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2022 POTOMAC SCHOOL
SCHOLARSHIP AUCTION

SATURDAY, APRIL 9

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DEAR POTOMAC COMMUNITY,

Welcome to our 2022 Scholarship Auction. The last time we were able to gather for the auction was in late February 2020, just before the pandemic hit. That year's event was especially exciting because it was the first time we had held our auction on campus in more than a decade – a fact made possible by the opening of our beautiful new Spangler Center for Athletics and Community just three months earlier. What a festive and joyful celebration that was!

In 2021, we were unable to hold our auction due to COVID. Instead, we hosted a Family Campus Drive-Through Pep Rally that was wonderful in its own way. In the midst of the pandemic, with so many places and activities shut down, the members of our community were excited to be back on campus, showing their support for our students and teachers.

Now, we are planning for Potomac's Scholarship Auction to return. On April 9, we will once again gather in the Spangler Center for an enjoyable and memorable evening. And I think this year's auction theme, *We Are Family*, may be the most apt ever.

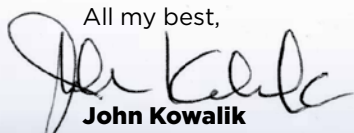
Along with our nation and the world, the Potomac community has faced significant challenges in the past two years. Importantly, we have come through those challenges together, accomplishing things we might never have thought we could. After all that we've been through together, we at Potomac have good reason to feel like a family. We have faced challenges, experienced joys and heartbreaks, and remained true to the values that define us. Above all, we have consistently been guided by a shared commitment to the well-being and success of Potomac's students. These children are *our* children, and we are committed to working together to prepare them for lives of purpose, achievement, and generosity of spirit.

So as we gear up for this year's auction, it's appropriate that we exclaim, "We are family!" and celebrate the fact that we feel that way. Throughout the pandemic – and especially this school year – Potomac has been intentional about fostering the bonds that unite us. We have focused on finding as many ways as possible to bring our community – our family – together in celebration and mutual support. The Scholarship Auction and Around the World are two traditions that help us achieve this goal, and I am delighted that they will be taking place on the same weekend this spring. I hope to see you all at both events.

The generosity of many benefactors helps us achieve Potomac's mission of educational excellence and maintain our identity as a connected community. Sincere thanks go to our fabulous 2022 auction co-chairs – Gia Cillizza, Alicia Downs, and Morgan Holtman – and all the volunteers whose efforts are ensuring that this year's event will be one of the best ever. I also thank all those who have donated items for the auction or are serving as event sponsors, as well as everyone who will place a bid or make a gift through the auction's all-important Fund a Scholar initiative. Your collective generosity fuels our school's continued success and makes a difference for our students and teachers every day.

I look forward to seeing you at the Scholarship Auction, as we once again gather to celebrate the Potomac spirit of community and family.

All my best,


John Kowalik
Head of School



DEAR FRIENDS,

Welcome to Potomac's 2022 Scholarship Auction! I look forward to our annual auction because it's such a wonderful opportunity for our community to come together in celebration of this school that we love. The event is always enjoyable – an evening of friendship and fun – but our participation in the auction has a deeper significance; it reflects our belief in the unique value of a Potomac School education. We know that this kind of education has a profound impact on individual lives and, by extension, on our society and our world. So, as we come out to enjoy a delicious dinner and the excitement of bidding, we are also stepping up as leaders to support and sustain education that makes a lasting difference.

We are living in extraordinary times. The past two years have demanded a great deal of us all, with the pandemic requiring adjustments in virtually every area of our lives. Potomac has had to adjust, as well, continually monitoring and responding to conditions in order to achieve a dual goal: providing the best possible education for our students while protecting our community's health and safety. As individuals, families, and a school community, we have had to pivot more times than we can count. We've found ourselves digging deep, with a renewed understanding of the value of perseverance, creativity, and mutual support.

For me, last year's "Scholarship Auction" was a perfect snapshot of our community's response to the pandemic. For the first time since this event's inception, we were unable to hold our traditional auction. But with creative thinking and the unflagging, enthusiastic support of the Potomac community, we mounted a different kind of event. That celebration – a Family Campus Drive-Through Pep Rally in February 2021 – saw more than 500 members of our community come to campus to exchange waves and smiles and show their continued commitment to Potomac. It reinvigorated our cherished sense of community in a difficult time. And through that event, we raised an impressive \$600,000 to benefit student scholarships and faculty professional development. Think of it! Without ever getting out of their cars, Potomac families shared a memorable experience and found a new way to express their generosity of spirit. What a great reflection of the character of the Potomac School community.

Now, while we continue to operate in an uncertain landscape, we believe there is reason for optimism. We look forward to April, when we plan to once again hold our auction in Potomac's wonderful Spangler Center for Athletics and Community. Under the direction of 2022 Auction Co-Chairs Gia Cillizza, Alicia Downs, and Morgan Holtman, dedicated volunteers and staff are working tirelessly to make this year's event the most fun and exciting ever. I think the theme that they've selected – *We Are Family* – just about says it all.

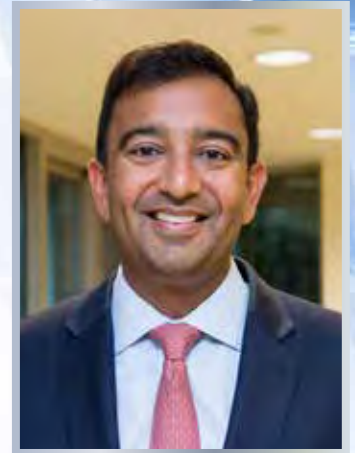
The Scholarship Auction offers us several ways to support Potomac. Before I close this letter, I would like to draw your attention to one aspect of the event that is particularly important – the Fund a Scholar initiative. While other parts of the auction invite us to bid on some amazing items, Fund a Scholar offers us the unique opportunity to raise our paddles not to place a bid, but simply to show our unqualified support for Potomac's students and faculty. It harkens back to last year's event, where there were a few simple games and giveaways that families could enjoy from their cars, but nothing to bid on. We may have missed the full-out celebration of our traditional auction, but we showed that we understand the real purposes of this event, in whatever form it takes – to celebrate our shared sense of connection and selflessly support Potomac's mission of educational excellence. I hope that you will consider joining me and so many of your fellow Potomac parents, grandparents, alumni, and friends as we raise our paddles to make our 2022 Fund a Scholar donations.

Thank you for being part of the vibrant community that is The Potomac School. I look forward to seeing you at the auction!

With best wishes,

Sameer Bhargava

Chair of the Board of Trustees



DEAR POTOMAC FAMILIES AND FRIENDS,

We are thrilled to welcome you to this year's Scholarship Auction, ***We Are Family!***

The evening of April 9 will celebrate sequins and platform heels, disco balls and dance fever, and, most importantly, community and togetherness. The ideals of community and togetherness are inherent in Potomac's mission and core values, and they never have been more important. The Scholarship Auction is an opportunity to come together literally, figuratively, and symbolically to reaffirm our commitment to an inclusive student body led by talented and insightful faculty.

We cannot overstate our gratitude for the many members of the Potomac community who shared their time, talents, and resources as we prepared for this event, and we especially are grateful to Christine Sharkey and Alexis Ellis, along with the entire Advancement Office, for their tireless support. This family would not be complete without you.

Please join us on April 9, and put on your dancing shoes, place your bids, and raise your paddle in support of student scholarships and faculty professional development. In the words of Sister Sledge, let's "give love in a family dose."

With sincere thanks for your spirit of generosity,

Gia Cillizza, Alicia Downs, and Morgan Holtman
Co-chairs, 2022 Scholarship Auction





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Our evening will begin at 6 pm with music, drinks, and hors d'oeuvres. The Silent Auction will close before dinner, and the Live Auction will take place while we enjoy our delicious three-course meal. Afterward, continue the celebration and boogie down on the dance floor.





Online and Silent Auction Bidding, and Live Auction Preview

OPEN FEBRUARY 24, 2022 AT NOON!

Potomac's auction website allows you to 1) bid on Online Auction items, 2) bid on Silent Auction items, and 3) preview Live Auction items.

- The **Online Auction** begins on Thursday, February 24, at noon and closes on Wednesday, March 9, at 10 pm. Winners will be notified by email and/or text message immediately following the close of the Online Auction.
- The **Silent Auction** begins online on Thursday, February 24, at noon. Bidding will continue until the start of the Live Auction, except for items that are purchased through the "Buy It Now" option.
- The **Live Auction** online preview begins on Thursday, February 24. The preview provides the opportunity to see all of the items that will be available for bidding at the Live Auction on April 9. If you would like to place an absentee bid for a Live Auction item, email Christine Sharkey at csharkey@potomacschool.org by Thursday, April 7, at noon.
- All auction items are subject to applicable Covid-19 restriction.

Auction Website Instructions

- If you would like to preview the items included in this year's auction, log on to Potomac's 2022 auction website: potomacs2022.ggo.bid. Click on the link on the main page for a preview. This page will become the Online and Silent Auction bidding site when those portions of the Auction open on Thursday, February 24, at noon. Potomac parents, grandparents, and friends will receive an email when the Online and Silent Auctions open. This email will include instructions on how to bid as well as a registration link. Once you click the registration link in the email, you will be able to log in with your account information from prior events. If you are new to the system, you will be provided instructions for creating your account.
- If you do not receive an email when the Online and Silent Auctions open, visit potomacs2022.ggo.bid. Once on the Online Auction page, click the green "Start Bidding" button and follow the prompts to either log in with an existing account or create a new account.
- Once you have an account, you will be able to bid on items. You can search for items by name or number using the magnifying glass, or by category under the menu on the left side of the page.
- When placing a bid, you have two options: select the next incremental bid amount or enter a larger amount. If you choose to bid more than the next incremental bid amount, you can set a maximum bid. In that case, the system automatically will bid in your favor up to your maximum bid, until either another bidder enters a higher bid amount or the Online Auction or Silent Auction, as applicable, closes. You will receive an email and/or text message alerting you if you have been outbid. To keep track of bidding activity for a particular item, select the star icon. To find packages with zero bids, click the "No Bids" category on the left side of the page. Please note that the Online Auction website is optimized for use on smartphones.

Only Available ONLINE

Hundreds of amazing items are available on our Online Auction pages.

A sampling of these items is provided below. Please visit our Online Auction website at potomacs2022.ggo.bid to see all the offerings and place your bid.

Bon Appétit

- **\$150 Gift Certificate to Rocklands**
Donated by Rocklands Barbeque
- **\$50 Gift Certificate to Millie's**
Donated by Millie's Spring Valley
- **\$100 Gift Certificate to The Salt Line Oyster + Ale**
Donated by The Salt Line Oyster + Ale
- **Gift Cards from Roots Provisions, Surfside, Jetties, South Block, and many more!**

Camps, Classes, and Fun

- **One week of Washington Nationals Baseball & Softball Summer Camp**
Donated by Washington Nationals Baseball Camps
- **\$75 Gift Certificate to Summit Ropes Indoor Adventure**
Donated by Summit Ropes Indoor Adventure
- **Private Art Workshop for Ten Children**
Donated by Red Panda Art Studio
- **Three-Week Session of Panther Day Camp**
Donated by The Potomac School

Experiences

- **One Day of Canoeing for Two**
Donated by Shenandoah River Outfitters
- **Four Daytime Passes to George Washington's Mount Vernon**
Donated by Mount Vernon Ladies' Association of the Union
- **Two Opening-Night Tickets to Drumfolk at Arena Stage**
Donated by Arena Stage

Treat Yourself

- **\$300 Tuckernuck E-Gift Card and Pearl Hoop Earrings**
Donated by Tuckernuck
- **\$200 Gift Certificate to The Shoe Hive or Yellow Jacket**
Donated by The Shoe Hive
- **Executive Portrait Session**
Donated by Freed Photography, Inc.
- **Gift cards from Dolce Vita, Nothing in Between, and many more!**

Parties for Children and Adults

- **Ice Cream Sundae Party for a Class or Advisory Group**
Donated by The Potomac School Advancement Office
- **InTents Experience Slumber Party Package**
Donated by InTents Experience

- **Flag Football Party for 20 with Flag Star McLean**
Donated by Flag Star McLean

Sports & Fitness

- **Six-Week Slim and Strong Online Program**
Donated by Ariane Hundt
- **Three Private Baseball Lessons with Former Professional Mike Straub**
Donated by Wild Bill Sports
- **Six Adult or One Month of Children's Dance Classes at Perfect Pointe**
Donated by Perfect Pointe Dance Studio

Exclusively Upper School

- **Help Publish an Issue of Arlington Magazine**
Donated by Arlington Magazine
- **Lunch with NY Times Bestseller Kate Andersen Brower and Signed Book**
Donated by Kate Andersen Brower
- **Shadow Day with CNN's Chris Cillizza**
Donated by Chris Cillizza
- **And other experiences including Zooms with Wolf Blitzler and Angie Goff**



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LIVE AUCTION



ITEM

1

This One is for the Beliebers — Eight Suite-Level Tickets to See Justin Bieber in Concert

If the songs “Despacito” or “Hold On” feature prominently in your playlists (or in those of family or friends), or if you love live music, you do not want to miss this opportunity to see Grammy winner and pop sensation Justin Bieber perform live.

With a string of top hits and over 200 million Instagram followers, Justin Bieber is a cultural icon. The lucky winning bidder and seven guests will enjoy suite-level tickets to the much-anticipated Justice World Tour at the Capital One Center on June 10, 2022. The suite is located in Capital One Center’s sought-after 200 Section; food and refreshments will be served.

Donor: KBS

Value: \$4,000

ITEM

2

Eat, Sleep, Ski, Repeat with this Deer Valley Retreat!

The lucky winner of this package will enjoy a fabulous ski trip to Deer Valley, Utah, consistently ranked the number-one ski resort in North America, during the first week of Spring Break 2023!

The Bristlecone Condominiums, a premier lakefront location in lower Deer Valley, is less than one mile from Deer Valley’s Snow Park Lodge and within walking distance of Park City’s Main Street and many delicious downtown foodie experiences. With incredible views of three 2002 winter Olympic event sites on the slopes, this 3,200-square-foot mountain getaway has spacious living areas, a fully equipped kitchen, stone fireplaces, a heated garage, a private outdoor hot tub, and all amenities. The home can accommodate up to 10 people with its five bedrooms (offering one king bed, one queen bed, two twin beds, and two bunk beds) and four bathrooms.

Complimentary in-town Cadillac and on-call shuttle service transportation is available for guests. A free city-wide bus system also offers convenient transportation; a bus will pick you and your guests up steps from the home’s front door and, after a short ride, you will have arrived at skiers’ paradise.

Restrictions and Other Details: Home is available March 11 to March 18, 2023 (seven nights). Airfare and transportation are not included. Park City is 40 minutes from Salt Lake City Airport.

Donor: Sarah Murphy Starr ‘99 and Shooter Starr

Value: \$7,700

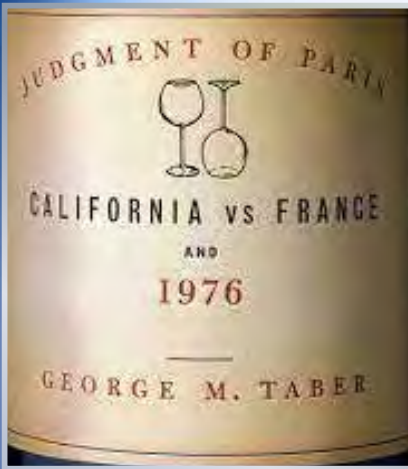




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3

Fabulous “French v. American” Wine-Tasting Dinner for Eight in Your Home, Catered by Susan Gage



Back by popular demand! A gourmet meal will be prepared in your home and served to you and your seven guests, along with a customized selection of amazing French and American wines.

The theme of this evening is taken from the landmark tasting in 1976 called the Judgement of

Paris, in which French experts agreed that the California wines they tasted “blind” were better than the French. The result was a blot on French national pride and shocked the country’s wine industry.

During the evening, you and seven guests will reenact the Judgement of Paris. Top-rated vintages from exceptional U.S. and French winemakers, including for example, Opus One, Insignia, Chateau Pontet-Canet, and Chateau Pavie, will be pitted against each other and

you and your guests can decide which region is superior! The wine-tasting dinner will take place in your home, where you can relax as local favorite Susan Gage Caterers pampers you with a unique five-course tasting menu and excellent service. Our only request is that you “blind” taste and report your results. Will the Americans prevail again? Cheers and bon appétit!

Tax and gratuity not included. Event to be held on mutually agreeable date; not available on any Saturday night or between Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Donors: Morgan and Andy Holtman, Susan Gage Catering

Value: \$3,800

ITEM

4

Choose Your Own Adventure

Sun or snow? Global or domestic? The world is your oyster with five nights at any luxurious Waldorf Astoria in the world! The winning bidder will receive a certificate for a standard room at any Waldorf Astoria Hotel and Resorts. Resort locations are near and far – from Rome, Paris, and Dubai to New York, Orlando, Las Vegas, Park City, and Mexico, to name a few.

Restrictions: Certificates expire January 2023, cannot be used on New Year’s Eve, and black out dates apply. Package is valid for five nights standard room and tax only. Resort fees, incidentals, or parking charges not included. Certificates must be presented at check-in. Airfare and transportation not included.

Donors: Anu Saxena and Dennis Peery

Value: Winner’s Choice!



ITEM

5

End-of-Summer Vacation in Charming Olde Naples

Located in southwest Florida along the Gulf of Mexico, Naples is well known for its tranquil white “sugar sand” beaches, amazing golf courses (the city often is referred to as the “Golf Capital of the World”), and high-end shopping. The lucky winner of this package can enjoy all of that and more while staying in a stately Key West-style home situated on one of Olde Naples’ most beautiful tree-lined streets, just a five minute walk from the beach. Included for your use are beach chairs, towels, umbrellas, a beach wagon, and a cooler to make lounging in the sun easy and breezy.

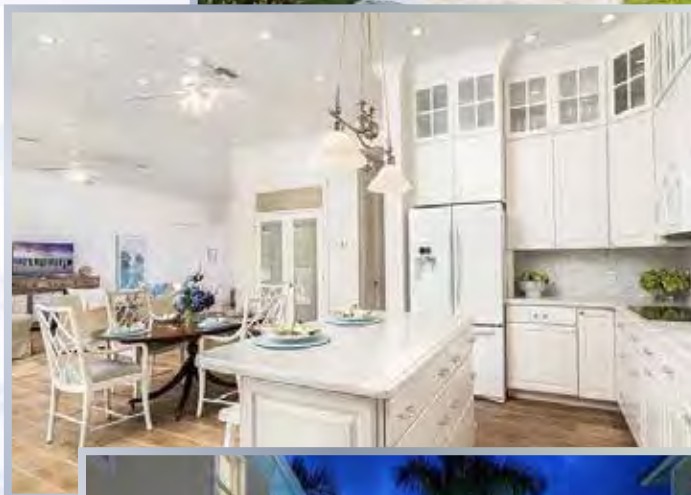
The home features an open kitchen and dining area that seats up to 10 people, living room, home office, main-level master suite, and four bedrooms on the second floor. A private guest suite includes a king-size bed, twin-size daybed, kitchenette, and bathroom. All told, the home comfortably accommodates 12 to 14 people. The indoor spaces are decorated in timeless Florida beach cottage style, including marble- and mosaic tile-appointed bathrooms, historic tin ceilings, and detailed shiplap woodwork.

The home’s outdoor spaces are equally exceptional. From a covered front porch with rocking chairs to a heated swimming pool, lounge deck, and outdoor living and dining areas (including a fire pit), the outdoor spaces are perfect for unwinding and enjoying gentle gulf breezes.

Restrictions and Other Details: The home is available for a seven night stay between August 27, 2022, and September 5, 2022. The home’s first floor, which includes the owner’s suite, is handicap accessible. Airfare and transportation not included.

Donors: Sylvia Garfinkle and Kevin B. Huff

Value: \$10,000





ITEM

6

Take Me Out to Legendary Fenway Park

Enjoy the national pastime like never before with this Red Sox VIP tour and home game in "America's Most Beloved Ballpark," Fenway!

The lucky winner and three guests will revisit the careers of famous Red Sox players like Ted Williams, Babe Ruth, and Carl Yastrzemski on a VIP tour through historic Fenway Park's hallowed walls. The tour includes warning track access and a visit atop Fenway's legendary Green Monster. Following the tour, the winning bidder and guests will cheer on the home team from the Infield Grandstand, which provides covered seating harkening back to Fenway's opening in 1912.

This amazing package includes a gift certificate for a one-night stay at Boston's famed boutique hotel The Envoy, home to award-winning Para Mia restaurant and Boston's best rooftop bar, Lookout Rooftop.

Restrictions: Package is limited to four tickets to a 2022 regular season home game other than a game against the New York Yankees or an Interleague Game. Contact the donor to select a mutually agreeable game and tour date (subject to availability). If the agreed-upon game is rained out, tickets will be redeemed for the scheduled make-up game. Incidental hotel charges are not included and hotel credits are based on average seasonal room rates. Certain peak dates may have higher rates; in that case, the winning bidder will be required to pay the difference. Airfare and transportation not included.

Donors: Boston Red Sox

Value: Priceless



ITEM

7

Four-Night Private Villa Getaway at Four Seasons Resort Anguilla

Paradise awaits! The winning bidder of this fantastic package will enjoy a four-night stay in a gorgeous oceanview, four-bedroom, five-bathroom private villa at the 35-acre luxury beachfront Four Seasons Resort Anguilla.

Anguilla has been called “tranquility wrapped in blue,” a reference to its 33 pristine white-sand beaches and breathtaking clear turquoise waters. The Four Seasons Resort Anguilla, located on Anguilla’s beautiful northwest shore, is equally stunning. Among other extraordinary experiences, the winning bidder of this package will have the opportunity to unwind in their private infinity pool and explore the resort’s countless amenities in their villa’s golf cart, while their butler arranges a fishing excursion or fantastic evening out!

The two-story villa accommodates eight, offers ocean views, and provides convenient access to Barnes Bay Beach, as well as to the resort’s wonderful restaurants and recreation amenities.

Restrictions: Reservations subject to availability and other restrictions may apply, such as black-out dates during peak periods (including April 9 to 16, 2022, November 19 to 25, 2022, December 18 to 31, 2022, February 16 to 25, 2023, and March 18 to April 8, 2023). The certificate awarded to the winning bidder is non-transferable, has no cash value, and is not valid in combination with any other offer. The winning bidder is asked to present the original certificate at check-in at the hotel. Airfare and transportation not included.

Donors:

**Jen and Chris Graham and
Starwood Capital Group**

Value: \$20,000





ITEM



Fund a Scholar

There is no question that Potomac students and teachers are the school's most valuable assets. Help us continue to recruit and retain the best students and faculty by raising your paddle in support of our Fund a Scholar initiative!

The process is simple: during the Live Auction, you will be invited to make a donation that directly supports our student financial aid and faculty/staff professional development programs. Bidding begins at the \$20,000 level, followed by \$15,000, \$10,000, \$5,000, \$2,500, \$1,500, \$1,000, \$500, \$250, \$100, and \$50.

Donor: You!

Value: Priceless



Your 100% tax-deductible gift will have a tremendous impact on Potomac's students, faculty, and staff. Below are a few examples of how your support can make a difference:

\$20,000

- Approximately one-half of one year's tuition

\$15,000

- Represents 20% of the financial aid budget that covers all incidental costs (e.g. trips, textbooks) for Potomac students

\$10,000

- Approximately 25% of one year's tuition

\$5,000

- Annual cost of full-time participation in the Extended Day Program for one student
- Approximate cost to the school to purchase books for students

\$2,500

- Cost for all bus drivers to take a defensive driving course
- Annual transportation cost for a neighborhood bus route

\$1,500

- Registration cost for The Teachers College Writing Workshop, a five-day course in New York City; all Lower School and several Middle School teachers have participated in this workshop

\$1,000

- Registration cost for one teacher or student to attend the National Association of Independent Schools' People of Color Conference

\$500

- Registration cost for one teacher or counselor to attend an online course on incorporating mindfulness techniques in the classroom
- Cost of August Academics programming for one student

\$250

- Approximate cost of Wacky Wednesday for one student

\$100

- Approximate cost for one student and their date to attend prom

\$50

- Cost for one teacher to attend a local conference for educators

If you are unable to attend the auction, please make your Fund a Scholar donation online at potomacschool.ejoinme.org/auctionrsvp2022.

With your help, we can achieve new levels of support for our outstanding students and teachers!



ITEM



Sing the BLUES with Manchester City Football Club

Calling all soccer and Ted Lasso fans: you will not want to miss this unparalleled English football experience!

The lucky winner of this package and three guests will cheer on 2020-2021 Premier League Champions Manchester City Football Club at a home game in Etihad Stadium during either the 2021-2022 or 2022-2023 season. The seats, located in Colin Bell Stand, are among the best in the house. You and your guests will enjoy food and refreshments, while taking in the match with England's Cityzens. You may even find yourself singing along to the famous "Blue Moon" chant!

A parking space at the stadium and four round-trip Business Class plane tickets from Washington Dulles to Manchester are included.

Restrictions: Tickets are available for one home game (fixture) of the Club's choice during the 2021-2022 or the 2022-2023 season. Contact donors to book travel arrangements.

Donors: Abeer and Yousef Al Otaiba and Manchester City Football Club
Value: \$20,000





ITEM

10

One-Week Beach Vacation on Enchanting Kiawah Island

The lucky winner of this package will enjoy a one-week stay in a luxurious custom-built home on pristine Kiawah Island.

Kiawah Island is renowned for its natural beauty and acclaimed golf courses. The home is situated on well-known Surfsong Road, a short 10-minute walk from the beach. It features four bedrooms; a media room; a great room with a wall of windows overlooking a fairway; a private pool; and luxurious finishes throughout, including gorgeous hardwood flooring, custom tile, and shiplap siding. Outdoors, a deck offers a dining area and pool-side lounge chairs, perfect for unwinding after a round of golf or day at the beach.

The home can accommodate 10 guests. (It has an owner's suite with a king-size bed; a bunk room with two sets of bunk beds, one trundle bed, and one queen size-bed; two additional bedrooms with king- and queen-size beds, respectively; and a media room with a sleeper sofa). It also is equipped with a washer, dryer, and high-speed wireless internet.

Do not miss your chance to enjoy this summertime paradise!

Restrictions: Available for a mutually agreeable date in the summer of 2023 (not available August 5 to August 19). Contact donor by April 30, 2022 to secure your week. Airfare and transportation are not included, and overnight parking at the home is limited to five vehicles.

Donors: Colleen and Jim Lucier

Value: \$13,500



ITEM

11

Parking Space for a Potomac Parent



Imagine how incredible it would be to arrive on campus on the busiest days of the school year and park in your very own reserved parking space, just steps from the Lower School! Whether you're carrying a large load, running late, or trying to get great seats at an assembly, you will not regret this purchase.

Restrictions: Parking space will be reserved for the winning bidder for the 2022-2023 school year. Parking space may not be used by a Potomac student.

Donor: The Potomac School

Value: Priceless

ITEM

12

Park City Ski Vacation for Spring Break 2023

Enjoy an amazing Spring Break ski vacation at the extraordinary Abode at Daly Canyon in Park City! Located just one block from Main Street in Old Town, this gorgeous four-bedroom private ski home offers beautiful mountain views, spacious living areas, professional kitchen, heated garage, and private outdoor hot tub for up to eight guests during a seven-night stay. With an open floor plan, the design blends together the dining and living rooms, making Abode at Daly Canyon ideal for entertaining or relaxing after a day on the mountain. A second floor includes two guest bedrooms; a custom bunk room; and an owner's suite with a private bath, fireplace, and balcony - the perfect getaway to relax with your favorite book! Outside, a private après ski escape awaits, featuring a heated patio, newly installed hot tub with Bluetooth, fire pit, and grilling station. A beautiful wooded trail, located just out the front door, provides easy access to snowshoeing and hiking.

Conveniently located near Main Street, Abode at Daly Canyon is the perfect location for guests who want to be in the middle of the Old Town action (including many delicious foodie experiences) while still less than five minutes from both Park City Mountain Resort and Deer Valley Resort!

Restrictions: Home available March 19 to March 26, 2023 (seven nights). Airfare and transportation not included.

Donor: The Rosener Family

Value: \$7,500





ITEM

13

Ultimate Wine Country Experience

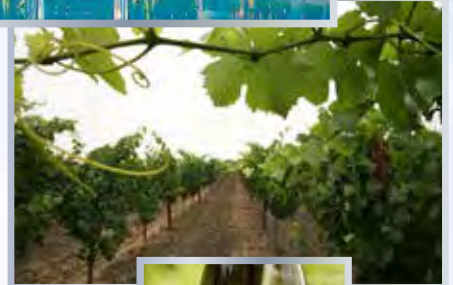
Calling all oenophiles! The lucky winning bidder and guests will enjoy the best of California wine country with this one-of-a-kind collection of Sonoma and Napa tastings, tours, and accommodations. This extraordinary experience includes...

- A gift certificate for a three-night stay for two in The Lodge at Sonoma, nestled in the heart of Sonoma wine country and mere steps away from Town Square
- Private tasting and VIP observations for eight people at Wine Spectator's 2011 #1 Wine of the Year winner, Kosta Browne Winery, at its Sonoma vineyard, with tasting to include the winery's most limited Pinot Noirs and Chardonnays
- Tasting for five couples, hosted by award-winning vineyard Land of Promise at Land of Promise's Sonoma-based vineyard
- VIP tour and lunch for four at Garden Creek Winery's vineyard in Sonoma's Alexander Valley
- Tasting and tapas lunch for eight people at Dakota Shy Winery, a member of Wine Spectator's Top 100, at the winery's Napa Valley estate
- Private tasting and tour hosted by Williams Selyem Winery, located in Napa's Russian River Valley, for four people
- Two elevated tasting experiences for two people at each of Duckhorn Vineyards' four Napa and Sonoma-based wineries, including the Private Tasting experience (featuring a rich history of the vineyards), Personalized Portfolio experience (including a visit to Napa Valley's permit blend house at Paraduxx), Pathway to Pinot experience (featuring the pinnacle of cool-climate Pinot Noir at Migration), and Estate Wine and Cheese Pairing (featuring Anderson Valley Pinot Noir at Goldeneye).

Restrictions: Vineyard reservations subject to availability and must be scheduled by winning bidder. Incidental hotel charges are not included, and hotel credits are based on average seasonal room rates. Certain peak dates may have higher rates; in that case, the winning bidder will be required to pay the difference. Airfare and transportation not included.

Donors: Dakota Shy Winery, Duckhorn Vineyards, Garden Creek Ranch Vineyards Winery, Kosta Browne Winery, Land of Promise Winery, and Williams Selyem Winery

Value: \$7,000



LIVE AUCTION



ITEM

14

Host an Unforgettable Event for 20 with Windows Catering

Throw a party Windows style! Gather friends or family for a memorable celebration, dinner party, or other special occasion. Windows, one of Washington's premier caterers, will bring its magical touch to your event, providing delicious food, friendly staff, and all the necessary catering equipment.

Restrictions: Not valid in the month of December. Two weeks notice preferred. Includes food, equipment/linens, staff, and soft drinks. Windows Catering will consult with the winning bidder on menu choices and will provide up to \$2,500 in catering services; the winning bidder will be responsible for any additional charges. Package does not include alcoholic beverages.

Donors: Julie and Andrew Gerstel, Carol and Henry Dinardo, and Windows Catering Company

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ITEM

15

One-Week Costa Rican Adventure

The extraordinary Casa Atardecer offers the winning bidder a one-of-a-kind experience that makes the most of Costa Rica's natural beauty. Located about 200 meters above, and one-quarter mile inland from, the Pacific Ocean, the casa offers breathtaking ocean vistas and dramatic sunsets. During the day, toucans, aracarís, other tropical birds, and sometimes even sloths and monkeys visit the surrounding trees. Morning wake-up calls are provided by howler monkeys in the nearby forest.

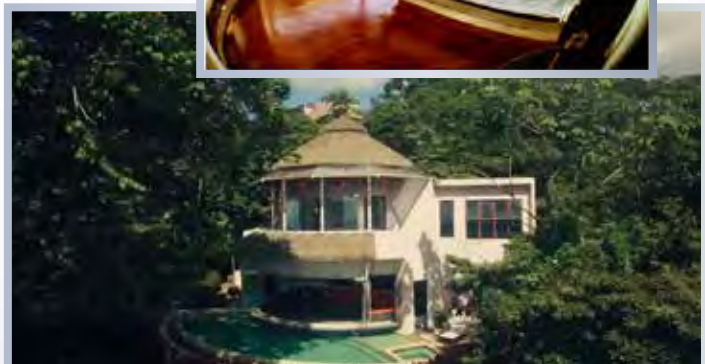
Casa Atardecer has four bedrooms (three are located in the main building and one is located in a private apartment above a two-car garage) and comfortably sleeps four couples.

Floor-to-ceiling windows in the living room and an owner's suite open on rails so that you can be both indoors and outdoors at the same time. From the living room, you can swim into a gorgeous infinity pool. This wonderful property offers all the comforts of home — and more — in a beautiful, exotic location!

Restrictions: Home is available for a one-week stay (beginning and ending on a Saturday) on mutually agreeable dates between June 4, 2022 and October 15, 2022. Airfare and Transportation not included.

Donor: Bruce Baird

Value: \$6,000



ITEM
16

Rock the Red: Ultimate Caps Fan Package

If you're a fan of the 2018 Stanley Cup Champion Washington Capitals, this extraordinary ALL CAPS experience is for you!

The lucky winner will receive a one-of-a-kind Capitals package, including...

- A hockey stick signed by The Great Eight, Alex Ovechkin
- Jerseys signed by T.J. Oshie and Nicklas Backstrom
- Four tickets to a game during the 2022-23 season (seats are located in the Capital One Arena's lower bowl)
- And, if Covid-19 protocols allow, a meet-and-greet with T.J. Oshie and Nicklas Backstrom following the game!

Restrictions: Contact donor for a mutually agreeable date during the 2022-2023 season. The schedule will be released during summer 2022.

Donors: Liza Berg and Nicklas Backstrom and Lauren and T.J. Oshie
Value: Priceless





ITEM

17

All A-Bordeaux! Spend One Week in an Elegant French Chateau

Bordeaux, located in southwest France, arguably is the world's most famous wine region and is renowned for its beautiful landscapes. If you ever have dreamed of spending your days exploring French vineyards, enjoying incredible cuisine, or immersing yourself in the French countryside and all that it offers, this extraordinary package is for you. The lucky winning bidder and guests will enjoy a week-long stay at Chateau Magdeleine de Bouhou, a private gite nestled within a working Cote de Blaye, Bordeaux vineyard. The home is beautifully refurbished and includes five bedrooms that comfortably sleep 10 people, a private garden, outdoor shower, terrace, and barbecue area. The home is a short bike ride from the local town of Blaye. Bicycles are available for use at the property, and a bike path stretching from Blaye to Etauliers is nearby. There are many attractions worth exploring, including St. Emilion, the Medoc region, Arcachon and the Dune du Pilat, the Aquitaine coastline and lakes, Cognac, and Bordeaux city, and, of course, there is lots of wine to drink! Round out your week with a vineyard tour at either Chateau Puynard or Chateau Magdeleine Bouhou.

Restrictions: Package expires February 26, 2023. Contact donors for mutually agreeable dates. Airfare and transportation not included.

Donors: Naomi Murtagh and Andrew Eakin and Erin Cleary Murtagh '93 and Paul Murtagh

Value: \$4,000



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Below is a SAMPLING of the many Silent Auction items offered for bidding. Items received following the catalog print date are not included. A complete list of the Silent Auction offerings can be found at potomacs2022.ggo.bid. Online bidding for all Silent Auction items begins at noon on February 24, 2022, and closes at the event on April 9, 2022, at approximately 8:15 pm.

EXPERIENCES

The Party Continues! 200 Level Suite for MixTape Tour Concert on July 23

Grab your friends and throw it back to the 90's! You and 23 friends will Hang Tough in an entire 200 level suite for the MixTape Tour Concert at Capital One Arena on Saturday, July 23, 2022 headlined by New Kids on the Block. NKOTB is joined by some of the era's other most iconic musicians: Salt-N-Pepa, En Vogue, and Rick Astley! Some food and beverage will be included in the package; additional in-suite refreshments will be available for purchase through Capital One Arena catering. Suite includes private restroom.

Donors: Blank Rome LLC and Maggie Brady and Jim Ellis

Value: \$3,600



Two Tickets to a 2022 Summer Performance at Wolf Trap, with VIP Perks

Enjoy two premium tickets to any Filene Center performance during the summer 2022 season, along with VIP parking and two guest passes for Wolf Trap's Encore Circle VIP Lounge. The lounge is a short walk from the Filene Center and offers a casual, air conditioned, private facility for relaxing throughout the evening. While there, you and your guests will enjoy complimentary beer, wine, coffee, tea, soft

drinks, and light snacks during the performance and dessert and coffee following the performance. Package also includes a \$150 gift certificate to Balducci's - perfect for packing a picnic or a few bottles of wine.

Restrictions: Tickets subject to availability and valid only for the Filene Center summer 2022 season. Contact Wolf Trap to schedule experience by May 15, 2022.

Donors: Kate and Kevin Robbins and Wolf Trap Foundation for the Performing Arts

Value: \$1,900



A Day in the Life of Your Student with Brian Parry

Let MS/IS librarian, photography enthusiast, and Potomac parent, Brian Parry, follow your child through their Potomac School day and capture moments you may hear about but otherwise never would see. These one-of-a-kind photographs will be taken during your child's classes and sporting events over the course of several days in May 2022. A photographic essay of your child's Potomac experience will be assembled from proofs selected by the artist and presented in book form.

Restrictions: Contact donor to arrange a mutually agreeable date in May 2022. Available for one student. Not available for graduation.

Donor: Brian Parry

Value: Priceless

A DAY IN THE LIFE



Private White House Tour

U.S. Secret Service Agent Alexander Scanzera will give a private walking tour for up to six people of the Eisenhower Executive Office Building and The West Wing of The White House, including the Navy Mess Hall; Cabinet Room; Roosevelt Room; Oval Office; and press briefing room.

Restrictions: Children are welcome to attend with at least one adult. Tour to be scheduled for mutually agreeable date and time (tours presently are suspended due to COVID-19 but are expected to resume when conditions improve). Any agreed-upon date may be canceled at the last minute due to the nature of life at The White House and will be rescheduled ASAP.

Donors: Alex and Leigh Anne Scanzera

Value: Priceless

Exclusive Private Tour and Animal Experience at Baltimore's National Aquarium

Enjoy a one-of-a-kind private tour for six people at the renowned National Aquarium in Baltimore's Inner Harbor. The visit includes an animal keeper talk; an animal encounter; either a feeding experience or an enrichment creation (enrichment creation allows animals to demonstrate their species-typical behavior, provides an opportunity for them to exercise choice over their environment, and enhances well-being); and lunch at the Harbor Market Kitchen. This amazing experience is not otherwise available, so do not miss it!

Restrictions: All guests must be over eight years old.

Donors: Ginna Young Newton '83 and National Aquarium Baltimore

Value: \$1,000





Day in the Life of a Pro Gamer!



Ever wondered what it would feel like to be a pro gamer? Here's your opportunity to find out! You and three guests will visit the Alienware Training Facility in Santa Monica for an exclusive hangout and fan experience with one of the world's most successful eSports franchises: Team Liquid (Netflix's *7 Days Out*, HBO's *Ballers*). The lucky winning bidder will tour the facility, feast alongside Team Liquid pros and staff on lunch prepared by their in-house chef, and listen in on a match review session between players and coaches. The team's photographer will be on hand throughout to capture the priceless memories.

This package also includes...

- Official Team Liquid 2022 jersey autographed by Team Liquid's entire Spring League Championship Series roster, including world champion Jo "CoreJJ" Yong-in and its newest signees; and
- Lifestyle apparel from the latest Team Liquid x Marvel collection.

Restrictions: Experience limited to winning bidder plus three guests (four people total). Visit to be scheduled for a Tuesday through Friday, January through March or June through August, subject to Los Angeles County COVID restrictions. Some restrictions apply.

Donors: Kristin Jensen and Mina Faltas '96 and eSports/Team Liquid

Value: Priceless



Front-Row Seats for Potomac's 2022 Graduation Ceremony with Reserved Parking



One lucky family will win four front-row seats, reserved in their name, for the 2022 graduation ceremony. This is a great opportunity to guarantee the best seats in the house for this once-in-a-lifetime event for your child! A reserved parking space on graduation day is also included.

Donor: The Potomac School

Value: Priceless

Four Front-Row Seats to a Halloween or Holiday Divisional Assembly with Reserved Parking

Imagine not having to scramble to find seats for your child's big assembly! The winning bidder will receive four reserved seats for their choice of one of the following assemblies during the 2022-23 school year: LS Halloween, MS Halloween, LS Holiday, MS Holiday, IS Holiday, or US Winter Lights. A reserved parking space is also included.

Restrictions: Can only be used for one of the events noted above and cannot be divided.

Donor: The Potomac School

Value: Priceless





DINING

Thompson Italian Pasta-Making Experience for 10

Have you ever wanted to learn how to make your own pasta? Do you and your friends or family love Italian food? If you answered yes to either question, you will not want to miss this extraordinary experience at sought-after Thompson Italian! You and nine guests will learn how to make pasta with renowned chefs Gabe and Katherine Thompson, followed by a sit-down luncheon with wine pairing. Buon appetito!

Restrictions: Coordinate date with chefs' availability; experience is available for weekend lunch times only. Gratuity not included. Lunch will be served in the main dining room. Package cannot be combined with any other promotional offer or certificate, is not redeemable for cash or refund, and is not valid for private parties or carry-out orders.

Donor: Thompson Italian

Value: \$500



Unforgettable South African Dining Experience with Joleen Hyde

Looking for a unique culinary experience? Taste your way through South Africa with a meal for six people prepared and cooked in your home by beloved Assistant to the Head of the Intermediate School Joleen Hyde. The menu will feature a South African braai — a type of barbecue, only more finger-licking good! South African music, decor, wine, soft drinks, and more will be provided.

Restrictions: Experience is available on a mutually agreeable date between May and September 2022, other than a date during Memorial Day weekend and August 6-15, 2022. An outdoor fire pit or other outdoor cooking structure (such as an outdoor oven) is necessary to prepare the braai.

Donors: Joleen and Mike Hyde

Value: Priceless

Dessert Party for 20

Live the sweet life in Alexandria with a dessert party for 20! Located in the historic Ice House building in Old Town, Goodies serves Wisconsin-style frozen custard and decadent treats like the donutwich (an apple cider donut stuffed with vanilla frozen custard and topped with caramel) as well as colossal sundaes, shakes, and floats.

Your 90-minute party will feature a custom menu of three Goodies desserts served in the dedicated courtyard with at least one staff member. For an additional fee, owner Brandon Byrd can help arrange extras such as a BBQ pit, food truck, lifesize games, and a DJ.

Donor: Goodies Frozen Custard and Treats

Value: \$1,500





Gourmet Cooking Class and Dinner for Six with Chef Christal Karnaze

Miele chef and former Potomac parent Christal Karnaze will show you and five friends how to prepare a stress-free gourmet dinner party that includes an appetizer, charcuterie platter, pasta first course, rack of lamb or salmon in phyllo, and an amazing dessert. Each course will be paired with a delicious wine from the Karnaze cellar. Cooking class and dinner to take place at Chef Christal's home in McLean on a mutually agreed upon date.

Restrictions: Package expires on February 26, 2023.

Donor: Christal Karnaze

Value: Priceless



Dinner for Four at Vim & Victor



Grab your friends and enjoy dinner for four at Vim & Victor at the St. James. Vim & Victor serves deliciously balanced, well-crafted meals in a warm, welcoming atmosphere. Chef Spike Mendelsohn and his team have created a menu of healthier twists on familiar favorites. You will experience these unique offerings and craft cocktails in the comfort of Vim & Victor's relaxed, modern dining space.

Restrictions: Alcohol, tax, and gratuity not included.

Donors: Hilary and Craig Dixon

Value: \$350

VIM & VICTOR

Dinner and Wine for Four at Philotimo

Enjoy dinner for four at Nicholas Stefanelli's brand-new restaurant, Philotimo, in D.C.'s Midtown Center. Chef Stefanelli is well known for his Michelin-starred restaurants, Masseria and Officina. His newest endeavor, Philotimo, pays tribute to the wide ranging flavors of Greece and its regional delicacies. Greeks use the word "philotimo" to convey a sense of pride in everything one does, from small acts of kindness and altruism to supporting one's neighbors and community. Chef Stefanelli strives to bring the ethos and principles of philotimo to the heart of D.C. by providing a warm, sophisticated gathering place to break bread with friends and family, creating lasting moments. Wine pairing is included.

Restrictions: Package available through February 26, 2023.

Winning bidder to email Jerad Speigel to make reservations at least two weeks in advance of desired reservation date and time.

Donors: Gretchen and Jerad Speigel and Philotimo

Value: \$800





GETAWAYS

Tulips, Canals, Windmills, and Luxury Accommodations Await!

The winning bidder of this package will spend four days and three nights at luxury boutique hotel The Dylan in Amsterdam.

The Dylan is an acclaimed five-star hotel, voted the Netherlands' Leading Hotel by the World Travel Awards. Located in an exceptional 17th-century landmark on the Keizersgracht, one of the city's famous canals, The Dylan is in the heart of the Nine-Streets shopping district and just a short stroll from some of the city's main attractions. The Dylan features 40 individually designed rooms and suites; tranquil garden and lounges; unique meeting venues; and a Michelin-starred restaurant, Vinkeles.

Restrictions: Package includes accommodations for up to four guests (two interconnecting rooms will be provided) and daily breakfast and High Wine for two; city tax is also included. Dates subject to availability. Expires December 31, 2023. Air and ground transportation to and from destination and all other expenses, unless noted above, are the sole responsibility of traveler.

Donors: Erin Cleary Murtagh '93 and Paul Murtagh

Value: \$4,000



Cape Cod Getaway at Chatham Bars Inn



Enjoy a one-night stay for two at the luxurious and historic Chatham Bars Inn — Cape Cod's most beautiful address for year-round family vacations and romantic getaways. The resort is located on a quarter-mile private beach just a short stroll from Chatham's charming Main Street. You and your guest will enjoy breakfast at the Inn to round out your stay. Do not miss this opportunity to enjoy a quintessential Cape Cod experience!

Restrictions: Winning package is non-refundable and non-transferable, and reservations are not available on major

holidays or from June 15 through September 15. Taxes, resort fee, and gratuities are included. Major holidays excluded. Package expires February 26, 2023.

Donor: Chatham Bars Inn

Value: \$500



One-Week Stay in Restored Maine Farmhouse

The lucky winner of this package and their guests will enjoy a one-week stay at Three Sisters Farm — a classic mid-coast Maine farmhouse lovingly restored with modern amenities. Located a short walk to the water in Friendship, Maine, the farm features large, bright, airy rooms, including five bedrooms, two living areas, two fully-stocked kitchens, and a designated workspace, on 11 beautiful acres. The farm is a perfect retreat for relaxing, savoring the ocean and idyllic nature reserves, or even working or studying remotely!

Restrictions and other information: The farm is located 1.5 hours from the Portland, Maine airport; the donor can arrange to have someone pick them up or rent a car. The winning bidder can select any week that has not already been reserved; the farm is not available June through August.

Donors: Stephen and Mia Foley Holland '94

Value \$3,500



One-Week Adventure on Deep Creek Lake



Gather friends or family for an unforgettable, relaxing week in the nearby mountains of western Maryland, and enjoy a stay at the Admiral's Cottage at Deep Creek Lake! The fully appointed Admiral's Cottage includes four bedrooms with king-size beds, a movie theater, a Jacuzzi, and a pool table for your recreational pleasure. This is a perfect getaway location for spending time with your loved ones! You may enjoy hiking, biking, or playing in the lake during a warm season, or choose a week in winter and ski and snowboard at nearby Wisp Resort.

Restrictions: Available any time of year, based on a mutually agreed upon week of consecutive days. Expires March 1, 2023. Firm maximum of eight guests, no pets, and no smoking.

Donors: Lily Gunn/Westland Family

Value: \$3,500

One-Week Vacation on Amelia Island

The lucky winning bidder will enjoy a one-week stay in a beautiful two-bedroom beachfront cottage on the north end of Florida's Amelia Island. Within walking distance of restaurants, miniature golf, and a seasonal water slide, and a short drive or bike ride to downtown Fernandina Beach, this peaceful cottage offers limitless possibilities!

Restrictions: Based on availability for a Saturday-to-Saturday stay during peak spring and summer months. Maximum four guests; pets may be able to accompany guests with the donors' permission. Airfare or ground transportation not included.

Donors: Jill DeTemple and Gordon O'Brien

Value: \$2,200





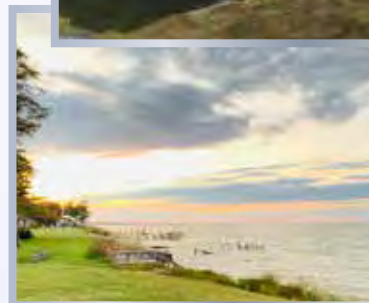
Weekend Getaway Cottage in the Northern Neck

Enjoy a rejuvenating and recharging summer or fall weekend in Heathsville, Virginia, in a newly renovated waterfront cottage. Located just 2.5 hours from DC, this tranquil cottage has amazing, expansive views of the calming Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay and is the perfect spot to reconnect with family. Show your kids how to have fun without technology, or just relax in solitude. Stress will melt away as you take in amazing waterfront views or enjoy a hammock under the trees or a glass of wine by the outdoor fire pit — all while listening to the gentle sound of waves. The cottage has three bedrooms (offering a total of three full-sized beds and two twin beds), two bathrooms, and accommodates eight people. Amenities include new paddle boards, kayak, crabbing equipment, Keurig coffee machine, instapot, full kitchen, board games, WiFi, TV, home security system, and private boardwalk.

Restrictions: Cottage available between June 1, 2022, and October 31, 2022, on a mutually agreeable weekend. Pets and smoking are not permitted.

Donors: Kalpna and Raj Bansal

Value: \$1,000



SPORTS

Signed memorabilia by:

- Landon Donovan
- T.J. Oshie
- And a virtual experience with Ryan Zimmerman
- Tom Wilson
- John Carlson

Fall Golf Outing at the Unparalleled Liberty National Golf Club

You and two guests will join Potomac parent and Liberty National member Dan Fisher for a weekday (Monday through Thursday) golf foursome at this world-famous club just across the harbor from Manhattan. The 18-hole Championship Golf Course was designed by 1992 U.S. Open Champion Tom Kite and renowned golf course architect Bob Cupp. Golfers enjoy magnificent views of the Statue of Liberty, the New York Harbor and the Manhattan skyline. Lunch or dinner (depending on the tee time) is also included. If you cannot play in the fall, Dan is offering an additional outing in spring 2023 (both items available online).

Restrictions: Contact donor for a mutually agreeable date on a Monday through Thursday in the Fall of 2022.

Donor: Dan Fisher

Value: Priceless





Battle of Stanley Cup Champions: Washington Capitals vs. St. Louis Blues

Enjoy four tickets to see the Stanley Cup-winning Washington Capitals take on defending Stanley Cup champions St. Louis Blues on March 22, 2022, at 7:00 pm. Seats are located in Section 112, Row O (seats 13 through 16).

Restrictions: Guests must wear masks at all times, unless eating or drinking. Tickets will be delivered electronically. Proof of vaccination is required. Guests age 12 and older must have received at least one dose of the vaccine by January 15, 2022. For those taking a two-dose vaccine, the second dose of the vaccine must have been received by February 15, 2022.

Donors: Zach Leonsis '07 and Monumental Sports & Entertainment
Value: \$740



Are You Ready for Some Football?



Enjoy three tickets on the 50 yard line (Section 121, Row 15, Seats 14, 15, and 16) as the Washington Football Team takes on the New York Giants during the 2022-2023 season. (The game date has not yet been determined but will be announced in the May/June time frame.) One parking pass (for the Purple D parking lot, located just outside of the stadium) and three Gold Passes (providing holders with express entry into the stadium, shorter lines at many of the concessions, and a 50% discount on food and non-alcoholic beverages) are included.

Donors: Jessica and Simon Storm
Value: \$875

Two Front-Row Tickets to Washington Capitals vs. New York Islanders

Hey, Caps fans! The lucky winner of this package will enjoy two VIP tickets to see the Stanley Cup-winning Washington Capitals take on the New York Islanders on April 26, 2022, at 7:00 pm. Tickets are front row, on the glass, behind the goalie (Section 117, Row A, Seats 3 and 4). Exclusive access to the upscale Caesars Sportsbook VIP Lounge, which offers an intimate dining experience with ample seating; an award-winning, celebrity chef-inspired menu of passed hors d'oeuvres, premium desserts, and entrée items; beer, wine, and cocktails. A lounge entrance is located close to Section 103, and a parking pass will be provided.

Restrictions: Guests must wear masks at all times, unless eating or drinking. Tickets will be delivered electronically. Proof of vaccination is required. Guests age 12 and older must have received at least one dose of the vaccine by January 15, 2022. For those taking a two-dose vaccine, the second dose of the vaccine must have been received by February 15, 2022.

Donors: Jennifer and Jim Bognet and Bognet Construction
Value: \$1,100





Golf Extravaganza with Tony and Michael Kornheiser



Calling all Loyal Littles! So you've watched ESPN's *Pardon the Interruption* for years and you know all the inside jokes on *The Tony Kornheiser Show* podcast. Now, you have the chance to play golf with one of the most recognizable commentators in sports and entertainment. You and three guests will join Mr. Tony as well as the show's Michael Kornheiser (a scratch golfer), frequent show guest and Potomac parent, Chris Cillizza (not a scratch golfer), and Potomac parent Andy Cristinzio for two mixed foursomes and lunch at the beautiful Caves Valley Golf Club. Located just outside of Baltimore, the Tom Fazio designed championship course has hosted three sitting U.S. Presidents, and, most recently, the 2021 BMW Championship, setting the stage for an epic playoff in the penultimate event of the FedEx Cup.

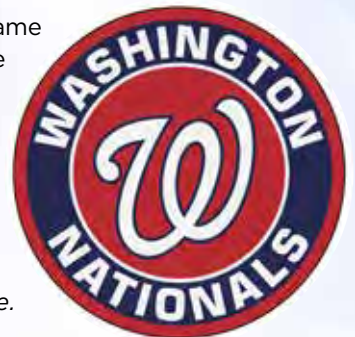
Restrictions: Available for a mutually agreeable date selecting from the following options: April 11 - May 20 ; June 1 - June 24; September 12 - October 31. Excluding weekends.

Donors: Carrie and Andy Cristinzio, The Tony Kornheiser Show, Gia and Chris Cillizza

Value: Priceless

It's Time to Play Ball!

Enjoy four tickets to see the World Series-winning Washington Nationals at a home game in a premium K Street Championship Box. Located on the sought-after Jefferson Suite Level, the K Street Box combines the privacy of a suite with the flexibility of four premium seats. It features high-end menu options selected and prepared by expert chefs, dedicated service staff, a four-person booth in the indoor dining room, and a four-person covered outdoor box with great views of the field and in-seat food and beverage service. Two parking passes, as well as all food, beer, wine, and non-alcoholic beverages, are included.



Restrictions: Tickets are for a mutually agreeable Washington Nationals home game.

Donor: KBS

Value: \$1,500

Squash Academy Summer Camp for Two



Looking for fun summer activities? How about day camp at Play Squash Academy? Squash camp provides a great introduction for those new to the sport and offers developing players an opportunity to learn skills that will help them outperform the competition. This package is meant for two children and can be used by siblings or by your child and a friend. Together, they can sign up for (i) two sessions each, per day, for a two-week period or (ii) one session each, per day, for a four-week period. They will come out playing like pros!

Restrictions: Camps are appropriate for players of all ages and skill levels. Multiple weeks of day camps with flexible session schedules are available. Package must be used by two children.

Donor: Play Squash Academy

Value: \$2,200



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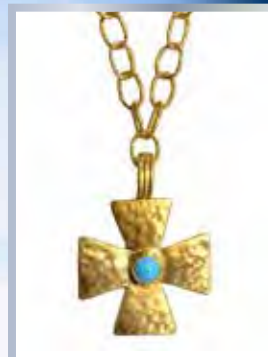
Dina Mackney Necklace

Take home this stunning Sleeping Beauty turquoise cross pendant necklace. This exquisite piece is designed by renowned jewelry designer and Potomac parent Dina Mackney. Ms. Mackney's designs have been featured in *InStyle Magazine*; *O, The Oprah Magazine*; and *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*.

Restrictions: No returns or exchanges.

Donor: Dina Mackney Designs

Value: \$475



Exquisite Diamond Bangle

Adorn yourself with this exceptional 14K white gold 1.0 ct prong-set diamond bangle. The bracelet's elegant beauty speaks for itself.

Donor: Boone and Sons

Value: \$3,750

IPL Treatment with Arlington Dermatology

Treat yourself to a cosmetic consultation and IPL (Intense Pulse Light) treatment at Arlington Dermatology. The IPL procedure is a non-invasive gentle light energy treatment used to lighten age spots, improve facial redness, and eliminate unwanted fine blood vessels on the face.



Donor: Arlington Dermatology and Potomac Parent Matthew Livingood

Value \$650

Custom Ink or Watercolor Drawing of Your Home



Potomac parent and architect/artist Parinaz Bahadori will create a one-of-a-kind watercolor or pen-and-ink drawing of your home! You will receive a framed rendering, as well as an electronic version of the drawing that can be used creatively to make note cards.

Donor: Parinaz Bahadori

Value: \$500



Concierge Services Package from Artifcts

Artifcts offers a secure place to preserve history, memories, and life experiences behind the objects of your life with images, audio, video, and text. The winning bidder of this package will enjoy a Concierge Services Package: a member of the Artifcts Concierge Services Team will spend four hours with the winning bidder at their home and will help them set up an account and create a dozen or so Artifcts (Artifcts can include anything from a child's artistic creation to family heirlooms). All Artifcts will be securely uploaded and properly categorized for easy reference, retrieval, and sharing. QR codes can be affixed to any of the Artifcted belongings as well.



Restrictions: Package includes one Artifcts Unlimited Account, which enables the winning bidder to Artifct an unlimited number of items and to add up to three people to the account. (Don't worry, the Artifcts remain private unless the account holder decides to share them.)

Donors: Artifcts and Heather Nickerson

Value \$840



Botox and Microdermabrasion Treatments by Dr. Shabnam Shahabadi

Treat yourself! Potomac parent and dermatologist Dr. Shabnam Shahabadi will provide Botox and microdermabrasion treatments, which reduce the appearance of facial lines, including forehead, glabella, and crows feet, in her Fairfax office.

Donors: Dr. Shabnam Shahabadi and Plastic Surgery and Dermatology Associates

Value: \$500

One-Year Family Membership to the St. James

The St. James is more than just a gym – it's an experience! The DMV's answer to family fitness provides fine dining, a spa, a water park, climbing courses, shopping, and every sport imaginable; all under one roof. At 450,000 square feet, the complex houses sports, lifestyle, and wellness activities for the entire family. The lucky winning bidder will enjoy a one-year family membership.

Members enjoy a range of benefits, including exclusive 24/7 access to the 50,000 square-foot premium health club with state-of-the-art fitness equipment; access to the high-performance training center; 100+ group fitness classes offered each week; access to an Olympic-size swimming pool and water park; free member times in the active entertainment center, rock wall, and ice rink; a member lounge space; preferred pricing on sports registration, spa services, and restaurant and retail purchases; and three hours of complimentary childcare per day.

Donors: Hilary and Craig Dixon

Value: \$5,000





They teach, support, and inspire our children every day. Now, they are going the extra mile to donate their time for our Fun with Faculty! Don't miss your chance to bid on these amazing experiences, all donated by Potomac's wonderful faculty and staff.

Online bidding opens on February 24, 2022, at noon and closes at the end of the Silent Auction at the event on April 9, 2022. Visit the website at potomacs2022.ggo.bid.

Lower School

- Making Algebra Child's Play with Dr. Echols, Ms. Peters and Mrs. Tiamiyu
- Flowers and Story Time with Mrs. McKillop
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- Bowling with Mrs. Berke
- Movie Outing with Ms. Koo
- Hike the Billy Goat Trail with Second Grade Teachers
- Soccer Party with Mr. McEwen and Four Varsity Players
- Two Pottery Classes with Ms. MacKenzie
- After School Tea Party and Nails with Mrs. Hussain and Ms. Smalley
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- Explore the Potomac River Wetlands with Miss Cahill
- Maker Party with Mrs. Ashley and Mrs. Brundage

Middle School

- Spy Museum with Mr. Mathews
- Nosh and Nails with Mrs. Furr
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- Ultimate Four Square Tournament and Cookout with Mr. McNeil
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- Bike Ride and Picnic Lunch with Ms. McClain
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- Pack of Three Music Lessons with Mr. Nadel
- Art Crafting Party with Mrs. Dunkelberger

Intermediate and Upper School and Athletics

- Intro to Jazz Improvisation Workshop with Mr. Clark
- Hour-Long GaliCo Yoga Session with Ms. Helwink
- Private, In-Home Yoga Class with Ms. Helwink
- Mentoring Session with Athletics Director Ms. Woda
- Lacrosse Skills Clinic with Girls Varsity Head Coach Ms. Berg
- Lacrosse Lessons with Boys Varsity Head Coach Mr. Marriott
- Flag Football Skills and Practice Session with JV Football Head Coach Mr. Wolff





Buy a Chance to Win

THE BEST OF LIVE RAFFLE!

The Live Auction features some of the most unique and exciting items we have to offer this year. By purchasing a Best of Live raffle ticket, you have the opportunity to win one of these items at the incredible price of just \$100.

Only 220 Best of Live raffle tickets will be sold. Tickets are on sale now online at www.potomacschool.org/bestoflive and in the Advancement Office, located in the Flag Circle Building. Contact Potomac's director of advancement events, Christine Sharkey, at (703) 749-6362 or csharkey@potomacschool.org to buy tickets or if you have questions.

Any remaining tickets will be sold during the Silent Auction.

Once you have purchased a ticket, simply provide your name and the item you would like to win. The winning ticket will be drawn at the beginning of the Live Auction. The winner will receive the Live Auction item indicated on his/her ticket, and that item will be withdrawn from the Live Auction. You do not have to be present to win.

The Four-Night Private Villa Getaway at Four Seasons Resort Anguilla and Sing the BLUES with Manchester City Football Club experiences are not eligible for the Best of Live raffle.

Please note: The purchase of a raffle ticket is not considered a tax-deductible charitable contribution.

Taxes may be due for the winner on the difference between the item's market value and the price of the raffle ticket. The Potomac School will pay any taxes required to be withheld, and the winner will receive a Form W-2G from the school. Any questions on tax matters should be referred to your tax advisor.

WINE

Thanks to the generosity of the Potomac community and friends, a world-class selection of wines will be available for bidding only at the auction on April 9. A huge thank you to Colleen and Jim Lucier and Julie and Tom Steindler for hosting the auction's reimagined annual wine party!

See a full listing of all wines available at the event at potomacs2022.ggo.bid.





Would you like to try something new, have some fun, and meet great people?

If so, **Buy a Spot** at the 2022 auction! The process is easy. Review the selected offerings below. On the auction website, click on the “Buy a Spot” category, find the experience(s) you are interested in, select the item, and click “purchase now.” Spots are limited and will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis. Prices indicated are per person/spot.

A full listing of Buy a Spots is available online at potomacs2022.ggo.bid



**Paint Party,
Parents Night Out!
Saturday, April 2, 2022**

Paint! Dinner! Movie! Fuel an old, or instill a new, passion to create at this first party of the 2022 Buy-a-Spot season! Led by ARTMELLOW professionals, your child will paint on canvas as well as on a frame, box, or ornament that they can take home. The party is not complete without dinner and a movie. Parents can enjoy the fun too or drop off and enjoy a night without the kids!

The event will be held for children in grades K through 6 on Saturday, April 2, from 5:30 to 8:00 pm on the covered patio at River Bend Club. Masks will be required when indoors. Spots will be sold for \$75 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 25 spots.

Donors: Julie and Brian Lee, Amy and Harold Kim, Becky and Mark Tromblay, Heather and Ryan Zimmerman

**Walkin' on Sunshine!
Thursday, April 7, 2022**

Gather with fellow Potomac School friends and explore the woodland wonders of Rock Creek Park on this guided hike. Ramble along the woodland routes, savor the spring ephemerals, and listen to the babbling Rock Creek. Your efforts will be rewarded with delicious trail treats. Margaret Rietano, former Potomac parent and founder of The Elements D.C., will co-lead this adventure with Lissa Potter, Potomac parent and co-chair of Parents for Environmental Action.



The hike will cover more than three miles of wooded paths with varied terrain that is flat, rocky and hilly. Athletic shoes or hiking boots are recommended.

The event will take place on Thursday, April 7, from 9:30 to 11:30 am in D.C.'s Rock Creek Park. Spots will be sold for \$40 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. All are welcome! Limited to 30 spots.

Donors: The Elements D.C., Margaret Rietano, and PEA Co-Chair Lissa Potter

**Charcuterie Made
Easy “Brie-zy”
Thursday, April 14, 2022**

Get “Gouda” at charcuterie and level up your entertaining skills with this two-hour hands-on outdoor workshop. Led by local grazing table specialist and Potomac parent Leslie Vorndran of The Welcome Board, guests will engage their creativity in crafting their very own artfully designed (and delicious!) cheese board that they can take home and share with loved ones. Gourmet treats, fine wine, and lively conversation will be plentiful. There's no “cheddar” spot to be!



The event will be held on Thursday, April 14, from 6:00 to 8:30 pm at the home of Cherylyn and Chris Mizzo in McLean. Spots will be sold for \$125 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Masking not required if vaccinated. Limited to 25 spots.

Donors: Cherylyn and Chris Mizzo, Leslie and Frank Vorndran, Sona Patel-Grimm and Matt Grimm, Julie and Brian Lee, Brandi and Jeff White



Tinis and Toes

Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Back by popular demand! Join some of your favorite Potomac friends for a night of pampering and partying at a lovely local nail spa. This fabulous night out will include pedicures, martinis, and light fare.



This adults only event will be held on Wednesday, April 20, from 7:00 to 9:15 pm at Koncept Nail Spa in Falls Church. Spots will be sold for \$125 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 18 spots.

Donors: Nicole Alexander, Jennifer Butler, Diane Halpin, Kara Hicks, and Tanya La Force

Women Giving Back

Sunday, April 24, 2022



Spend some time helping others at this service-based buy a spot partnered with Women Giving Back which supports women and children in crisis on their first step to stability by providing quality clothing at no cost. The WGB Store is filled with donated clothing, accessories, shoes and more, for both women and

children. Participants will assist in the warehouse, view the boutique, and enjoy lunch while helping WGB fulfill its mission.

The event will be held on Sunday, April 24, from 1:00 to 3:30 pm at Women Giving Back in Sterling. Open to children aged 13-18, accompanied by an adult. Each teen is asked to bring a bag of gently used women's and/or children's clothing as a donation. All participants must be vaccinated and masked. Spots will be sold for \$40 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to eight spots. All participants need to buy a spot.

Donors: Julie Gerstel and Lee Walters

Unwined with Us!

Thursday, April 28, 2022

Relax, "unwined," and indulge with Vanessa Moore, owner and proprietor of Unwined Alexandria, who will lead a specially curated wine tasting with Potomac friends. Kick back, learn more about what tickles your palate, and enjoy some light bites in a lovely backyard setting.



The event will be held on Thursday, April 28, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at the home of Becky Tromblay in Alexandria. Spots will be sold for \$100 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 15 spots.

Donors: Becky Tromblay, Laura Bennett, and Unwined Alexandria

Mastering Makeup

Sunday, May 1, 2022

Whether you're looking to improve your technique or get your burning beauty questions answered, Shauné Hayes is here to help. Makeup artist, entrepreneur, coach, author, and Potomac parent Shauné will guide the group in a hands-on makeup tutorial with a live demo and coaching. This lovely gathering begins with cocktails on the veranda, followed by the tutorial and lunch.



This adults-only event will be held on Sunday, May 1, at 11:00 am at Washington Golf and Country Club in Arlington. Spots will be sold for \$125 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 25 spots.

Donors: Vanessa Barbee, Shauné Hayes, and Tiffany Anderson



Beautiful Blossoms Thursday, May 5, 2022

Join Caroline Whiteman, of Caroline Floral Designs in Washington, D.C., as she demonstrates the art of flower arranging. Receive step-by-step instructions while creating your own spring-inspired display. Once your floral masterpiece has been created, enjoy a relaxing champagne luncheon. What a way to kick off Mother's Day weekend! Guests will take their arrangements home to enjoy.



The event will be held on Thursday, May 5, at 11:00 am at the home of Rachel Sheridan in McLean. Spots will be sold for \$125 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 30 spots.

Donors: Katy Moser and Rachel Sheridan

Game, Set, Lunch! Thursday, May 12, 2022



Tennis anyone? Join in the fun and connect with Potomac's vibrant tennis community! Belle Haven Country Club pros will lead a lively cardio tennis warm up and a

round-robin, followed by an outdoor luncheon. Join your hosts in a high-energy fitness activity that is appropriate for tennis lovers of all skill levels and combines the best features of tennis with cardiovascular exercise and friendly competition.

The event will be held on Thursday, May 12, at 12:00 pm at Belle Haven Country Club in Alexandria. The rain date is May 25. Spots will be sold for \$100 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Minimum eight and maximum of 14 tennis-loving players!

Donors: Caroline DenHerder, Alicia Downs, Kelly Lange, Sarah Lipson, Kelley Robertson, and Priscilla Stanzel

Guys Night In Friday, May 20, 2022

Relax and unwind with Potomac dads for a fun-filled Friday night without a crowd. There will be poker, billiards, bourbon sampling, dinner, and lively conversation. Leave the shades and Benjamins at home - this night is just for fun!

The event will be held on Friday, May 20, from 6:00 to 10:00 pm at the home of Nick and Mihaela Hallam in McLean. Spots will be sold for \$150 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Guests should be vaccinated and boosted, please. Limited to 12 people.



Donors: Nick and Mihaela Hallam

Paintball the Town...and Country! Saturday, June 4, 2022

Travel to beautiful Fauquier County, located at the foothills of the Shenandoah Mountains, to the home of Morgan and Andy Holtman for a day of paintball, competition, food, and fun! This party is open to Potomac students grades 5 through 9 and Potomac parents. Teams and matches will be organized once sign ups are complete. Parents who do not wish to buy a spot to play are welcome to spend the day in the country. A barbecue lunch (including vegetarian options) and desserts will be provided by local vendors.

The event will be held on Saturday, June 4, from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Holtman residence in Amisville, Virginia. Spots will be sold for \$75 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 30 spots.



Donors: Morgan and Andy Holtman, Hilary and Rob Katerberg, Heather and Jon Seeber



Let the Backyard Games Begin!

Saturday, September 17, 2022

Are you a cornhole champion? Boss at bocce? Supreme at Spikeball? Now is your chance to show off your outdoor game skills at this backyard extravaganza. Enjoy hearty competition, booze, and bites with fellow Potomac parents in a lovely outdoor setting as we kick off a new school year.



This adults-only event will be held on the evening of Saturday, September 17, at the home of Ashley and Dan Fisher in McLean. Spots will be sold for \$125 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 60 spots.

Donors: Ashley and Dan Fisher, Mary and Heather Cheney, Jillian and Jeremy Marwell, Adrienne and John Scribner, and Heidi and Randy Rodgers

Sip, Sip, Hooray!

Saturday, October 1, 2022



Sip, sip, hooray – a wine tasting party to celebrate the taste and feel of fall! Enjoy an outdoor tasting with a variety of unique and interesting

wines. Whether you've wondered, "shall we remove the bung and use a thief to empty the cooperage while we determine its backbone?" or just enjoy a hearty pour of the good stuff, you'll fit right in. Surround yourself with friends, bites, cheer and sips – hooray indeed!

The event will be held on the evening of Saturday, October 1 at the home of Sushma Shenoy and Amit Saluja in McLean. Spots will be sold for \$100 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 40 spots.

Donors: Smita and Vipul Amin, Sushma Shenoy and Amit Saluja, Shilpa and Suhrid Gajendragadkar, and Erin and Andy Wolff

Let's Get Trivial

Saturday, October 15, 2022

We're bringing this popular event back – and on campus so more can play! It's Trivia Night with CNN's Chris Cillizza. Get your trivia fix with an exciting evening of politics (the midterm elections will be less than a month away!), pop culture, sports, and everything in between. Heavy hors d'oeuvres and drinks will be served as you puzzle over which President skinny dipped in the Potomac and what's illegal to eat with a fork in Georgia. Whether you're a trivia buff, newbie, or detractor, this party is for you.

The adults-only event will be held on campus on the evening of Saturday, October 15. Spots will be sold for \$100 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 100 spots.



Donors: Gia and Chris Cillizza, Ashley and Sam Chamberlain, Alicia and Jon Downs, Jen and Chris Graham, Morgan and Andy Holtman, Michelle O'Hara '93 and Jeremy Levin, Leigh and Tom Mayrhofer, Anousheh Sayah and Tom Mazahery, Gretchen and Jerad Speigel, and Amy and Mike Wigmore

Bury the Hatchet

Thursday, October 20, 2022

Bored with the status quo night out? Feel the rush of throwing axes in a fun and safe setting. This unique axe-perience features dedicated 12-foot throwing lanes, professional coaches, dinner and drinks with the world's largest urban axe-throwing company. No skill or experience required. If you're looking to kick it up a notch, this party is for you!

The event will be held on the evening of Thursday, October 20, at Bad Axe Throwing in Merrifield. Spots

will be sold for \$125 per person on a first-come, first-served basis; adults only. Limited to 25 spots.

Donors: Brant Imperatore and Rob Walters





Relish the Moment: It's Pickleball Time Saturday, November 5, 2022



Pickleball, invented in 1965 to be both challenging and accessible, is one of the most popular sports in the country. Join your hosts for a night of fun with tournament-style, indoor

pickleball, food, and drink. Pros will be on hand to teach the basics and paddles will be provided. This will be a no-pressure, fun-filled event. All skill levels are welcome!

This adults-only event will be held on Saturday, November 5, from 6:00 to 9:00 pm at River Bend Club. Spots will be sold for \$100 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Limited to 24 spots.

Donors: Adria de Leonibus Black '83 and Will Black, Colleen and Jim Lucier, Kelly and Todd Overman, and Leigh and Brian Pence '95

Chaka & Champagne Sunday, November 13, 2022

Dance, dine, and make new friends at this fun new event on campus. The dynamic Chakaboom Fitness team, led by three world aerobic gymnastic champions, will teach a class with fun, original choreography suited for all dance levels. "Chakaboom" means "energy from the heart" and this dancing will get you movin' and groovin' until noon when the group will kick back and enjoy time together over a lovely seated brunch.

This adults-only event will be held on Sunday, November 3, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Fleming Multipurpose Studio in the Spangler Center. Spots will be sold for \$100 per person on a first-come, first-served basis. Attendees should wear comfortable exercise clothing and shoes, and be fully vaccinated. Limited to 30 spots.



Donors: Dorothy McIntire, Malvika Paddock, Ellie Christiansen, Sylvia Garfinkle, and Janelle Nowak-Santo





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- When you arrive at the Spangler Center, please check in at the registration table. You will be assigned a bid number that you may use to bid on all Silent Auction and Live Auction items. This bid number functions as a legally binding signature for your bids at the Auction.
- All sales are final. No exchanges or refunds on Auction items are permitted. All items are sold "as is." Please read specifications and restrictions carefully before placing a bid.
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- Please be advised that each item has a specified minimum starting bid and minimum incremental bid. Bidding for the Silent Auction will close prior to the start of the Live Auction at approximately 8 pm on April 9, 2022. Bidders will be alerted prior to the closing of the Silent Auction, including by way of a countdown. The person offering the highest bid for an item at the close of Silent Auction bidding will be deemed the winner of the item and will be notified through text and/or email.

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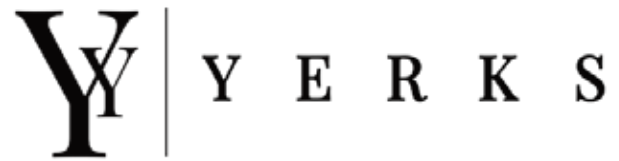
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