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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, and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990 All other organizations with gross receipts less than $100,000 and total assets less than $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

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2007

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2007 calendar year, or tax year beginning , and ending

B Check if applicable
- [ ] Address change
- [ ] Name change
- [X] Initial return
- [ ] Termination
- [ ] Amended return
- [ ] Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization: The Rustic Pathways Foundation, Inc

Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address): 38046 2nd Street Suite A

Room/suite

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: Willoughby OH 44094

D Employer identification number: 02-0776291

E Telephone number: 440-290-4139

F Group Exemption Number ▶

- **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 [X] Cash [ ] Accrual Other (specify) ▶

I **Website:** ▶

H Check ▶ [X] if the organization is **not** required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

J **Organization type** (check only one)— [X] 501(c) (3) ◀ (insert no) [ ] 4947(a)(1) or [ ] 527

K Check ▶ [X] if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization **and** its gross receipts are normally **not** more than $25,000. A 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 $100,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ▶ $ 7,700

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See page 55 of the instructions.)

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received		1	7,700
	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		
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b		
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory Subtract line 5b from line 5a (attach schedule)		5c	
	6	Special events and activities (attach schedule) If any amount is from **gaming,** check here ▶ [ ]			
	a	Gross revenue (not including $ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a		
	b	Less. direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b		
	c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities. Subtract line 6b from line 6a		6c	
	7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a		
	b	Less· cost of goods sold	7b		
	c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory. Subtract line 7b from line 7a		7c	
	8	Other revenue (describe ▶ _____)		8	
	9	**Total revenue.** Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8 ▶		9	7,700
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)		10	
	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	3,435
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance		14	370
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping		15	
	16	Other expenses (describe ▶ See Statement 1		16	492
	17	**Total expenses.** Add lines 10 through 16 ▶		17	4,297
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 17 from line 9		18	3,403
	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	
	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	3,403

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

(See page 60 of the instructions)	(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments		22	3,403
23 Land and buildings		23	
24 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)		24	
25 **Total assets**	0	25	3,403
26 **Total liabilities** (describe ▶ _____)	0	26	0
27 **Net assets or fund balances** (line 27 of column (B) **must** agree with line 21)	0	27	3,403

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See page 60 of the instructions.)

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

See Statement 2

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, or other relevant information for each program title.

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

28 N/A

(Grants $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐ 28a

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(Grants $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐ 29a

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(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 0

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (List each one even if not compensated See page 61 of the 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 & deferred compensation	(E) Expense account and other allowances
See Statement 3				

Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirement in General Instruction V.)

			Yes	No
33	Did the organization make a change in its activities or methods of conducting activities? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement of each change	33		X
34	Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34		X
35	If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6, and 7 (among others), but **not** reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining your reason for not reporting the income on Form 990-T			
a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more or 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on **Form 990-T** for this year?	35b		X
36	Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement.	36		X
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instr ▶ 37a 0			
b	Did the organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?	37b		X
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 unpaid at the start of the period covered by this return?	38a		X
b	If "Yes," attach the schedule specified in the line 38 instructions and enter the amount involved 38b			
39	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			

Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirement in General Instruction V.) (Continued)

		Yes	No
40a	501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ 0 ; section 4912 ▶ 0 , section 4955 ▶ 0		
b	501(c)(3) and (4) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," attach an explanation	40b	X
c	Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ 0		
d	Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶ 0		
e	All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	40e	X

41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ None

42a The books are in care of ▶ Angela Schluchter Telephone no ▶

Located at ▶ 5882 Briarhill Drive Solon, OH ZIP + 4 ▶ 44139

		Yes	No
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)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for **Form TD F 90-22.1.**	42b	X
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶	42c	X

43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of **Form 1041**—Check here ▶ ☐ and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 43

Please 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

▶ Angela Schluchter 05/12/08
Signature of officer Date

▶ Angela Schluchter, Treasurer
Type or print name and title

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Preparer's signature ▶ Robert J Deimling CPA Date 5/01/08 Check if self-employed ▶ ☐ Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen Instr X) P00107780

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 ▶ DEIMLING FORBES & ASSOCIATES, INC. 36615 VINE ST WILLOUGHBY, OH 44094-6314

EIN ▶ 34-1787579

Phone no ▶ 440-951-1777

Federal Statements

Statement 1 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 - Other Expenses

Description	Amount
	$
Expenses	
Office Expense	150
Business Registration Fees	300
Computer Expense	42
Total	$ 492

Statement 2 - Form 990-EZ, Part III - Organization's Primary Exempt Purpose

Description
To provide financial assistance for the purpose of education for underprivileged students in the United States and around the World.

Statement 3 - Form 990EZ, Part IV - List of Officers, Directors, Trustees and Key Employees

Name and Address	Title	Average Hours	Compensation	Benefits	Expenses
Jessemin Sheyda-Losick 106-B Laurel street Greenfield MA 01301	Pres.Trustee	4	0	0	0
Marc Bartholomew 110 Sugurbush Glen Chardon OH 44024	Sec. Trustee	1	0	0	0
Angela Schluchter 5882 Briarhill Drive Solon OH 44139	Trustee	10	0	0	0
H. David Venning 3601 Metcalf Road Waite Hill OH 44094	Trustee	1	0	0	0
Ann Fuller 100 Llana Road #8 Haverford PA 19041	Trustee	4	0	0	0