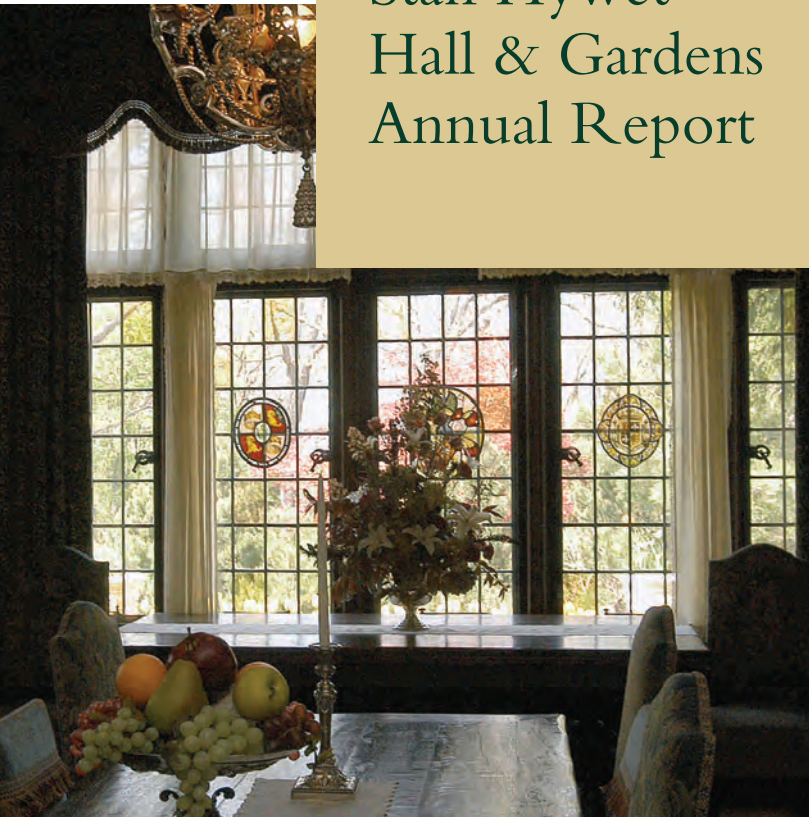


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Stan Hywet
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Annual Report



A Magnificent Historic House Museum and Country Estate



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	Year Ending 12/31/07	Year Ending 12/31/06
SUPPORT AND REVENUE		
Contributions	\$249,527	\$400,132
Public Program Sponsorship	67,295	95,350
Memberships	198,977	197,198
Tours	439,806	375,564
Museum Store & Carriage House Cafe'	325,765	345,056
Public Programs	740,486	795,770
Rental Income	295,307	191,626
Food Service Income	317,270	264,037
Gas & Oil Income	240,643	227,698
Investment Income	1,760,011	2,183,231
Miscellaneous	137,470	
Total Support and Revenue	5,091,677	6,663,462
Net Assets Released from Restriction	(456,590)	1,450,330
Total Support, Revenues and Net Assets Released from Restriction	4,635,087	5,213,132
EXPENSES		
Tours	105,389	177,538
Educational Programs	65,622	59,667
Volunteers	50,321	43,128
Facilities, Maintenance and Security	644,246	1,092,849
Guest Services	95,897	162,317
Horticulture and Greenhouse	399,320	477,131
Curatorial	191,729	185,403
Membership	66,943	83,837
Management and General	1,828,608	2,154,213
Rentals and Food Service	350,337	297,582
Museum Store and Carriage House Cafe'	314,472	318,522
Marketing	288,685	363,774
Public Programs and Events	322,216	550,591
Fundraising	387,562	384,158
Miscellaneous	30,763	10,600
Total Expenses	5,175,110	6,361,310
Change in Unrestricted Net Assets	(83,433)	(302,152)*

* Reflects capital improvements expensed in 2006

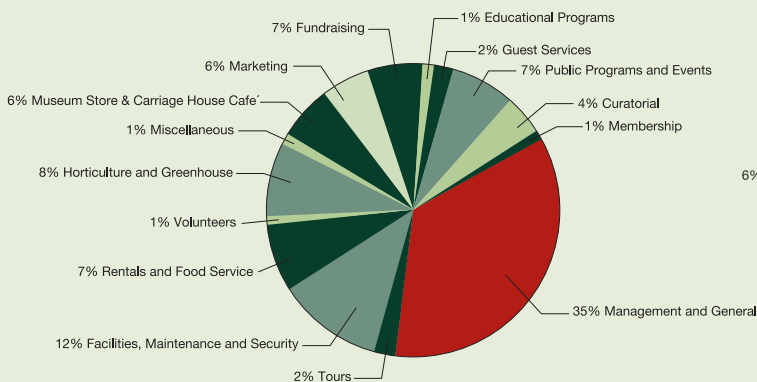
An independent certified public accounting firm audited the financial statements of Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens, Inc. (Stan Hywet) and Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens Foundation (the Foundation) for the years ended December 31, 2007 and 2006. An audit in accordance with generally accepted accounting standards includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management.

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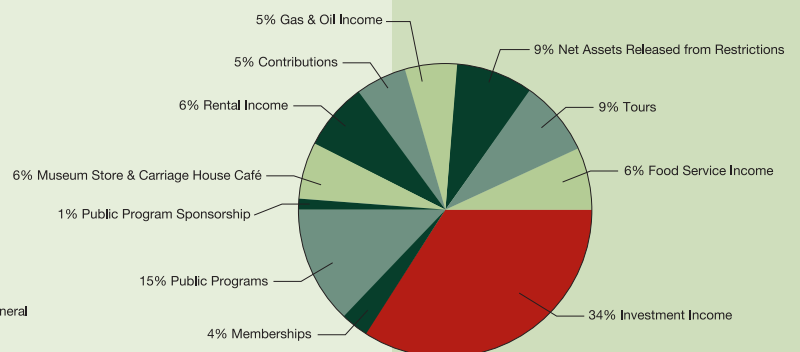
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This campaign will ensure Stan Hywet's stature as a nationally recognized historic estate museum, as the most distinctive historic institution in Akron and the region, and as a place that is relevant and inspiring to all who visit. Upon completion, every major garden, significant landscape feature, and original building will be fully restored.

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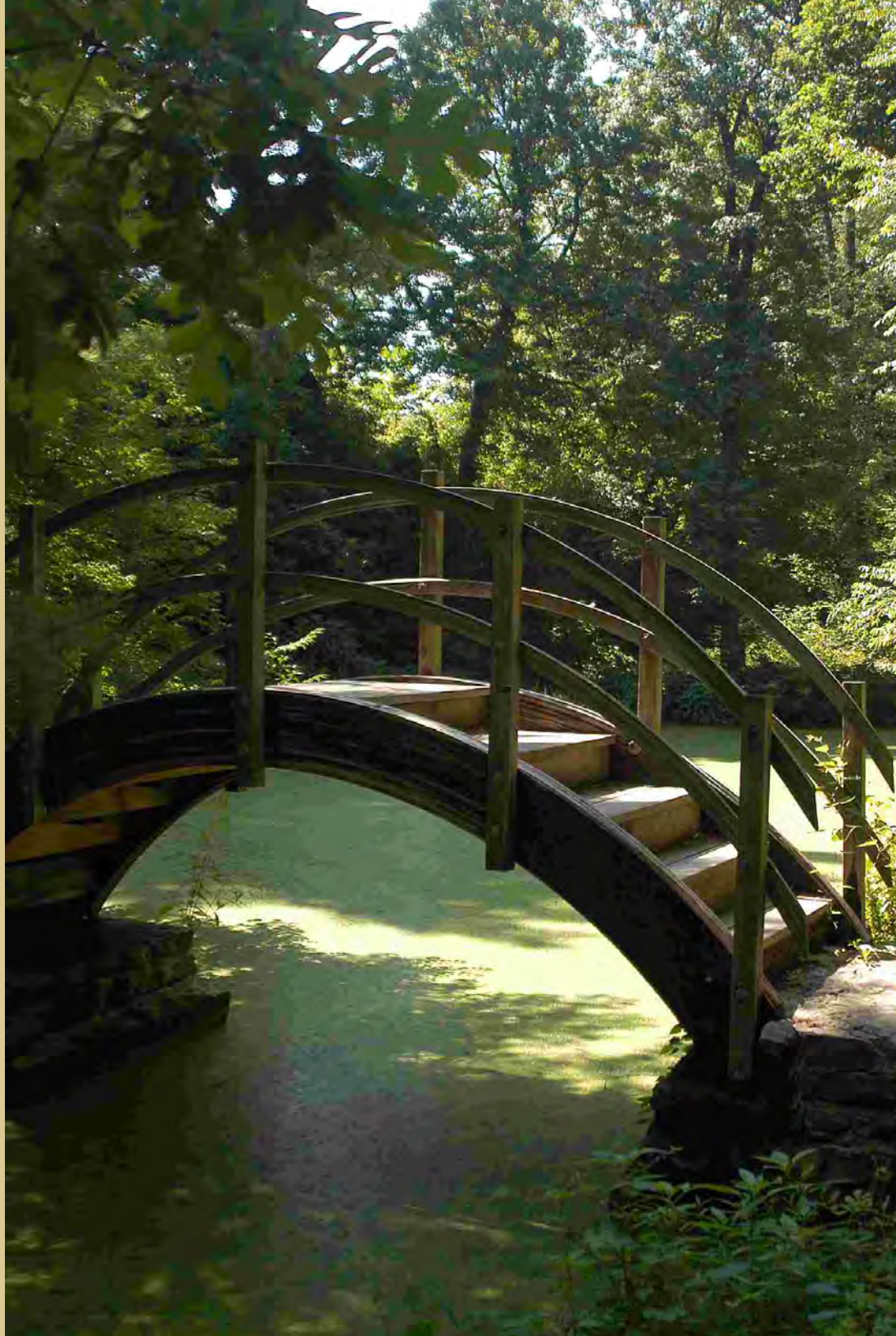
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