Gala 2023 LIVE AUCTION ITEMS

Item #901 - Decadent Dinner Upgrade



Although tonight's meal is delicious, your entire table can upgrade to a vanilla bean poached two pound lazy lobster with a buerre blanc, jumbo lump crabcake, remoulade sauce & center cut filet of beef, Béarnaise sauce,dauphinoise potatoes & fresh vegetables. Buen Provecho!

Item #902 - Chesapeake Sail Experience

Are you ready to set sail on the Chesapeake Bay? This opportunity is perfect for beginners and experienced sailors alike and starts in Annapolis, Maryland. You can bring up to 6 of your loved ones for an evening or weekend afternoon sail (typically 3-4 hours). The offer expires at the end of September 2023.

Donors: Bob Fox at Sly Sailing, Esperanza Lugo, and Boatyard Bar and Grill in Annapolis









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Item #903 - Deep Creek Getaway

Clear your schedule for a 3 night lake getaway that you'll never forget! Suite Sunsets sleeps 8 privately, but up to 10 people total with 3 bedrooms and 3 full bathrooms. Enjoy a gorgeous view of Deep Creek Lake and its surrounding mountains. Subject to availability between September 1, 2023 - April 30, 2024.

Donors: Kendall Holbrook & Shari Thomas





Item #904 - Solitude in Aruba!

Enjoy five days and four nights at Solitude.n.Aruba condo property. Enjoy this modern condominium with two bedrooms (sleeps four), two baths, and ample closet space in the happy island of Aruba. Located in the Harbour House, an ultra-sleek, modern building with a 24-hour doorman and incredible views of the marina and ocean, this luxury condominium community features its own restaurant, bar, pool, gym and private hot tubs. Whether cooking in the kitchen, sunning on the patio, swimming in a sparkling infinity pool overlooking the sea, or relaxing in the privacy of your bedroom, the sounds and colors of Aruba are all around you. High-end shopping, including Louis Vuitton, Gucci, Bvlgari and Breitling, are steps away from your front door. Bars, restaurants, and upscale nightlife are all within walking distance. Enjoy your mornings watching the sunrise from your bedroom or balcony, and spend a day feeding flamingos, snorkeling with dolphins, or never leaving the building. Rejuvenate in Aruba.

Expires April 30, 2024 - Cannot be used for major holidays - Christmas/ New Year's / Thanksgiving.

Donor: Vee Solomon









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Item #905 - Beyonce Concert Tickets

Looking for a fabulous night of dancing and fun? We're giving you the opportunity to snag two tickets to one of Beyonce's most anticipated concert tours to date. Beyonce is a generational talent like no other, and you don't want to miss this exclusive opportunity to see this household name live and in concert. Tickets are for an August 6th performance at 7:00pm at FedEx Field in Landover, Maryland. Comes with an \$150 Uber gift card so you can arrive at the show in style. Prepare to be dazzled by Queen Bey!

Sunday, August 6 at 7:00 pm FedExField - Landover, Maryland

Donors: Anonymous and Shari Thomas

Item #906 - Madonna Concert Tickets in Las Vegas!

Now is your chance to bid on two tickets (plus travel!) for the highlyanticipated, sold-out Madonna concert in Las Vegas. Have an up-close and personal experience with the queen of pop, and revisit her iconic songs that changed music forever. Madonna is known for her high-energy shows, elaborate stage productions, and incredible performances: these exclusive, in-demand tickets are your pass to a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Whether you're a die-hard fan or just looking for a night of unforgettable entertainment, these tickets are the perfect way to experience Madonna at her very best. Tickets are for an October 7th performance at 8:30pm at the T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas, and comes with a \$500 gift card for Southwest Airlines to ensure you travel in style. Package also includes a two-night stay in a MGM Grand Resort Room and dinner for two at any MGM Grand restaurant (up to \$250; gratuity & alcohol not included). Reservations are subject to availability and please note blackout dates do apply. Not valid on holidays. Certificate valid through May 2024. Don't miss your chance to let your body move to the music. Find your vogue.

Saturday, October 7 at 8:30 pm T-Mobile Arena – Las Vegas, Nevada

Donors: Simon Fairclough, John Gotche and MGM









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Item #907 - Nationals Game in the Capital One Corporate Suite

Get your week started by spending a fun night with loved ones at the May 23 Nationals vs. Padres game! Enjoy your stay in a Capital One VIP Suite in Nationals Park, with an exclusive event package including 16 tickets, a catering menu of assorted food, snacks, and beverages. Go Nats!

Tuesday, May 23 at 7:05 PM Nationals vs. Padres

Donor: Capital One

Item #908 - Adirondack Home Getaway

Located on Trout Lake in Diamond Point, New York, this home features four bedrooms, four baths, a gourmet kitchen, a great room, den, game room, four fireplaces and a newly-added eight seat hot tub. The home's wraparound decks provide lovely views of the lake, while hiking trails, mountain-biking, apple-picking, and leaf-peeping are a short drive away. Enjoy a lovely dinner or a round of golf at the luxury Sagamore Resort on Lake George; listed in the National Register of Historic Places and a recipient of the prestigious AAA Four Diamond Award. The resort's championship golf-course, designed by Donald Ross, has stunning views of the lake and was named one of the "Best Golf Resorts In The Americas" by Golf Digest in 2016. Includes a one week (seven day) stay.

Availability: Fall 2024

Donors: Elizabeth and Chet Burrell









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Item #909 - Rancho La Puerta Wellness & Resort Spa

Enjoy a seven-night stay for two at Rancho La Puerta Wellness Resort & Spa, voted the "World's Best International Destination Spa" by readers of Travel + Leisure magazine in 2021. Located just 45 miles southeast of the city of San Diego, the world's first fitness resort rests in the embrace of sacred Mt. Kuchumaa's foothills. Enjoy the panoramic sights while walking or hiking on 4,000 private acres of rolling terrain.

A fitness program led by a team of expert instructors features more than 60 different classes per week, including yoga, HIIT, strength and conditioning, and water aerobics. Personal services at the spa's three health centers include a wide range of massages, facials, herbal wraps, and body treatments. Choose from a variety of semi-vegetarian dishes as well as fresh seafood from the port of Ensenada, Baja California.

This includes accommodations for two, all meals and snacks, all scheduled fitness classes and activities, lectures, and entertainment, use of all facilities, and scheduled transportation from San Diego Airport. Stay must be during months of July through December.

Cooking classes, spa treatments, personal training sessions, and therapies, such as cranial-sacral and chiropractic, are not included in the donation.

Donor: Rancho La Puerta







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Item #910 - South African Safari for Two

Spend six nights (standard room) for two people at the Zulu Nyala Heritage Safari Lodge or the Tented Safari Lodge in the KwaZulu-Natal province of South Africa. Three meals per day (breakfast, lunch, dinner) and two game viewings per day on Zulu Nyala Game Reserve are also included.

The Heritage Safari Lodge offers buffet-style meals in the restaurant and has a wide, welcoming veranda, a bar, and a library. Experience the relaxing atmosphere and share good times and conviviality. Be sure to keep an eye out for the impala, nyala, warthog, zebra, blesbok, and Zulu nguni cattle that roam freely on the property. The Tented Safari Lodge has a tennis court, a games room, a bar, and reading lounges to ensure that there's always something to do.

The package does not include airfare, airport transfer, drinks, laundry services, and extra excursions. Trip is valid for two years from the date of purchase and is non-refundable.

Donor: Zulu Nyala Game Reserve, KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa









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GALA 2023 GOLDEN RAFFLE TICKET PRIZES

ONLY AVAILABLE FOR PURCAHSE AT EVENT (4/26)

Grand Prize - ANY item from live auction



or



or



or WHICHEVER Item you want!

Second Prize - Washington Hilton Stay

Interested in a mini vacation stay without traveling too far? Experience a contemporary urban retreat right here at the Washington Hilton! Within blocks of Dupont Circle and Adams Morgan and with The White House and National Mall less than two miles away, you will be surrounded by history. Amenities include several on-site dining and drink locations, an outdoor pool, fitness center, pet-friendly rooms, and business and meeting rooms. Located in eclectic Dupont Circle, home of lively dining and nightlife. This stay provides you with a complimentary two nights Bed & Breakfast Package for you and a guest of your choosing with Health Club access and parking for each day!

Third Prize - Selection of Whiskey

Host a whiskey tasting with your loved ones which includes Angel's Envy Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey, WhistlePig PiggyBack Rye Whiskey, Fuji Kirin Japanese Whisky

