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Form **990-EZ**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form.

► The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

OMB No 1545-1150

2009**Open to Public Inspection****A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning** **JULY 1**, 2009, and ending **JUNE 30**, 2010

B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Name of organization AWESOME BEAR SOCIETY		D Employer identification number 75-3045476
		Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite		E Telephone number 207-287-7672
		P.O. BOX 304		F Group Exemption Number ►
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 MANCHESTER, ME 04351		

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

G Accounting Method: ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual
Other (specify) ►

I Website: ► **NONE****J Tax-exempt status** (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (3) ◀ (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

H Check ► ☒ if the organization is **not** required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

K Check ► ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally **not** more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts, if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ **59,774****Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (See the instructions for Part I.)

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	11,010
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
	4	Investment income	4	
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	5b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	5c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here ► ☐		
	a	Gross revenue (not including \$ <u>11,010</u> of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	28,435
	b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	12,242
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	16,193	
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	20,155	
b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	12,919	
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	7,236	
8	Other revenue (describe ► <u>INTEREST FROM SAVINGS ACCOUNT AND CDs</u>)	8	174	
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	34,613	
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	19,940
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
	16	Other expenses (describe ► <u>111CS</u>)	16	
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	19,940
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	14,673
	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	27,828
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	42,501

Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ.

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	36,050	55,876
23 Land and buildings	0	0
24 Other assets (describe ► <u>MERCHANDISE INVENTORY, CONCESSION EQUIPMENT</u>)	7,226	5,372
25 Total assets	43,276	61,248
26 Total liabilities (describe ► <u>SUPPORT COMMITTED TO SCHOOL ACTIVITIES</u>)	15,448	18,747
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	27,828	42,501

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Part III	Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions for Part III.)
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Expenses

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?	<u>Support public high school co-curricular programs</u>
Describe what was achieved in carrying out the organization's exempt purposes. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title	

(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts, optional for others)

28	Funding of c0-curricular programs of public high school - 428 students served		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	28a	19.940
29			
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	29a	
30			
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	30a	
31	Other program services (attach schedule) ☐		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	31a	
32	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) ►	32	19.940

Part IV	List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees. List each one even if not compensated. (See the instructions for Part IV.)
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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.)

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity	☒	☐
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	☐	☒
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T.		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	☐	☒
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. 37a 0		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		☒
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?		☒
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter.		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 40a , section 4912 40a ; section 4955 40a		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		☒
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 40c 0		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization 40d 0		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T. 40e		☒
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. 41		
42a The organization's books are in care of BRUCE HUNTER Telephone no. 207-287-772 Located at 44 OLD FAIRGROUNDS RD., READFIELD, ME ZIP + 4 04355-3745		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? 42b	☐	☒
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: 42b See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts .		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.? 42c		☒
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: 42c		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here 43 ☐		
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ 44		☒
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ 45		☒

Part VI **Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46-49b and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

46	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	46	☐	☒
47	Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	47	☐	☒
48	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	☐	☒
49a	Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	☐	☒
b	If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	☐	☒
50	Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."			

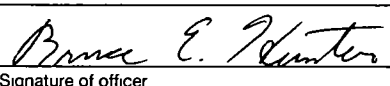
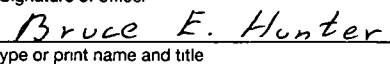
(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
NONE				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 . . . ▶ _____

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 . . . ▶ _____

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			
	 Signature of officer		11/12/10 Date	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	 Type or print name and title		Treasurer	
	Preparer's signature 	Date _____	Check if self-employed ☐	Preparer's identifying number (See instructions) EIN ▶ _____ Phone no ▶ _____

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

AWESOME BEAR SOCIETY

Employer identification number

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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.)

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
 - 2 ☐ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E.)
 - 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
 - 4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: _____
 - 5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
 - 6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
 - 7 ☐ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
 - 8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
 - 9 ☒ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33⅓ % of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33⅓ % of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
 - 10 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
 - 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a ☐ Type I
 - b ☐ Type II
 - c ☐ Type III—Functionally integrated
 - d ☐ Type III—Other
 - e ☐ By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
 - f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box ☐
 - g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
 - (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		
 - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?

11g(ii)		
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 - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

11g(iii)		
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 - h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33 1/3 % support test—2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		☐
b 33 1/3 % support test—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		☐
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		☐
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		☐
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ►		☐

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	1,665	1,525	185	3,245	150	6,770
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose	43,559	39,618	29,246	19,962	48,811	181,196
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513					639	639
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	45,224	41,143	29,431	23,207	49,600	188,605
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						188,605

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	45,224	41,143	29,431	23,207	49,600	188,605
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	380	1,411	1,259	559	174	3,783
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	380	1,411	1,259	559	174	3,783
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)	45,604	42,554	30,690	23,766	49,774	192,388
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	98.03 %
16 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	70.97 %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	1.97 %
18 Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	29.03 %

19a 33⅓ % support tests—2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33⅓ %, and line 17 is not more than 33⅓ %, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► ☒

b 33⅓ % support tests—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33⅓ %, and line 18 is not more than 33⅓ %, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► ☐

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ► ☐

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Provide any other additional information. See instructions.

UNUSUAL GRANT EXCLUDED FROM PART III, LINE 1, COLUMN (e) - \$10,000 BEQUETHED TO THE AWESOME BEAR

SOCIETY.

Department of the Treasury
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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

- | (i) Name of individual
or entity (fundraiser) | (ii) Activity | (iii) Did fundraiser have
custody or control of
contributions? | | (iv) Gross receipts
from activity | (v) Amount paid to
(or retained by)
fundraiser listed in
col (i) | (vi) Amount paid to
(or retained by)
organization |
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| Total ▶ | | | | | | |

- 3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit funds or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

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Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1 Golf Tour 8/09 (event type)	(b) Event #2 Golf Tour 6/10 (event type)	(c) Other events NONE (total number)	(d) Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	12,740	13,628		26,368
	2 Less Charitable contributions	360	500		860
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	12,380	13,128		25,508
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes	0	0		0
	5 Noncash prizes	485	20		505
	6 Rent/facility costs	3,372	3,886		7,258
	7 Food and beverages	262	126		388
	8 Entertainment	0	0		0
	9 Other direct expenses	314	112		426
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				(8,577)
	11 Net income summary. Combine line 3, column (d), and line 10				16,931

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross revenue	639			639
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes	536			536
	3 Noncash prizes	0			0
	4 Rent/facility costs	50			50
	5 Other direct expenses	34			34
	6 Volunteer labor	☒ Yes 100 % ☐ No	☐ Yes % ☐ No	☐ Yes % ☐ No	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				(620)
	8 Net gaming income summary. Combine line 1, column d, and line 7				19

		Yes	No
9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: <u>Maine</u>			
a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states?	9a		☒
b If "No," explain: <u>We purchase a license before every game. Since we don't plan to have any more bingo games, we no longer have a license</u>			
10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?	10a		☒
b If "Yes," explain:			
11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?	11		☒
12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?	12		☒

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in.

- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|-------|
| a The organization's facility | 13a | % |
| b An outside facility | 13b | 100 % |

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and recordsName ▶ **BRUCE E. HUNTER**Address ▶ **44 OLD FAIRGROUNDS RD., READFIELD, MAINE 04355****15a** Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?

- b** If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ _____
- c** If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶ _____

Address ▶ _____

16 Gaming manager information

Name ▶ _____

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____

Description of services provided ▶ _____

☐ Director/officer☐ Employee☐ Independent contractor**17** Mandatory distributions:

- a** Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?
- b** Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ _____

Yes No

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✓

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✓

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LINE 10 GRANTS & SIMILAR AMOUNTS

Paid to sports & co-curricular programs of Maranacook Community High School,
Readfield ME \$19,940

LINE 33 ACTIVITY NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED

We held a cash bingo event, but made a profit of only \$19 so we have no plans to do this again. See Schedule G for details.