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Form **990-PF**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Private Foundation  
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust  
Treated as a Private Foundation**

OMB No 1545-0052

**2012**

Note The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2012 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation

**SHARON DENNING CHARITABLE TRUST**

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)

**13228 OAK HILLS PKWY**

Room/suite

City or town, state, and ZIP code

**PALOS HEIGHTS IL 60463**

G Check all that apply

Initial return

Initial return of a former public charity

Final return

Amended return

Address change

Name change

H Check type of organization

Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

**X** Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust

Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at  
end of year (from Part II, col. (c),  
line 16) ► \$ **192,576**

J Accounting method

Cash

Accrual

Other (specify)

**Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses** (The total of  
amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal  
the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))(a) Revenue and  
expenses per  
books(b) Net investment  
income(c) Adjusted net  
income(d) Disbursements  
for charitable  
purposes  
(cash basis only)

Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	25,000		
	2 Check ► <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B			
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	307	307	307
	4 Dividends and interest from securities			
	5a Gross rents			
	b Net rental income or (loss)			
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0	
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0
	9 Income modifications			
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances			
	b Less Cost of goods sold			
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)			
	11 Other income (attach schedule)			
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	25,307	307	307

Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0		
	14 Other employee salaries and wages			
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits			
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)			
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	465	465	465
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)			
	17 Interest			
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	2	2	2
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion			
	20 Occupancy			
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings			
	22 Printing and publications			
	23 Other expenses (att sch.)	15	15	15
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses.			
	Add lines 13 through 23	482	482	482
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	35,100		35,100
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	35,582	482	482
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12			
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-10,275		
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		0	
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0

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Assets	Part II Balance Sheets	Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions )	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
1	Cash – non-interest-bearing				
2	Savings and temporary cash investments		202,851	192,576	192,576
3	Accounts receivable ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
4	Pledges receivable ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
5	Grants receivable				
6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
7	Other notes and loans receivable (att. schedule) ►		0		
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
8	Inventories for sale or use				
9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
10a	Investments – U S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
b	Investments – corporate stock (attach schedule)				
c	Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule)				
11	Investments – land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch ) ►				
12	Investments – mortgage loans				
13	Investments – other (attach schedule)				
14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch ) ►				
15	Other assets (describe ►				
16	<b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers – see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)		202,851	192,576	192,576
17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses				
18	Grants payable				
19	Deferred revenue				
20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				
22	Other liabilities (describe ►		0	0	
23	<b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22)		0	0	
24	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
25	Unrestricted		202,851	192,576	
26	Temporarily restricted				
27	Permanently restricted				
28	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ► <input type="checkbox"/>				
29	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds				
30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund				
31	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds				
	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions)		202,851	192,576	
	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions)		202,851	192,576	

## Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year – Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	202,851
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-10,275
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	192,576
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	5	
6	<b>Total net assets or fund balances at end of year</b> (line 4 minus line 5) – Part II, column (b), line 30	6	192,576

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## Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co.)			(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr)
1a	N/A				
b					
c					
d					
e					
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)		
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))	
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any			
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7		2		
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			3		

## Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

 Yes  No

If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see the instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2011	23,600	186,752	0.126371
2010	23,000	160,059	0.143697
2009	22,000	131,937	0.166746
2008	19,100	101,265	0.188614
2007	16,700	86,371	0.193352

2 Total of line 1, column (d)

2 0.818780

3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the  
number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years

3 0.163756

4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2012 from Part X, line 5

4 194,748

5 Multiply line 4 by line 3

5 31,891

6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)

6

7 Add lines 5 and 6

7 31,891

8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4

8 35,100

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the  
Part VI instructions

**Part VI** Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 – see instructions)

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ►  and enter "N/A" on line 1  
 Date of ruling or determination letter (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)

1b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ►  and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b

1c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)

2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)

3 Add lines 1 and 2

4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)

5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-

6 Credits/Payments:

a 2012 estimated tax payments and 2011 overpayment credited to 2012

b Exempt foreign organizations – tax withheld at source

c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)

d Backup withholding erroneously withheld

7 Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d

8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax Check here  if Form 2220 is attached

9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed

10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid

11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2013 estimated tax ► Refunded ►

6a
6b
6c
6d

1 0

2 0

3 0

4 0

5 0

7 0

8 0

9 0

10 0

11 0

**Part VII-A** Statements Regarding Activities

1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign? **1a** Yes **1a** No

1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for the definition)? If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities **1b** Yes **1b** No

1c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year? **1c** Yes **1c** No

1d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year  
 (1) On the foundation ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (2) On foundation managers ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

1e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities **2** Yes **2** No

3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes **3** Yes **3** No

4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? **4a** Yes **4a** No

4b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? **4b** Yes **4b** No

5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T **5** Yes **5** No

6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either  
 • By language in the governing instrument, or  
 • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument? **6** Yes **6** No

7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV **7** Yes **7** No

8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ► **8a** Yes **8a** No   
**II**  
 b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation **8b** Yes **8b** No

9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2012 or the taxable year beginning in 2012 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV **9** Yes **9** No

10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses **10** Yes **10** No

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**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)**

11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions) 11  **X**

12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions) 12  **X**

13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► **N/A** 13  **X**

14 The books are in care of ► **LEON DENNING** Telephone no ► **773-588-4327**  
**13228 OAK HILLS PKWY**

Located at ► **PALOS HEIGHTS**

IL

ZIP+4 ► **60463**

15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 – Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ► **15**

16 At any time during calendar year 2012, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► 16  **X**

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

1a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)

- (1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?  Yes  No
- (2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?  Yes  No
- (3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?  Yes  No
- (4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?  Yes  No
- (5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?  Yes  No
- (6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days)  Yes  No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here N/A

c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2012? N/A

2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)).

a At the end of tax year 2012, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2012?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," list the years ► 20 , 20 , 20 , 20

b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement – see instructions) N/A

c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 20 , 20 , 20 , 20

3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2012 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2012) N/A

4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? 3b

b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2012? 4a  **X**

4b  **X**

## Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a	During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	N/A	5b
c	If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	N/A	
6a	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6b
b	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		X
7a	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		7b
b	If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	N/A	

## Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

## 1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
LEON DENNING 13228 OAK HILLS PKWY	PALOS HEIGHTS IL 60463	TRUSTEE 1.00	0	0
KATHLEEN GOLDING 12609 RAIL LANE	PALOS PARK IL 60464	TRUSTEE 1.00	0	0

## 2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1 – see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

0

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**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**
**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
<b>NONE</b>		

**Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services**

**Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.

Expenses

**1 N/A****2****3****4**
**Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)**

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.

Amount

**1 N/A****2**

All other program-related investments. See instructions

**3**
**Total. Add lines 1 through 3**


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**Part X Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	0
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	197,714
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	0
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	197,714
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	197,714
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	2,966
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	194,748
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6	9,737

**Part XI Distributable Amount** (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ►  and do not complete this part)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	9,737
2a	Tax on investment income for 2012 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b	Income tax for 2012 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	9,737
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	9,737
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	9,737

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes	1a	35,100
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc – total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1b	
b	Program-related investments – total from Part IX-B	2	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	3a	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the	3b	
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	4	35,100
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	5	0
4	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	6	35,100
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions)		
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4		

**Note.** The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years

## Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2011	(c) 2011	(d) 2012
1 Distributable amount for 2012 from Part XI, line 7				9,737
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2012				
a Enter amount for 2011 only				
b Total for prior years 20 ____ , 20 ____ , 20 ____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2012				
a From 2007 16,754				
b From 2008 14,076				
c From 2009 15,431				
d From 2010 15,011				
e From 2011 14,264				
f Total of lines 3a through e 75,536				
4 Qualifying distributions for 2012 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ 35,100				
a Applied to 2011, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required – see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required – see instructions)				
d Applied to 2012 distributable amount 25,363				9,737
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2012 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) )				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:	100,899			
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount – see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2011 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount – see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2012 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2013 0				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2007 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	16,754			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2013. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a 84,145				
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2008 14,076				
b Excess from 2009 15,431				
c Excess from 2010 15,011				
d Excess from 2011 14,264				
e Excess from 2012 25,363				

**Part XIV** **Private Operating Foundations** (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

**1a** If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2012, enter the date of the ruling

**b** Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section

4942(j)(3) or

**Part XV      Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year – see instructions.)**

## 1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2) )

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b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest  
**N/A**

N/A

## **2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here ►  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

**a** The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail of the person to whom applications should be addressed  
**N/A**

The Name  
N/A

**b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include

N/A

**c** Any submission deadlines  
**N/A**

**d** Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other

## factors

## Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

## 3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year <b>SEE STATEMENT 5</b>				<b>35,100</b>
<b>Total</b>			► 3a	<b>35,100</b>
b Approved for future payment <b>N/A</b>				
<b>Total</b>			► 3b	

## Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions )
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
<b>1</b> Program service revenue					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f					
<b>g</b> Fees and contracts from government agencies					
<b>2</b> Membership dues and assessments					
<b>3</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			<b>14</b>	<b>307</b>	
<b>4</b> Dividends and interest from securities					
<b>5</b> Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property					
<b>6</b> Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
<b>7</b> Other investment income					
<b>8</b> Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
<b>9</b> Net income or (loss) from special events					
<b>10</b> Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
<b>11</b> Other revenue a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
<b>12</b> Subtotal Add columns (b), (d), and (e)		0		<b>307</b>	0
<b>13</b> Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	307

**Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes**

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See instructions )
N/A	



**Schedule B**  
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 or 990-PF)  
 Department of the Treasury  
 Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

OMB No. 1545-0047

► Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

**2012**

Name of the organization

**SHARON DENNING CHARITABLE TRUST**

Employer identification number

**61-1509118**

Organization type (check one).

Filers of:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions

**General Rule**

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor Complete Parts I and II

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33<sup>1/3</sup> % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year

► \$

**Caution.** An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on Part I, line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

**Name of organization**

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**Part I** **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	LEON DENNING 13228 OAK HILLS PKY S	\$ 25,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
	PALOS HEIGHTS IL 60463		(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/>
			(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution )

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**Statement 1 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16b - Accounting Fees**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Net Investment</u>	<u>Adjusted Net</u>	<u>Charitable Purpose</u>
TAX RETURN PREPARATION	\$ 4.65	\$ 4.65	\$ 4.65	\$ 4.65
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 4.65</b>	<b>\$ 4.65</b>	<b>\$ 4.65</b>	<b>0</b>

**Statement 2 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 18 - Taxes**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Net Investment</u>	<u>Adjusted Net</u>	<u>Charitable Purpose</u>
TAX PAID WITH 2009 FORM 990-PF	\$ 2	\$ 2	\$ 2	\$ 2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2</b>	<b>\$ 2</b>	<b>\$ 2</b>	<b>0</b>

**Statement 3 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23 - Other Expenses**

<u>Description</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Net Investment</u>	<u>Adjusted Net</u>	<u>Charitable Purpose</u>
EXPENSES	\$	\$	\$	\$
ILLINOIS ANNUAL REPORT FILING SUPPLIES	15	15	15	15
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 15</b>	<b>\$ 15</b>	<b>\$ 15</b>	<b>0</b>

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**Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part VII-A, Line 10 - Substantial Contributors**

Name	Address	City, State, Zip
LEON DENNING	13228 OAK HILLS PKWY	PALOS HEIGHTS IL 60463

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### Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 1a - Managers Who Contributed Over 2% or \$5,000

Name of Manager	Amount
LEON DENNING	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ <u>                          </u> 0

**Statement 5 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year**

Name	Address	Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
CLARE ASSOC OF CHICAGO CHICAGO IL 60631	7258 NORTH OVERHILL AVENU				1,000
PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY TREASU ORLAND PARK IL 60462	15549 70TH COURT 501 (C) (3)			PATIENT SUPPORT	8,000
SAINT COLUMBANUS CHICAGO IL 60619	331 EAST 71ST STREET			FOOD PANTRY	
CAPUCHIN SOUP KITCHEN DETROIT MI 48207-3485	1820 MT. ELLIOTT STREET			SOUP KITCHEN	2,000
LOAVES & FISHES NAPERVILLE IL 60540	1871 HIGH GROVE LANE			FOOD PANTRY	
ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO CHICAGO IL 60611	835 NORTH RUSH STREET CHURCH			CHURCH ACTIVITIES	
ST. LINUS H.O.P.E. OAK LAWN IL 60453	10300 SOUTH LAWLER CHURCH			CHURCH ACTIVITIES	
KOLBE HOUSE CHICAGO IL 60608	2434 S CALIFORNIA AVENUE			CHURCH ACTIVITIES	
CALVARY ACADEMY MINISTRIES MULBERRY FL 33860	5400 BETHLEHEM ROAD CHURCH			CHURCH ACTIVITIES	
DOCTORS WITHOUT BORDERS NEW YORK NY 10001	333 SEVENTH AVENUE			MEDICAL CARE	
ADRIAN DOMINICAN SISTERS ADRIAN MI 49221	1257 E. SIENA DR				2,000
INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF ARTISTS CHICAGO IL 60660	1621 W BRYN MAWR 501 (C) (3)				2,000
SAINT ALEXANDER CATHOLIC CHURCH PALOS HEIGHTS IL 60463	7025 W 129TH STREET CHURCH			CHURCH ACTIVITIES	5,800
WEST SUBURBAN COMMUNITY PANTRY WOODRIDGE IL 60517	6809 HOBSON VALLEY DRIVE			FOOD PANTRY	1,000
TRINITY CHRISTIAN COLLEGE PALOS HEIGHTS IL 60463	6601 WEST COLLEGE DR				1,000
MC CORD GALLERY CULTURAL CENTER PALOS PARK IL 60464	9602 CREEK ROAD 501 (C) (3)				2,000
DOCTORS WITHOUT BORDERS NEW YORK NY 10001	333 SEVENTH AVE				2,000

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**Statement 5 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (continued)**

Name	Address	Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
MAZALENE ROBERTS TOWNER	CHICAGO IL 60643	SCHOLARSHIP	PO BOX 438366		5,000
OUR LADY OF THE WOODS	ORLAND PARK IL 60462		10731 W 131ST STREET		300
TOTAL					<u>35,100</u>