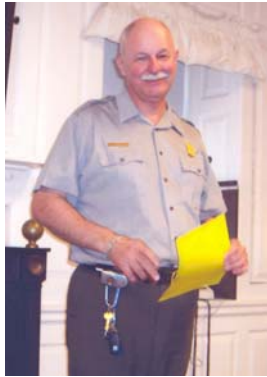




*Dick Brummer, Rod and Lore Smith*



*Charles Markis, Caterer*



*Roy Fuchs and Nancy Hall*



*Kendall Sarna with her pink cast*



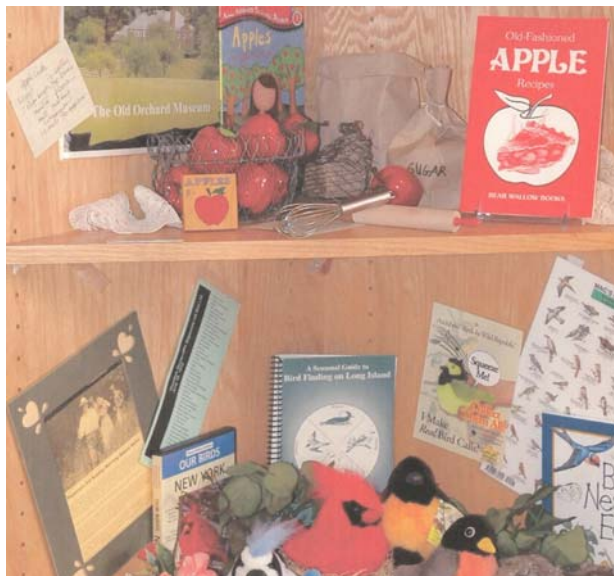
*Sue Sama, Maeve Casey & Asenath Fuchs*



*Rose White enjoying the buffet*

## THE RAIN JACKETS HAVE ARRIVED

For those volunteers who work at the TRH, they are in the back room; for those that work at the Old Orchard museum, they are at the first-floor office. The jackets have the recipient's name in the package. Please pick up your jacket as soon as possible.



## EASTERN NATIONAL DISPLAY WINNER

Our own Debbie Bulck, manager of the Gift Shop, had the winning display in a contest of Eastern National outlets. The winning display is pictured on the left. Congratulations, Debbie!

# VOLUNTEER AWARDS CEREMONY DRAWS NICE CROWD

Due to potential inclement and cold weather, the Awards Ceremony was held in Old Orchard. Through the generosity of *Eastern National Park and Monument Association*, the food tables groaned under the weight of a delicious buffet. *Charles Markis* oversaw the selection and purchasing. Volunteers *Christine Ghent* and *Rita Onorato* arrived at what felt like dawn, to help set the tables. *Gay Vietzke* made sure the different items were constantly refilled.



*Mike Vezzi, first for dinner*

The ceremony in the conference room started off with a bang. The superintendent announced that she will be leaving the site in June to become the Superintendent of *Fort McHenry National Historic Site*. More details of her departure are found in the Superintendent's column.



*Walter Fish and Bob Ghent*



*Frank and Marie Konop & Ross White*

This year everyone present had a chance to introduce themselves. We are a little insular since the Wednesday people don't know the Friday volunteers and the Sunday people haven't met the museum interpreters. The introductions were followed by a brief history of volunteering at Sagamore Hill by the Chairman of the

Volunteers Advisory Board. *Norman Parsons*, President of the TRA gave an update of that organization's efforts with respect to its activity in Oyster Bay and Nassau County. He thanked the volunteers for their efforts in helping to maintain the legacy of TR.



*Norm Parsons*



*Julie Nace and family*



*Asenath Fuchs and Barbara*



Hours bars were distributed. Then Curator *Amy Verone* presented the *Curatorial White Glove Award*, a pair of monogrammed white working gloves to *Milton Elis*. *Charles Markis* presented the *Toby Kennedy Interpreter of the Year* to *Toby Selda*. Toby received a pair of bookends. The superintendent then gave special *Thankyous* (Red Bandanas wrapped around a bottle of wine) to Sunday Volunteers, *Maeve and Brendan Casey*. And in a break with tradition, gave similar awards to Rangers *Noreen Hancock* and *Scott Gurney*.



*Brendan & Maeve Casey with Gay*

The *Lady Glenn Volunteer of the Year Award*, a boxed American flag that had flown over the site was made to *Bill Steibel* for his work in constantly updating and up-grading the site's web site. Bill was not present to receive his award. The evening concluded with coffee and desserts



*Toby Selda with her award*



*Bill Steibel,  
Volunteer of the Year*



*Milton Elis receives  
gloves from Amy Verone*



*Jay and Ginny Perrell with Rich Sarna*