

MISSION POINT LIGHTHOUSE KEEPERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.

Dear <First Name>,

We want to thank you so much for being a past lighthouse keeper. In 2021 there were 65 of you who were keepers. Thousands of visitors enjoyed the lighthouse, and your efforts were a significant reason. Hopefully, your experience gave you a unique insight into what life at the lighthouse would have been like 150 years ago and the importance of preserving and sharing this unique treasure.

I want to share exciting news from The Mission Point Lighthouse regarding the opportunity to show your support of the lighthouse in a new way.

A new non-profit support group has been formed named

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Mission Point Lighthouse Keepers Association (MPLKA) was formed to create a new method for supporters to be informed of news throughout the year and raise funds for new projects that would increase the knowledge and the connection to history that the lighthouse offers for all.

Your membership will support educational activities such as increased visits from school groups and public events to share historical information about the lighthouse and our area. Other possibilities exist, such as improving signage on our trails or a telescope viewer to look out the bay as far as the eye can see. These are just a few of the many possibilities that your support can help us pursue our mission: preserving, promoting, and educating the public about historic lighthouses and making the Mission Point Lighthouse accessible to all.

Membership in MPLKA will be on an annual subscription basis and will include benefits to members such as:

- Quarterly newsletter regarding the happenings at the lighthouse
- Discounts on merchandise purchases and tours
- Membership Card

Becoming a member is easy.

First: choose the category of membership you would like, as follows:

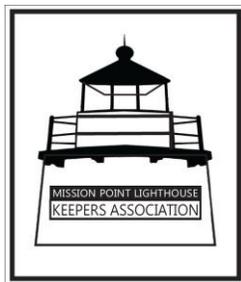
Individual Member:

1 Year \$ 25
2 Years \$ 40

Family Members:

1 Year \$ 50
2 Years \$ 90

Lifetime Member: \$1,000



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Second: Complete the attached membership form

Third: Mail the membership form and payment to:

MPLKA
David Tucker, Treasurer
16748 Wrightwood Trail
Traverse City, MI 49686

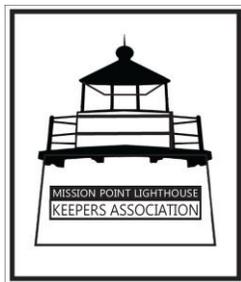
I hope you choose to join us as we move forward to improve the lighthouse experience for visitors even more than in the past. Please help us reach our goal of 25 founding members of MPLKA by March 31, 2022.

If you have any thoughts or ideas, please share them with us.

Brit Eaton, President
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231-499-4438

OUR MISSION:

The Mission Point Lightkeepers Association, Inc., MPLKA, is organized exclusively for scientific, educational, and charitable purposes. The purpose of the Mission Point Lightkeepers Association, Inc. includes preserving and protecting the historic character and landscape of the Mission Point Lighthouse; protecting the natural environment of the lighthouse property; the future use of the lighthouse property for education programs about the Old Mission Peninsula and maritime history and culture, arts and the study of the ecology of the Old Mission Peninsula for the benefit of its membership and the general public. MPLKA seeks active participation in these efforts from people of all ages, nationalities, backgrounds, and lifestyles.



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Perhaps in the past, you have been an official "lighthouse keeper," spending a week at the lighthouse helping to share its heritage with the public. Maybe you have been one of the tens of thousands of annual visitors to the lighthouse and tried to imagine what life at the lighthouse would have been 150 years ago. Or perhaps you just like lighthouses and think it necessary to preserve and share the history of their unique place in our past. If you are interested in lighthouses, you might be interested in becoming an honorary "keeper" and joining our association.

NAME (S): _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

E-MAIL (1): _____ E-MAIL (2): _____

PHONE (C) (H): _____ PHONE (C) (H) _____

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS:

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SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____

Please mail your check along with this application to:

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Thank you for your kind support and Welcome Aboard!

Mission Point Lighthouse Keepers Association, Inc. has applied for but has not yet received our IRS code 501(c)(3) tax-exemption status.