improving facilities. Typical events that are held each year include:

Public Events

Winter Program
This social event is scheduled each January or February in Columbus. It features a silent auction and well-known speakers presenting information related to Lake Erie and Stone Lab.

Stone Laboratory Guest Lectures
Public presentations by top-name researchers, managers and elected officials are held each Thursday evening at Stone Laboratory from mid-June through early August. For more information, visit go.osu.edu/guestlectures.

Open House
Held in September the first Saturday after Labor Day, this public event features tours of Gibraltar Island, Aquatic Visitors Center and the South Bass Island Lighthouse.

Member Events

Spring Work Weekend
Each April, FOSL volunteers spend a weekend cleaning and repairing Stone Lab facilities and preparing the laboratory for returning students.

Annual Meeting
Held in September. Members host the Annual Open House, hold an annual meeting and vote on new board members.

Buckeye Island Hop
Held in October, this volunteer opportunity is a collaboration among The Ohio State University (OSU) College of Arts and Sciences Alumni Society, the OSU Retirees Association, The Ohio State University Alumni Club of Columbian County and FOSL.

Buckeye Friends of Stone Laboratory (BFOSL)

Stone Lab students! Join BFOSL and stay connected to the Rock!

Buckeye FOSL was founded by a group of Ohio State students who wished to maintain their link with Stone Laboratory and offer their support. Through outreach, it is their mission to educate students about the opportunities available at Stone Lab. Members take part in campus informational events. The group has also organized social events. To find out more, contact bfosl@osu.edu or visit us on Facebook at go.osu.edu/bfosl.

The Franz Theodore Stone Laboratory

Stone Laboratory was originally established in 1895 as the “Lake Laboratory” for students and teachers to study Lake Erie. Renamed and relocated to Gibraltar Island in 1929, Stone Lab now provides many more opportunities in education, research and outreach.

Today the mission of Stone Laboratory is to serve The Ohio State University, the Ohio Sea Grant College Program, and the State of Ohio as the premier research facility on Lake Erie by:
- Improving the quality of science education through high-quality, hands-on education for students in grades 4 through adult
- Creating opportunities for student research, training and internships
- Initiating special educational opportunities for high school students and teachers
- Fostering informed decision-making through education, outreach and training programs for managers and elected officials
- Encouraging and supporting research on issues facing Lake Erie, the Great Lakes and the environment that will provide the knowledge needed for better management decisions

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