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## *Donation purchases safe for historical books, items*

The Harvard Community Foundation presented a check for \$748.97 to the Harvard Alumni Historical Committee, toward the purchase of a safe. The safe, as seen at the right, was purchased to house booklets from past years of Harvard Public School, including classes, names of students, and other memorabilia. Harvard Community Foundation President Kenny Reutzel, far left, and Treasurer Keith Ljunggren, presents a check to Harvard's Alumni Historical Committee's Treasurer Linda Parnell and President Ruby Adam.

Adams said the Harvard Alumni Historical Committee began about seven years ago for the purpose of planning the 100th alumni banquet. Each year, the committee hosts a historical room prior to the alumni banquet, showcasing the binders that Adam has been putting together, along with other memorabilia alums have donated.

The purpose of purchasing the safe was to provide a fireproof place to store all of this to preserve for future generations.

