Dear Friends of Hand:

The Hand Educational Foundation is a group of parents that work with Hand teachers and administrators to identify large scale projects to benefit the students and teachers of Hand Middle School as well as the adjacent community. In recent years, as public school budgets have become tighter, the Foundation has played an increasingly important role in filling gaps when funding is limited.

Examples of Foundation projects include the following:

- Construction of Hand's track and soccer field;
- Construction of the Emily Douglas Park Amphitheater;
- 4-panel Video Matrix wall-display (presently located outside of the school auditorium);
- Mobile Digital Tablet Classroom (Consisting of 30 iPads, a MacBook Pro and a mobile cart) allowing it to be moved from room to room; and most recently
- Over \$20,000 in classroom TVs.

The Foundation currently is recruiting new members. Please consider joining the Hand Educational Team! The commitment entails attending a one-hour monthly evening meeting, held at the school. If you have any questions or if you are interested in joining, please contact John Meyers at meyersjohnm@gmail.com.

If you are unable to volunteer your time but you would still like to support the Foundation, please consider making a tax-deductible donation. All contributions will go directly to the types of projects described above.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

The Board of Directors
Hand Educational Foundation